

Call for Papers:

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Call for Papers: Special Section titled “Spatial reference frames: Integrating Cognitive Behavioral and Cognitive Neuroscience Approaches”

The Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, and Cognition invites manuscripts for a special section on spatial reference frames, to be compiled by Associate Editor Laura Carlson and guest editors James Hoffman and Nora Newcombe. The goal of the special section is to showcase high-quality research that brings together behavioral, neuropsychological, and neuroimaging approaches to understanding the cognitive and neural bases of spatial reference frames. We are seeking cognitive behavioral studies that integrate cognitive neuroscience findings in justifying hypotheses or interpreting results and cognitive neuroscience studies that emphasize how the evidence informs cognitive theories regarding the use of spatial reference frames throughout diverse areas of cognition (e.g., attention, language, perception and memory). In addition to empirical papers, focused review articles that highlight the significance of cognitive neuroscience approaches to cognitive theory of spatial reference frames are also appropriate.

The submission deadline is February 28, 2009. The main text of each manuscript, exclusive of figures, tables, references, or appendixes, should not exceed 35 double-spaced pages (approximately 7,500 words). Initial inquiries regarding the special section may be sent to Laura Carlson (lcarlson@nd.edu). Papers should be submitted through the regular submission portal for JEP:LMC (<http://www.apa.org/journals/xlm/submission.html>) with a cover letter indicating that the paper is to be considered for the special section.