



Michael

ANDERSON

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

As a passionate Cognitive Neuroscience Researcher with 4 years of experience in laboratory settings, my focus has been on the neural underpinnings of emotional processing and decision-making. I have developed a keen interest in how emotional states influence cognitive functions, and my research aims to unravel these complex relationships.

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SKILLS

- fMRI
- emotional processing
- data analysis
- research design
- collaboration
- communication

LANGUAGES

- English
- Spanish
- French

EDUCATION

**MASTER'S IN NEUROSCIENCE,
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN, 2017**

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Contributed to a publication on emotional influence in decision-making.
- Received the Outstanding Research Award at the university.
- Participated in community outreach to raise awareness about mental health.

WORK EXPERIENCE

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Emotional Brain Lab

2020 - 2025

- Assisted in the design and execution of studies on emotional decision-making.
- Conducted neuroimaging sessions using fMRI to collect data.
- Managed participant recruitment and scheduling for studies.
- Performed data analysis using R and Python to interpret results.
- Collaborated with psychologists to enhance the research framework.
- Presented findings at local symposiums to engage the community.

INTERN RESEARCHER

Cognitive Insights Institute

2015 - 2020

- Supported various research projects focused on cognitive-emotional interactions.
- Assisted in data collection and analysis for behavioral studies.
- Helped maintain laboratory equipment and ensure proper functioning.
- Contributed to literature reviews and background research for projects.
- Engaged in weekly meetings to discuss research progress and findings.
- Developed presentations to convey research outcomes to peers.