



Hadi Hosseini

Associate Professor (Research) of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences
(Interdisciplinary Brain Science Research)

Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences - Interdisciplinary Brain Sciences

Bio

BIO

Hadi Hosseini is a computational/cognitive neuroscientist investigating large-scale structural and functional brain networks in various neuropsychiatric disorders using multimodal neuroimaging, graph theoretical and multivariate pattern analyses techniques. He is also developing novel NIRS-based neurofeedback interventions for enhancing executive functions. Dr. Hosseini has been co-teaching the Neuroimaging Research Methods (Psyc250) at Stanford since 2012.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Associate Professor (Research), Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences - Interdisciplinary Brain Sciences
- Member, Bio-X
- Member, Wu Tsai Human Performance Alliance
- Member, Maternal & Child Health Research Institute (MCHRI)
- Member, Wu Tsai Neurosciences Institute

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Career Development Award (K25), NIA (2016-2021)
- NARSAD Young Investigator Award, Brain & Behavior Research Foundation (2016-2018)
- CHRI Pilot Early Career Award, Lucile Packard Foundation for Children's Health (2015-2016)
- ICGP Junior Investigator Award, International College of Geriatric Psychoneuropharmacology (ICGP) (Aug 2015)
- Best Presentation Award, APRC-IBRO School of Neuroimaging (Nov 2010)
- SAND Travel award, SAND5 Conference (May 2010)
- MEXT Full Scholarship for PhD Program, Tohoku University (2005-2008)

LINKS

- Lab Website: <http://cbrain.stanford.edu>

Research & Scholarship

CURRENT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARLY INTERESTS

Our lab's research portfolio crosses multiple disciplines including computational neuropsychiatry, cognitive neuroscience, multimodal neuroimaging and neurocognitive rehabilitation. Our computational neuropsychiatry research mainly involves investigating alterations in the organization of connectome in

various neurodevelopmental and neurocognitive disorders using state of the art neuroimaging techniques (fMRI, sMRI, DWI, functional NIRS) combined with novel computational methods (graph theoretical and multivariate pattern analyses).

The ultimate goal of our research is to translate the findings from computational neuropsychiatry research toward developing personalized interventions. We have been developing personalized interventions that integrate computerized cognitive rehabilitation, real-time functional brain imaging and neurofeedback, as well as virtual reality (VR) tailored toward targeted rehabilitation of the affected brain networks in patients with neurocognitive disorders.

CLINICAL TRIALS

- A Novel fNIRS Neurofeedback Intervention for Enhancement of Working Memory in Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD), Not Recruiting
- The Influence of Multi-domain Cognitive Training on Large-scale Structural and Functional Brain Networks in MCI, Not Recruiting

Teaching

COURSES

2024-25

- Methodology of Research in Behavioral Sciences: PSYC 250 (Win)

2023-24

- Methodology of Research in Behavioral Sciences: PSYC 250 (Win)

2022-23

- Methodology of Research in Behavioral Sciences: PSYC 250 (Win)

2021-22

- Methodology of Research in Behavioral Sciences: PSYC 250 (Win)

STANFORD ADVISEES

Doctoral Dissertation Reader (AC)

Paula Munoz Rodriguez

Postdoctoral Faculty Sponsor

Ali Rahimpour Jounghani, Amirali Vahid, Jafar Zamani

Doctoral Dissertation Advisor (AC)

Laura Moreno Carbonell

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **A familial modeling framework for advancing precision medicine for children with neuropsychiatric disorders.** *Developmental medicine and child neurology*
Bruno, J. L., Merrin, J. J., Hosseini, S. M., Green, T.
2025
- **The Unfolding Story of Protein Misfolding Causing Alzheimer Disease in Recipients of Human Pituitary Growth Hormone.** *Journal of the Endocrine Society*
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Gozdas, E., Hosseini, H.
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- **Neuromonitoring-guided working memory intervention in children with ADHD *ISCIENCE***
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- **Cortical neurite microstructural correlates of time perception in healthy older adults *HELIYON***
Kim, T., Jounghani, A., Gozdas, E., Hosseini, S.
2024; 10 (12)
- **Toward Personalized Cognitive Training in Older Adults: A Pilot Investigation of the Effects of Baseline Performance and Age on Cognitive Training Outcomes. *Journal of Alzheimer's disease : JAD***
Bruno, J. L., Shaw, J. S., Hosseini, S. M.
2023
- **Current opinions on the present and future use of functional near-infrared spectroscopy in psychiatry. *Neurophotonics***
Li, R., Hosseini, H., Saggari, M., Balters, S. C., Reiss, A. L.
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- **Decoding the heterogeneity of Alzheimer's disease diagnosis and progression using multilayer networks. *Molecular psychiatry***
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- **¹H-MRS neurometabolites and associations with neurite microstructures and cognitive functions in amnesic mild cognitive impairment. *NeuroImage. Clinical***
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2021
- **Neurite Imaging Reveals Widespread Alterations in Gray and White Matter Neurite Morphology in Healthy Aging and Amnesic Mild Cognitive Impairment.** *Cerebral cortex (New York, N.Y. : 1991)*
Gozdas, E., Fingerhut, H., Dacorro, L., Bruno, J. L., Hosseini, S. M.
2021
- **Functional near-infrared spectroscopy in developmental psychiatry: a review of attention deficit hyperactivity disorder** *EUROPEAN ARCHIVES OF PSYCHIATRY AND CLINICAL NEUROSCIENCE*
Gosse, L. K., Bell, S. W., Hosseini, S.
2021
- **The effect of body posture on resting-state functional connectivity.** *Brain connectivity*
Avelar-Pereira, B., Tam, G. K., Hosseini, S. M.
2021
- **Androgen deprivation therapy and cognitive decline-associations with brain connectomes, endocrine status, and risk genotypes** *PROSTATE CANCER AND PROSTATIC DISEASES*
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- **Evaluation of smartphone interactions on drivers' brain function and vehicle control in an immersive simulated environment** *Scientific Reports*
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- **A low-cost, wearable, do-it-yourself functional near-infrared spectroscopy (DIY-fNIRS) headband** *HardwareX*
Tsow, F., Kumar, A., Hosseini, S., Bowden, A.
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- **The Effect of Baseline Performance and Age on Cognitive Training Improvements in Older Adults: A Qualitative Review** *JPAD-JOURNAL OF PREVENTION OF ALZHEIMERS DISEASE*
Shaw, J. S., Hosseini, S. H.
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- **Focal white matter disruptions along the cingulum tract explain cognitive decline in amnesic mild cognitive impairment (aMCI).** *Scientific reports*
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