

Curriculum Vitae
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Current posts:

University of Oxford, Department of Social Policy & Social Work.

2007 Professor of Child and Family Psychology
2006- Reader in Child and Family Psychology
 Co-director, Centre for Evidence-Based Intervention

2003 - date University Lecturer in Evidence-Based Social Work
 Director of Graduate Studies in Evidence-Based Social Work
 Fellow of Wolfson College

1999 - 2003 University Lecturer in Applied Social Studies.

Honorary positions

2004- Affiliate scientist, University of Oregon, Department of Psychology, Child and Family Centre
2003- Affiliate scientist, University of Pittsburgh, Department of Psychology, Pitt Parents & Children Laboratory.
1990 - 2000 Honorary Clinical Psychologist, Oxfordshire Mental Healthcare Trust.

Previous posts:

1994 - 1999 University Lecturer in Clinical Psychology, Department of Psychiatry, University of Oxford.

1989 - 1994 Lecturer in Education, University of Warwick (with tenure).

1988 - 1989 Lecturer in Applied Social Studies (Psychology), Department of Social & Administrative Studies, University of Oxford (part-time).

1984 - 1989 Lecturer in Clinical Psychology, University of London, Institute of Psychiatry (with tenure). Senior Clinical Psychologist, Bethlem & Maudsley Hospitals

Education:

1976 - 79 BA (Hons) Experimental Psychology, University of Oxford. St Catherine's College.
1979 - 82 DPhil Psychology (Developmental & Abnormal), St Catherine's College.
 University of Oxford, Department of Experimental Psychology.
 Supervisors: Professors Kathy Sylva & Peter Bryant. Funder: MRC.
1982 - 84 MPhil Clinical Psychology,
 University of London, Institute of Psychiatry (Professional training). Funder: South East Thames Regional Health Authority.

Research grants held:

- 2008-2010 Nuffield Foundation. £299,000 for 'Resilience in young people orphaned by AIDS and other causes: predictors and mechanisms'. PI, with Dr. Lucie Cluver, University of Oxford, Dr. Stephan Collishaw, Institute of Psychiatry, Professor Larry Aber, New York University and University of Oxford
- 2008-2013 NIH / National Institute on Drug Abuse, 'Early family-based prevention of risk for drug abuse'. Co-Principal Investigator jointly with Professors Thomas Dishion, University of Oregon, Daniel Shaw, University of Pittsburgh, Melvin Wilson, University of Virginia.
- 2007-2008 Nuffield Foundation. £94,000 for 'Time trends in parenting and in adolescent problem behaviour: Can one help explain the other?' PI, with Barbara Maughan, Stephan Collishaw Institute of Psychiatry, Jackie Scott, University of Cambridge.
- 2006 -2008 Department for Education and Skills, Safeguarding Children Initiative. £105,000 for 'A series of systematic reviews of the effectiveness of interventions following physical abuse'. PIs: Paul Montgomery, Frances Gardner, Paul Ramchandani
- 2005- 2007 Oxford University Research Development Fund & Oxfordshire Mental Healthcare Trust Charitable Fund. 'Randomised Trial of a Media-Based Parenting Intervention for children referred for conduct problems'. PIs: Paul Montgomery, Frances Gardner.
- 2002 – 2007 National Institutes of Health / National Institute on Drug Abuse, USA, \$10,114,352, 'Early family-based prevention of risk for drug abuse'. Co-Principal Investigator jointly with Professors Thomas Dishion, University of Oregon, Daniel Shaw, University of Pittsburgh, Melvin Wilson, University of Virginia.
- 2002 - 2006 Health Foundation. 'Randomised controlled trial of Webster-Stratton parenting programmes with pre-school children in North Wales 'Sure Start' centres'. Co-investigator with Judy Hutchings et al., University of Wales.
- 2000 - 2003 National Institutes of Health / National Institute of Mental Health, USA, \$786,827 for 'A family based prevention for early conduct problems'. Co-Principal Investigator jointly with Professors Daniel Shaw, University of Pittsburgh, and Thomas Dishion, University of Oregon (prevention trial with high-risk two year olds in Pittsburgh).
- 1999-2002 Esmee Fairbairn Foundation, £149,000 for 'Educating parents of hard-to-manage children: a randomised controlled trial of community parenting interventions'. Principal Investigator (trial of cognitive-behavioural parenting intervention in Oxford voluntary sector, for children referred for conduct problems).
- 1998 - 2000 Action Research, £104,260 for 'Longitudinal study of Psychological and physical health of teenagers born at extremely low gestational ages'. Co-Principal Investigator with A. Johnson, L. Mutch, E. Hey, P. Yudkin, National Perinatal Epidemiology Unit, University of Oxford.

