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EDUCATION

Princeton University 2021-
Ph.D. in Psychology
Advisor: Dr. Tania Lombrozo

Boston University 2015-2019
B.A. in Psychology with Honors & Philosophy with Honors
summa cum laude

Thesis for honors in psychology: Anthropic teleological bias: The belief in human purpose and judgment of those who fail to fulfill it (Advisor: Dr. Deb Kelemen)

Thesis for honors in philosophy: The role of intuition in moral decision-making (Advisor: Dr. Ben Crowe)

National University of Singapore, Exchange Semester 2017

FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS, & AWARDS

College Prize for Excellence in Psychological & Brain Sciences, Boston University 2019

College Prize for Excellence in Philosophy, Boston University 2019

Karbank Fellowship, Boston University 2019

Robert E. Charm Award for Writing Excellence in the Humanities, Boston University 2019

Harold C. Case Scholarship, Boston University 2018

Humanities Scholars Award, Boston University 2018

Phi Beta Kappa, Boston University 2018

UROP Stipend Award, Boston University 2018

Karbank Fellowship, Boston University 2017

Provost's Scholars Award, Boston University 2017

Conference Travel Award, Boston University 2017

PUBLICATIONS AND REFEREED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

Lewry, C., Curtis, K., Vasilyeva, N., Xu, F., & Griffiths, T. L. (2021). Intuitions about magic track the development of intuitive physics. *Cognition*.

Lewry, C., Kelemen, D., & Lombrozo, T. (2021). Why belief in species purpose prompts moral condemnation of individuals who fail to fulfill that purpose. *Proceedings of the 43rd Annual Conference of the Cognitive Science Society*. Cognitive Science Society.

Lewry, C., Kelemen, D., & Lombrozo, T. (under review). From teleology to morality: Why belief in human purpose prompts moral condemnation of individuals who fail to fulfill it.

Lewry, C., Gorucu, S., Liquin, E.G., & Lombrozo, T. (in prep.). Surprise! Minimally-counterintuitive stimuli trigger greater curiosity than merely improbable stimuli.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

TALKS

Lewry, C., Kelemen, D., & Lombrozo, T. (2021). *From teleology to morality: Why belief in species function affects moral evaluation of individuals*. Talk accepted at the meeting of the Society for Philosophy and Psychology.

Lewry, C., Gorucu, S., Liquin, E.G., & Lombrozo, T. (2021). *Surprise! Minimally-counterintuitive stimuli trigger greater curiosity than merely improbable stimuli*. Talk presented in symposium at the meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development.

POSTERS

- Lewry, C., Lombrozo, T., & Kelemen, D. (2020).** *Teleological explanations for human purpose and their implications for moral judgment.* Poster accepted at the Meeting of the Society for Psychology and Philosophy (meeting canceled due to COVID-19).
- Lewry, C., Lombrozo, T., & Kelemen, D. (2020).** *People view humans as existing for purposes and condemn those who fail to fulfill them.* Poster presented at the Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.
- Aronowitz, S., **Lewry, C., & Lombrozo, T. (2020).** *Experiential explanations in iterated learning.* Poster presented at the Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society.
- Lewry, C., Kelemen, D. (2020).** *God, Gaia, and essentialism: Investigating influences on belief in human purpose.* Poster presented at the Existential Psychology Preconference of the Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.
- Lewry, C., Kelemen, D. (2020).** *The anthropic teleological bias: Beliefs in human purpose and their implications for moral judgment.* Poster presented at the Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA.
- Lewry, C., Kelemen, D. (2019).** *The anthropic teleological bias: Beliefs in human purpose and their implications for moral judgment.* Poster presented at the Meeting of the Cognitive Development Society, Louisville, KY.
- Lewry, C., Crowe, B. (2018).** *The role of intuition in moral decision-making.* Poster presented at the UROP Symposium, Boston University.
- Nayak, S., **Lewry, C.,** Smith, I., Doan, S. N., & Tarullo, A. (2017). *Bilingual and monolingual preschoolers' error-related negativity (ERNs) on a card sort task.* Poster presented at the Meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Austin, TX.

SERVICE

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| Psychology Graduate Student Committee
Member | 2021-2022 |
| Council of the Princeton University Community
Staff Representative | 2020-2021 |

TEACHING

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| Teaching Transcript Participant
Princeton Pedagogy Program | 2021- |
| Course Instructor
Philosophy in Practice
Princeton Wintersession Course | 2022 |
| Course Instructor
The Female Face of Homelessness
Princeton Wintersession Course | 2021, 2022 |
| Teaching Assistant
PS 333: Drugs and Behavior
Course taught by Dr. Barak Caine, Boston University | 2018 |