James L. Dannemiller

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Education

Ph.D. in Developmental Psychology	1983
Dissertation: "The Development of Light Adaptation in Human Infants"	
Ph.D. Advisor: Martin S. Banks, Ph.D.	
The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX	
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology	1974
Northwestern University	

Professional Experience

2009–2013	Rice University	*Chair, Department of Psychology*
2004–Present	Rice University	*Lynette S. Autrey Chair in Social Science*
1994–2003	University of Wisconsin, Madison	*Professor*
1989–1994	University of Wisconsin, Madison	*Associate Professor*
1983–1989	University of Wisconsin, Madison	*Assistant Professor*

Recent Honors

Fellow of the American Psychological Society	Elected 2010
Distinguished Visitor, Ben Gurion University, Be'er Sheva, Israel	Fall, 2006
Chair, APA Council of Editors	2002–2003
Fellow of Divisions 3 & 7, American Psychological Association	
University of Wisconsin Chancellor's Award for Distinguished Teaching	1999
Vilas Associate—University of Wisconsin	1997 & 1998
University of Wisconsin, Psychology Department Teaching Award	1995

Professional Service

Editorial Service

Editor	*Developmental Psychology*	1999–2004
Associate Editor	*Developmental Psychology*	1994–1998
Editorial Boards	*Child Development*	1994–1995
	Infant and Child Development	Current

National Science Foundation

Grant Review Panel Member	2000–2002
Grant Review Panel Ad Hoc Member	2005
Grant Review Panel Member	2008–2011

University of Wisconsin

Letters and Sciences Institutional Review Board (IRB)	2002–2005

National Institutes of Health

Cognition and Perception Study Section, NIH, Ad Hoc Member	2004

Rice University

Institutional Review Board (IRB)	August, 2007–present
Author, Psychology Internal Review	Spring, 2013

Manuscript Reviewer

Infant Behavior and Development
Vision Research
Perception & Psychophysics
Behavioral & Brain Sciences
Journal of Experimental Child Psychology
Journal of Experimental Psychology: Human Perception & Performance

Book Chapters
Peer-reviewed Articles Articles: 0 Book Chapters: 0

January 24, 2019 Total Publications: 0

Non-authorship papers made possible by data that I collected and made available to other researchers. I also supervised the dissertation of R. Lundwall.

[1] Lundwall, R. A., & Rasmussen, C. B. G. (2016). Developmental trajectory of reflexive attention from infancy to childhood. *Frontiers in Human Neuroscience, 10*, 424. doi: 10.3389/fnhum.2016.00424

Recent non-authorship papers from students whose Ph.D dissertations I supervised (R. Lundwall)

[1] Lundwall, R. A., Sgro, J. F., & Fanger, J. (2018). Response time scores on a reflexive attention task predict a child's inattention score from a parent report. *PLoS one, 13(1)*, e0190724.

Papers or Chapters Submitted, In Revision, or in Preparation

In preparation

[1] Dannemiller, J. L. Allele specific expression and genotype–phenotype associations.

[2] Dannemiller, J. L. Using gene co-expression to understand conflicting phenotypic results on *COMT*.

[3] Dannemiller, J. L. and Urquhart, Robert L. Mutual information over short distances in the promoters of human genes.

[4] Dannemiller, J. L. Embodied experience: Tracing environmental effects through the body's genes and biological pathways.

January 24, 2019 Manuscripts Submitted (0), In Revision (0), or In Preparation (4): 4

Conference Proceedings and Invited Addresses

1980 [1] Dannemiller, J. L. (1980). The use of a criterion in the infant habituation paradigm. International Conference on Infant Studies, New Haven.

1982 [2] Dannemiller, J. L., & Banks, M. S. (1982). Light adaptation in human infants. International Conference on Infant Studies, Austin.

1983 [3] Dannemiller, J. L. (1983). Early dark adaptation in human infants. Society for Research in Child Development, Detroit.

1984 [4] Dannemiller, J. L. (1984). The development of light adaptation in human infants. International Conference on Infant Studies, New York.

