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Educational and Employment History:

2015-Present	Business Owner Red Scientific Inc.
2024	Research Scientists MEA Forensic
2011-2020	Associate Research Professor University of Utah
2011-2015	Business Owner Precision Driving Research
2010-2011	Assistant Research Scientist Texas Transportation Institute
2010	Ph.D., University of Utah Major: Cognitive Psychology
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Dr. Joel Cooper is an expert in Human Factors and Cognitive Psychology, specializing in the application of behavioral science and data analytics to enhance safety and human—system performance. He brings extensive experience in experimental design, quantitative analysis, and human—machine interaction, with a focus on optimizing attention and decision-making in complex environments.

As the Founder of Red Scientific, Dr. Cooper has led research and consulting initiatives advancing driver attention assessment and the practical use of ISO-standardized methods such as the Detection Response Task (ISO 17488) and Visual Occlusion Technique (ISO 16673). His work integrates rigorous cognitive theory with applied system design to improve safety outcomes and inform evidence-based policy and forensic evaluation.

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The Human Factors and Ergonomics Society, Transportation Research Board, American Society of Safety Engineers, Institute of Transportation Engineers, Society for Chaos Theory in Psychology and the Life Sciences

Research Support

\$100,000.00 - Consultation on the Distractibility of In-Vehicle Information Systems with the University of Newcastle and the ABMARC testing facility. - AAA Australia ACN 008 526 369

\$45,454.00 - Analysis of Detection Response Task (DRT), Testing Data and Update of Visual Occlusion Test (VOG) Information – Q44359 VicRoads Australia

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\$668,748,00 – Workload in Level-2 Partially Automated Vehicles. AAAFTS 2020-2022

\$3,864,000 -- The Establishment of a Comprehensive Program to Evaluate Cognitive, Visual, and Manual Workload in New Vehicles. AAAFTS 2016-2018

\$689,500 – Measuring Cognitive Distraction in the Vehicle. AAAFTS 2014-2015

\$245,629 – Examining speech-based interactions with in-vehicle technology. AAAFTS 2013-2014.

\$187,280 - Reducing Roadway departure crashes at horizontal curve sections on two-lane rural highways. Funded by the Federal Highways Administration (FHWA), 2012-2014.

\$123,028 – HFCV Mobile device vehicle integration assessment. National Highway Safety Transportation Administration (NHTSA). 2012-2013.

\$20,000 – Crash warning interface metrics (CWIM) – phase 3. Subcontract to Westat consulting. Funded by the National Highway Safety Administration (NHTSA). 2012-2013.

\$522,916 – Measuring Cognitive Distraction In the Vehicle. AAAFTS 2011-2012.

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\$60,000 – Applications of Dynamical Systems Theory to Evaluating Cost Overruns. National Aeronautical and Space Administration (NASA), 2011-2012.

\$120,000 – Test Procedures for Evaluating Distraction Potential in CV systems, Phase II. Funded by the National Highway Safety Transportation Administration (NHTSA). 2011-2012.

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