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Research interests:

- The fovea and high acuity vision
- Oculo-motor feedback and saccadic modulation in visual cortex
- Smooth pursuit and trans-saccadic integration
- Visually-guided reaching and 3D pursuit of dynamic targets

Academic appointments

2024 – Director of Graduate Studies, Brain and Cognitive Sciences, University of Rochester

2023 - Associate Professor, Dept. of Brain and Cognitive Sciences, University of Rochester

2015 - Assistant Professor, Dept. of Brain and Cognitive Sciences, University of Rochester

2010 - Staff Scientist, Systems Neuroscience, The Salk Institute, La Jolla, CA

2007 - Senior Research Associate, Systems Neuroscience, The Salk Institute, La Jolla, CA

Education

Ph.D. Cognitive Science, University of California at San Diego, 2002
Dissertation: *Unity of Action: Coordination of Movement Plans Between Oculomotor Areas*
Committee members: David Zipser, Jeff Elman, Rich Krauzlis, Bill Kristan, Marty Sereno

B.S. Electrical Engineering, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA 1994

Research grants

2020-25: NIH, R01 EY030998 "Neural basis of trans-saccadic perception"
PI: Mitchell. Total costs over five years ($1,901,780).

2020-25: NIH, R01 NS118457 "Spatial exploration and navigation in the primate hippocampus" PI: Miller(UCSD), Kechen Zhang (Johns Hopkins) Co-I: Mitchell.
Total costs to UR over five years ($357,324).

Pending grants

2025-27: NIH R21, scored 12th percentile, resubmitted:
"Precis opto- and chemo-genetic inactivation of cortico-cortical projection pathways in a non-human primate model."
PIs: Jude Mitchell (UR, lead), Kuan Hong Wang (UR)

Total costs to UR over five years ($423,500)

2025-30: NIH U01DA063562 “Frontal-parietal circuit mechanisms for visuo-motor prediction in primate prey capture.”
PIs: Mitchell (UR, lead), Cory Miller (UCSD), Kuan Hong Wang (UR);
Co-Is: Aaron Batista (U. Pitt), Talmo Pereira (Salk Inst.)
Total costs to UR over five years ($3,812,458)

2025-30: NIH R01 “In vivo methods to explore the function of macaque and marmoset retinal ganglion cells.”
PIs: David Williams (UR), Bill Merigan (UR), Jude Mitchell (UR), Martin Bohlen (Duke U.)
Total costs to UR over five years ($5,437,251)

Completed grants

2020-23: NIH, U01 NS116377 “Neural circuit computations for visual motion during natural primate behaviors.” PIs: Alex Huk, Cory Miller. Co-I: Mitchell
Total costs to UR over three years ($161,060)

2019-21: NIH, R21-EY029849, “Computational maps in extrastriate cortex.”
Co-PIs: Ian Nauhaus, Alex Huk, Robbe Gorris (UT Austin)
$282,310 direct costs, over two years

2015-18: NIH, U01-NS094330, “Neural ensembles underlying natural tracking.”
Co-PIs: Nicholas Priebe, Alex Huk, Ila Fiete (UT Austin)
$2,984,747 direct costs, over three years ($253,000 sub-award to U of R)

2014-16: NIH, R21-MH104756, “Optogenetic tools to distinguish neuronal class in behaving non-human primates.”
Co-PI: Cory Miller (UCSD)
$275,000 direct costs, over two years (2nd year at University of Rochester)

2014-17: NHMRC (Australia), APP1083152, “Neural circuits for active vision in the primate cerebral cortex.”
Co-PI: Marcello Rosa (Monash University)
$612,902 direct costs, over three years (supported a visiting scientist at U of R)

Awards and small grants

2025 University of Rochester Research Award, “Optogenetic inactivation of cortico-cortical projection pathways.” PIs: Jude Mitchell, Kuan Wang ($75,000)

2022 University of Rochester Research Award, “Marker-free tracking of group foraging: a window to the primate social brain”.
PIs: Dora Biro, Jude Mitchell, Kuan Wang ($75,000)

2022 University of Rochester Research Award, "Neural mechanisms generating affective touch"
PIs: Manuel Gomez-Ramirez, Jude Mitchell, Kuan Wang ($50,000)

2019 Schmitt Program on Integrative Neuroscience (SPIN) Award,
"Optogenetic identification and manipulation of cortico-cortical feedback in a non-human primate, the common marmoset""
Co-PI: Kuan Wang
Total costs over one year ($47,846)

2019 University of Rochester Research Award, "Neural basis of foveal vision"
Co-PI: Michele Rucci
Total costs over one year ($58,238)

2017 Schmitt Program on Integrative Neuroscience (SPIN) Award,
"Investigating convergent strategies for population coding."
Co-PI: Krishnan Padmanabha ($50,000).