[5] Banks, M. S., Dannemiller, J. L., & Manny, R. E. (1984). A model of steady-state accommodation. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

1985 [6] Dannemiller, J. L., & Hanko, S. A. (1985). A test of color constancy in 4–month–olds. Society for Research in Child Development, Toronto.

1986 [7] Dannemiller, J. L., & Stephens, B. S. (1986). A critical test of infant pattern preference models. International Conference on Infant Studies, Los Angeles.

[8] Dannemiller, J. L., & Ver Hoeve, J. S. (1986). Asynchronous maturation of visual system structures: Lessons from color blindness. International Conference on Infant Studies, Los Angeles.

1987 [9] Freedland, R., & Dannemiller, J. (April, 1987). Detection of stimulus motion in 5–month–olds. Society for Research in Child Development.

1988[10] Dannemiller, J., & Freedland, R. (April, 1988). Detection of slow stimulus movement in young infants. International Conference on Infant Studies, Washington, D. C.

[11] Dannemiller, J., & Babler, T. (May, 1988). Perception of spatially sampled motion. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota, Florida.

[12] VerHoeve, J., & Dannemiller, J. (May, 1988). A two-dimensional approach to Psychophysical Orientation tuning. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology.

[13] Balaban, M., & Dannemiller, J. (October, 1988). Cardiac and behavioral aspects of visual preferences in young infants. Society for Psychophysiological Research, San Francisco, CA.

1989 [14] Heidenreich, S., Babler, T., & Dannemiller, J. (May, 1989). Mechanisms underlying the perception of spatially sampled motion. Presentation at the Annual meeting of The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

[15] Dannemiller, J., Freedland, R., & Balaban, M. (May, 1989). Discrimination of types of relative motion by human infants. Presentation at the Annual meeting of The Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

[16] Dannemiller, J. (June, 1989). Detection of motion by human infants. Invited address, Department of Physiological Optics, University of Alabama, Birmingham.

[17] Balaban, M., & Dannemiller, J. (October, 1989). Recognition of novel visual patterns in young infants: Cardiac responses and visual fixation. Society for Psychophysiological Research, New Orleans.

1990 [18] Dannemiller, J. (May, 1990). Speed discrimination in human infants. Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

[19] Freedland, R., & Dannemiller, J. (May, 1990). Evidence for a nonlinear pattern vision process in 12–week–old human infants. Presentation at the Annual meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

1991 [20] Dannemiller, J. L., & Freedland, R. L. (May, 1991). Detection of standing wave motion by human infants. Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

[21] Heidenreich, S. M., & Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 1991). Nonlocal pattern information affects motion interference. Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

[22] Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 1991). Detection of motion by human infants. Invited address. Annual Meeting of the Midwestern Psychological Association, Chicago.

1992 [23] Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 1992). Speed determines infants detection of standing wave motion. Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

[24] Dannemiller, J. L. (1992). Two studies of early sensitivity to motion. School of Optometry, University of California-Berkeley, November.

1993 [25] Dannemiller, J. L. (1993). Converging evidence for infants sensitivity to visual motion. Paper presented at the meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, New Orleans.

[26] Dannemiller, J. (1993). Infants detection of dynamic changes in line orientation. Annual Meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota, Florida, May.

[27] Dannemiller, J. (1993). Research on early sensory/perceptual development. Twentieth Anniversary Celebration of the Waisman Center on Mental Retardation and Human Development. Madison, September 9.

1994 [28] Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 1994). Infants' detection of traveling and standing wave line motion. Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

[29] Dannemiller, J L. (June, 1994). Infants' sensitivity to standing and traveling wave motion. International Conference on infant Studies, Paris, France.

1995 [30] Roessler, J. & Dannemiller, J. (March, 1995). Development of motion sensitivity in infants 12 to 24 weeks. Presentation at the Society for Research in Child Development, Indianapolis.

[31] Roessler, J. & Dannemiller, J. (May, 1995). Infants' sensitivity to slow displacements over the first six months. Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

[32] Nagata, Y. & Dannemiller, J. (May, 1995). Infants'detection of target motion is affected by visual field heterogeneity. Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

[33] Rogers, S., Li, H.-C., & Dannemiller, J. (May, 1995). Scaling not disparity curvature explains 3–D shape perception. Presentation at the Annual Meeting of the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Sarasota.

