

# Gavin J. D. Mullin

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## Education

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2022 - Present	PhD in Social Psychology, University of Delaware Advisor: Dr. Peter Mende-Siedlecki
Spring 2022	BS in Behavioral Neuroscience, University of Kansas With Departmental Honors

## Research Interests

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Social and affective neuroscience | Group membership | Identity | Emotions | Intergroup relationships | Person perception | LGBTQ+ | Stereotypes and prejudice | Social equity

## Publications

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Vitevitch, M. S., Castro, N., **Mullin, G.J.D.**, & Kulphongpatana, Z. (2023). The Resilience of the Phonological Network May Have Implications for Developmental and Acquired Disorders. *Brain Sciences*. [\[link\]](#)

Vitevitch, M.S., & **Mullin, G.J.D.** (2021). What Do Cognitive Networks Do? Simulations of Spoken Word Recognition Using the Cognitive Network Science Approach. *Brain Sciences*. [\[link\]](#)

## Presentations

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Poster presentation: **Mullin, G.J.D.**, Mende-Siedlecki, P., & Hackel, L.M. (February 2023). SPSP Social Cognition Preconference.

Talk: **Mullin, G.J.D.**, Oh, D.W., Freeman, J.B. (February 2022). Racial biases in neural activation pattern underlying object identification. Social & Affective Neuroscience Lab at Brown University.

Colloquium talk: Vitevitch, M.S., Castro, N., **Mullin, G.J.D.**, & Kulphongpatana, Z. (September 2021). Using cognitive network science and computer simulations to examine aphasia. Johns Hopkins University Cognitive Science Colloquium Series.

Poster presentation: \*Ginkala, R., \*Hyun, R., \*Marx, D., & \***Mullin, G.J.D.** (July 2021) The relationship between perspective-taking media, narrative, transportation, and pro-social behavior. Center for the Science of Moral Understanding. (\*Denotes equal contribution)

Invited talk: Vitevitch, M.S., & **Mullin, G.J.D.** (December 2020) What do phonological networks do? A comparison of simulations to understand the process of spoken word recognition. Conference on Complex Systems 2020.

Symposium presentation: Vitevitch, M.S., & **Mullin, G.J.D.** (November 2020) What do phonological networks do? A comparison of simulations to understand the process of spoken word recognition. Annual Meeting of the Psychonomic Society 2020.

## Research Experience

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2022- Present	Mende-Siedlecki Lab University of Delaware    Dr. Peter Mende-Siedlecki
2021-2022	Social Cognitive and Neural Sciences Lab Columbia University    Drs. Jonathan Freeman & DongWon Oh
2020-2021	Social Cognitive and Neural Sciences Lab New York University    Drs. Jonathan Freeman & DongWon Oh
2020-2022	Applied Moral Psychology Lab Cornell University    Dr. Laura Niemi
2019-2022	Spoken Language Lab University of Kansas    Dr. Michael Vitevitch

## Skills & Interests

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Programming:	Python, RStudio, Shell Script, C++, MATLAB
Methodology:	EEG (Brainstorm, BIOPAC), fMRI Data Analysis, SPSS, Qualtrics
Miscellaneous:	Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Affinity Photo

## Awards, Grants & Scholarships

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\$1,431	Spring 2023 Graduate Student Travel Award
All semesters	University of Kansas Honor Roll
\$7,000	University of Kansas Opportunity Grant
\$1,000	John G. Wall Memorial Scholarship

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Kansas Comprehensive Grant  
University of Kansas Undergraduate Research Award

## **Volunteer, Leadership & Memberships**

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2022 - Present	UDel LGBTQ+ Affinity Group
2022 - Present	Society for Personality and Social Psychology
2021 - Present	Project SHORT
2012 - Present	BeHeadStrong, Volunteer
2019 - 2022	Kappa Kappa Psi
2019 - 2022	Psi Chi
2018 - 2022	Nu Rho Psi
2019 - 2021	Clarinet Rank Leader, Marching Jayhawks
2019 - 2021	Student Alumni Leadership Board