2014 – Australian Research Council (ARC) Award *(declined for U of R job offer)*,
"Cellular mechanisms of perception and selective attention in cortical circuits."
$800,000 direct costs, over four years.

2012 – Kavli Institute Innovative Research Award,
"Developing marmosets as a model for visual neuroscience."
Co-PIs: Cory Miller (UCSD), John Reynolds (The Salk Institute)
$30,000 direct costs, single year

Workshop grants

2022 – NSF, Center for Visual Science Symposia, "Active Vision."
Co-PI: Michele Rucci and Martina Poletti (U of R)
$50,000

2016 – NSF, Center for Visual Science Symposia, "The Future of Attention."
Co-PI: Ben Hayden (U of R)
$10,000

2016 – NIH, R13EY026284, Center for Visual Science Symposia, "The Future of Attention."
Co-PI: Ben Hayden (U of R)
$25,000

Scholarship/Fellowship/Awards

2010-12: Swartz Foundation Research Fellowship, The Salk Institute, La Jolla, CA
"Normalization circuits and spiking models of attention."

2003-5: NIH Training Fellowship in Cognitive Neuroscience, UCSD

"Neuronal mechanisms of spatial attention in the macaque."

1996-99: NSF Graduate Student Fellowship, UCSD
"Neuronal models of saccade planning and working memory."

Academic Service

2026-8: GRC Neurobiology of Cognition Meeting
Co-organizer, Vice-chair (2026), Chair (2028)

2024-present: Director of Graduate Studies, Brain and Cognitive Sciences,
University of Rochester

2023: NIH Marmoset Community White Paper
Co-authored with Cory Miller (UCSD)

2022: Co-Organizer of Bi-Annual Center for Visual Science (CVS) Symposium
"Active Vision", June 10-13, University of Rochester

2022: Co-Organizer Center for Visual Science (CVS) Annual Retreat
March 15, Memorial Art Gallery, Rochester

2019: Organizer, Marmoset Social Satellite Event,
Society for Neuroscience Meeting (Chicago)

2016-18: Boynton Colloquium Organizer,
Center for Visual Science (CVS), University of Rochester

2015-20: Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC),
University of Rochester Medical Center

2015-17: Organizing Committee, Marmoset Social Satellite Event,
Society for Neuroscience Meeting

2015-16: Co-Organizer of Bi-Annual Center for Visual Science (CVS) Symposium
"The Future of Attention", June 3-6, University of Rochester

2016-25: Executive Committee (rotating member),
Center for Visual Science (CVS), University of Rochester

2015: Organizer of "Comparative Neural Circuitry Meeting"
(Co-organizers: Cory Miller, David Leopold) Sept.16-18, Jackson Hole, WY

Teaching

2018-25, Spring:	BCS/NSC 203: *Laboratory in Neurobiology*, Head Instructor Co-instructors with David Kornack and Adam Snyder University of Rochester (+50 undergraduate students)
2015-24, Fall:	NSC 301: *Senior Seminar in Neuroscience* University of Rochester (+20 undergraduate students)
2016-17, Spring:	BCS/NSC 203: *Laboratory in Neurobiology*, Co-taught with Kathy Nordeen (Lead Instructor), David Kornack, and Renee Miller University of Rochester (+60 undergraduate students)
2015,17, Fall:	BCS 504: *Sensory Systems, Co-Instructor* Co-taught with Greg DeAngelis (Lead Instructor) University of Rochester (+5 graduate students)
2017-present:	Weekly literature reviews in *Visual Neuroscience*, University of Rochester (2-4 graduate and 3-5 undergraduate students)
2002, Spring:	*Neural Networks and Models of Cognition*, Head Instructor Cognitive Science Department, University of California at San Diego

