2020 ANCDS Student Fellowship Winners
Anne Billot

• Boston University
• Doctoral student

Areas of interest
• Neurobiology of language function and language recovery
• Brain connectivity
• Cognitive/language rehabilitation and neuroplasticity after a brain injury
Julia Borsatto

- University of Windsor
- Ph.D. Candidate
- Areas of Interest
  - Pediatric Neuropsychology
  - Creation of Aphasia Friendly Environments
  - Program evaluation
Robert Cavanaugh

• University of Pittsburgh
• Doctoral student
• Areas of Interest
  • Aphasia treatment specification
  • Aphasia outcomes
  • Implementation science
  • Quantitative methods
Kaila Cote

- University of New Hampshire
- Master's student
- Areas of interest
  - Aphasia and language
  - Implicit learning
Qiana Dennard

• Portland State University
• Master’s student
• Areas of interest
  • Swallowing disorders
  • Voice disorders
  • Progressive and acute neurological communication disorders
• Access to services
• Quality of life
• Tracheostomy and ventilation dependency
Zoe Ezzes

• Vanderbilt University
• Master’s student
• Areas of interest
  • Aphasia
  • Cognitive neuroscience
  • Language neuroscience
Sigfus Kristinsson

- University of South Carolina
- Doctoral Student
- Research interests
  - Neurogenic communication disorders
  - Aphasia
  - Apraxia of speech
Emily Morrow

- Vanderbilt University
- Ph.D. Candidate
- Areas of interest
  - Traumatic brain injury
  - Rehabilitation
  - Memory and learning
Hannah Rowe

• MGH Institute of Health Professions
• Doctoral Student
• Areas of interest
  • Developing quantitative measures of speech motor control
  • Improving diagnostic assessment and management of speech motor disorders in neurologic populations
  • Investigating neurological underpinnings of speech motor control
Darbi Ruff

• Indiana University – Bloomington
• Master’s Student
• Areas of Interests
  • Caregiver Social Networks
  • Role of Caregivers in Acquired Communication Disorders
Stacey Sangtian

- University of South Carolina
- Doctoral Student
- Areas of interest
  - Speech motor control
  - Electrophysiology
Brenna Scadden

• Brigham Young University
• Master’s student
• Areas of interest
  • Functional therapy for neurogenic disorders
  • Effective interdisciplinary practice
Saryu Sharma

- East Carolina University
- Ph.D. Candidate
- Areas of interest
  - Studying discourse comprehension and production abilities in persons with aphasia using eye tracking
Reva Zimmerman

- University of Washington
- Doctoral Student
- Areas of Interest
  - Aphasia
  - Treatment Outcomes
  - Social Determinants of Health
  - Multiculturalism in CSD