[34] Nagata, Y. & Dannemiller, J. (October, 1995). Infants' attention to motion under conditions of visual field heterogeneity. Presentation at the 59th Meeting of the Japanese Psychological Association, Okinawa, Japan.

1996 [35] Dannemiller, J. (March 15, 1996). Visual Motion Sensitivity Early in Development. Invited talk, Department of Psychology, University of Toronto.

[36] Nagata, Y., Dannemiller, J., & Wagner, K. (April, 1996). Infants'attention to motion onset is distracted by static distractors. Presentation at the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale.

[37] Dannemiller, J., & Stephens, B. (April, 1996). The influence of temporal factors on spatial contrast discrimination. Presentation at the Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale.

[38] Li, Hyung–Chul, Dannemiller, J., & Epstein, W. (November 1, 1996) Perceiving direction reversals in rotating random dot cylinders. Presentation at the Meeting of the Psychonomic Society, Chicago.

[39] Dannemiller, J. (November 1, 1996). Perception in action: What have we learned from chasing fly balls? Invited address, Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

[40] Dannemiller, J. (November 21, 1996). Catching fly balls: A grounded case of perception and action. Invited address, Center for Research in Learning, Perception and Cognition, University of Minnesota.

1997 [41] McAvery, S., Pruit, A., Stephens, B., & Dannemiller, J. (April, 1997). Contrast gain control: temporal factors in contrast discrimination. Southeastern Psychological Association, Atlanta.

[42] Dannemiller, J. L. (April 5, 1997). Separating position and motion sensitivity in early visual development. Society for Research in Child Development, Washington, D.C.

[43] Stephens, B. R. & Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 1997). Contrast gain control in contrast discrimination. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale.

[44] Li, H.-C. & Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 1997). Perceiving direction reversals in structure-from-motion. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale.

1998 [45] Dannemiller, J. L. (April, 1998). A competition model of early exogenous orienting. Paper presented at the International Conference on Infant Studies, Atlanta.

[46] Stephens, B., Bundrick, C., & Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 1998). Contrast gain control and spatial frequency bandwidth. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale.

[47] Lewis, T., Mondloch, C., Budreau, D., Maurer, D., Dannemiller, J., Stephens, B., & Kleiner, K. (April, 1998). Face perception in young infants. International Conference on Infant Studies, Atlanta.

2000 [48] Dannemiller, J. L. (February, 2000). Early selective attention. Invited presentation—consultant for Sackler Panel on funding for perceptual, attentional and cognitive development, New Orleans.

[49] Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 2000). Visual orienting in infants with multiple targets in the visual field. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale.

[50] Dannemiller, J. L. (June 3, 2000). Competition in Stimulus–Driven Orienting During Early Infancy. Invited talk, Villanova Capture Conference, Sponsored by NSF. Villanova University.

2001 [51] Dannemiller, J. L. (May 1, 2001). Infants' detection of a moving target among static distractors: Test of a maximum response model. Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology, Ft. Lauderdale.

[52] Dannemiller, J. L. (October 6, 2001). Forced–choice preferential looking and exogenous orienting in infancy. McDonnell Workshop on Infant Looking Time Methods, Tarrytown, NY.

2002 [53] Dannemiller, J. L. (January 6, 2002). Modeling exogenous orienting in human infants: Motion pops–out (sometimes). Invited talk, Department of Psychology, Washington University, St. Louis, MO.

[54] Dannemiller, J. L. (May 6, 2002). Modeling exogenous orienting in human infants: Motion pops–out (sometimes). Invited talk, Department of Psychology, University of Houston, Houston, TX.

[55] Stephens, B., & Dannemiller, J. L. (May 10, 2002). Decruitment effects for magnitude estimates of pattern contrast. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

[56] Dannemiller, J. L. (May 14, 2002). Motion pop–out in young human infants. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

2003 [57] Dannemiller, J. L. (February, 2003). Current trends in developmental psychology. Invited address, University of Texas at Austin Graduate Alumnae Conference, Austin, TX.

[58] Dannemiller, J. L. (April, 2003). Dimensional switching across trials in infant visual orienting. Paper presented at the Biennial Meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Tampa, FL.

