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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

starting October 2022

- Professor, Faculty of Psychological Sciences (PSY), Psychological Sciences Research Institute (IPSY), UCLouvain, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

2017-2022 • Associate Professor, Faculty of Psychological Sciences (PSY), Psychological Sciences Research Institute (IPSY), UCLouvain, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

starting May 2021

- Visiting Professor, Department of Public Health within the College of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

2014-2017 • Assistant Professor, Faculty of Psychological Sciences (PSY), Psychological Sciences Research Institute (IPSY), UCLouvain, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium

starting September 2014

- Visiting Scientist, Psychology Department, Brandeis University, Waltham, MA, USA

2010 - 2014 • Assistant Director and Project Manager - Lifespan Developmental Psychology Laboratory, Brandeis University, Waltham, MA
• Affiliate Member - Health Psychology Laboratory, Director: Dr. Nicolas Rohleder, Brandeis University, Waltham, MA

2008 - 2010 • Postdoctoral Fellow - Lifespan Developmental Psychology Lab
Brandeis University, Waltham, MA
Advisor: Dr. Margie E. Lachman (Ph.D., Minnie & Harold L. Fierman Professor of Psychology and Director of Lifespan Developmental Psychology Laboratory)

EDUCATION

2003 - 2007 • Ph.D. in Psychology, Savoie Mont Blanc University, Chambéry, France
Dissertation: *Memory Self-efficacy Decrease in Elderly People: Theoretical Review and Study of its Relations with Cognitive, Affective, and Socio-cognitive Factors*
Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Olivier Desrichard (Ph.D., Professor of Psychology)
Dissertation Committee: Dr. Daniel Alaphilippe (François Rabelais University), Dr. Nathalie Fournet (Savoie Mont Blanc University), Dr. Delphine Martinot (Blaise Pascal University), Dr. Rasyid Bo Sanitioso (Paris V University), Dr. Dario Spini (Lausanne University)

2003 • Research Master's Degree in Experimental, Cognitive, and Social Psychology, Savoie Mont Blanc University, France

2002 • Bachelor's Degree in Psychology, Savoie Mont Blanc University, France

PUBLICATIONS

Saroglou, V., Agrigoroaei, S., Giorgio, A., & Fraselle, A. (2025). Do Benevolent and Hostile Expressions of Ageism Really Differ? The Underlying Role of Social Attitudes,

- Personality, Values, Emotions, and Beliefs, *Journal of Community & Applied Social Psychology* 35 (5), e70169, <https://doi.org/10.1002/casp.70169>
- D'hondt, S., Agrigoroaei, S., Aujoulat, I., & Degryse, J-M., (2025). Factors related to benevolent and hostile ageism among paramedical students, *Gerontology & Geriatrics Education*, DOI: 10.1080/02701960.2024.2447075
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- Verreckt E., Grimm E., Agrigoroaei S., de Saint Hubert M., Philippot P., Cremer. G. & Schoevaerds, D. (2022). Investigating the relationship between specific executive functions and functional decline among community-dwelling older adults: results from a prospective pilot study, *BMC Geriatrics*, 22, 976. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12877-022-03559-6>
- Terry, J., Ross, R. M., Nagy, T., Salgado, M., Garrido-Vásquez, P., Sarfo, J. O,... Agrigoroaei S., ... Field, A. P., (2022). Data from an International Multi-Centre Study of Statistics and Mathematics Anxieties and Related Variables in University Students (the SMARVUS Dataset). <https://doi.org/10.31234/osf.io/au9vp>
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- Agrigoroaei, S. & Grimm, E. (2021). Genre et vieillissement. In: Yzerbyt, V., Roskam, I., Casini, A. (Eds.), *Les psychologies du genre: Regards croisés sur le développement, la santé mentale et la société*, pp. 115–132. Editions Mardaga.
- Grimm, E., Agrigoroaei, S., Rohleder, N., & Becker, L. (2021). Executive Functioning as a Predictor of Physiological and Subjective Acute Stress Responses in Non-Clinical Adult Populations: A Systematic Literature Review and Meta-Analysis. *Neuroscience & Biobehavioral Reviews*, PMID: 34562543 DOI: 10.1016/j.neubiorev.2021.09.037
- Belleville, S., Cuesta, M., Bieler-Aeschlimann, M., Giacomino, K., Widmer A., Mittaz Hager, A.-G., Daniel Perez-Marcos, D., Cardin, S., Boller, B., Bier, N., Aubertin-Leheudre, M., Bherer, L., Berryman, N., Agrigoroaei, S., & Demonet, J-F. (2020). Rationale and protocol of the StayFitLonger study: a multicentre trial to measure efficacy and adherence of a home-based computerised multidomain intervention in healthy older adults, *BMC Geriatrics*, DOI: 10.1186/s12877-020-01709-2
- Sibille, F.-X., Verreckt, E., Philippot, P., Agrigoroaei, S., Gobiet, P., Mees, L., Masse, M., & Schoevaerds, D. (2020). Clinique de la dépression chez la personne âgée. In: *Louvain médical*, Vol. 138, no. 10, p.585-590, <http://hdl.handle.net/2078.1/225039>
- Rickenbach, E. H., Agrigoroaei, S., Hughes, M. L., & Lachman, M. E. (2019). Control Beliefs and Susceptibility to the Promises of Memory Improvement, *Applied Cognitive Psychology*, Advance online publication, DOI: 10.1002/acp.3544
- Desmette, D., Henry, H., & Agrigoroaei, S. (2019). Ageing in context: ageism in action. In Kieran O'Doherty, & Darrin Hodgetts (Eds.), *The SAGE Handbook of Applied Social Psychology* (p. 323-346). London: Sage Publications.
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- Hughes, M. L., Agrigoroaei, S., Jeon, M., Bruzzese, M., & Lachman, M. E. (2018). Change in cognitive performance from midlife into old age: Findings from the Midlife in the

