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## PERSONAL DATA

United Kingdom | 7 November 1990 PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH:

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# **EDUCATION**

2014 - Present	Ph.D. Psychology Advisor: Prof. Geoffrey M. Boynton	University of Washington Seattle WA US
2013 - 2014	M.Sc. Psychological Research Advisor: Prof. Christopher Summerfield	University of Oxford Oxford UK
2009 - 2013	B.Sc. Psychology First Class Honours Thesis Advisor: Dr. Martin Lages	University of Glasgow Glasgow UK

EXPERIENCE				
2014 - Present	Research Assistant	Vision Group	&	Cognition
	Advisor: Geoffrey M. Boynton Current research investigating summary statistics and attention.			Washington divided
2013 - 2014	Research Assistant	SUMMERFIELD LAB		
	Advisor: Christopher Summerfield	University of Oxford		
	Co-Advisor: Konstantinos Tsetsos Project exploring apparent violations of rational decision making in tasks demanding rapid sequential integration of perceptual information.			
2013	Research Assistant	ATTENTIO		& Cognitive
	Advisor: Nick Yeung EEG data collection on a reinforcement learning task volatile environments.	Universi exploring		
2012 - 2013	Research Assistant			
	Advisor: Martin Lages Investigating the influence of ventral and dorsal st decision making under risk.			Glasgow o-motor

### AWARDS AND HONOURS

- 2014 Natural Sciences Fellowship, University of Washington, Seattle WA, US
- 2014 Postgraduate Studentship, McGlashan Charitable Trust, Scotland, UK
- 2014 Travel Grant, Wadham College, Oxford, UK
- 2013 Postgraduate Bursary, Leverhulme Trade Charities Trust, Leverhulme Trust UK
- 2013 Distinction for top 25% of First Class Degrees in Psychology 2013, University of Glasgow, UK
- 2013 Nomination for Ede & Ravenscroft prize for University of Glasgow science undergraduate of the year 2013, University of Glasgow, UK
- 2012 Wellcome Trust Vacation Scholarship, Wellcome Trust, UK
- 2012 School of Psychology Merit List for excellent exam performance, University of Glasgow, UK

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Tsetsos, K., Moran, R., **Moreland, J.**, Chater, N., Usher, M. & Summerfield, C. (In Press), Economic irrationality is optimal during noisy decision-making. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*.

Wang, H., Heron, S., **Moreland, J.** & Lages, M. (2012), A Bayesian approach to the aperture problem of 3D motion perception. *IEEEInt Conf on 3D Imaging (ID3D) 2012*, pp 1-8

#### Conferences

#### Talks

**Moreland, J.C.** & Boynton, G.M. (2015), *Contribution of individual elements in the summary statistics of localization*. Paper presented at Cognitive Science Association for Interdisciplinary Learning, Hood River: Oregon, US.

**Moreland, J.** (2013), *Influence of illusions and delay on optimal human goal-directed movements*. Paper presented at the annual BPS Scotland Undergraduate Conference, Dundee: Scotland.

#### Posters

Moreland, J.C., Tsetsos, K. & Summerfield, C. (2014) *Violations of transitivity in perceptual decision making*. Poster presented at the annual Master's research festival, University of Oxford, UK.

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Fall 2014	Introduction to Statistics and Data Analysis Graduate Teaching Assistant University of Washington	INSTRUCTOR: Geoffrey Boynton, Ph.D.
Winter 2014	Introduction to Psychology Graduate Teaching Assistant University of Washington	INSTRUCTOR: Ann Voorhies, Ph.D.