

Re: Ideas for M.A. thesis in Cognitive Science

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My guess is that most people who would have what this person asked for, that is, a really good MA thesis etc, would likely keep it to themselves, as they'd probably want to do it.

The other reason no one likely answered is the only likely non-'No' answer consists of ridicule for even asking the original answer... so people choose to remain silent.

Derrek

"Terry Nycum" <tjnycum@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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- > I'm just an undergraduate, but seeing as no one else has responded, maybe
- > what little I can offer would be better than nothing. I can't see much
- > overlap between those fields at the level of theory. The only thing that
- > comes to mind for CS/Phil would be something like number theory or logic.
- > For CS/CogPsych I could only suggest AI. Or maybe you aren't thinking of
- > theory at all, but instead of developing software for modeling something
- in
- > Phil or CogPsych? I'm sure there are endless possibilities for that (i.e.
- > logic proof-writing/editing/solving environment, modeler of
- decision-making,
- > etc). Hope I was somehow helpful!
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- > Terry
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- > "Emre Sevinc" <emres@xxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
- > <news:87mzm52nun.fsf@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx>
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- >> After taking tons of linguistics, AI, pyschology, cognitive psychology,
- >> and philosophy courses, now I'm in the position of
- >> starting to write a master thesis.
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- >> However I still couldn't make up my mind on what to
- >> study exactly. I wish to do something in the intersection
- >> of comp. sci./philosophy or comp.sci./cognitive psychology.
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- >> I'd appreciate if people would provide some interesting
- >> ideas/topics suitable for master thesis research. The more

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>> specific the better. I also work as a professional programmer
>> so I intend to do some kind of study in which using
>> computers can be beneficial to understand some aspects
>> of cognitive science. (HCI is one of those fields however
>> as I said before, be it HCI or some other field I need
>> to find some specific topic/question to start).
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>> Maybe someone can help in some way.
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>> Thanks in advance.
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>> Emre Sevinc
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>> <http://www.bilgi.edu.tr> <http://fazlamesai.net>
>> Cognitive Science Student <http://cazci.com>
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