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Texas A&M University

SHORT CV

EDUCATION

Ph.D.	Experimental Psychology	McGill University
M.A.	Experimental Psychology	McGill University
B.A.	Biopsychology	Vassar College

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

2001-present	Professor, Cognition and Cognitive Neuroscience
2013-present	Co-Founder and Convenor, Diversity Science Research Cluster, Psychological and Brain Sciences
2015-2018	Director of Organizational Development, Research, and Equity, Office for Diversity, Texas A&M: Coordinated ADVANCE Scholar Mentoring Program and Diversity Matters Seed Grant
2011-2012	Acting Director, Women's and Gender Studies Degree Program
2009-present	Affiliated Graduate Faculty, Institute for Neuroscience
2008-present	Affiliated Faculty, Women's and Gender Studies Program
2006-2007	Interim Director, International Studies Degree Program
1991-2001	Associate Professor
1986-1991	Assistant Professor
1983-1985	Postdoctoral Fellow, Center for Research in Language, UC San Diego
1983-1985	Research Associate, The Salk Institute for Biological Studies
1982-1983	Postdoctoral Fellow, Michigan State University
1982 (spring)	Research Associate, McGill University

Visiting Scholar

2020 (spring)	Fulbright Canada Research Chair, McGill University Faculty of Medicine
2014 (fall)	Visiting Scholar, The Graduate Center, City University of New York
2014 (summer)	Visiting Scholar, Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane
1995 (spring)	Visiting Research Scientist, CNRS, University of Provence, Aix
1995 (summer)	Visiting Scholar, Stanford University
1985-1986	Fulbright Scholar, NIMHANS, Bangalore
1984	American Institute for Indian Studies Fellow, Delhi University and All India Institute for Medical Sciences

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

National/International

2020-present	Executive Committee, Division 3, American Psychological Association
2020-present	Awards Committee, Psychonomics Society
2007-present	Delegate, American Institute of Indian Studies
1992-1995	Chair, Executive Board, Committee on Women in Asian Studies

Texas A&M University

2016-present	Co-Convenor, South Asia Studies Working Group, Glasscock Center
1990-present	Director, Language and Cognition Laboratory
2015-2018	Texas A&M University Diversity Operations Committee
2013-2018	Advisory Board, Race and Ethnic Studies Institute
2015-2018	ADVANCE Center Leadership Team
2000-2016	Convenor, Cognoscenti Working Group, Glasscock Center
2013-2015	Council on Climate and Inclusion
2011-2012	President, International Faculty/Scholars Network
2010-2011	Director, Cognitive Graduate Training Area, Psychology

EDITORIAL POSITIONS

Founding Editor in Chief

2009-2020	<i>Writing Systems Research</i> (Co-Editor, with Vivian Cook and Bene Bassetti)
1983-1996	<i>Committee on South Asian Women Bulletin</i>

Associate Editor

2017-present	<i>Journal of Cultural Cognitive Science</i>
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Journal Editorial Board

2018-present	<i>International Perspectives in Psychology: Research, Practice, Consultation</i>
2014-present	<i>Journal of Neurolinguistics</i>
2000-present	<i>Laterality: Asymmetries of Body, Brain and Cognition</i>
1989-present	<i>Behavioral and Brain Sciences</i>

1998-2010	<i>Bilingualism: Language and Cognition</i>
1989-2009	<i>Reading and Writing: An Interdisciplinary Journal</i>
1990-2002	<i>Applied Psycholinguistics</i>
1986-1988	<i>Psychology of Women Quarterly</i>

HONORS, RECOGNITIONS AND AWARDS

- Fellow: Society for Ethnic Minority Psychology; Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues; Society for the Psychology of Women; Society for Experimental Psychology and Cognitive Science, American Psychological Association

- Fellow, American Association for the Advancement of Science, 2016
 Fellow, Society for Psychonomic Science, 2012
 Fellow, Association for Psychological Science, 2002
- Women in Cognitive Science Senior Mentorship Award, 2016
 - Fulbright Research Scholar (India), 1984-1985; Fulbright Research Chair (Canada), 2020
 - Eminent Scholar Award, Aggie Women’s Network and Office of the President, 2020
 - TAMU ADVANCE Champion for Diversity, 2020
 - TAMU Women’s Progress Faculty Award for Accountability, Climate and Equity, 2020
 - TAMU ACI Award for Faculty Achievement in Climate and Inclusion, Liberal Arts, 2019
 - TAMU University Honors Program Teacher/Scholar Award, 2000, 2012
 - TAMU Faculty Diversity Award for Outstanding Achievement, 2003
 - TAMU Faculty Fellow, Mexican American and U.S. Latino Research Center, 2005-2007

