Research Assistants: Stanford Psychophysiology Lab with Joshua DeSon

**Lab**: Stanford Psychophysiology Laboratory (SPL) is a research laboratory designed for the study of emotion and emotion regulation.

**Lab Website**: [http://www.spl.stanford.edu](http://www.spl.stanford.edu)

**School/Department/Program**: Stanford University/Department of Psychology/Affective Science Area

**Supervising Researcher**: Joshua DeSon, [jdeson@stanford.edu](mailto:jdeson@stanford.edu)

### Project Description

**Project description**: We are currently seeking one to two RA’s to assist in a clinical study examining emotions and emotion regulation in parents of children with autism. The project involves intervention-like workshops seeking to enhance the empathy and mentalization skills in these parents, then examining these affects on parenting style, emotional regulation styles, and overall well-being. Promising results have been found, and the RA would be helping further this research.

### Duties & Time Commitment

Duties will include assisting with data entry in the psychology department and potentially psychiatry department, transcribing interviews from parents, partaking in Yael’s group meetings, and potentially assisting with eye tracking studies. 6-9 hours a week is preferred (6 hours is 2 units, 9 hours is 3 units), but something could be worked out.

### Qualifications & Skills

We’re looking for someone who is detail oriented and organized, and motivated to be involved with affective research.

### Compensation

(Course credit, volunteer): Course credit or volunteer.

### To Apply

Please send a cover letter and CV to jdeson@stanford.edu