CURRICULUM VITAE

General information

Name	Martina Knežević
Research position	Research Associate
Research and teaching position	Assistant professor
Academic discipline	Social sciences
Scientific field	Psychology
Branch of science	Biological Psychology
Area(s) of research and interest	Biological Psychology, Developmental Cognitive Neuroscience, Neuropsychology, Qualitative methodology
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Research and teaching activities

Teaching activities

Catholic University of Croatia	2018 – present	Emotions Qualitative Methodology Mind, Brain and Education Neuropsychological Assessment of Children and Adults
Catholic University of Croatia	2018 – 2019	Emotions Qualitative Methodology Social Psychology I
Croatian Studies, University of Zagreb	2013 – 2018	Basis of Biological Psychology Behavioural Neurobiology Student Placement Practical Exercises in the Methodology of Teaching Psychology Educational Psychology
Croatian Studies, University of Zagreb	2007 – 2013	Basis of Biological Psychology Behavioural Neurobiology Practicum in Biological Psychology Developmental Neurobiology Neurobiology of Behavioural Disturbances and Psychiatric Disorders Basis of Cell Biology and Genetics

Research activities

Participation in scientific projects	2019 – 2021 Principal Investigator managing a three-year project entitled „Family dynamics, health and wellbeing of Croatian families in the light of war and postwar experiences“, funded by the Catholic University of Croatia.

	2017 – 2018 Research Associate on the project „Biopsychosocial predictors of the quality of life of elderly persons depending on housing"; funded by the University of Zagreb. 2016 – 2017 Fulbright Postdoctoral Scholar on the project „Effects of binge drinking on cognitive functions in young adults: A multimodal approach"; Psychology Department, Spatio-Temporal Brain Imaging Lab, Centre for Cognitive Neuroscience, San Diego State University, California, USA. 2016 – 2017 Research Associate on the project „Long-term and short-term predictors of sleep quality and life satisfaction of elderly persons"; funded by the University of Zagreb. 2014 – 2015 Research Associate on the project „Cognitive functions and sleep quality as predictors of life expectancy in elderly persons"; funded by the University of Zagreb. 2013 – 2014 Principal Investigator on the project „Social Cognition in Croatian Homeland War Veterans", funded by the Ministry of Veterans' Affairs of the Republic of Croatia and in collaboration with the Assembly of Associations of Croatian Guard units Veterans. 2011 – 2014 Principal Investigator on the project „Investigation of the Zagreb Zoo visitors' motivation and attitudes"; in collaboration with the Zagreb Zoo. 2010 – 2011 Visiting Researcher on the project „Cognitive development in late adolescence: neuropsychology and functional neuroimaging", Institute for Brain and learning, Faculty of Psychology and Education, VU University Amsterdam, NL 2009 – 2012 Research Assistant on the project: "Evolution naturalism and the problem of moral knowledge", funded by the Ministry of Science, Education and Sport of the Republic of Croatia. 2007 – 2012 Research Assistant on the project: "Migratory pathways of GABAergic neurons in monkey and human", funded by the Ministry of Science, Education and Sport of the Republic of Croatia.
Bibliography	Authored book(s): 2 Scientific paper(s) in journals: 9 Professional paper(s): 2
Detailed bibliography	http://bib.irb.hr/lista-radova?autor=291525
Participation in scientific and professional conference(s)	National conference(s): 4 International conference(s): 15
Scientific and professional specialization/training	2016 - 2017 Psychology Department, Spatio-Temporal Brain Imaging Lab, Centre for Cognitive Neuroscience, San Diego State University 2010 - 2011 Institute for Brain and learning, Faculty of Psychology and Education, VU University Amsterdam, NL
Scientific Awards	2016 - 2017 Fulbright Visiting Scholar Award, U. S. Department of State, United States of America

	2011 HSP Huygens Scholarship for Excellent Students, the Dutch Ministry of Education, Culture and Science 2010 Fellowship for Doctoral Students, Croatian Science Foundation 2001 - 2002 Rector's Award for student research paper, University of Zagreb
Membership in scientific associations	Croatian Psychological Chamber, Society for Neuroscience, Central European Cognitive Science Association, Croatian Association for Behavioral-Cognitive Therapies

Education and work experience

Education

Academic degree	Ph.D.
Year	2013
Paper title	Executive functions and neural electrophysiological changes during young adulthood
Institution	Interdisciplinary scientific postgraduate study "Language and Cognitive Neuroscience", Centre for postgraduate studies, University of Zagreb
Academic degree	M.A.
Year	2004
Paper title	Morphology of the layer IIIc neurons in adult human cerebral cortex
Institution	Croatian Studies, University of Zagreb

Work experience

Period (from–to)	2018 - present
Employer	Catholic University of Croatia
Position	Assistant professor
Field of work	Research and teaching
Period (from–to)	2007 - 2018
Employer	Croatian Studies, University of Zagreb
Position	2013 - 2018 Postdoc; 2007 - 2013 Research and Teaching Assistant
Field of work	Research and teaching
Period (from–to)	2005 - 2006
Employer	Electus Human Resources Ltd.
Position	Psychological Testing Specialist
Field of work	Psychological assessment, selection and recruitment

Professional activities

Chair of the Organizing Committee and a member of the Program Committee of the 2nd International Scientific Conference of the Department of Psychology of the Catholic University of Croatia held from 12 – 14 December 2019 on the theme "Brain and mind: promoting individual and community well-being"

Reviewer for scientific journals: Biological Psychology, Archives of Industrial Hygiene and Toxicology, Speech, Psychological Topics