SELECTED GRANTS

- 2019-2022 *Augmenting Spatial Cognition Capabilities of Future Workforce to Enhance Work Performance in Altered Environments Using Virtual Reality*. National Science Foundation. Role: Co-PI
- 2020 *Literacy and Script Influences on Bilinguals’ Cognitive and Neural Processing*. Fulbright Foundation, Canada. P.I.
- 2018-2021 *The pragmatics of Othering*. Triads for Transformation Grant (with Z. Eslami and B. Larson)
- 2017-2018 Liberal Arts Seed Grant, Co-P.I., *A psycholinguistic investigation of Spanish heritage speakers’ language competence using the visual world eyetracking approach* (with G. Zapata and P. Bolger)
- 2002-2003 *Hum dekhenge: A digital archive by and about South Asian women*. Humanities Informatics Project Seed Grant, Digital Humanities Center. P.I.
- 2001-2002 Program for the Enhancement of Scholarly and Creative Activities Grant: *Effects of first language orthography on first and second language reading: A comparison of Hindi-English vs. Urdu-English biliterate adults*
- 2009-2010 *Source Memory and Evidentials in Turkish*. Collaborative Research Seed Grant, Department of Psychology (with Lisa Geraci)
- 2005-2006 *Linguistic and cognitive impact of language brokering by Mexican-American youth*. Mexican American and U.S. Latino Research Center Planning Grant. (with R.

Heredia)

TEACHING: New courses developed are indicated below with *.

Undergraduate

PSYC 107	Introduction to Psychology
<u>PSYC 204</u>	<u>Experimental Psychology</u>
PSYC 302	Research Methods in Psychology
PSYC 345	Human Cognitive Processes
PSYC 346	Psychology of Language*
PSYC 485H	The Bilingual Mind* – University Scholars
PSYC 485H	Bicultural Minds* – University Scholars*
PSYC 489H	Special Topics in Language and Gender* - (with Barbara Johnstone) Spring 1996
PSYC 489	Special Topics in Language and Gender Across Cultures* (with Mary Bucholz)
PSYC 489	Designing and Interpreting Research on Gender*(crosslisted with WGST)

Graduate

PSYC 685	Current Problems in Bilingualism
PSYC 689	Psycholinguistics*
PSYC 689/	Gender and Race in Psychological Inquiry* (with WGST 689/AFST 689)
PSYC 689	The Bilingual Mind*
PSYC 689	Psycholinguistics: Cross-linguistic and Neurocognitive Perspectives*
PSYC 690	Cognoscenti Seminar

PUBLICATIONS

Graduate student co-authors noted with an asterisk; undergraduate co-authors are underlined.

BOOKS/MONOGRAPHS/SPECIAL ISSUES

Vaid, J. (Ed.) (1986/2014/2016). *Language Processing in Bilinguals: Psycholinguistic and Neuropsychological Perspectives*. Erlbaum/Routledge Library Edition. 320 pp.

Vaid, J. & Padakannaya, P. (2004). Guest Editors. "Reading and Writing in Semi-Syllabic Scripts". *Reading and Writing: An Interdisciplinary Journal*, 17(1-2).

Ward, T., Smith, S. & **Vaid, J.** (Eds.). (1997/2001). *Creative Thought: An Investigation of Conceptual Structures and Processes*. Washington, DC: APA.

Paradis, M. & **Vaid, J.** (1987). *The Bilingual Aphasia Test: Hindi/English, Dvibhashayen ka Pratikshan (Parts A,B,C)*. Hillsdale, NJ: Lawrence Erlbaum.

Vaid, J., Miller, Barbara D., & Hyde, Janice (Eds.), (1984). *South Asian Women At Home and*

Abroad: A Guide to Resources. Monograph 2, Committee on Women in Asian Studies. Syracuse, NY: Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs.

Cohen, A. & **Vaid, J. (Eds.)** (1980). *The Neurolinguistics of Second Language Learning: Symposium Proceedings*. Washington, D.C. ERIC (#202252). 68 pp.

REFEREED JOURNAL ARTICLES (2016-2021)

Vaid, J., Chen*, H.C. & Rao*, C. (2021). Biscrptal bilingualism differentially affects homophone segmentation across languages: Evidence from Hindi and English users. *Int J Bilingualism*.

Garcia*, O., Faghihi*, N., Raola, A. & **Vaid, J.** (2021). Factors influencing speed and accuracy of number judgments in bilinguals: A meta-analytic investigation. *Journal of Memory and Language*, 118.

Bazner, K.J.*, **Vaid, J.** & Stanley, C.A. (2021). Who is meritorious? Gendered and racialized discourse in named award descriptions in professional societies of higher education. *International Journal of Qualitative Studies in Education*, 34 (2), 108-124.

Garcia*, O., Faghihi*, N., & **Vaid, J.** (2020). Sources of directional spatial biases in hemi-image drawing. *Perception*, 49(2), 169-185.