- United States (MIDUS) Study. *Journal of the International Neuropsychological Society*, 24, 805-820. DOI: 10.1017/S1355617718000425, PMCID: PMC6170692
- Drewelies, J., Agrigoroaei, S., Lachman, M.E., & Gerstorf, D. (2018) Age Variations in Cohort Differences in the United States: Older Adults Report Fewer Constraints Nowadays than those 18 years ago, but Mastery Beliefs are Diminished among Younger Adults. *Developmental Psychology*, 54, 1408-1425, DOI: 10.1037/dev0000527
- Desrichard, O., Vallet, F., Agrigoroaei, S., Fagot D., & Spini, D. (2018) Frailty in aging and its influence on perceived stress exposure and stress-related symptoms: evidence from the Swiss Vivre/Leben/ Vivere study, *European Journal of Ageing*, DOI:10.1007/s10433-017-0451-2
- Agrigoroaei, S., Attardo, A. L., & Lachman, M. E. (2016). Stress and subjective age: Those with greater financial stress look older. *Research on Aging*, 39, 1075-1099, DOI:10.1177/0164027516658502
- Philippot, P., & Agrigoroaei, S. (2016). Repetitive thinking, executive functioning, and depressive mood in the elderly. *Aging & Mental Health*, 21, 1192-1196, DOI:10.1080/13607863.2016.1211619
- Lyu, J., & Agrigoroaei, S. (2016). Childhood misfortune and adult health in a national study: The mediational role of the quality of social relations. *The International Journal of Aging and Human Development*, Advance online publication. DOI:10.1177/0091415016669147
- Vallet, F., Agrigoroaei, S., Beaudoin, M., Fournet, N., Paignon, A., Roulin, J.-L., & Desrichard, O. (2015). Older adults' beliefs about forgetting and aging predict memory self-efficacy above and beyond actual memory performance and mental health. *European Review of Social Psychology*, 28, 57-79.
- Rickenbach Hahn, E., Agrigoroaei, S. & Lachman, M.E. (2015). Awareness of Memory Ability and Change: (In)Accuracy of Memory Self-Assessments in Relation to Performance, *Journal of Population Ageing*, 8, 71-99, DOI: 10.1007/s12062-014-9108-5
- Lachman, M. E., Teshale, S., & Agrigoroaei, S. (2015). Midlife as a Pivotal Period in the Life Course: Balancing Growth and Decline at the Crossroads of Youth and Old Age, *International Journal of Behavioral Development*, 39, 20-31, DOI:10.1177/0165025414533223
- Agrigoroaei, S. (2015). Physical Health and Social Class. *The Encyclopedia of Adulthood and Aging* (Editor: Susan Krauss Whitbourne)
- Lachman, M.E., Agrigoroaei, S., & Hahn, E.A. (2015). Making Sense of Control: Change and Consequences, in *Emerging Trends in the Social and Behavioral Sciences*, eds. Robert Scott and Stephen Kosslyn, Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley and Sons
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- Lachman, M.E., Agrigoroaei, S., Tun, P., & Weaver, S.L. (2014). Monitoring Cognitive Functioning: Psychometric Properties of the Brief Test of Adult Cognition by Telephone (BTACT), *Assessment*. 21, 404-417, DOI:10.1177/1073191113508807
- Zebrowitz, L., Franklin, R., Jr., Boshyan, J., Luevano, V., Agrigoroaei, S., Milosavljevic, B. Lachman, M. E. (2014). Older and Younger Adults' Accuracy in Discerning Health and Competence in Older and Younger Faces, *Psychology and Aging*, 29, 454-468, DOI: 10.1037/a0036255
- Agrigoroaei, S., Neupert, S.D. & Lachman, M.E. (2013) Maintaining a Sense of Control in the Context of Cognitive Challenge: Greater Stability in Control Beliefs Benefits Working Memory, *The Journal of Gerontopsychology and Geriatric Psychiatry*, 26, 49-59, DOI: 10.1024/1662-9647/a000078
- Agrigoroaei, S., Polito, M., Lee, A., Kranz-Graham, E., Seeman, T., & Lachman, M.E. (2013) Cortisol Response to Challenge Involving Low Controllability: The Role of Control Beliefs and Age, *Biological Psychology*, 93, 138-142, DOI: 10.1016/j.biopsycho.2013.01.003