Advising

Post-Doctoral:	2024-present:	Luke Shaw (NGP, University of Rochester)
	2016-2021:	Jacob Yates (BCS, University of Rochester) *Now faculty in Vision Science, UC Berkeley*
	2016-2020:	Shaun Cloherty (Visitor, University of Rochester) *Now faculty at Melbourne Inst. Technology*
	2014-2016:	Samuel Nummela (UCSD)
	2011-2015:	Anirvan Nandy (Salk Institute) *Now faculty at Yale University*
Graduate Students:		
Current:	2021-present:	Oviya Mohan (BCS, University of Rochester)
Graduated:		
	2020-25:	Amy Bucklaew (NGP, University of Rochester) *Now post-doc with Sara Patterson, U. Rochester*
	2018-24:	Luke Shaw (NGP, University of Rochester) *Now post-doc at University of Rochester*
	2015-2021:	Shanna Coop (BCS, University of Rochester) *Postdoc at Stanford under Tirin Moore* *Now research scientist with Abbvie, Inc.*
	2015-2020:	Sunwoo Kwon (BCS, University of Rochester) *Now postdoc at UC Berkeley with Dennis Levi*

Undergraduate Students/Honors Thesis:

Graduated:	2024:	Julianna Saxena (BCS, University of Rochester)
	2024:	Qiyuan Feng (BCS, University of Rochester)
	2023:	Helena Xiong (NSC, University of Rochester)
	2022:	Halle Hangen (BCS, University of Rochester)
	2022:	Lauren Sigda (BCS, University of Rochester)
	2022:	Iqra Hassan (BCS, University of Rochester)
	2021:	Leah Sikand (NSC, University of Rochester)
	2021:	Nicole Kuznetsov (BCS, University of Rochester)
	2021:	Lucy Song (BCS, University of Rochester)
	2020:	Gabriel Sarch (BME, University of Rochester)
	2020:	Christina Moretz (BCS, University of Rochester)
	2020:	Hannah Stone (NSC, University of Rochester)
	2018:	Marcelina Martynek (BCS, University of Rochester)
	2015:	Garrett Bunce (BCS/NSC, University of Rochester)
Enrolled:	2024-25:	Alexia Nelms (BCS, University of Rochester)
	2024-26:	Ivayla Petrova (NSC, University of Rochester)
	2023-26:	Kennedy Lieninger (BCS, University of Rochester

Undergraduate Summer Interns:

2024:	Alexia Nelms (BCS, University of Rochester)
2023:	Janejira Chapoomee (BCS, University of Rochester)
2022:	Helena Xiong (NSC, University of Rochester)
2021:	Lauren Sigda (BCS, University of Rochester)
2021:	Halle Hangen (BCS, University of Rochester)
2020:	Lucy Song (BCS, University of Rochester)
2019:	Gabriel Sarch (BME, University of Rochester)
2017:	Zoe Sterns (McNair Scholar, University of Oklahoma)

Graduate thesis committees:

2024	Silei Zhu (NGP, U. of Rochester)
2024:	Matthew Adusei (NGP, U. of Rochester)
2024:	Jingyi Yang (NGP, U. of Rochester)
2024:	Zhexin Xu (BCS, U. of Rochester)
2023:	Hayden Scott (BCS, U. of Rochester)
2023:	Allison Murphy (NGP, U. of Rochester)
2022:	Uday Chockanathan (NGP, U. of Rochester)
2022:	Emily Warner (NGP, U. of Rochester)
2021:	Ankani Chattoraj (BCS, U. of Rochester)
Active:	Zhen Chen (BCS, U. of Rochester)
Active:	Shizhao Liu (BCS, U. of Rochester)
Active:	John Gonzalez-Amoretti (NGP, U. of Rochester)
Active:	Yue Zhang (BCS, U. of Rochester)
Active:	Zhao Zhetuo (BCS, U. of Rochester)
Active:	Yuanhao (Howard) Li (BCS, U. of Rochester)

Master's thesis committees:

2020-21:	Linghao Xu (BCS, U. of Rochester)

Ad-hoc Refereeing

Grant agencies: *NIH CSR* (2025), *ZRG1 ICN-A(02), Special Emphasis Panel, March 27*

NIH CSR (2024), *ZRG1 ICN-A(02), Special Emphasis Panel, July 18*

NIH NINDS (2023), *ZNS1 SRB-P(12), Special Emphasis Panel, Oct. 5-6*

NIH NEI (2022), *ZRG1 IFCN- Visual Neuroscience, March 28*

NIH SREA (2017: 1), *Wisconsin National Primate Center Project Review* (2017:1), *Canada Foundation for Innovation* (2017:1)

