The USC Social Learning & Choice Lab (PI: Leor Hackel) and Habit Lab (PI: Wendy Wood) are seeking to hire a full-time lab manager/research assistant to begin in August or September 2021.

To apply, please answer the questions below to the best of your ability and submit your responses along with other materials through the USC Workday portal. For any questions, please contact lhackel@usc.edu or wendy.wood@usc.edu.

1. Please provide the following information:

b) Email

c) Undergraduate Institution

d) Cumulative GPA

e) Year of graduation or expected graduation

2. Why are you interested in this position? What are your long-term goals, and why? In what ways do you think this position will help you achieve those goals?

3. What experience do you have with empirical research in psychology or neuroscience? On what kind of studies did you work (e.g., mTurk, in person laboratory studies, psychophysiology, neuroimaging studies)? In what way(s) were you involved in this work (e.g., did you design the experiment, schedule and run participants, analyze data, program the experiment, etc.)?

4. Comment on your statistical expertise. What analyses would you be comfortable implementing (e.g., correlations, regressions, multi-level models)? What statistical analysis packages do you have experience with?

5. Comment on your programming expertise. Do you have experience or expertise with any programming languages (e.g., Python, Matlab, JavaScript)? If so, in what capacity (e.g., programming experiments, analyses, web design, etc)?

6. How comfortable are you managing teams of people?

7. How long do you plan to stay in this job?

8. Which of the following research topics are you most interested in exploring and why?

• Social learning • Habits • Decision-making • Prosocial behavior • Social connection/ rejection • Economic inequality • Intergroup relations

9. Please provide contact information for at least two individuals who could be asked for a recommendation.