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Education

Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY May 2024 - Projected May 2025

• M.A. in Psychology

Hartwick College, Oneonta, NY Aug. 2020 - May 2022

B.A. in Psychology, Summa Cum Laude with Class Distinction

Nassau Community College, Garden City, NY Sept. 2018 - May 2020

• A.A. in Liberal Arts with Honors

• Personal Enrichment Sept. 2023 - May 2024

Research Experience

Hartwick College, Oneonta, NY

Undergraduate Thesis Research

- Advisor: Dr. Lisa Onorato
- Thesis: "The Effects of Red vs Green Nature/Urban-Viewing on Creativity"
- Aimed to better understand which color, red versus green, suggested greater creative thought when presented in nature or urban scenes.
- Used the Torrance Test of Creative Thinking Figural, a Remote Associations Test, and the Unusual Uses Task to assess participant creativity. Results (Scene x Color) were interpreted in terms of aversion and appetition, and the Attention Restoration Theory.

Hartwick College, Oneonta, NY

Undergraduate Student Research

- Professor: Dr. Lisa Onorato
- Study: "The Color of Nature and its Effect on Creativity"
- Aimed to better understand if red or green color suggested greater creative thought when presented in various nature scenes. Used the Torrance Test of Creative Thinking Verbal to assess participant creativity.

Conference Presentations

• "The Color of Nature and its Effect on Creativity," Eastern Psychological Association, 2022 Annual Conference, New York, New York. March 2022