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## Education

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### University of Pennsylvania

PHD PROGRAM IN PSYCHOLOGY

- Advisor: John Trueswell

Philadelphia, PA

Aug. 2019 - ongoing

### Swarthmore College

B.A. IN PSYCHOLOGY AND COGNITIVE SCIENCE, HIGH HONORS

Swarthmore, PA

Aug. 2013 - May. 2017

## Honors & Awards

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| 2020      | <b>Mellon Graduate Fellow</b> , Andrew W. Mellon Foundation           |
| 2019      | <b>Fontaine fellow</b> , Penn Fontaine Fellowship Program             |
| 2017      | <b>High honors in Cognitive Science</b> , Swarthmore College          |
| 2014-2017 | <b>HHMI Summer Research Funding</b> , Howard Hughes Medical Institute |
| 2015      | <b>Sigma Xi induction</b> , Sigma Xi                                  |
| 2013      | <b>Questbridge Scholar</b> , Questbridge                              |

## Publications

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**Gomes, V.**, & de Carvalho, A. (2019). "Look up!" Using easy words to explain how we learn hard words and other aspects of language, an interview with Lila Gleitman. *Revista Linguística*, 14(3), 12–20.

**Gomes, V.**, Huh, Y., & Trueswell, J. (2020). Not what you expect: The relationship between violation of expectation and negation. In *Proceedings for the 42nd annual meeting of the cognitive science society* (pp. 338–342).

## Conference Talks

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**Gomes, V.**, Huh, Y. and Trueswell, J. (2020), Not what you expect: The relationship between violation of expectation and negation, Talk presented at the *42nd Annual Conference of the Cognitive Science Society*.

de Carvalho, A, **Gomes, V.**, and Trueswell, J. (2020), English-learning preschoolers use negative sentences to constrain novel word meanings of expectation and negation, Talk presented at the *34th Annual CUNY Conference on Human Sentence Processing*.

## Conference Posters

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**Gomes, V.**, Huh, Y., Feiman, R., Goldin-Meadow, S., and Trueswell, J. (2020), Observing negation: Artificial and Naturalistic Human Simulation Paradigms, Talk presented at the *45th Annual Boston University Conference on Language Development*.

## Other Experience

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### RESEARCH

#### University of Pennsylvania Language Learning Lab

RESEARCH SPECIALIST & LABORATORY MANAGER

- PIs: John Trueswell & Lila Gleitman

Philadelphia, PA

Apr. 2018 – Aug. 2019

#### Swarthmore College EEG Lab

RESEARCH ASSISTANT

- PIs: Les Sikos & Amanda Elam

Swarthmore, PA

Feb. 2015 - May. 2017

#### Swarthmore Psycholinguistics Lab

RESEARCH ASSISTANT AND THESIS STUDENT

- PI: Daniel Grodner

Swarthmore, PA

May. 2015 - May. 2017

## **Swarthmore College Neurobehavioral Psychopharmacology Lab**

HEAD UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCHER

- PI: Allen Schneider

*Swarthmore, PA*

*Aug. 2013 - May. 2017*

## EDUCATION AND COMMUNICATION

### **mindCORE Lila R. Gleitman Undergraduate Summer Program in Interdisciplinary Mind & Brain Studies**

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

*Philadelphia, PA*

*May. - Aug. 2020*

### **College of Physicians, Mütter Museum**

OUT4STEM PROGRAM COORDINATOR

*Philadelphia, PA*

*Nov. 2018 - Present*

### **Nautilus Magazine**

EDITORIAL INTERN

*New York, NY*

*Aug. 2017 - May. 2018*

## **Teaching**

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### **University of Pennsylvania Psychology Department**

TEACHING ASSISTANT

- Introduction to Developmental Psychology (Fall 2018)
- Introduction to Perception (Fall 2020)
- Language & Thought (Spring 2021)

*Philadelphia, PA*

*Sept. 2018 - Present*

## **Committees**

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2019-

Present

**Student Representative**, mindCORE Education Committee

2019-

Present

**Organizer**, Integrated Language Sciences & Technology (ILST) Seminar