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### **Education**

- 2014 – Present    Ph.D. Student in Cognitive Psychology  
Advisor: George A. Michael (Ph.D., Professor)  
Title: Multiple interruptions from workplace environment and Information Communication Technology, do they have detrimental effects on attention? Is a new occupational disease emerging?
- 2012 – 2013    - M.Social Sciences in Psychology (Major: Professional practice in Neuropsychology)  
Department of Psychology, Université Lyon II (Lyon, France)
- Internship at the University Hospital of Grenoble (Grenoble, France)  
Advisors: Bernadette Naegele (Ph.D., Neuropsychologist) and George A. Michael (Ph.D., Professor)
- 2009 – 2012    M.Social Sciences in Cognitive Psychology and Neuropsychology (Major: Research in Cognitive Psychology)
- 2011 – 2012: Department of Psychology, Université Lyon II (Lyon, France)
- 2010 – 2011: Department of Psychology, Université de Picardie Jules Verne (Amiens, France)
- 2009 – 2010: One year abroad as part of an exchange program at Louisiana State University (Baton Rouge, LA)
- 2006 – 2009    Bachelor's Degree in Social Sciences (Major: Psychology)  
Department of Psychology, Université de Picardie Jules Verne (Amiens, France)

### **Teaching Experience**

- Spring 2013    - Teaching Assistant: "Statistics" (instructor: Jordan Navarro, Ph.D., Professor)  
- Teaching Assistant: "Applied Research Methods in English" (instructor: Isabelle Tapiero, Ph.D., Professor)  
Department of Psychology, Université Lyon II (Lyon, France)
- Fall 2012    Teaching Assistant: "Cognitive Psychology" (instructor: Francois Osiurak, Ph.D., Professor)  
Department of Psychology, Université Lyon II (Lyon, France)

## Research Experience

- 2011 – 2013      Research topic: *Multiple interruptions from workplace environment and Information Communication Technology, do they have detrimental effects on attention? Is a new occupational disease emerging?*  
Advisor: George A. Michael (Ph.D., Professor)  
Université Lyon II (Lyon, France)  
Laboratoire d'Etude des Mécanismes Cognitifs (EMC)
- 2011 – 2013      Research topic: *the time course of salience-based progression of attention: potential hemispheric asymmetries and differences in processes in the extrageniculate and geniculate pathways.*  
Advisor: George A. Michael (Ph.D., Professor)  
Université Lyon II (Lyon, France)  
Laboratoire d'Etude des Mécanismes Cognitifs (EMC)
- 2010 – 2011      Research topic: *The effects of antidepressants on cognition in patients with dementia.*  
Advisors: Veronique Quaglino (Ph.D., Professor) and Emilie Ritter (Ph.D., Neuropsychologist).  
Université de Picardie Jules Verne (Amiens, France)  
Laboratoire Cognition, Langage, Emotion, Acquisitions (CLEA)
- 2009 – 2010      Research topic: *the effects of ADHD medicine on episodic and procedural memory.*  
Advisor: Claire Advokat (Ph.D., Emerita Professor)  
Louisiana State University (Baton Rouge, LA)

## Publications

- **Couffe, C.**, Mizzi, R., & Michael, G.A. (*submitted*). Salience-based visual progression of attention: time course.
- Michael G.A., Mizzi R., **Couffe C.**, & Gálvez-García G. (*in press*). Dissociable yet tied inhibitory processes: The structure of inhibitory control. *Cognitive, Affective & Behavioral Neuroscience*.
- Michael G.A., Padovan C., Pannetier C., Chastang V., **Couffe C.**, Neuschwander P., Favre D., D'Amato T., & Dorey J.-M. (2014). Transnosographie des processus attentionnels basée sur le modèle Master Activation Map : Étude préliminaire d'un continuum neuropsychiatrique. *Kinésithérapie Scientifique*, 550 : 41-45.

## Presentations

- **Couffe C.**, Mizzi R., Michael G.A. (2013). Saillance et distinctions hémisphériques : entre progression attentionnelle et conscience. Presented at the 55<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Société Française de Psychologie (Lyon, France).

- Mizzi R., **Couffe C.**, Vallet G., Michael G.A. (2013). Le rôle de la voie rétino-tectale dans le déplacement exogène de l'attention. Presented at the 55<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Société Française de Psychologie (Lyon, France).
- **Couffe, C.**, Mizzi, R., Alba, M-C., Em, S., Michael, G.A. (2012). Décours temporel de la hiérarchisation de la saillance visuelle. Presented at the 54<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Société Française de Psychologie (Montpellier, France).
- **Couffe, C.**, Em, S., Mizzi, R., Alba, M-C., Michael, G.A. (2012). Asymétries hémisphériques et hiérarchisation de la saillance visuelle. Presented at the 54<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Société Française de Psychologie (Montpellier, France).
- **Couffe, C.**, Alba, M-C., Mizzi, R., Em, S., Michael, G.A. (2012). Hiérarchisation de la saillance visuelle et différences entre voies géniculées et extragéniculées. Presented at the 54<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of the Société Française de Psychologie (Montpellier, France).
- Michael, G.A., **Couffe, C.**, Mizzi, R., Alba, M-C., Em, S., Lichere, E. Saliency-based progression of visual attention. Presented at the Initial Training Network: Lateralized Attention Networks (April 2012, Paris, France).

### **Work experience**

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| 2012 – Present | Intern neuropsychologist at the University Hospital of Grenoble (Grenoble, France)<br>Advisor: Bernadette Naegele (Ph.D., Neuropsychologist)      |
| 2010 – 2011    | Intern neuropsychologist at the Geriatric Hospital of Bischwiller (Bischwiller, France)<br>Advisor: Emilie Ritter (Ph.D., Neuropsychologist)      |
| 2008 – 2009    | - Student tutoring for international students<br>- Student technician (Psychology Library)<br>Université de Picardie Jules Verne (Amiens, France) |

### **Other relevant qualifications**

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| Nov. 2012 | TOEFL Score: 111/120 |
| Dec. 2008 | TOEFL Score: 108/120 |

### **References**

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 Head of the Research Group Attention Processes and Vigilance States  
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