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- Lachman, M.E., & Agrigoroaei, S. (2012). Low Perceived Control as a Risk Factor for Episodic Memory: The Mediation Role of Anxiety and Task Interference. *Memory & Cognition*, 40, 287-296, DOI: 10.3758/s13421-011-0140-x.
- Agrigoroaei, S., & Lachman, M.E. (2011). Cognitive Functioning in Midlife and Old Age: Combined Effects of Psychosocial and Behavioral Factors. *The Journals of Gerontology, Series B: Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences*, 66B(S1), i130–i140, DOI: 10.1093/geronb/gbr017
- Lachman, M.E., Neupert, S.D., & Agrigoroaei, S. (2011). The Relevance of Control Beliefs for Health and Aging. In K. W. Schaie & S. L. Willis (Eds.), *Handbook of the Psychology of Aging* (7th edition).
- Agrigoroaei, S., & Lachman, M. E. (2010). Personal Control and Aging: How Beliefs and Expectations Matter. In J. C. Cavanaugh & C. K. Cavanaugh (Eds.), *Aging in America: Psychological Aspects* (Vol. 1, pp. 177-201). Santa Barbara, CA: Praeger Perspectives.
- Lachman, M.E., Agrigoroaei, S., Murphy, C., & Tun, P. (2010). Frequent Cognitive Activity Compensates for Education Differences in Episodic Memory. *The American Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry*, 18, 4-10, DOI: 10.1097/JGP.0b013e3181ab8b62
- Lachman, M.E., & Agrigoroaei, S. (2010). Promoting Functional Health in Midlife and Old Age: Long-term Protective Effects of Control Beliefs, Social Support, and Physical Exercise. *PlosOne* 5(10): e13297. DOI:10.1371/journal.pone.0013297.
- Lachman, M.E., & Agrigoroaei, S. (2010). Optimizing Health: A Lifespan Approach. In P. Rothstein & D.D. Schull (Eds.), *Boomers and Beyond: Reconsidering the Role of Libraries*. Chicago, IL: American Library Association.
- Beaudoin M., Agrigoroaei S., Desrichard O., Fournet, N., & Roulin, J.L. (2008). Validation of the French Version of the Memory Self-efficacy Questionnaire. *European Review of Applied Psychology*, 58, 165-176, DOI:10.1016/j.erap.2007.09.001

