

Timothy Hendrikxtimhendrikx@cmail.carleton.ca**Research Interests**

Concept representation and abstraction, sound symbolism, perception, social cognition

Education

Carleton University, Ottawa, ON Sept. 2026 – (present)*Master of Arts in Psychology*

- Supervisor: Dr. David Sidhu (Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology)

Algonquin College, Ottawa, Ontario Sept. 2025 – Apr. 2026*Ontario College Certificate, Bookkeeping and Accounting Practices***Carleton University**, Ottawa, Ontario Sept. 2023 – Apr. 2025*Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Psychology*

- Thesis Title: *Racialized Names and Sound Symbolism*
- Supervisor: Dr. David Sidhu (Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology)
- Graduated with high distinction, 11.85/12 CGPA
- Awarded *Senate Medal for Outstanding Academic Achievement*

Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario Sept. 2019 – Apr. 2023*BCogSc, Honours*

- Graduated with High Distinction

Scholarships & Awards

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| • Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences Master's Scholarship — \$5000 | 2026 – 2027 |
| • Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences RA Top-Up — \$2000 | 2026 – 2027 |
| • Research Assistantship — \$8,000 | 2026 – 2027 |
| • Teaching Assistantship — \$12,695.80 | 2026 – 2027 |
| • P. D. McCormack Fund Masters — \$5,000 | 2026 – 2027 |
| • Senate Medal for Outstanding Academic Achievement | 2026 – 2027 |
| • Deans' Honour List | 2019 – 2024 |
| • Carleton Academic Scholarship — \$2,000 | 2021 – 2022 |
| • Carleton University Entrance Scholarship (2019) — \$2,000 | 2019 – 2020 |
| • E.W.R. Steacie Scholarship — \$1,000 | 2019 |

Technical Proficiencies

Data Analysis	R, SPSS, Excel
Experiment Builders	Psychopy, Pavlovia, Gorilla Experiment Builder, E-Prime
Data Management	Qualtrics, Praat, Python
Document Preparation	Apa 7th Edition formatting, Microsoft Word, PowerPoint

Conference Presentations

Bodea, V., **Hendrikx, T.**, Sidhu D. M. (2026). *Embodiment, Intuitiveness, and Familiarity Norms for Translated Idioms in 10 Languages* [Poster presentation]. Embodied and Situated Language Processing (ESLP), University of Lancaster, United Kingdom

Research and Professional Experience

Principal Investigator 2026

Carleton University, Ottawa, ON

- Lead researcher on a study examining how stereotype bias interacts with sound symbolic associations in Black and White names
- Responsible for experimental design, stimulus programming and data collection which resulted in a publication in Carleton University's *Undergraduate Journal of Science*

Project Team Member 2025 – 2026

Carleton University, Ottawa, ON

- Collaborated on several graduate-level projects in the CLaSSI and Lacroix Lab.
- Contributed to data preparation for *Embodiment, Intuitiveness, and Familiarity Norms for Translated Idioms in 10 Languages*

Lab Volunteer 2024 – present

Carleton University, Ottawa, ON

- CLaSSI Lab (The Cognition, Language, Sound Symbolism, Iconicity Lab)
- Lacroix Lab

Workshop: CLaSSI lab 2025

Carleton University, Ottawa, ON

- Led workshop on the use of CLAN software to analyze language corpora

Developmental Services Professional 2024-2026

Community Living Fort Frances and District, Fort Frances, Ontario

- Support clients with developmental disabilities in all aspects of daily living, enabling them to achieve personal goals and participate in the community
- File reports on changes in a client's health and well being, needs and personal details, allowing for the proactive addressing of client needs on an ongoing basis

Undergraduate Practicum in Psychology 2025

Ottawa Catholic School Board, Ottawa, Ontario

Supervisor: Dr. Richard Bolduc

- Co-facilitated elementary and high school classroom discussions and small-group sessions on topics including interpersonal relationships, emotional regulation, and mental well-being
- Prepared and presented psychoeducational materials enhancing student learning experiences

Cognitive Science Psychology Concentration Representative 2023-2024

Carleton Cognitive Science Student Society, Ottawa, ON, Canada

- Organized a panel of alumni, graduate students, and professors, that provided guidance for undergraduates on potential career paths in psychology and cognitive science

Panelist Cognitive Science/ Psychology/ Neuroscience Spotlight Event 2025

Carleton University, Ottawa, ON, Canada

- Spoke to and answered questions from Grade 11–12 students about potential academic pathways and career options post-graduation from a Bachelor of Arts in Psychology

Publication in the Carleton Undergraduate Journal of Science 2025

Hendrikx, T., & Sidhu, D. (2025). Racialized Names and Sound Symbolism. *Carleton Undergraduate Journal of Science*, 5(2). <https://doi.org/10.22215/cujs.v5i2.5381>