

Adult fMRI Study at University of Minnesota Looking for Participants

We are looking for adult participants in a study that will examine how people process speech and voice information in spoken words. You may be eligible if you:

- Are between the ages of 18-40 years
- Have no history of hearing disorder or brain injury
- Are fluent native speakers of American English

The whole study takes about one hour. Your participation will be paid \$20. We will record your brain responses when you listen to or watch speech and nonspeech stimuli and press a button according to instructions. The brain measure used in the study is functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging (fMRI). The study will use the MRI facilities at the Center for Magnetic Resonance Research at University of Minnesota.

This study is approved by the Institutional Review Board (IRB) for human subjects at the University. There is no direct benefit to you. The results provide useful information about language processing in the brain.

If you are interested in learning more about this study, please contact: *Yang Zhang, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, or Sharon Miller, Research Assistant, Department of Speech-Language-Hearing Sciences*

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Participation in this study is entirely voluntary. Thank you very much for your interest.