Vaid, J., Chen, H-C.* & Lichtenberk, F. (2019). A processing advantage for inalienable possession: Evidence from English phrase plausibility judgments. Special issue in honour of Frantisek Lichtenberk. *Te Reo: New Zealand J Linguistics*, 62 (1), 155-173.

Carter-Sowell, A., **Vaid, J.**, Stanley, C.A., Petitt, B., & Battle*, J. (2019). ADVANCE Scholar Program: Enhancing minoritized scholars' professional visibility. *Equality, Diversity and Inclusion*, 38(3), 305-327.

Faghihi*, N., Garcia*, O., & **Vaid, J.** (2019). Spatial bias in object centering in representational drawing: Associations with handedness and script directionality. *Laterality: Asymmetries in Body, Brain and Cognition*, 24(5), 614-630.

Tosun*, S. & **Vaid, J.** (2018). Source vs. stance: On the relationship between evidential and modal expressions. *Dialogue and Discourse*, Vol. 9(1), 128-162. [Open access]
DOI. 10.5087/dad.2018.105 <http://dad.uni-bielefeld.de/index.php/dad/article/view/3745/3621>

Lopez*, B. & **Vaid, J.** (2018). *Facil* or A piece of cake: Does variability in bilingual language brokering experience affect idiom comprehension? *Bilingualism: Language and Cognition*.

21(2), 340-354.

Tosun, S.*, Faghihi, N.* & **Vaid, J.** (2018). Is an ideal sense of humor gendered? A cross-national study. *Frontiers in Psychology: Social and Personality Section*.

Lopez*, B. & **Vaid, J.** (2018). Divergence and overlap in bilingual conceptual representation: Does prior language brokering experience matter? *Bilingualism: Language and Cognition*. 21(1), Pp. 150-161.

Lopez*, B., **Vaid, J.**, Tosun*, S. & Rao*, C. (2017). Bilinguals' plausibility judgments for phrases with a literal vs. non-literal meaning: The influence of language brokering experience. *Frontiers in Psychology: Language Sciences*, 8, 1661.

Rao, C.* & **Vaid, J.** (2017). Morphology, orthography and the two hemispheres: A divided visual field study with Hindi/Urdu biliterates. *Neuropsychologia*, 98, 46-55.

Rao*, C., **Vaid, J.**, & Chen*, H.C. (2017). The processing cost for reading misaligned words is script-specific: Evidence from Hindi and Kannada/Hindi readers. *Journal of Cultural Cognitive Science*, 1(1), 46-55.

Tzou*, Y.Z., **Vaid, J.**, & Chen*, H.C. (2017). Does formal training in translation/interpreting affect translation strategy? Evidence from idiom processing. *Bilingualism: Language and Cognition*, 20(3), 632-641.

Hull*, R., Tosun*, S. & **Vaid, J.** (2017). What's so funny? Modelling incongruity and humor production. *Cognition and Emotion*, 31(3), 484-499.

Vaid, J. & Geraci, L. (2016). An examination of women's professional visibility in cognitive psychology. *Feminism and Psychology*, 26, 292-319.

Pritchett, L.K., **Vaid, J.**, & Tosun, S.* (2016). Of black sheep and white crows: Extending the bilingual dual coding theory to memory for idioms. *Cogent Psychology*, 3(1). DOI 10.1080/23311908.2015.1135512

Tosun*, S. & **Vaid, J.** (2016). Making a story make sense: Does evidentiality matter in discourse coherence? *Applied Psycholinguistics*, 37(6), 1337-1367.

Book Chapters (2016-2021)

Park, H, Dixit, M., Faghihi, N., Mcnamara, A., & **Vaid, J.** (2021). Understanding spatial abilities and spatial strategy under extreme visual and gravitational environments. In P.J. van

Susante and A.D. Roberts (Eds.), *Earth andSpace 2021: Materials, Structures, Dynamics, and Control in Extreme Environments. Selected Papers from the 17th Biennial International Conference on Engineering, Science, construction and Operations in Challenging Environments (April 19-23, 2021)*, 434-445.

Carter-Sowell, A. R., **Vaid, J.**, Stanley, C.A., Pettit, B., & Yennello, S. (2019). *Bloom where you are planted: Reflections on effecting campus climate change to retain minoritized faculty scholars in STEM fields*. In L. Winfield, Z. Wilson-Kennedy, G. Thomas, & L. Watkins (Eds.). *Growing diverse STEM communities: Methodology, impact, and evidence* (pp. 197-214). Washington, DC: The American Chemical Society.

Tosun*, S., Faghihi*, N., & **Vaid, J.** (2019). Is an ideal sense of humor gendered? In Ruch, W., Platt, T., Proyer, R.T., & Chen, H-C. (Eds.). *Playfulness and cheerfulness: Upsides and downsides to a life of lightness* (pp. 123-133). Frontiers Media SA: Frontiers in Psychology.