1996-1999 The Wellcome Trust, £87,700 for 'Parents' strategies for preventing and resolving conflict with young children: an observational study of their role in the development of disruptive behaviour disorders'. Principal Investigator.

1994 - 2000 Medical Research Council, £727,669 for 'The Hip Trial: Ultrasound imaging in the management of clinical neonatal hip instability: a randomised controlled trial'; responsible for psychological aspects of trial, examining effects on parental mental health and on the emerging parent-child relationship. Co-investigator with D. Elbourne, C. Dezateux, C. Normand, N. Clarke, E. Hey, National Perinatal Epidemiology Unit, University of Oxford.

Other funded collaborations:

2007- 2009. Member of Research Network on Early Risk Identification and Intervention.
Funder: UK Mental Health Research Network (DoH).

2007 - Member & co-convenor, International Consortium on Child Mental Health Intervention
Funder: Harvard Centre for the Developing Child. A collaboration between Harvard University and the Universities of Oxford, Auckland, Oslo, Bergen, The West Indies, Kings College London.

2007 - 2012. 'Parent involvement, Extra-Familial Contexts, and Prevention of Drug Use Risk'.
Funder: NIH: NIMH, to PI Daniel Shaw, University of Pittsburgh. Gardner co-investigator.

Publications

In submission:

1. **Gardner**, F., Hutchings, J. & Bywater, T. (2008). Who benefits and how does it work? Moderators and mediators of outcomes in a randomised trial of parenting interventions in multiple 'Sure Start' services. In submission.
2. **Gardner**, F, Tao, X., Bjornstad, G., Montgomery, P., & Ramchandani, P. Family therapy for physically abused children. Systematic review protocol submitted to The Cochrane Collaboration.
3. Bjornstad G, Montgomery P, **Gardner** F, & Ramchandani P. Child-focussed CBT for physically abused children. Systematic review protocol submitted to The Cochrane Collaboration.
4. Vanderbilt-Adriance, Shaw, D., Dishion, T., **Gardner**, F., Wilson, M. (2008). Protective Factors Associated with Resilient Outcome in Early Childhood. In submission.
5. Wilson, M., Hurtt, C., Shaw, D., Dishion, T., **Gardner**, F. (2008). Analysis and Influence of Demographic and Risk Factors on Child Problem Behavior. Submitted to Prevention Science.

6. Dowling S, & **Gardner** F. Parenting programmes for improving the parenting skills and outcomes for incarcerated parents and their children. Accepted pending revisions, The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews.
7. Skuban, E. M., Shaw, D. S., Dishion, T. J., Lunkenheimer, E., **Gardner**, F., & Wilson, M. N. (2008). Early language difficulties and later behavioral adjustment in low-income, high-risk children. In submission

In press:

