# LENA **KREMIN**

lenavkrem@gmail.com · (616) 334-6035 · linkedin.com/in/lena-kremin

### **EXPERIENCE**

### **2022 - PRESENT**

## **UX RESEARCHER**, USERZOOM (now part of UserTesting)

- Conduct end-to-end, agile studies, identifying pain points to improve product usability for businesses in the tech, communications, finance, and health sectors
- Decipher research results for cross-functional teams, translating quantitative and qualitative data into actionable insights and narratives
- Be a strategic partner for clients, helping them identifying high priority research topics from business objectives and develop a long-term research roadmap

### 2018 - 2022

### DOCTORAL RESEARCHER. CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY

- Designed 5 independent, overlapping end-to-end research studies, prioritizing project demands while driving insights forward
- Analyzed and visualized data on user responses for 4 projects, interpreting and contextualizing research results
- Published 3 articles in international journals and presented at 9 conferences, disseminating research findings among a multi-disciplinary audience

#### 2020 - 2021

## COURSE INSTRUCTOR, CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY

- Collaborated with 3 instructors and 2 teaching assistants across academic ranks, negotiating expectations and delegating tasks
- Adapted course content, teaching 75 students from various backgrounds about research methods (student rating on clarity of communication: 4.3/5)
- Pivoted to virtual teaching during the pandemic, maintaining efficient and quality instruction (student rating on being an overall effective teacher: 4.75/5)

### **SKILLS**

### RESEARCH METHODS

- Eye tracking
- Interviews
- Surveys
- Usability studies
- A/B testing

### STATISTICS

- Descriptive and inferential statistics
- Linear and logistic mixed modeling
  - Pupillometry

### **SOFTWARE & PROGRAMMING**

- R
- SPSS
- SQL
- UserTesting
- UserZoom

## **EDUCATION**

**2022 PhD in Psychology,** Concordia University

**2017 MA in Linguistics**, Utrecht University

**2015 BA in Psychology & Linguistics,** University of Michigan