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Dr. David Strayer is a professor of Psychology at the University of Utah in Salt Lake City, Utah. He received his Ph.D. from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign in 1989. Dr. Strayer's research focuses on attention and performance in real-world settings, such as driving, medicine, and aviation. His research interests include skill acquisition and skilled performance, mathematical modeling of human performance, age-related differences in information processing and cognitive psychophysiology, areas in which he has published extensively.

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