Journals:

Science (2016:1), *Nature* (2013:1), *Neuron* (2016:1), *Nature Communications* (2017:1, 2019:1, 2021:1, 2022:1,2023:1), *Current Biology* (2019:1, 2020:2), *Elife* (2015:1; 2024:1), *PLOS Biology* (2014:1, 2019:1), *IScience* (2019:1, 2022:1), *Molecular Psychiatry* (2015:1), *Journal of Neuroscience* (2015-17:3, 2019:2, 2020:2; 2023:2; 2024:3), *Journal of Neurophysiology* (2015-17:3,2020:1; 2023:1), *Cerebral Cortex* (2015-17:4; 2024:1), *NeuroImage* (2015:1,2019:1, 2021:1), *Scientific Reports* (2017:1), *Developmental Neurobiology* (2016:1), *PLOS One* (2015:1), *Behavioral Brain Research* (2015:1), *Journal of Comparative Neurology* (2019:1), *Frontiers in Neural Circuits* (2017:1), *Journal of Vision* (2021:1,2023:1), *Vision Research* (2020:1, 2021:1), *European Journal of Neuroscience* (2020:2), *PNAS* (2023:1), *eNeuro* (2024:2).

Consulting

2017-19: Janssen, Inc., Tamara Berdyyeva San Diego, CA
Establishment of a marmoset breeding colony.

2011: Brain Corporation, Inc., Eugene Izhikevich San Diego, CA
Development of biologically realistic models of vision.

Research Articles under review (* equal contribution)

1. Shaw L, Padmanabhan K, Bucklaew A, **Mitchell JF***, Wang KH*. 'Projection-specific intersectional optogenetics for precise excitation and inhibition in the marmoset brain.' Submitted *Cell Reports*. https://www.biorxiv.org/content/10.1101/2025.06.18.660378v1

2. Bucklaew A, Coop SH, **Mitchell JF**. 'Marmoset area MTC shows larger pre-saccadic neural enhancements than MT.' Under review at *Scientific Reports*.

3. Coop SH, Bunce GW, Abrham YT, Bucklaew A, **Mitchell JF**. 'Pre-saccadic enhancement of target stimulus motion influences post-saccadic smooth eye movements.' Under revision for *eNeuro*. https://biorxiv.org/cgi/content/short/2022.10.10.511640v3

Peer-reviewed Research Articles (* equal contribution)

1. Singh, VP, Li, J, Dawson, K, **Mitchell, JF***, & Miller, CT* (2025). Active vision in freely moving marmosets using head-mounted eye tracking. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, *122*(6), e2412954122.

2. Coop SH, Yates JL, **Mitchell JF** (2024). 'Pre-saccadic neural enhancements in marmoset area MT.' *Journal of Neuroscience*, 44(4).

3. Parker PR, Martins DM, Leonard ES, Casey NM, Sharp SL, Abe ET, Smear MC, Yates JL, **Mitchell JF**, Niell CM *(*2023*). '*A dynamic sequence of visual processing initiated by gaze shifts*.' Nature Neuroscience* Nov 23 doi: 10.1038/s41593-023-01481-7.

4. Yates, J. L., Coop, S. H., Sarch, G. H., Wu, R. J., Butts, D. A., Rucci, M., & **Mitchell, J. F.** (2023). Detailed characterization of neural selectivity in free viewing primates. *Nature Communications*, *14*(1), 3656.

5. Shaw, L., Wang, K. H., & **Mitchell, JF**. (2023). Fast prediction in marmoset reach-to-grasp movements for dynamic prey. *Current Biology*, *33*(12), 2557-2565.

6. Bucklaew, A., Coop, S. H., & **Mitchell, JF** (2023). Electrophysiology of Laminar Cortical Activity in the Common Marmoset. *JoVE (Journal of Visualized Experiments)*, (198), e65397.

