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recognition memory tasks. I am an Associate Editor for Neuroscience and Biobehavioral Reviews, have experience sitting on several UK funding panels, and have served as Director of Research for the Department of Psychology at Durham University. I have been an active member of EBBS for 15 years, including chairing symposia and leading satellite workshops at the society's meetings. I recently completed a term as an ordinary member of the committee (2016-2019), working to support the meetings in Bilbao and Prague as well as the day-to-day activities of the society. I am keen to continue to support the society and play an active part in its future.