8. **Gardner**, F., Connell, A., Trentacosta, C, Shaw, D.S., Dishion, T. J., Wilson, M. (2008). Moderators of outcome in a brief family-centred intervention for preventing early problem behaviour. In press, Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology. IF 4.2
<http://www.pitt.edu/ppcl/PUBLICATIONS.HTML#EarlyStepsMultisite>
9. Cluver, L, **Gardner**, F & Operario, D. (2008) Effects of poverty on the psychological health of AIDS-orphaned children. In press, AIDS Care.
10. Cluver, L., **Gardner**, F. & Operario, D. (2008). Effects of caregiving on psychological distress of AIDS-orphaned children in South Africa. (Provisionally accepted, Vulnerable Children & Youth Studies)
11. Moilanen, K., Shaw, D., Dishion, T., **Gardner**, F., Wilson, M. (2008). Predictors of Longitudinal Growth in Inhibitory Control in Early Childhood. In press, Social Development
12. Shaw, D.S., Connell, A., Dishion, T. J., Wilson, M., **Gardner**, F. Improvements in maternal depression as a mediator of intervention effects on early childhood problem behavior. In press, Development & Psychopathology. IF 4.4
<http://www.pitt.edu/ppcl/PUBLICATIONS.HTML#EarlyStepsMultisite>
13. Lunkenheimer, E., Dishion, T. J., Shaw, D. S., Connell, A., **Gardner**., F., Wilson, M., & Skuban, E. (2008). Collateral Benefits of the Family Check-Up on Early Childhood School Readiness: Indirect Effects of Parents' Positive Behavior Support. In press, Developmental Psychology. IF 3
14. Gill, A. M., Hyde, L. W., Shaw, D. S., Dishion, T. J., Wilson, M. N., & **Gardner**, F. The Family Check-Up in early childhood: A case study. In press, Journal of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology.
<http://www.pitt.edu/ppcl/PUBLICATIONS.HTML#EarlyStepsMultisite>

2008

15. **Gardner**, F. & Shaw, D. (2008). Behavioral problems of infancy and preschool children (0-5). In M. Rutter, D. Bishop, D. Pine, S. Scott, J. Stevenson, E. Taylor & A. Thapar (eds), Rutter's Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, 5th Edition. Blackwell.

16. Le Couteur, A. & **Gardner**, F. (2008). Structured interviews and observations. In M. Rutter, D. Bishop, D. Pine, S. Scott, J. Stevenson, E. Taylor & A. Thapar (eds), Rutter's Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, 5th Edition. Blackwell.
 17. Dishion, T. J., Shaw, D. S., Connell, A., **Gardner**, F., & Weaver, C. Wilson, M., (2008). The Family Check-Up with high-risk indigent families: preventing problem behavior by increasing parents' positive behavior support in early childhood. Child Development, 79, 1395-1414 (IF 3.4)
<http://www.pitt.edu/ppcl/PUBLICATIONS.HTML#EarlyStepsMultisite>
 18. Trentacosta, Hyde, L., Shaw, D., Dishion, T., **Gardner**, F., Wilson, M. (2008). The Relations among Cumulative Risk, Parenting, and Behavior Problems during Early Childhood. Journal of Child Psychology & Psychiatry, 49, 1211-1218 (IF 4.4)
<http://www.pitt.edu/ppcl/PUBLICATIONS.HTML#EarlyStepsMultisite>
 19. Connell, A., Bullock, B. Dishion, T. J., Shaw, D.S., Wilson, M., **Gardner**, F. (2008). Family Intervention Effects on Co-occurring Behavior and Emotional Problems in Early Childhood: A Latent Transition Analysis Approach. Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology, 36, 1211-1227 (IF 2.6)
 20. Cluver, L., **Gardner** F. & Operario, D. (2008). Effects of stigma on the mental health of adolescents orphaned by AIDS. Journal of Adolescent Health.
 21. Fisher, H., Montgomery, P. & **Gardner**, F. (2008). Opportunities provision for preventing youth gang involvement for children and young people (7-16). Systematic review, Campbell Collaboration.
 22. Fisher, H., Montgomery, P. & **Gardner**, F. (2008). Cognitive-behavioural interventions for preventing youth gang involvement for children and young people (7-16). Systematic review, Campbell Collaboration
- 2007
23. Hutchings, J., Bywater, T., Daley, D., **Gardner**, F., Jones, K., Eames, C. & Edwards, R.T. (2007). Pragmatic randomised controlled trial of a parenting intervention in 'Sure Start' services for children at risk of developing conduct disorder. British Medical Journal, 334, 678- 686.
 24. **Gardner**, F. Shaw, D., Dishion, T., Burton, J. & Supplee, L. (2007). Randomised trial of a family-centred approach to preventing conduct problems: Effects on proactive parenting and links to toddler disruptive behaviour. Journal of Family Psychology, 21, 398-406.
<http://www.pitt.edu/ppcl/PUBLICATIONS.HTML#EarlyStepsMultisite>
 25. Cluver, L, **Gardner**, F & Operario, D (2007). Psychological distress amongst AIDS-orphaned children in urban South Africa. Journal of Child Psychiatry and Psychology, 48(8), 755-763
 26. Cluver, L & **Gardner**, F (2007) The Mental Health of Children orphaned by AIDS: A review of International and South African Research. Journal of Child and Adolescent Mental Health. 19(1) 1-17

