Full-Time Lab Manager at Amodio Social Neuroscience Lab at NYU

The Amodio Social Neuroscience Lab (amodiolab.org), directed by David Amodio and located in the Department of Psychology at New York University, seeks a full-time Junior Laboratory Associate (lab manager). The expected start date for the position is September 1, 2018.

The Amodio lab studies the neural and psychological mechanisms of social cognition and self-regulation, particularly as they relate to prejudice and stereotyping, decision making, and social behavior. We use a variety of methods, including behavioral paradigms, surveys, neuroimaging, electrophysiology, and computational modeling.

The lab associate will work closely with Dr. Amodio and his lab group to coordinate their research activities. These include preparation and running of behavioral and neuroimaging studies, data processing, supervision of research assistants, planning lab events and meetings, maintenance of laboratory equipment, grant management, and manuscript editing. The lab associate will also have the opportunity to participate in the broader scientific community in the NYU Department of Psychology and Center for Neural Science.

Qualifications

The position is designed for an individual with a Bachelor's degree in psychology, neuroscience, cognitive science, or related fields. Strong technical skills are preferred, including competence in programming environments such as MATLAB, Python, and/or Javascript. Additional experience with data analysis packages for fMRI (e.g., SPM, BrainVoyager, AFNI, FSL) and EEG (e.g., EEG Lab, ERP Lab, Neuroscan) is also helpful but not required. Previous experience conducting research in psychology/neuroscience is also desirable.

The ideal candidate will make creative contributions to the labs’ research programs and, as such, have opportunities to co-author manuscripts resulting from the research. More generally, we seek a candidate who is self-motivated, highly organized, and a team player, who seeks to eventually pursue a career in psychology/neuroscience.

Application review will begin May 1 and continue until the position is filled. Applicants should submit a resume/CV and a 1-page cover letter describing their qualifications for the position, relevant experience, and research/career interests, along with the names of 2-3 references that may be contacted for a recommendation. Applications should be submitted through Interfolio: http://apply.interfolio.com/50257

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