[59] Stephens, B. R., Dannemiller, J. L., & Diebel, J. (May, 2003). Contrast decruitment is reduced in matching procedure. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

[60] Ward, A. W., Stephens, B. R., & Dannemiller, J. L.(May, 2003). Adult perception of schematic faces that infants prefer. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

[61] Dannemiller, J. L.(May, 2003). A dimensional switching model of early visual orienting in human infants. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

2004 [62] Dannemiller, J. L. (March 4, 2004). Modeling exogenous orienting in human infants. Colloquium, Department of Neurobiology and Anatomy, University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston.

[63] Dannemiller, J. L. (October 13, 2004). Modeling orienting to multi-element displays in human infants. Colloquium, School of Optometry, University of Houston, Houston, TX.

2005 [64] Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 2005). A contrast polarity heterogeneity effect in infant visual orienting. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

[65] Dannemiller, J. L. (November, 2005). Competition and Models of Exogenous Orienting by Human Infants. Invited talk, Cognoscenti Series, Department of Psychology, Texas A & M University, College Station, TX.

2006 [66] Dannemiller, J. L., & Lunsford, M. (May, 2006). Perceptual integration with parabolic contours. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

[67] Braun, A., & Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 2006). Dual uninformative cues and graded facilitation. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

[68] Dannemiller, J. L. (November, 2006). Contrast and element density effects in infant visual orienting. Zlotowski Neuroscience Center, Ben Gurion University, Be'er Sheva, Israel.

[69] Dannemiller, J. L. (November, 2006). Modeling visual orienting in human infants. Department of Psychology, Ben Gurion University, Be'er Sheva, Israel.

[70] Dannemiller, J. L. (December, 2006). Birth weight and infant visual orienting. Developmental Forum, Ben Gurion University, Be'er Sheva, Israel.

2007 [71] Hamel, M., & Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 2007). Element grouping with semicircular contours. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

[72] Boyer, J., & Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 2007). The effects of unattended congruency on attended targets. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

[73] Illiescu, B., & Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 2007). Opposite directions of motion enhance the perception of stereoscopic depth. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Sarasota, FL.

2009 [74] Dannemiller, J. L., & Hamel. M. (May, 2009). Perturbations of element orientations reveal grouping processes in contour integration. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Naples, FL.

[75] Lundwall, R. A., & Dannemiller, J. L. (November, 2009). Bilateral Visual Orienting with Adults Using a Modified Posner Paradigm and a Candidate Gene Study. Armadillo, Houston, TX.

2010 [76] Lundwall, R. A., & Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 2010). Bilateral Visual Orienting with Adults Using a Modified Posner Paradigm and a Candidate Gene Study. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Naples, FL.

2011 [77] Lundwall, R. A., Guo, D., & Dannemiller, J. L. (April, 2011). Visual orienting is associated with specific neurotransmitter genetic markers. Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Neuroscience Society, San Francisco.

[78] Lundwall, R. A., & Dannemiller, J. L. (2011, December). Genetic Associations with Cued Visual Orienting in Normal Adults. Poster presentation at the Neuroscience Research Center Competition, Houston, TX.

2012 [79] Dannemiller, J. L. (May, 2012). A Gene x Gene Interaction in the Attentional Cost of an Invalid Visual Cue. Annual Meeting of the Vision Sciences Society, Naples, FL.

[80] Dannemiller, J. L. (June, 2012). Genetic Associations with Visual Orienting in Adults. Invited Seminar: John D. Wiley Seminar Series, Waisman Center, University of Wisconsin – Madison, Madison, WI.

2013 [81] Lundwall, R. A., & Dannemiller, J.. L. (2013, June). Visual Attention: Longitudinal Associations in Infancy & Childhood. Oral presentation at the annual meeting of the Child Vision Research Society, Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.

2014 [82] Dannemiller, J. L. (October, 2014). Allele Specific Expression Can Reduce Apparent Genotype/Phenotype Relations: A Simulation Study. Annual meting of the American Society for Human Genetics, San Diego, CA.

2015 [83] Lundwall, R., Schmidt, N., Van Hulle, C., Dannemiller, J., & Goldsmith, H. (March, 2015). Different genes contribute to aggression in boys and girls. Bi-ennial meeting of the Society for Research in Child Development, Philadelphia, PA.