27. Cluver, L. & **Gardner**, F. (2007). Risk and protective factors for well-being of children orphaned by AIDS in Cape Town, South Africa: a qualitative study of children's views. *AIDS Care* 19(3) 318-325.
28. Gardner, F., **Burton**, J. & Klimes, I. (2007). A cognitive behavioural parenting intervention reduced conduct problems in children and improved parenting skill and confidence. Summary and commentary. *Evidence-Based Nursing*, 10, 46-47
29. Gray, R, Petrou, S., Hockley, C. **Gardner**, F. (2007). Self-reported health status and health-related quality of life of teenagers who were born before 29 weeks gestational age. *Pediatrics*, 120, e86-93.
30. Wilson, C., **Gardner**, F., Burton, J., Leung, S. (2007). Maternal attributions and maternal behaviour: are they linked? *Behavioural and Cognitive Psychotherapy*, 35, 165-178.

2006

31. **Gardner**, F., Burton, J. & Klimes, I. (2006a). Randomised controlled trial of a parenting intervention in the voluntary sector for reducing child conduct problems: outcomes and mechanisms of change. *Journal of Child Psychology & Psychiatry*, 47, 1123-1132. <http://www.incredibleyears.com/research/article-randomized-controlled-trial-parenting-intervention-06.pdf#search=%22gardner%20klimes%20parenting%20shaw%22>
32. Shaw, D. S., Dishion, T. J., Supplee, L., **Gardner**, F. & Arnds, K. (2006). A family-centered approach to the prevention of early-onset antisocial behavior: Two-year effects of the family check-up in early childhood. *Journal of Consulting & Clinical Psychology*, 74, 1-9 <http://www.pitt.edu/ppcl/PUBLICATIONS.HTML#EarlyStepsMultisite>
33. Wilson, C., **Gardner**, F., Leung, S., Burton, J. (2006). Maternal attributions and young children's conduct problems: a longitudinal study. *Infant and Child Development*, 15, 109-121.
34. Cluver, L. & **Gardner**. (2006). The psychological well-being of children orphaned by AIDS in Cape Town, South Africa. *Annals of General Psychiatry*, 5:8. <http://www.annals-general-psychiatry.com/content/5/1/8>
35. Skuban, E., Shaw, D., **Gardner**, F. & Supplee. (2006). The Correlates of Dyadic Synchrony in High-Risk, Low-Income Toddler Boys. *Infant Behavior and Development*. 29, 423-434. <http://www.pitt.edu/~ppcl/publications.htm>

2005

36. Dowling S, & **Gardner** F. (2005). Parenting programmes for improving the parenting skills and outcomes for incarcerated parents and their children (Protocol). *The Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews*, Issue 4.
37. **Gardner**, F., Dezateux, C., Elbourne, D., Gray, A., King, A. & Quinn, A. (2005), on behalf of the MRC Hip Trial Steering Committee. The UK Hip trial of ultrasound imaging in the management of developmental hip dysplasia: Psychosocial effects on mothers. *Archives of Disease in Childhood*, 90, F17-24.

38. Gray, A., Dezateux, C., Elbourne, D., King, A., Quinn, A. & **Gardner, F.** (2005). Economic Evaluation of Ultrasonography in the Diagnosis and Management of Developmental Hip Dysplasia in the United Kingdom and Ireland. Journal of Bone Joint Surgery American, 87, 2472-2479.