Vaid, J. (2018). The bilingual brain revisited: What's right? What's left? In J. Altarriba & R. Heredia (Eds.), *Introduction to Bilingualism* (pp. 139-155). New York: Taylor and Francis.

Vaid, J. & Meuter, R. (2017). Languages without borders: Reframing the study of the bilingual mental lexicon. In M. Libben, M. Goral, & G. Libben (Eds.) *Bilingualism: A framework for understanding the mental lexicon* (pp. 7-26). Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

Lopez*, B.G. & **Vaid, J.** (2017). Psycholinguistic approaches to humor. In S. Attardo (Ed.). *The Routledge Handbook of Language and Humor* (pp. 267-281). London: Routledge.

Vaid, J. & Meuter, R. (2016). Not through a glass darkly: Refocusing the psycholinguistic study of bilingualism through a bivocal lens. In V. Cook & L. Wei (Eds.), *The Cambridge Handbook of Linguistic Multicompetence* (pp. 77-96). Cambridge: Cambridge U Press.

REPORTS AND ASSESSMENT INSTRUMENTS

Vaid, J. (2017). *On conducting, funding, and publishing psychological research on minoritized groups: A guide to resources*. Diversity Science Cluster Working Paper, Texas A&M University.

Vaid, J. (2012). *Language History and Brokering Questionnaire*. Texas A&M University.

Vaid, J. (2003). *Hum Dekhenge - A Digital Archive on and by South Asian Women*. Texas A&M University.

Vaid, J. (1990/1992). *Language preference for everyday numerical computations survey instrument*. Texas A&M University.

Vaid, J., Darkwah*, A., & Menon, R. (1992). *Correlates of language preference for mental arithmetic in Spanish-English bilinguals.* Research and Policy Report Series. Report II (2). Race and Ethnic Studies Institute, Texas A&M University.

Vaid, J. (1982). *The South Asian Women's Community Center: Report of the First Year.* Montreal: SAWCC.

KEYNOTES/COLLOQUIA/INVITED PRESENTATIONS

International

Consequences of bilingualism are differentially shaped by literacy in a language: Evidence from Hindi-English users. Thematic Section on Consequences of Bilingualism. International Symposium on Bilingualism, Warsaw, Poland, July 12-14, 2021. [Virtual]

Thematic Symposium on Language and Thought, *Biscriptality: Preliminary evidence and an agenda for research.* 12th International Symposium on Bilingualism, Edmonton, June 2019. [unable to present]

Invited Participant, Seminar on Language and Emotion, Fondation des Treilles, France, April 30-May 5, 2018.

Invited Talk, *On the other hand: A chirality account of spatial asymmetries in representational drawing.* Space for Cognition I – Sources of Bias in Spatial Cognition. Integrative Symposium at Second Biennial International Convention of Psychological Science, Vienna, March 2016.

Invited Talk, Thematic Symposium in Honor of Elizabeth Bates. *The cognitive impact of differences among bilinguals in early informal translation experience.* Tenth International Symposium on Bilingualism, Rutgers, May 2015.

Colloquium, Psycholinguistics and Cognition Laboratory, Concordia University, Montreal: *Cognitive repercussions of individual differences in multiple language experience.* November 7, 2014.

Invited Talk, Bilingualism Workshop: *Does early informal translation experience make a difference? A psycholinguistic investigation.* CLas-Center for Cognition and its Disorders, Macquarie University, Sydney, August 8, 2014.

Invited Talk, Symposium on *The Quiet Evolution of Language and Cultural Relations in Canada: A Tribute to the Work of Wallace E. Lambert,* Association for Canadian Studies, Montreal, March 17-18, 2011.

Invited Talk, Workshop on Writing Systems: Analysis, Acquisition, and Use, *How Script Matters: Evidence from Hindi and Urdu*. London Institute of Education, London, U.K. November 22, 2008.

Invited Talk, Experts Workshop on *Spatial Representation and Social Cognition*. European Science Foundation, Venice, 2008.

Invited Talk, *Fair enough? Color and the commodification of self in Indian matrimonials*. Invited Talk, "Hierarchies of Color: Transnational Perspectives on the Social and Cultural Significance of Skin-tone," University of California, Berkeley, December 3, 2005
<https://www.crg.berkeley.edu/conference-videos/panel-5-skin-color-beauty-sexuality-and-desire/>

Keynote, Forum Lecture, *Playing With and Through Languages: Humor as Artful Transgression*. International Conference on Globalization and World Englishes, Syracuse University, 2004

Keynote Address, Symposium on Bilingualism. International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, *Re-imagi(ni)ng the Bilingual Brain: What's Right? What's Left?* First International Conference on Cognitive Sciences, Center for Behavioral and Cognitive Science, University of Allahabad, India, December 16-18, 2004

Invited Talk, *Language processing across orthographies: An exploration of Devanagari*. Symposium on Bilingualism, 25th meeting, International Association for Cross-Cultural Psychology, Bellingham, WA, August 1998.

