



Summer Research Program 2026 – Projects

Project #2

Title: Validating the short version of Arabic eye tracking stimuli for early screening and diagnosis of Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) in Qatar

Description: The primary objective of our current research is to establish an objective metric for assessing Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) symptom levels through eye gaze tracking, utilizing stimuli created in Arabic and English. Our goal is to formulate an "autism risk index" (ARI) by gauging participants' attention to social and nonsocial stimuli. Our proposal centers on validating the autism risk index as a reliable measure of ASD screening and diagnosis.

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