2004

39. Gardner, F., Hutchings, J. & Lane, E. (2004). Three to eight years: risk and protective factors; effective interventions for preventing antisocial behaviour. In Farrington, D., Sutton, C. & Utting, D. (eds), Support from the Start: Working with Young Children and their Families to Reduce the Risks of Crime and Antisocial Behaviour. London: DFES
40. Hutchings, J., Lane, E. & Gardner, F., (2004). Making evidence-based intervention work. In Farrington, D., Sutton, C. & Utting, D. (eds), Support from the Start: Working with Young Children and their Families to Reduce the Risks of Crime and Antisocial Behaviour. London: DFES.
41. Lane, E., Gardner, F., Hutchings, J. & Jacobs, B. (2004). Eight to eleven years: risk and protective factors; effective interventions. In Farrington, D., Sutton, C. & Utting, D. (eds), Support from the Start: Working with Young Children and their Families to Reduce the Risks of Crime and Antisocial Behaviour. London: DFES.
42. Gardner, F., Johnson, A., Yudkin, P., Bowler, U., Hockley, C., Mutch, L., Wariyar, U. (2004). Behavioural and emotional adjustment of teenagers in mainstream school who were born before 29 weeks gestation. Pediatrics, 114, 676-682.

2003

43. Aspland, H. & Gardner, F. (2003). Observational measures of parent child interaction. Child and Adolescent Mental Health, 8, 136-144.
44. Gardner, F., Ward, S., Burton, J. & Wilson, C. (2003). Joint play and the early development of conduct problems in children: a longitudinal observational study of pre-schoolers. Paper invited to Special Issue 'Innovative approaches to examining social processes in the development of antisocial behaviour'. Social Development, 12, 361-379.
45. Johnson, A., Yudkin, P., Bowler, U., Hockley, C., Mutch, L., Gardner, F., & Wariyar, U. (2003) Health and school performance of teenagers who were born before 29 weeks gestation. Archives of Disease in Childhood, 88, F190 – 198.

2002 and before

46. Elbourne, D., Dezateux, C., Arthur, R., Clarke, N., Gray, A., King, A., Quinn, A., Gardner, F., & Russell, G. (2002). The UK Hip Trial: clinical and economic results of a multicentre randomised controlled trial of ultrasound imaging in the diagnosis and management of developmental hip dysplasia. The Lancet, 360, 2009-2018
47. Gardner, F. (2000). Methodological issues in the use of observational methods for measuring parent child interaction. Clinical Child and Family Psychology Review, 3, 185-198.

48. Gardner, F. & Ward, S. (2000). Parent-child interaction and children's well-being: reducing conduct problems and promoting conscience development. In A. Buchanan & B. Hudson (eds.) Promoting Children's Emotional Well-being, p.95-128. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
49. Gardner, F., Sonuga-Barke, E. & Sayal, K. (1999). Parents anticipating misbehaviour: An observational study of strategies parents use to prevent conflict with behaviour problem children. Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry, 40, 1185-1196.
50. Gardner, F. (1998). Observational studies of parent-child interaction and behaviour problems: implications for parent-training interventions. In A. Buchanan & B. Hudson (eds.) Parenting, Schooling and Children's Behaviour. London: Ashgate.
51. Gardner, F. (1997). Observational methods for assessing interaction: how generalisable are the findings? Child Psychology & Psychiatry Review, 2, 70-75.
52. Gardner, F. (1994). The quality of joint activity between mothers and their children with conduct problems. Journal of Child Psychology & Psychiatry, 35, 935-949.
53. Gardner, F. (1994). Clinical Psychology. In Bickler, G. and Solity, J. (eds.) Education, Health and Social Services for Children, Teachers and Parents. London: Cassell.
54. Kalantari, M., Yule, W. & Gardner, F. (1993). Protective factors and behavioural adjustment in preschool children of Iranian martyrs. Journal of Child and Family Studies, 2, 97-108.
55. Gardner, F. (1992). Parent-child interaction and conduct disorder. Educational Psychology Review, 4, 135-163.
56. Kalantari, M., Yule, W. & Gardner, F. (1990). Behavioural characteristics of Iranian Martyrs' preschool children. Bereavement Care, 9, 5-7.
57. Gardner, F. (1989). Inconsistent parenting: Is there evidence for a link with children's conduct problems? Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology, 17, 223-233.
58. Gardner, F. (1987). Positive interaction between mothers and children with conduct problems: Is there training for harmony as well as for fighting? Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology, 15, 283-293.

