

POSTDOCTORAL POSITION IN AFFECTIVE/RELATIONSHIP/DEVELOPMENTAL SCIENCE

The Northwestern University *Life-Span Development Lab* (PI: Claudia Haase) and the *Adolescent Development and Preventive Treatment (ADAPT)* program (PI: Vijay Mittal) are seeking applications for a postdoctoral fellow to work on an NIMH-funded study on “**Emotion in Interaction: High-Risk Psychosis Youth and Caregivers**”.

- We are looking for someone with background in affective science; relationship science; or clinical, developmental, social, as well as personality psychology with interest and ideally experience in dyadic interaction; multimodal emotion assessments (experience, behavior, physiology); adolescent and/or adult development (including caregiving); and healthy and/or pathological development (including clinical high-risk states and/or early psychosis).

Currently our two labs are running a number of studies with (1) emotion and cognition in diverse samples of individuals and couples using multimodal emotion assessments (PI Haase) and (2) typically developing, prodromal syndrome and early psychosis populations focusing on biomarkers, treatment, and scale development (PI Mittal). Join our teams and be involved with collecting and writing up data from any and all of these great and innovative multimodal studies. Please see our websites for more details: <https://haaselab.sesp.northwestern.edu/> and <http://www.adaptprogram.com>.

The successful applicant will join Claudia Haase, Vijay Mittal and their active research teams and will be responsible for designing experiments, analyzing and processing data, and publishing/presenting findings. There will also be ample opportunities for advanced training (Northwestern has a number of in-depth training opportunities, covering a range of methodological and quantitative methods), collaborations (benefit from a number of active ADAPT lab collaborations), building mentorship experience (learning to direct and supervise research and career development for graduate students), and developing an independent research program. Significant attention will be placed on career development (e.g., regular conference attendance/participation, training in grant writing, peer review, mentorship, teaching, presentations/job-talks etc.) ***This is an ideal position for someone interested in preparing for a tenure-track job.***

For questions or to submit an application, please contact Claudia Haase (claudia.haase@northwestern.edu) and Vijay Mittal (vijay.mittal@northwestern.edu). Applicants should send a C.V. (including the names of two references), a brief letter describing interests and prior research experience, and two publications (that best reflect contributions of the candidate). Salary is based on the NIMH Post-doctoral scale, and funding is available for up to two-years (appointments are for one year, but renewable for two years, based on progress/merit). Review of applications will begin immediately.

Northwestern University is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action employer. Members of historically underrepresented groups are strongly encouraged to apply. Hiring is contingent upon eligibility to work in the United States. Employment eligibility verification required upon hire.