2015 [84] Dannemiller, J. (October, 2015). Allele Specific Expression Can Substantially Limit Genotype/Phenotype Associations. Annual Meeting of the American Society for Human Genetics, Baltimore, MD.

2016 [85] Dannemiller, J. (October, 2016). Modeling the effects of linkage disequilibrium and allele specific expression on genotype/phenotype relations. Annual Meeting of the American Society for Human Genetics, Vancouver, BC, CA.

2017 [86] Dannemiller, J. (October, 2017). Estimating the impact of allele specific expression on detecting genetic associations. Annual Meeting of the American Society for Human Genetics, Orlando, FL. [This presentation won the Reviewer's Choice Award at the 2017 conference.]

2018 [87] Dannemiller, J. (October, 2018). Positive and negative co-expression with *COMT* in four brain areas. Annual Meeting of the American Society for Human Genetics, Orlando, FL.

January 24, 2019 Invited Talks or Conference Presentations: 87

Teaching & Training

Teaching

Undergraduate

Statistics

Advanced Statistics for Undergraduates
Pollution and Psychological Development
Genes and Cognition

Graduate

Early Sensory, Perceptual and Attentional Development
Vision Science
Vision and Visual Development
Seminar in Genes and Cognition

Training

Ph. D. and Postdoctoral Students

Name	Degree	Institution
Timothy Babler	Ph. D.	Edgewood College
Marie Balaban	Ph. D.	Eastern Orgegon University
Jennifer Boyer	Ph. D.	NASA —Johnson Space Center
Robert Freedland	Ph. D.	CUNY - Staten Island
Melanie Hamel	Ph. D.	Private Design Practice
Susan Heidenreich	Ph. D.	University of San Francsico
Hyung-Chul Li	Ph. D.	Kwangwoon University
Rebecca Lundwall	Ph. D.	Brigham Young University
Yoko Nagata	Post–Doc	Komazawa University

Funded Grant History

Intramural

- Infant pattern vision. University of Wisconsin Biomedical Research Support Grant, 1983–1984, $9,800.
- A preliminary test of pupillometry with infants. Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation, 1984–1985, $12,300.
- Tests for the development of chromatic opponency during infancy. Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation, 1985–1986, $13,800.
- Development of color vision.Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation, 1986–1987, $9,936.
- Magnetic Resonance Imaging Quantification of Brain Damage in Prematurely Born Infants: Relations with Visual Attention Measures at 6 Months of Age. Rice University, Social
- Sciences Research Institute Research Professorship, 6 month research leave of absence (deferred while I was serving as Chair of the Psychology Department at Rice).
- Visual Attention: Development and Genetics. Rice University, Social Sciences Research Institute, March, 2012–March, 2013, $19, 884 (Dissertation support for Rebecca A. Lundwall).

Extramural

- Development of motion perception. NIH-NICHD, 8–01–87 through 7–31–90, $196,859.[1]
- Development of motion perception. NIH-NICHD, 8–01–90 through 7–31–95,$462,651.
- The development of selective visual attention. NIH-NICHD, 8–01–96 through 7–31–2001 $658,920.
- The development of selective visual attention. NIH-NICHD, 8–01–2001 through 7–31–2008 $1,915,200.

January 24, 2019 Federal Funding to Date (Direct + Indirect Costs): $3,233,630

Recently Submitted

- *Can Allele Specific Expression Account for Missing Heritability in Genetic Association Studies?* Submitted on 4/15/2015 to Google Faculty Research Awards, $37,863. Not funded but revision encouraged.
- *Allele Specific Expression and Regulatory Loci.* Submitted on 10/15/2015 to Google Faculty Research Awards, $37,863. Not funded.

In Preparation

- *Using gene expression networks to explain conflicting behavioral phenotypic results with a single gene: The case of COMT.* I am currently searching for a private funding source. The data collected from this project would then be used to submit an application to *NSF*.

Professional Organizations

- *Fellow*, American Psychological Society
- American Society for Human Genetcis

[1]Amounts shown are Direct plus Indirect costs across the entire grant period.