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Postdoc opening in perceptual/cognitive neuroscience - University College Dublin

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Dr. Kelly's electrophysiology/psychophysics lab is situated within the School of Electrical and Electronic Engineering in University College Dublin, Ireland, and has strong collaborative links to cognitive and clinical neuroscience research groups both locally (e.g. Trinity College Institute of Neuroscience) and internationally (e.g. City College and Columbia University in New York). The successful applicant will have ample opportunities for wider collaborations and the learning of new skills.

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Interested candidates should submit a brief research statement and CV including publications through the UCD job vacancies site (<http://www.ucd.ie/hr/jobvacancies/> - search for keyword 'kelly', or job ref 008870). Informal enquiries can be directed to Simon (simon.kelly@ucd.edu). Candidates should explain in their statement how their own research interests fit with those of the Kelly lab. The deadline for submitting applications is Jan 8th 2017, and shortlisting and interviews will take place shortly after that.

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