7. Wang, W., Yuan, R. K., **Mitchell, J. F.,** Zitting, K. M., St. Hilaire, M. A., Wyatt, J. K., ... & Czeisler, C. A. (2023). Desynchronizing the sleep–wake cycle from circadian timing to assess their separate contributions to physiology and behaviour and to estimate intrinsic circadian period. *Nature Protocols*, *18*(2), 579-603.
8. Kwon S, Fahrenthold BK, Cavanaugh MR, Huxlin KR*, **Mitchell JF*** (2022). 'Perceptual restoration fails to recover unconscious processing of smooth movements after occipital stroke.' *Elife, 11 e67573.*

9. Cloherty SL*, Yates JL*, DeAngelis GC, **Mitchell JF** (2020). 'Motion perception in the common marmoset.' *Cerebral Cortex, Dec 11. pii: bhz267. doi: 10.1093/cercor/bhz267.*

10. Kwon S, Rolfs M, **Mitchell JF** (2019). 'Pre-saccadic motion integration drives a predictive postsaccadic following response.' *Journal of Vision, 19(11), 12-12.*

11. Nummela SU, Coop S, Cloherty SL, Boisvert CJ, Leblanc M, **Mitchell JF** (2017). 'Psychophysical measurement of marmoset acuity and myopia.' *Developmental Neurobiology,* 77(3), 300-13.

12. Divincenti, J., Miller, AD, Knoedl, DJ, **Mitchell, JF** (2016). 'Uterine Rupture in a Common Marmoset (Callithrix jacchus).' *Comparative Medicine*, 66(3), 254-258

13. Nandy A**, Mitchell JF**, and Reynolds JH (2016). **'**Neurons in macaque Area V4 are tuned for complex spatio-temporal patterns.' *Neuron,* 91(4), 920-930.

14. MacDougall M, Nummela S, Coop S, Disney A, **Mitchell J**, and Miller T (2016). 'Viral expression and optogenetic manipulation of neural circuits in marmosets'. *J. Neurophysiology,* 116(3), 1286-94.

15. **Mitchell, JF**, Priebe, NJ, & Miller, CT (2015). Motion dependence of smooth pursuit eye movements in the marmoset. *Journal of Neurophysiology*, *113*(10), 3954-3960.

16. Chow, CP*****, **Mitchell, JF***, and Miller, CT (2015). Vocal turn-taking in a non-human primate is learned during ontogeny. *Proceedings of the Royal Society of London B: Biological Sciences*, *282*(1807), 20150069.

17. **Mitchell JF**, Boisvert CR, Reuter JD, Reynolds JH, Leblanc M (2014). 'Correction of refractive errors in rhesus macaques (Macaca mulatta) involved in visual research.' *Comparative Med.* 64(4):300-8.

18. **Mitchell JF**, Reynolds JH, and Miller CT (2014). 'Active vision in marmosets: a model system for visual neuroscience.' *J Neuroscience,* 34(4): 1184-93.

19. Anderson EB, **Mitchell JF** and Reynolds JH (2013). 'Attention-dependent reductions in burstiness and action potential height in macaque area V4'. *Nature Neuroscience*, 16(8):1125-31.

20. Nandy AS, Sharpee T, Reynolds JH, and **Mitchell JF** (2013). 'The fine structure of shape tuning in area V4'. *Neuron* 78(6):1102-15.

21. Sundberg KA, **Mitchell JF**, Gawne TJ and Reynolds JH (2012). 'Attention influences single unit and local field potential response latencies in visual cortical area V4'. *J Neuroscience,* 32:16040-50.

22. Anderson EB, **Mitchell JF**, and Reynolds JH (2011). 'Attentional modulation of firing rate varies with burstiness across putative pyramidal neurons in macaque visual area V4'. *J. Neuroscience,* 31:10983-92.

23. Ciaramitaro VM, **Mitchell JF**, Stoner GR, Reynolds JH, and Boynton GM (2010). 'Object-based attention to one of two superimposed surfaces alters responses in human early visual cortex'. *J. Neurophysiology,* 105: 1258-65.

24. **Mitchell JF**, Sundberg KA, and Reynolds JH (2009). 'Spatial attention decorrelates intrinsic activity fluctuations in macaque area V4'. *Neuron,* 63:879-888.

25. Sundberg KA, **Mitchell JF**, and Reynolds JH (2009). 'Spatial attention modulates center-surround interactions in macaque visual area V4'. *Neuron,* 61:1-12.

26. Khoe W, **Mitchell JF**, Reynolds JH and Hillyard, SA (2008). 'ERP evidence that surface-based attention biases interocular competition during rivalry'. *Journal of Vision,* 8(3):18.1-11.

27. **Mitchell JF**, Sundberg KA, and Reynolds JH (2007). 'Differential attention-dependent response modulation across cell classes in macaque visual area V4'. *Neuron,* 55: 131-141.