PRESENTATIONS

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| 2025 | • Agrigoroaei, S.- Theoretical and practical perspectives in gerontopsychology (Symposium Discussant) – National Conference - Romanian Association of Psychologists Chisinau, June 6-8. |
| 2024 | • Agrigoroaei, S.- Bias in Neuropsychological Assessments - National Conference on Gerontopsychology, Bucharest, November 2-3. |
| 2024 | • Agrigoroaei, S. & Berceanu D. - Perceived Discrimination and Health-related Outcomes: Evidence from MIDUS. Oral presentation at the Midlife in the United States Study (MIDUS) meeting in Madison, WI, May 29-30. |
| 2023 | • Agrigoroaei, S.- Psychosocial Pathways to Healthy Aging: The Contribution of Perceived Control - National Conference on Gerontopsychology, Bucharest, November 28-29. |
| 2023 | • Agrigoroaei, S. & Berceanu D. - Declines in Control Beliefs Over Time: The Role of Perceived Discrimination and Inequality, Poster to be presented at the Gerontological Society of America's Annual Scientific Meeting, Tampa, FL, November 8-12. |
| 2023 | • Agrigoroaei, S. - Psychosocial Predictors of Physical (Pre-) Frailty. Oral presentation at the Midlife in the United States Study (MIDUS) meeting in Madison, WI, May 23-24. |
| 2021 | • Grimm, E. & Agrigoroaei, S. - Affective Cognitive Flexibility predicts Student Examination Stress. Poster presented at the 35 th Annual Conference of the European Health Psychology Society, August 23-27 (Best Poster Award « Outstanding poster presented at the EHPS 2021 Conference » by European Health Psychology Society) |
| 2021 | • Grimm, E., Verreckt, E., Agrigoroaei, S., de Saint Hubert, M., Philippot, P., Cremer, G. & Schoevaerdt, D. - Specific executive functions predict 6-month |

- functional decline in non-institutionalized older adults. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Belgian Association of Psychological Sciences, May 27-28.
- 2021 • Francia, L., Agrigoroaei, S., Grimm, E. & Van den Broucke S. - A Validation Study of the Spanish Short Version of the European Health Literacy Survey Questionnaire. Poster presented at the Annual Meeting of the Belgian Association of Psychological Sciences, May, 27-28.
- 2020 • Grimm, E. & Agrigoroaei, S. - Cortisol responses to a laboratory challenge: The moderating role of cognitive performance. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's Annual Scientific Meeting, November, 4-7.
- 2019 • Agrigoroaei, S. Meet the challenge of health literacy in older adults. Oral presentation during the symposium organized by Stephan Van Den Broucke, at the Conference "Promoting Healthy Aging: Interdisciplinary Perspectives", Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium, May 21st
- 2019 • Grimm E. & Agrigoroaei, S. Executive Functioning attenuates Anticipatory Cortisol Response to an Upcoming Cognitive Challenge. Poster presented at the Belgian Association for Psychological Sciences Annual Meeting, Liège, Belgium, May 14-15.
- 2019 • Grimm E. & Agrigoroaei, S. Psychosocial, Cognitive, and Health-related Predictors of Dementia Worry in Middle-aged and Older Adults. Poster presented at the 5th International Conference Aging & Cognition, Zürich, Switzerland, April 24-26.
- 2019 • Falys C., Agrigoroaei, S. & Dury S. Psychosocial Predictors of Physical Pre-frailty and Frailty in a National Study. Poster presented at the 22nd Journées d'Automne of the Belgian Society for Gerontology and Geriatrics, Liège, Belgium, October 17-18.
- 2018 • Agrigoroaei, S. Bien Vieillir : Santé et Vieillesse : Le Rôle des Croyances de Contrôle. Conférence Grand Public organisée par l'IPSY, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium, December 4.
- 2018 • Agrigoroaei, S. Subjective age as an antecedent of health behaviors and control beliefs: Evidence from the MIDUS national study. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's Annual Scientific Meeting, Boston, MA, November 14-18.
- 2018 • Drewelies, J., Agrigoroaei, S., Lachman, M.E., & Gerstorf, D. Age variations in cohort differences in perceived mastery and constraints (Symposium: A new old age? Cohort differences in older adults' psychosocial functioning) oral presentation at the Gerontological Society of America's Annual Scientific Meeting, Boston, MA, November 14-18.
- 2018 • Grimm, E. & Agrigoroaei, S. The interactive role of executive functioning and physical exercise on allostatic load biomarkers in younger, middle-aged, and older adults. Poster presented at the conference Journées d'Etude du Vieillesse, Chambéry, France, March 5-6.
- 2018 • Agrigoroaei, S. The Relevance of Personal Beliefs for Healthy Aging and Social Engagement, Oral presentation at the conference Fostering Active & Healthy Aging: Harnessing the Demographic Transition in the EU, Brussels, January 18.
- 2017 • Agrigoroaei, S. Le Rôle des Croyances de Contrôle dans la Santé au cours du Vieillesse, Keynote speaker – 20^{èmes} Journées d'automne de la SBGG (BSGG- Belgian Society for Gerontology and Geriatrics), Liège, October, 20-21.
- 2017 • Agrigoroaei, S., Hughes, M., Drewelies, J., Gerstorf, D. & Lachman, M.E. Understanding cohort differences in cognitive functioning: Evidence from the MIDUS National Study, poster presentation at the XXIst IAGG World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics, San Francisco, July 23-27.
- 2017 • Bellière, F., & Agrigoroaei, S. Stress anticipatoire lié à une évaluation cognitive : Le rôle des ressources cognitives et de l'âge. Poster presentation at 1^{ère} Journée Scientifique des Jeunes Chercheurs du Centre de Recherches sur la