Selected research talks at international and national meetings (2002-7 only):

2008

Department for Children, Schools & Families, Safeguarding Children Initiative. London, April.
Paper presented on 'A series of systematic reviews of the effectiveness of interventions following physical abuse'.

British Association for Behavioural Psychotherapy, Child section. Birmingham, June.
Effectiveness of parenting interventions for conduct problems in young children: an update on current research evidence.

The Nuffield Foundation, London, September. Seminar presented on ‘Time trends in parenting: Can they help explain time trends in adolescent problem behaviour?’ Discussants: Professors Tom Dishion and Rolf Loeber

Conference of the Life History Research Society, Bad Nauheim, Germany, September. Poster presented ‘Time trends in parenting: How much has a key risk factor for psychopathology changed over time?’

Centre for Longitudinal Studies, Cohort Studies Consultation Conference. London, October. Paper presented ‘Parenting and the Millennium Cohort Study’

2007

United Nations Crime and Drugs (UNODC), Vienna, October. ‘Criteria for selecting evidence-based family skills interventions. Paper presented to expert group on family skills interventions for preventing drug abuse.

14th Scientific Meeting of International Society for Research in Child & Adolescent Psychopathology, London, June. ‘Mediators and moderators of change in a parenting intervention in North Wales Sure Start’.

Society for Research in Child Development, Boston, USA, March. Convenor and Chair of symposium, ‘Using systematic feedback to guide interventions to prevent problem behavior across settings and development’. March. Paper: ‘The Use of Motivational Feedback in a Family-Based Intervention to Prevent Early Conduct Problems’. Shaw, D., Dishion, T., Gardner, F. & Wilson M.

The Nuffield Foundation, London, November. Seminar to Nuffield Adolescent Mental Health programme grantees on ‘Time trends in parenting: Can they help explain time trends in adolescent problem behaviour?’

South African AIDS Conference 2007, Durban, June. ‘Poverty and psychological health for AIDS-orphaned children: Potential benefits of state poverty alleviation programmes in South Africa’. Authors: Cluver, L. Gardner, F. & Operario, D. .
[Awarded Discovery Clinical Excellence Prize for ‘Best Oral Presentation’]

Institute of Child Health, University College London, Behavioural & Brain Sciences Unit, March. ‘Parenting interventions for conduct problems: outcomes and mechanisms of change’. Invited talk.

Dartington Conference, London, March. ‘Effective parenting interventions: what lessons from research?’ Conference on Evidence-Based Practice in children’s services. Invited speaker.

2006

WAVE Trust Think Tank on Violence Prevention. London, September. Invited talk ‘Effective parenting interventions to prevent violence and problem behaviour (age 3-10)’. Westminster

International Campbell Collaboration Meeting, Los Angeles, February. Chair of symposium & speaker: 'Increasing capacity for systematic reviewing: a new Graduate program in Evidence-Based Social Intervention at Oxford University'. Feb

2005

Directors of Social Services for New South Wales, Sydney. Invited paper presented: 'A new graduate programme in Evidence-Based Social Work at Oxford University' October

13th International Cochrane Colloquium, Melbourne, October. 'The Oxford Implementation Reporting Index: The Development of an Indicator of Treatment Fidelity in Systematic Reviews of Psychosocial Interventions'. Montgomery, P., Gardner, F., Operario, D. Mayo-Wilson, E., Tamayo, S., Underhill, K.

