

Postdoctoral Research Associate at Washington University in St. Louis

Dr. Wouter Kool is soliciting applications for a postdoctoral research associate in the Control and Decision Making Lab in the Department of Psychological & Brain Sciences at Washington University in St. Louis. This will be a full-time position with a NIH-standard salary. The position will start in the summer or fall of 2019. The minimum commitment for this job is one year, with the possibility to extend for additional years based on performance and continued funding.

The postdoctoral fellow will carry out their own research program under the supervision of Dr. Kool in a research lab that studies cognitive control, decision making, and learning. Daily responsibilities will include developing and running experimental paradigms (behavioral and neuroimaging), analyzing data, computational modeling of behavior, and writing manuscripts for publication that report the results of these activities. There will be opportunity for the postdoctoral fellow to supervise and collaborate with graduate students, undergraduate research assistants and the lab manager.

This job is an ideal position for candidates who want to develop skills in cognitive neuroscience in a supportive and collaborative working environment. The Control and Decision-Making Lab is a brand-new laboratory in a vibrant research community at Washington University in St. Louis, with ample opportunity for collaboration within the Department of Psychological and Brain Sciences as well as elsewhere on campus.

Washington University is an Equal Opportunity Employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, age, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, national origin, genetic information, disability, or protected veteran status.

Qualifications:

Applicants must have a Ph.D. degree in psychology, cognitive science, neuroscience, or a related field of science. They must be highly motivated and have excellent social and communication skills. The ideal candidate would have extensive experience with behavioral paradigms, fMRI research, and computational modeling. A strong or promising publication record is highly preferred.

How to Apply:

Please submit a cover letter detailing your qualifications, research interests and past research experience, CV, and three professional references at <http://jobs.wustl.edu> (Job ID: 44778). Applications will be considered on a rolling basis until the position is filled.

Additional information about the lab's research can be found at <https://www.wouterkool.com/> and questions about the position can be addressed to Dr. Wouter Kool at wkool@wustl.edu.