- Cognition et l'Apprentissage. Poitiers, June 8th and at Psychological Sciences Research Institute (IPSY) Day. Louvain-la-Neuve, May 23rd
- 2017 • Agrigoroaei, S., Drewelies, J., Gerstorf, D. & Lachman, M.E. Understanding cohort differences in cognitive functioning, Oral presentation at the MIDUS meeting in Madison, WI, May 10-11.
- 2017 • Verreckt E, Agrigoroaei S, de Saint-Hubert M, Schoevaerds D. Certaines fonctions exécutives prédisent-elles et peuvent-elles être considérées comme facteurs de fragilité chez la personne âgée de plus de 75 ans vivant au domicile? – 20èmes Journées d'automne de la SBBG (BSGG- Belgian Society for Gerontology and Geriatrics), Liège, October, 20-21.
- 2017 • Verreckt E, Agrigoroaei S, de Saint Hubert M, Schoevaerds D. Which Specific Executive Functions are Predictors of Functional Decline in Community-Dwelling Older Adults? Poster presentation at the 13th International Congress of the European Union Geriatric Medicine Society Annual Congress (EUGMS), Nice, September 20 - 22
- 2017 • Becker, L., Agrigoroaei, S., Thoma, M.V., Hanlin, L., Gianferante, D., Chen, X., & Rohleder, N. Executive control moderates the relationship between physical activity and chronic stress, poster presentation at the American Psychosomatic Society 75th Annual Scientific Meeting, Sevilla, Spain, March 15-18.
- 2016 • Vallet, F., Desrichard, O., Agrigoroaei, S., Fagot, D., & Spini, D. *La fragilité dans le vieillissement et son influence sur la gestion du stress*. Oral presentation (Symposium : *Approche psychosociale de la vulnérabilité*) at the Congrès International de Psychologie Sociale en langue française, Geneva, June 29- July 1st.
- 2015 • Agrigoroaei, S., Rickenbach Hahn, E., & Lachman, M.E. *Regional Differences in Cognitive Performance: Evidence from U.S. Health and Retirement Study (Symposium: Contextual Effects on Well-Being and Cognition from Mid to Late Life)*. Oral presentation at the Gerontological Society of America's 68th Annual Scientific Meeting, Orlando, FL, November 18-22.
- 2014 • Rickenbach Hahn, E., Agrigoroaei, S., & Lachman, M.E. *Daily Demands Interfere with Cognition: Some Days are Better than Others*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 67th Annual Scientific Meeting, Washington, DC, November 5-9.
- 2014 • Agrigoroaei, S., Hahn, E. A., Robinson, S., & Lachman, M.E. *Daily Control is Good for your Memory: Evidence from the Daily Experiences and Memory Study*. Poster presented at the Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA, April 3-6.
- 2014 • Hahn, E. A., Agrigoroaei, S., Palow, C., & Lachman, M.E. *Physical Activity Buffers the Effects of Daily Stress on Daily Executive Functioning*. Poster presented at the Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA, April 3-6.
- 2014 • Price, J., Agrigoroaei, S., Polito, M., Hanlin, L., Gianferante, D., Thoma, M.V., Rohleder, N., *Better Cognitive Abilities Predict Stronger Habituation of Cortisol Responses to Repeated Acute Stress*, Poster presented at the 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Psychosomatic Society, San Francisco, CA, March 12-15.
- 2014 • Tassone, D., Hahn, E. A., Agrigoroaei, S., & Lachman, M.E. *How we talk affects how we feel: Comparing methods of communication across the life-span*. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, TX, February 13-15.
- 2013 • Agrigoroaei, S., Neupert, S.D., & Lachman, M.E. *Control Beliefs and Working Memory Performance Travel Together: Evidence from a Short-term Repeated Measures Study*. Oral presentation (Symposium: The interplay between psychosocial resources and cognitive, mental, and physical health in adulthood and old age) at the Gerontological Society of America's 66th Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA, November 20-24.