13th Scientific Meeting of International Society for Research in Child & Adolescent Psychopathology, New York, June. Chair and convenor of symposium. 'Social interactional process in the etiology of conduct disorder', June. Paper presented. Proactive parenting: its role in early development of conduct problems: Integrating data from two randomised trials and a longitudinal study.

AIDS Impact Conference, Cape Town. 'Risk and Protective Factors in the Psychological Health of Children experiencing orphanhood by AIDS'. Cluver, Gardner, Seedat & Wild, April

Oxford University Clinical Psychology Programme, Research seminars. 'A family-centred approach to very early prevention of conduct problems & drug use: The Early Steps multi-site trial'. March.

Society for Social Work Research, Miami, USA. Invited speaker. 'Developing a new MSc in Evidence Based Social Work at Oxford University'. Jan.

2004

Origins of Antisocial Behaviour 0-13 Conference, Royal Society, London. Invited keynote speaker, 'Effective interventions 3-8: what do we know and what do we still need to know?' Dec 10.

Oxford University Centre for Parenting and Children, Department of Social Policy and Social Work. Paper: A family-centred approach to very early prevention of conduct problems & drug use: The Early Steps multi-site trial.

Cambridge Research in Arts, Social Sciences & Humanities, University of Cambridge. Paper: Beyond conversation: what kinds of parent-child interactions influence the development of conduct problems in young children?. Meeting: "Conversations and childhood: The impact of conversations on early social, emotional and cognitive development". Invited speaker. Oct 14.

Society for Prevention Research. 12th Annual Meeting, Quebec City:

Chair and convener of symposium 'Dissemination trials in the real world: meeting the challenges of maintaining fidelity across service settings and countries'

Discussant on symposium 'Development of observational data collection methods in prevention trials'. May.

2003

2nd Evidence Based Health Care Teachers and Developers Conference, Palermo. Paper on 'Developing a new MSc in Evidence Based Social Work at Oxford University.' September

12th Scientific Meeting of International Society for Research in Child & Adolescent

Psychopathology, Sydney. 'Does change in positive parenting predict change in conduct

problems? Testing developmental theory with data from randomised trials.' Invited to symposium, 'How do violence prevention programs contribute to developmental theory?' June

Department of Psychology, University of Pittsburgh. Research seminar 'Proactive parenting and the development of conduct problems', March. (invited)

Parenting for a Better Future Conference, St. Catherine's College, Oxford. Paper on 'Benefits of community based parenting groups for hard-to-manage children: Findings from the Family Nurturing Network Trial'. March. (invited keynote speaker)

2002

Society for Prevention Research, 10th Annual Meeting, Seattle. Convenor of symposium, 'Preventing problem behavior in early childhood: using an ecological framework to build effective collaboration'. May.

Symposium on 'Linking dynamic systems and reinforcement mechanisms: complementarities, disparities and data', Port Townsend, Washington. Paper, 'Measuring reinforcement from observations of micro-social family process: some data and speculation on process'. May. (invited)

2001

World Psychiatric Association / Royal College of Psychiatrists Meeting, London. Paper invited to Symposium on Violence and the Family, 'Positive parenting & the development of conduct problems in young children'. July. (invited)

11th Scientific meeting of International Society for Research in Child and Adolescent Psychopathology, Vancouver. 'Novel process research on parenting in the first three years: predicting the development of conduct problems'. Invited to symposium on 'Advances in process research on antisocial behavior'. June.

Life History Research Society Meeting, Maryland. 'Social context and positive parenting styles: how do they influence the early development of conduct problems?' May.

Royal College of Paediatrics Annual Meeting, York. Invited to plenary session, 'Behavioural and emotional adjustment of teenagers in mainstream school born before 29 weeks gestation'. April.

Department of Psychology, University of Oregon. Research seminar on 'Parenting process and the development of conduct problems'. March. Invited talk.

Reviewing and editing:

Editorial positions:

2004 - Editorial Board, Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology

2005 - Editorial Board, Research in Social Work Practice

2003 - Social Development (Action editor for Special Issue).

1993- 2000. Co-editor: 'Measurement Issues', Child Psychology & