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## **EDUCATION**

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- 2022 - Present      Ph.D. Psychological and Brain Sciences, University of Delaware  
Concentration: Social Psychology and Social Neuroscience  
Advisors: Jasmin Cloutier, Ph.D.; Jennifer Kubota, Ph.D  
Expected graduation: 2028
- 2018 – 2022      B.S. Psychology, University of Florida  
Concentration: Behavioral and Cognitive Neuroscience  
Cumulative GPA: 4.00
- B.A. Women’s Studies, University of Florida  
Minor: Health Disparities in Society  
Cumulative GPA: 4.00

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

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- 2018 – 2022      Benacquisto Scholarship, Florida Department of Education
- 2018 – 2022      Florida Bright Futures Academic Scholarship, Florida Department of Education
- 2018 – 2022      Dean’s List, University of Florida
- 2019 – 2020      President’s Honor Roll, University of Florida

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

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- 2022 – Present      Graduate Student, Impression Formation and Social Neuroscience Lab  
Principal Investigators: Jasmin Cloutier, Ph.D. and Jennifer Kubota, Ph.D.  
Focus: interracial contact and social cognition  
NSF Award: 2141326; Role: Graduate Research Assistantship
- 2020 – 2022      Undergraduate Research Assistant, Brain Cognition and Development Lab  
Principal Investigator: Lisa Scott, Ph.D.  
Focus: joint attention and neural synchrony in infants and primary caregivers

## **PUBLICATIONS**

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### Submitted, Under Review, and In Preparation:

Handley, G., Dang, T., Welte, M., Kubota, J.T., & Cloutier, J. (in preparation). Interracial contact improves cross-race memory of person-knowledge beyond face recognition. Pre-registration: <https://osf.io/4k8ve/>

Handley, G., Dang, T., Welte, M., Cloutier, J., & Kubota, J.T. (in preparation). Interracial contact shapes evaluations of social injustice. Pre-registration: <https://osf.io/nhjfx/>

In Progress:

Welte, M., Handley, G., Kubota, J.T., Quinn, P., Correll, J., & Cloutier, J. (in progress). Examining the relationship between interracial contact and social cognition.

Handley, G., Dang, T., Welte, M., Cloutier, J., & Kubota, J.T. (in preparation). The neural correlates of interracial contact and cross-race memory of person-knowledge.

Handley, G., Dang, T., Welte, M., Cloutier, J., & Kubota, J.T. (in preparation). The role of nationality, threat, and social status on evaluative responses and hiring: An fMRI study.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

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Welte, M., Handley, G., Dang, T., Kubota, J.T., & Cloutier, J. (2023, February). The impact of interracial contact on learning of individuating information about Black and White faces. Poster submitted to the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Social Cognition Preconference.

## **TEACHING AND MENTORING EXPERIENCE**

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Teaching:

2022	Lecturer, National Student Leadership Conference Medicine & Health Care High School Summer Program at UCLA Lectures: Introduction to EEG; Introduction to Neuroanatomy
2021	Lecturer, National Student Leadership Conference Medicine & Health Care High School Summer Program at American University Lectures: Introduction to EEG; Introduction to Neuroanatomy
2020	Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, University of Florida Course: Principles of Behavior Analysis

Mentoring:

Shaina Rosenblum, University of Delaware

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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Society for Personality and Social Psychology

## **SKILLS**

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Programming:

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MATLAB

Neuroimaging and Psychophysiological Methods:

Eye-tracking  
Functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging  
Electroencephalography: Biosemi

Applications:

PsychoPy  
Inquisit  
Microsoft Office  
Google Workspace  
Qualtrics  
Survey Monkey