Invited Talk, *Deconstructing Bilingualism*. International Workshop on Psycholinguistic Aspects of Bilingualism. Aix, May 1997

Colloquium, Psychology Department, Delhi University, India, January 1995

Colloquium, University of Provence, Aix-Marseille, France, 1995

Colloquium, Laboratoire de Traitement du Langage, Neuchatel, Switzerland, 1995

Invited Talk, McGill Conference on Bilingualism, Multiculturalism, and Second Language Learning in Honor of W.E. Lambert, Esterelle, Quebec, May 1989

Invited Talk, Workshop on Neurolinguistics, All India Institute for Speech and Hearing Research, Mysore, India, January 1985

Colloquium, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India, September 1984

Colloquium, Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore, India, September 1984

Colloquium, Department of Linguistics, University of Delhi, New Delhi, India, August 1984

National

Colloquium, Neurolinguistics Laboratory, The Graduate Center, CUNY: *Psycholinguistic repercussions of language brokering experience*, November 2014.

Colloquium, Spatial Cognition Laboratory, Columbia University Teachers' College: *Drawing and spatial cognition: What's left to write about?* November 2014.

Panel on *Intellectual phony or successful academic? Overcoming the impostor syndrome*. Women in Cognitive Science, Association for Psychological Science, San Francisco, May 2014.

Panel on *Bilingual and bicultural perspectives on executive function across the lifespan*. Symposium discussant. Association for Psychological Science, San Francisco, May 2014.

Panel on *Success from thesis to tomb: Professional visibility throughout the academic career*, Women in Cognitive Science, Association for Psychological Science, May 2012, Chicago.

Invited Delegate, Consultation on Women's Networks and Public Policy, The Pluralism Project, Harvard University, 2002

Invited Delegate, Consultation on Women's Networks in Multireligious America, The Pluralism Project, Harvard University, 2001

Invited Discussant, *Taking Stock of Research on Language Development and Emergent Literacy*, National Association for Bilingual Education Early Childhood Institute, San Antonio, Feb. 2000

Keynote Address, *South Asian women engendering change*. "South Asia Into the Year 2000," Northwestern University, May 15, 1999

Keynote Address, *Matrimonial advertisements: Discourses of the commodified self*, South Asian Students Association Seminar, University of Colorado, Boulder, November 1998

Keynote Address, *Taking a stand: South Asian women's organizations in the U.S.*, Mahila Samiti Conference on Indian Women, San Antonio, 1994

Keynote Address, *South Asian women in the U.S.*, Inauguration of Saheli for Women, Austin, TX,

1993

Invited Opening Address, *Imagined Homelands*. South Asian Students Association National Conference, University of Texas, Austin, May 1992

Colloquium, *Indian Marriage Ads: A Content Analysis*. Seminar on Gender in South Asia, University of Texas, Austin, November 1990

Invited Talk, Conference on Language Development, Boston University, October 1989

Invited Talk, *Research trends in South Asian women's studies*, Women in the Third World and Resource Collection Development, American Librarian Association, New Orleans, July 1988

Colloquium, Institute for Research in Behavioral Neuroscience, New York, May 1988

Colloquium, Speech and Hearing Sciences, CUNY Graduate School, New York, May 1987

Colloquium, Tufts University, 1985

Colloquium, University of Maine, Orono, 1985

Colloquium, University of Miami, 1985

Colloquium, Neurology Unit, Veteran's Administration Medical Center, Boston, June 1985

Colloquium, Salk Institute for Biological Studies, San Diego, September 1983

Colloquium, *Gender in South Asia*, Women and International Development, Michigan State University, 1983

REFEREED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (2016-2021)

Underlined = undergraduate student; *=graduate student co-author

International

Vaid, J. (2020, Aug. – moved to 2021). *Biscriptality – an agenda for research*. International Congress of Psychology, Prague.

Tosun*, S. & **Vaid, J.** (2021, June). *Source vs. stance : Interpreting evidential and modal expressions in Turkish and English*. Poster. Evidentiality and Modality At the Crossroads of Grammar and the Lexicon, Montpellier, France.

Garcia,* O., Faghihi*, N., Febre, K*, N., Garcia, O. & **Vaid, J.** (2019, Nov.). *Rightward movement depiction in mental representation of scenes*. Psychonomics Society, Montreal.

Garcia*, O. & **Vaid, J.** (2017, Nov.). *Number word retrieval paths in English-dominant, Spanish-dominant, and balanced bilinguals: Divergence or convergence in mental representations?* Poster, Psychonomics Society, Vancouver.

Lopez*, B. & **Vaid, J.** (2017, June). *Comprehending idioms within and across languages: Effects of idiom type and language brokering experience*. Poster, Eleventh International Symposium on Bilingualism, Limerick, Ireland.

National

Faghihi*, N., Biehle, A., Melo*, C., Garcia*, O., & **Vaid, J.** (2021, Nov.). *Attributions of causality as a function of perceived ethnicity*. Poster, Psychonomics Society.

Febre, K.*, Faghihi, N., & **Vaid, J.** (2021, Nov.). *Language brokering experience affects how Spanish-English users experience emotion-laden situations across languages*. Poster, Psychonomics Society.

Vaid, J. & Foxtree, J. (2020, Nov.). *The chosen few: Representation and professional visibility of scholars of color in cognitive psychology*. Poster, Psychonomics Society, Austin.

Faghihi*, N., Park*, H., Dixit, M. & **Vaid, J.** (2020, Nov.). *On spatial ability under extreme visual and gravitational environments*. Poster, Psychonomics Society, Austin.

Garcia*, O., Faghihi*, N., & **Vaid, J.** (2020, Nov.). *Language framing as a source of influence in directional bias in representational drawing*. Poster, Psychonomics Society, Austin.

Garcia*, O., Faghihi*, N., Raola, A., & **Vaid, J.** (2020, Nov.). *Factors affecting bilingual number representation: A meta-analytic review*. Poster, Psychonomics Society, Austin.

Tosun*, S., **Vaid, J.**, Filipovic, L., & Batman, M. (2020, Nov.). *Bilingual language processing: Evidentiality translation in legal settings*. Second Culture and Cognition Preconference, Psychonomics Society, Austin.

Park*, H., Dixit, M., McNamara, A., **Vaid, J.**, Faghihi*, N. (2020, April). *Egocentric vs. allocentric: Understanding spatial ability under extreme environment and individual proclivity of spatial strategy use*. ASCE Earth and Space Conference: Engineering for Extreme Environments. Seattle.

Faghihi*, N., Garcia*, O. & **Vaid, J.** (2018, Nov.). *Emoji use in social contexts exaggerates perceived emotion of texts*. Poster, Psychonomics Society, New Orleans.

Garcia*, O. Faghihi*, N., Febre*, K. & **Vaid, J.** (2018, Nov.). *Sources of spatial bias in hemi-image*

- generation. Poster, Psychonomics Society, New Orleans.
- Yennello, S., Petitt, B., Stanley, C.A., & **Vaid, J.** (2018, Aug.). *Texas A&M University ADVANCE Scholar Program. Symposium on Women of Color in the Academy: Empirical Studies and Models of Success*, American Chemical Society, Boston.
- Febre*, K., Lewis, C., Garcia*, O. & **Vaid, J.** (2018, May). *Telling the Time, Calculating a Discount, and Counting Change: What Affects Bilinguals' Language Preferences for Everyday Number Tasks?* Association for Psychological Science, San Francisco.
- Bazner*, K., Cavazos*, K., **Vaid, J.**, & Stanley, C.A. (2017, June). *The social construction of prestige: Discourse of meritocracy in descriptions of named awards in higher education associations.* Poster, National Conference on Race and Ethnicity in Higher Education. Fort Worth.
- Buffington*, J., **Vaid, J.**, Lopez*, B., & Tosun*, S. (2016, Nov.). *Lexical stress assignment for visually presented words across languages: Evidence from bilinguals and monolinguals.* Poster, Psychonomics Society, Boston.
- Lopez*, B. **Vaid, J.** & Tosun, S.* (2016, Nov.). *Bilinguals' plausibility judgments for collocations with literal or non-literal meaning: An effect of language brokering experience.* Poster, Psychonomics Society, Boston.
- Vaid, J.**, Garcia*, O., & Dusthimer, P. (2016, Nov.). *Asymmetries in scene depiction: An embodiment effect in spatial composition?* Psychonomics Society, Boston.
- Lopez, B*., Lezama, E., & **Vaid, J.** (2016, Sept.) *Negotiating for the family and discovering Latinidad, biculturalism, and bilingualism: An interview study of Latina brokers.* National Latina/o Psychological Association, Orlando.
- Vaid, J.** (2016, April). Panel, *Surviving and thriving in the face of multiple marginalities, micro-aggressions, and macro-aggressions: Women of color in predominantly white research institutions.* ADVANCE Conference on Women Faculty of Color, U Delaware.

Local/Regional Conferences

- Biehle, A.*, Faghihi, N., Garcia, O., & **Vaid, J.** (2021, March). *Are causal attributions influenced by ethnicity of agent?* Student Research Week, Texas A&M University.
- Park*, H., Faghihi*, N., Dixit, M., McNamara, A., & **Vaid, J.**, & Orr, J. (2020, Oct.). *Spatial cognition in altered gravitational environments.* Research showcase, College of Architecture, Texas A&M University.

