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Fields of experience

intellectual disability, healthy ageing, dementia, frailty, old age, psychological diagnostic, psychometrics, data science

Work experience

Experience as clinical and health psychologist

Working in a nursing home for the elderly
Working at CARITAS St.Pölten in living and working facilities for persons with ID

Experience as researcher in the following projects:

“Healthcare provision for persons with ID in the city of Vienna”. On behalf of the municipal department of health- and social planning (MA 24) of the city of Vienna.
National project „Posttraumatic stress disorder in an aging society - trauma caused by World War II and it's impact on psychological well-being“, funded by Zukunftsfonds Austria (2010-2011).
International project eDESDE-LTC (Electronic standard coding and mapping of services for long-term care), funded by the Executive Agency for Health and Consumers of the European Commission.
Leonardo da Vinci funded EU-project “CARERS” (Content mATERIALs to Raise Employability and Reinforce Skills of carers).
EU-project “POMONA II” (Health Indicators for People with Intellectual Disabilities), funded by the EU Health Monitoring Unit

Recent Publications

Zeilinger, E.L., Gärtner, C., Janicki, M.P., Esralew, L., & Weber, G. (2016). Practical applications of the NTG-EDSD for screening adults with intellectual disability for dementia: A German-language version feasibility study. *Journal of Intellectual & Developmental Disability*, 41, 42-49.

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Brehmer-Rinderer, B., **Zeilinger, E.L.**, Radaljevic, A., & Weber, G. (2013). The Vienna Frailty Questionnaire for persons with intellectual disabilities – revised. *Research in Developmental Disabilities*, 34, 1958-1965.

Zeilinger, E.L., Stiehl, K.A.M., & Weber, G. (2013). A systematic review on assessment instruments for dementia in persons with intellectual disabilities. *Research in Developmental Disabilities*, 34, 3962-3977.

Lueger-Schuster, B., Glück, T.M., Tran, U.S., & **Zeilinger, E.L.** (2012). Sexual violence by occupational forces during and after World War II: Influence of experiencing and witnessing of sexual violence on current mental health in a sample of elderly Austrians. *International Psychogeriatrics*, 24, 1354-1358