

PSYCH FORUM

EVERYDAY IS BLURSDAY: MEMORY DURING THE PANDEMIC

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Dr Valerie Carr earned her PhD in Neuroscience from UCLA and afterwards completed a postdoctoral fellowship at Stanford University. She is currently an Associate Professor and Associate Chair for Faculty Success in the SJSU Department of Psychology, where she leverages her knowledge of cognitive neuroscience to understand factors that influence the content, quality, and durability of memories across the lifespan. Students in her lab conduct research investigating whether and how factors such as aerobic fitness, mobile device use, and wakeful rest affect long-term memory and executive function. Additionally, Dr Carr maintains strong collaborative relationships with researchers at Stanford University and members of the Hippocampal Subfields Group regarding the structure and function of medial temporal lobe subfields. Finally, given Dr Carr's passion for teaching social science students how to program (see: Applied Computing for Behavioral and Social Sciences), she is involved in pedagogical research regarding interdisciplinary computing and is an advisor for the minor.