- 2012 • Agrigoroaei, S. & Lachman, M.E. *Stress Less and Remember More: Anxiety Gets Under the Skull*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 65th Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA, November 14-18.
- 2012 • Agrigoroaei, S., Lee, A. & Lachman, M.E. *Looking as Young as You Feel: Financial Stress Can Make You Look and Feel Older*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 65th Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA, November 14-18.
- 2012 • Lyu, J. & Agrigoroaei, S. *Childhood Disadvantage and Cognitive Functioning: The Meditational Role of Psychosocial and Behavioral Lifestyle Factors*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 65th Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA, November 14-18.
- 2012 • Yang, M.S., Agrigoroaei, S., Huffman-Oh, P., & Dugan, E. *The Association between Racial Preference and Cognitive Performance in Mid and Late Life*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 65th Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA, November 14-18.
- 2012 • Coyle, C.E. & Agrigoroaei, S. *Social Relationships with Family, Friends, and Spouse: Which are Associated with Cognitive Performance?* Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 65th Annual Scientific Meeting, San Diego, CA, November 14-18.
- 2012 • Agrigoroaei, S. & Lachman, M.E. *Intraindividual Variability in Memory Control Beliefs: Risk and Resilience in the Face of Challenging Cognitive Tasks*. Poster presented at the Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA, April 19-22.
- 2012 • Lachman, M.E., Agrigoroaei, S., Tun P.A., Weaver, S.L. *Cognition and Health in Midlife: Findings from the National Study of Midlife in the United States (MIDUS) with the Brief Test of Adult Cognition by Telephone (BTACT)*. Poster presented at the Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA, April 19-22.
- 2011 • Lachman, M.E. & Agrigoroaei, S. *What Makes Us Happy, Healthy, and Wise? Findings from the National Study of Midlife in the United States (MIDUS)*. Oral presentation at the Society for the Study of Human Development (SSHD) Biennial Meeting, Providence, RI, October 28-30.
- 2011 • Agrigoroaei, S. & Lachman, M.E. *Low Control Beliefs as a Risk Factor for Memory: Anxiety and Cognitive Interference as Mediators*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's 64th Annual Scientific Meeting, Boston, MA, November 18-22.
- 2011 • Agrigoroaei, S., Polito, M.J., Lee, A., Kranz-Graham, E., Mehler, B, Seeman, T., & Lachman, M.E. *Driven to Distraction: Effects of a Driving Challenge on Control Beliefs, Physiological Reactivity, Attention, and Memory in Younger and Older Adults*. Poster presented at the 119th Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association, Washington, DC, August 4-7.
- 2011 • Agrigoroaei, S., Polito, M.J., & Lachman, M.E. *Individual Differences in Stress Reactivity: The Role of Personality*, Poster presented at the 12th Annual Meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Antonio, TX, January 27-29.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Independent Teaching Experience

- since 2014 • Lecturer/Professor - Université catholique de Louvain (UCL), Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium
- *Psychology of Aging, Health Psychology, Research Methods*
- 2012 • Lecturer - University of Massachusetts Boston, Department of Gerontology, Boston, MA
- *Cognitive Aging*
- 2010 • Lecturer - Brandeis University, Waltham, MA
- *Adult Development and Aging*
- 2005 - 2007 • Temporary University Lecturer and Researcher (Attaché Temporaire d'Enseignement et de Recherche - ATER) - Savoie Mont Blanc University, Chambéry, France

- *Research Methods*
- *Multivariate Statistics*
- *Social Psychology*

2003 - 2005 • Pierre-Mendès-France University, Grenoble, France
 - *Multivariate Statistics*

Teaching Assistantships

2003 - 2005 • Research Methods – Savoie Mont Blanc University, Chambéry, France
 2003 - 2005 • Social Psychology - Savoie Mont Blanc University, Chambéry, France

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Louvain4Ageing Consortium (UCL) – Member of the Research Committee
- SBGG (Société Belge de Gérontologie et de Gériatrie)
- GSA (Gerontological Society of America)
- APA (American Psychological Association) & Division 20 (Adult Development and Aging)
- APS (Association for Psychological Science)
- SPSP (Society for Personality and Social Psychology)

REVIEWER

- Journal of Gerontology: Psychological Science
- Psychology and Aging
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