

February 24, 2012

To: Sisi Pan  
Carolyn Gallant

Dear Sisi & Carolyn :

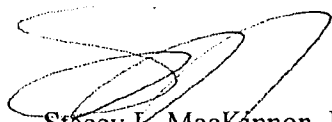
***RE: Melody Perception: The relation between 2-note and 3-note performance.***

Your research proposal has now been reviewed by the Department of Psychology Research Ethics Committee. There are several issues that need to be addressed before approval is granted:

1. The participant information letter:
  - a. is missing a section on the rationale for the study, aims of the project, benefits and procedure that the participant will experience. Please delete the italicized instructions and replace them with the details pertaining to this study.
  - b. please remove the sentence "IF PAYMENT OR COMPENSATION FOR PARTICIPATION IS PROVIDED" as it is simply an instruction for completing the form.
  - c. Please change the contact information for the Research Ethics Committee at the bottom of the letter to Dr. Stacey L. MacKinnon, Chair of the Ethics Committee, Department of Psychology, telephone (902) 566-0402, email: [smackinnon@upei.ca](mailto:smackinnon@upei.ca)
2. In the consent form, please remove the term "Acting" from the fifth paragraph as it pertains to Dr. MacKinnon being the Chair.

Please send an electronic response to these items and your revised proposal to me ([smackinnon@upei.ca](mailto:smackinnon@upei.ca)) at your earliest convenience. Please respond to each item in an e-mail message and use highlighting to indicate any revised text of your proposal. Also, please include the date on any revised information on the documentation.

Sincerely,



Stacey L. MacKinnon, Ph.D.  
Associate Professor of Psychology,  
Chair, Department of Psychology Research Ethics Committee.

Cc: Dr. Annabel Cohen, course instructor