- Vaid, J., Larson, B., & Eslami, Z.** (2020, Sept.). *The pragmatics of othering : A critical discourse analysis of cyberhate*. Presidential Symposium, Texas A&M University.
- Cuadra, M. Florencia, Ellenberg, William, Ghaemifard, Shaghayegh, *Faghihi, Nafiseh, *Garcia, Omar & Vaid, J. (2018, March). *Biological factors underlying spatial biases in mental hemi-imagery: A pilot study*. Poster, Student Research Week, Texas A&M University.
- Raola, Akash, Nagel, Ashley, Hermes, Jena, *Febre, Karina, *Garcia, Omar, & Vaid, J. (2018, March). *The relationship between language and numbers: A meta-analytic account of language processing*. Poster, Student Research Week, Texas A&M University.
- Procter, K., Cruz, S., Chen, C., Garcia*, O. & Vaid, J. (2018, March). *Cursing in your other language: Does parental role matter?* Poster, Student Research Week, Texas A&M.
- Garcia*, O. & Vaid, J.** (2017, Oct.). *When language f**s it all up: A pilot study of insult perception in bilinguals*. Poster, ARMADILLO, Texas A&M University.
- Faghihi, N., Tosun, S. & Vaid, J.** (2017, Oct.). *Describing an ideal sense of humor: Does culture matter?* Poster, Southwest Regional Cognition Conference (ARMADILLO), TAMU.
- Vaid, J.** (2017, April). *Women faculty/leaders of color in a predominantly white research institution*. Panel, Texas Women in Higher Education, San Marcos.
- Garcia, O.*, Achari, L.*, & Vaid, J.** (2017, March). *Pronominal asymmetries in insult perception among Spanish-English bilinguals*. Poster, Student Research Week, Texas A&M University. Recipient of Sigma Chi Prize.
- Garcia*, O., Faghihi Renani, N., Ariunbold, Y., & Vaid, J.** (2016, Sept.). *Spatial bias in object centering in representational drawing: The role of hand dominance and reading/writing direction*. Poster, ARMADILLO, University of Texas at El Paso.
- Choe, D. & Vaid, J. (2016, Aug.). *Lexical stress assignment for visually presented words and pseudowords by English readers*. Summer Undergraduate Scholar Poster Session, TAMU.
- Ariunbold, Y., Garcia*, O. & Vaid, J. (2016, Aug.). *Spatial bias in representational drawing: The role of hand dominance and reading direction*. Undergraduate Scholar Poster, TAMU.
- Dusthimer, P., Vaid, J., & Garcia*, O. (2016, March). *Drawing vs. remembering movement in scenes: Does reading/writing direction matter?* Student Research Week, Texas A&M.

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MENTORING

TAMU Faculty Formally Mentored

2021- Allegra Midgette, Psychological and Brain Sciences
2016-present Vani Mathur, Psychological and Brain Sciences
2019-present Heather Burte, Psychological and Brain Sciences
2014-2020 Chaitanya Lakkimsetti, Women's and Gender Studies/Sociology
2015-2020 Adrienne Carter-Sowell, Psychology/Africana Studies
2016-2018 Lizette Ojeda, Counseling Psychology
2015-2018 Vanita Reddy, English
2011-2015 Phia Salter, Psychology/Africana Studies
2010-2015 Maria Esther Quintana, Hispanic Studies

Doctoral Students Supervised

2021- Dun-Ya Hu (Ph.D., Psychology)
2017- Nafiseh Faghihi (Ph.D., Psychology)
2021 (Aug.) Omar Garcia (Ph.D., Psychology)
2015 (Aug.) Belem G. Lopez (Ph.D., Psychology/ currently Assistant Professor in Department for Mexican-American Studies, UT Austin)
2015 (May) Kayoung Kim (Ph.D., Psychology)
2014 (May) Sumeyra Tosun (Ph.D., Psychology/currently Assistant Professor, Psychology, CUNY-Medgar Evers)
2010 (May) Chaitra Rao (Ph.D., Psychology/currently Independent researcher, Bangalore)
2008 (May) Juliet Tzou (Co-chair; Ph.D., Teaching, Learning and Culture; currently Assistant Professor, Dept. of English, Taiwan)
2007 (May) Hsin-Chin Chen (Ph.D., Psychology; currently Associate Professor, Psychology, National Chung Cheng University, Taiwan)
2003 Rachel Hull (Ph.D., Psychology; Instructional Faculty, TAMU)
1998 Jason Carr (Ph.D., Psychology; Advanced Analytics, TD Ameritrade)

Masters or Equivalent Theses Supervised

2021 Karina Febre (Psychology- Clinical area)
2013 Keen Seong Liew (Psychology)
2012 Belem Lopez (Psychology)
2004 Francisco Martinez (Psychology)
2000 Rachel Hull (Psychology)
1996 Jason Carr (Psychology)

