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2024 Ph.D. Neuroscience, University of Rochester Medical Center (URMC) | Rochester, NY

2020 M.S. Neuroscience, URM | Rochester, NY

2013 M.F.A. Imaging Arts, Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT) | Rochester, NY

2009 B.S. Neuroscience, UR | Rochester, NY

2024-Present : Postdoctoral Researcher under Dr. Jude Mitchell

Targeting and Electrophysiology of Direct V1 to areaMT Projections in the Marmoset Monkey

2018-2024 : Neuroscience PhD Student advised by Dr. Jude Mitchell and Dr. Kuan Wang

Manipulating Premotor-Parietal Feedback during Visually Guided Reaching Behavior in the Marmoset

2025 Neuroscience Department Vincent du Vigneaud PhD Award Nominee

2018-2019 : PhD Lab Rotations

Intracranial Recordings in a Mouse Model of Batten Disease

Novel 3D Reconstruction of Vision in Naturalistic Environment Exploration

Testing Reaching Behavior in Aging Marmosets Using Markerless Motion Tracking

2015-2018 : Lab Manager at Cognitive Neurophysiology Laboratory, Dr. John Foxe

Human electroencephalography, electrocorticography, and psychophysics exploring biomarkers

Selected Papers:

Luke Shaw, Krishnan Padmanabhan, Amy Buckleaw, Jude Mitchell, Kuan Hong Wang. *Projection Specific Intersectional Optogenetics for Precise Excitation and Inhibition in the Marmoset Brain.* (in prep)

Luke Shaw, Kuan Hong Wang, Jude Mitchell. *Fast prediction in marmoset reach to grasp movements for dynamic prey.* *Curr Biol.* 2023 Jun 19;33(12):2557-2565.e4. doi: 10.1016/j.cub.2023.05.032.

Allison Murphy, **Luke Shaw**, J. Michael Hasse, Robbe Goris, Farran Briggs. (2020) Optogenetic activation of corticogeniculate feedback stabilizes response gain and increases information coding in LGN neurons. *Journal of Computational Neuroscience.* June 06. PMID: 32632511.

Experimental Experience (*=Mouse and Non-Human Primate)

Intracranial, extracellular electrophysiology*

Stereotaxic intracranial viral injection and surgery*

Head implant surgery*

Optogenetics*

Eye tracking*

Behavioral tracking and quantification*

Histological analysis and categorization*

Immunohistochemistry*

Custom robotics and controller engineering

Human psychophysics and behavior

Human EEG collection and analysis

Human ECoG collection and analysis

Technical Expertise

Matlab

Anaconda//Python

Open Ephys

Arduino // C++

3D Printing workflows

Machine vision powered motion tracking

(DeepLabCut and Anipose)

Custom machine learning networks (Keras)

Presentation (NeuroBehavioral Systems)

Brain Electrical Source Analysis (BESA GmbH)

Adobe Creative Suite

Web Design in HTML, CSS