Special Topics in Vision

_Psych G4235y._ 3 pts

Regular meeting time to be arranged at the organizational meeting, which will be held in the first week of the semester.

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This seminar is open to graduate students and advanced undergraduates. The specific topics covered change from year to year, but all concern the behavioral, physiological, or computational (mathematical) study of vision and visual perception. You choose your own topic during the first few weeks of the term and then work on it throughout the term. This is a seminar class, and the work for the class includes making presentations, participating in discussion, and turning in a written paper or project at the end of the term.

Given the nature of this course, it is important that every student attend every class meeting except, of course, for serious illness or other serious situations.

A previous course in vision IS NOT required. Some background in one of the following is probably a good idea: psychology, biology, physics, computer science, mathematics, or electrical engineering.

The instructor’s permission IS required. Please contact the instructor before the first meeting for further information about the course and/or permission to attend the course (email is surest).