SELECTED SERVICE ON COMMITTEES

Psychology Department

Committees Chaired

2015-2017 Promotion and Tenure Subcommittee
2020 Promotion and Tenure Subcommittee
2013-2014 Diversity Committee
2009-2010 Cognitive Search Committee
2003-2004 Promotion and Tenure Committee
2005-2006 Psychology Department Advisory Committee*
2001-2002 Psychology Department Head Search Committee

Coordinator of Training Area or Seminar Series

2017- Diversity Science Research Cluster
2002-2006 Cognitive Area Program Coordinator
2010-2011 Cognitive Area Program Coordinator
2003-2004 Neurocognoscenti Seminar Series
2003-2004 Department Colloquium Series

College of Liberal Arts

Chair/Coordinator

Promotion and Tenure Subcommittee, Women's and Gender Studies, 2015-2016
Acting Director, Women's and Gender Studies Degree Program, 2011-2012
Chair, Program Review Committee, Women's and Gender Studies, 2011-2012
Cognoscenti Working Group, Glasscock Center for Humanities Research, 2002-present
International Studies Program Review Committee, 2006-2007
Dean's Ad Hoc Search Committee for Comparative Cultural Studies Program Coordinator, 1996
Chair Pro Tem*, Steering Committee, Liberal Arts Council, 1993-1994

University Level

Program Coordinator, Diversity Matters Seed Grant, Office for Diversity, 2015-2018
Co-Chair, Advance Scholars Advisory Committee, 2015-2018
Faculty Senate Task Force on Reclaiming Scholarship, 2015-2016
Reviewer, 2016-2017 Regents' Professor award, Spring 2016
Reviewer, 2016-2017 Distinguished Achievement Awards, Spring 2016
Reviewer, 2016-2017 University Diversity Graduate Fellowships, 2016
Reviewer, SEC Faculty Fellowships, Fall 2015, Spring 2016
Reviewer/Interviewer, Fulbright Scholar Applicants, October 2015
Reviewer, 2015-2016 University Diversity Graduate Fellowships, 2015
Reviewer, Class of 2016 University Scholar Applications, 2013
Women's Faculty Network Steering Committee*, 2006-2008, 2009-2010

Vice-President*, Friends of India Faculty Network, 2003-2006
Judge, International Week, 2005, 2006
Judge, Student Research Week, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2009
Mentor, Women's Faculty Network, 2002-2004, 2005-2006, 2011-2013
Mentor, University Undergraduate Honors Fellows, Spring 2002
Moderator, Undergraduate Honors Fellows' Symposium for Psychology/Sociology, 1999
Reviewer, Psychology Applications for Honors Undergraduate Fellows, 1999
Reader, Honors Undergraduate Fellows' Theses in Psychology, 1998
Moderator, Undergraduate Honors Fellows' Symposium for Psychology/Sociology, 1997
International Research Travel Assistance Review Committee, Spring 1996; 1999 (Panel Chair)
Faculty Senate*, 1998-2001; 2004-2007; 2007-2010; 2015-2018, 2021-

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

Professional Society Governance

Executive Committee, Society for Experimental Psychology and Cognitive Science, 2020-
Member, Awards Committee, Psychonomic Society, 2020-
Member, International Consortium on Laterality Research, 2019-

Site Visit or External Grant Review Panels

National Science Foundation, Grant Review Panel
National Science Foundation, Graduate Research Fellowship Program Panel Review
Site Visitor for Science of Learning Centers Program, National Science Foundation
National Institutes of Health Biomedical Research Support Grant Review

External Peer Review for Funding Agencies

National

Hogg Foundation
National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship
National Endowment for the Humanities
National Science Foundation Mid-career Award
National Science Foundation, Linguistics Program,
National Science Foundation, International Research Program
National Science Foundation, Cognitive Program
National Institutes of Health, Member, Consultant File Project

International

Leverhulme Trust, U.K.
University of Padua Research Fellowship Review,
Research Council of Catholic University Leuven
Belgian National Research Foundation

Israel Science Foundation, Humanities and Social Science Division
NSERC Discovery Grant, Canada
Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute
Fondation de Recherche en Sciences en Quebec
Canada Council
Quebec Ministry of Education
Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada

External Reviewer for 15 Promotion/Tenure Cases
External Examiner on 9 Doctoral Dissertations

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

- Co-Founder and Life Member, South Asian Women's Community Center, Montreal

LANGUAGES

English (fluent), Hindi/Urdu (fluent), Punjabi (functional), French (intermediate oral and written proficiency), Spanish (rudimentary)

SELECTED MEDIA CITATIONS

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http://www.lemonde.fr/sciences/article/2018/05/10/et-vous-trouvez-cela-drole_5296921_1650684.html
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