28. Khoe W, **Mitchell JF**, Reynolds JH and Hillyard, SA (2005) 'Exogenous attentional selection of transparent superimposed surfaces modulates early event-related potentials'. *Vision Research,* 45(24):3004-14

29. **Mitchell JF**, Stoner GR and Reynolds JH (2004) 'Object-based attention in binocular rivalry'. *Nature,* Vol 429:410-413.

30. **Mitchell JF**, Stoner GR, Fallah M, and Reynolds JH (2003) 'Attentional selection of superimposed surfaces cannot be explained by modulation of the gain of color channels.' *Vision Research,* 43(12):1323-8.

31. **Mitchell JF**, Zipser D (2003) 'Sequential memory-guided saccades and target selection: A neural model of the frontal eye fields.' *Vision Research,* 43:2669-95.

32. **Mitchell JF**, Zipser D (2001) 'A model of visual-spatial memory across saccades.' *Vision Research,* 41:1575-92.

33. Czeisler CA, Duffy JF, Shanahan TL, Brown EN, **Mitchell JF**, Rimmer DW, Ronda JM, Silva EJ, Allan JS, Emens JS, Dijk DJ, Kronauer RE (1999) 'Age-independent stability, precision, and near-24-hour period of the human circadian pacemaker.' *Science,* 284:1-5.

34. Vassilev PM, **Mitchel JF**, Vassilev M, Kanazirska M, Brown EM (1997) 'Assessment of frequency-dependent alterations in the level of extracellular Ca^{2+} in the synaptic cleft.' *Biophysical Journal,* 72:2103-6.

35. Czeisler CA, Duffy JF, Shanahan TL, Brown EN, **Mitchell JF**, Dijk DJ, Rimmer DW, Ronda JM, Allan JS, Emens JS, Kronauer RE (1995). 'Reassessment of the intrinsic period (τ) of the human circadian pacemaker in young and older subjects'. *Sleep Res A* 24:505.

Peer-reviewed Review Articles

1. **Mitchell, JF**, Wang, KH, Batista, AP, & Miller, CT (2024). An ethologically motivated neurobiology of primate visually-guided reach-to-grasp behavior. *Current Opinion in Neurobiology, 86,* 102872.

2. Miller CT, Friewald W, Leopold DA, **Mitchell JF**, Silva AC, Wang XJ (2016). 'Marmosets: A Neuroscientific Model of Human Social Behavior.' *Neuron,* 90, 219-33.

3. **Mitchell, JF**, Leopold, DA (2015). 'The marmoset monkey as a model for visual neuroscience.' *Neuroscience Research, 93,* 20-46.

4. Belmonte, J.C.I., Callaway, E.M., Churchland, P., Caddick, S.J., Feng, G., Homanics, G.E., Lee, K.F., Leopold, D.A., Miller, C.T., **Mitchell, J.F.** and Mitalipov, S. (2015). 'Brains, genes, and primates.' *Neuron*, *86*(3), pp.617-631.

5. Stoner GR, **Mitchell JF**, Fallah M and Reynolds JH (2005). 'Interacting competitive selection in attention and binocular rivalry.' *Progress in Brain Research,* 14:227-34.

Invited Book Chapters

1. **Mitchell, JF**, Leopold, DA (2018). '*The marmoset monkey as a model for visual neuroscience.*' In The Common Marmoset in Captivity and Biomedical Research, edited by Robert P. Marini, Elsevier, Inc.

2. Leopold DA, **Mitchell JF**, Freiwald WA (2017). '*Evolved Mechanisms of High-Level Visual Perception in Primates.*' In Evolution of Nervous Systems, 2nd Edition, edited by Jon H. Kaas, Elsevier, Inc.

