

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Educational History

Beijing Normal University (BNU), Beijing, China

B.S. in Applied Psychology 2001-2005

Thesis title: The plasticity of numerical estimation

BNU, Beijing, China

Minor in English 2003-2005

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UIUC)

M.S. in Educational Psychology 2006-2008 (expected)

Thesis title: Aging, resource allocation and reading with visual noise

Professional Appointment

Graduate Research Assistant

Adult Learning Lab, Beckman Institute, UIUC

Advisor: Dr. Elizabeth A. L. Stine-Morrow 2006-

Undergraduate Research Assistant in the State Key Lab of Cognitive Neuroscience and Learning (SKLCNL)

Advisors: Dr. Qi Dong and Dr. Hua Shu 2003-2006

Membership in Professional Associations

American Psychological Association (student affiliate Division 20)

Awards and Honors

Grants for Excellent Undergraduates, BNU, 2003-2005

Fellowships for Outstanding Academic Performance, BNU, 2001-2003

Publications and Conference Presentations

Gao, X., Noh, S. R., Eskew, R. T., & Stine-Morrow, E. A. L., (November, 2008). *Reading and resource allocation with visual noise*. Poster presented at the 49th annual meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Chicago, IL.

Gao, X., Levinthal, B. R., & Stine-Morrow, E. A. L. (April, 2008). *Aging, resource allocation and reading with visual noise*. Poster presented at the Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Duan, S., Gao, X., & Lin, X. (January, 2006). *The negative effect of meta-cognitive strategies on simple reading tasks*. Abstract accepted at the 4th Annual Hawaii International Conference on Education, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Zhang, L., Lei, L., Gao, X., Zhang, X., Zhao, Y., Shi, Y., & Zhang, X. (August, 2004). *Visual subliminal stimuli's effect on video advertisement*. Poster presented at the 28th International Congress of Psychology, Beijing, China.

Teaching Experience

Teaching assistant, Psychological Statistics, BNU, spring semester 2001-2002