Invited Talks, Colloquiums, and Tutorials (within 10 years)

2025 - NETI Workshop, UT Austin, Texas
Neural mechanism of foveal vision and prediction

2025 - Tree Shrew Discovery 2025, U. Virginia
Neural mechanism of active foveal vision in marmoset monkeys

2024 - Japanese Meeting on Marmoset Neuroscience, Japan
Neural mechanism of foveal vision and prediction in prey pursuit

2023 - German Primate Center, Gottingen, Germany
Neural mechanisms of active vision in marmoset visual cortex

2022 - GRC Meeting, Neurobiology of Cognition, Maine
Neural mechanisms of active vision and foveal prediction

Simian Collective Meeting, San Diego, CA
Neural mechanisms of active vision

2019 - Neuroscience Seminar, Maryland University, College Park, MD
Neural mechanisms of pre-saccadic attention in marmoset monkeys

Neuroscience Seminar, Yale University, New Haven, CT
Neural mechanisms of pre-saccadic attention in marmoset monkeys

Neural Computation Institute Seminar, University of Pennsylvania, PA
Neural mechanisms of pre-saccadic attention in marmoset monkeys

2018 - Marmoset PI Meeting, Boulder, CO
Organizers: Kuo-Fen Lee (Salk) and Cory Miller (UCSD)
Discussions to standardize care and use of marmoset in research

2017 - Marmoset Social Event, Society for Neuroscience, Washington, DC
Challenges in establishing a marmoset research program

Vision Course Seminar, Banbury Center, Cold Springs Harbor, NY
Neural mechanisms of attention and the marmoset as a model system

Center for Perceptual Systems (CPS) Seminar, Austin, TX
Neural mechanisms of attention and the marmoset as a model system

2016 - Neurosciences Graduate Program Seminar, Rochester, NY
Neural mechanisms of attention and the marmoset as a model system

2015 - Neuroscience Seminar, University of Western Ontario, Canada
Active vision in marmosets: a model for visual neuroscience.

The Common Marmoset as a Transgenic Model of the Human Brain in Health, Janelia Farm, Washington, DC.
Active vision in marmosets: a model for visual neuroscience.

Japanese Meeting on Marmoset Neuroscience, Inuyama, Japan
Active vision in marmosets: a model for visual neuroscience.

Conference Oral Presentations (within 5 years)

1. *Bucklaew A, Coop SC, Mitchell JF. Saccadic suppression in area MT/MTC is absent during simulated saccades in the visual input. Vision Sciences Society Talk, May, 2025
2. *Bucklaew A, Coop SC, Mitchell JF. Neural subpopulations in marmoset area MTC show more extra-retinal tuning for saccade direction than area MT. Vision Sciences Society Talk, May, 2023.
3. *Coop SH, Yates JL, Mitchell JF. Enhanced feature tuning for saccade targets in foveal but not peripheral visual neurons. Vision Sciences Society Talk, May, 2023.

4. *Abrham Y, Yates JL, Mitchell JF. Dynamic visual processing in post-saccadic V1 visual responses of the marmoset monkey. To be presented at Society for Neuroscience (SFN), November, 2022.
5. *Coop SH, Sarch G, Yates JL, Mitchell JF. Laminar organization of pre-saccadic attention in marmoset area MT. Vision Sciences Society Talk, May, 2022.
6. *Mitchell JF, Yates JL, Coop SH. Neural circuits for pre-saccadic attention (and active vision) in the marmoset monkey. Vision Sciences Society Talk, May, 2021.
7. *Coop SH, Yates JL, Mitchell JF. Foveal remapping of motion in area MT of the marmoset monkey. Vision Sciences Society Talk, May, 2021.
8. *Yates JL, Coop SH, Sarch G, Wu R, Butts DA, Rucci M, Mitchell JF. Beyond fixation: foveal receptive field estimation in freely viewing primates. Vision Science Society Talk, May, 2020.

Conference Poster Presentations (within 5 years)

1. Bucklaew A, Coop SC, Mitchell JF. Saccade response modulation in areas MT/MTC across cell types and layers. Vision Sciences Symposium, May, 2024.
2. Mohan O, Bucklaew A, Biro D, Mitchell JF. Free-viewing of static natural images and movies in marmoset monkeys. Vision Sciences Symposium, May, 2024.
3. Bucklaew A, Coop SC, Mitchell JF. Neural subpopulations in marmoset area MTC show more extra-retinal tuning for saccade direction than area MT. Marmoset Biosicences Symposium, Washington, DC, November, 2023.
4. Shaw L, Padmanabhan K, Mitchell JF, Wang KH. Intersectional optogenetics for excitation and inhibition of cortico-cortical projections in the mouse and marmoset brain. To be presented at Society for Neuroscience (SFN), November, 2022.
5. Bucklaew A, Coop SC, Sarch G, Mitchell JF. Laminar and cell class distinctions for pre-saccadic attention in marmoset MT/MTC. To be presented at Society for Neuroscience (SFN), November, 2022.
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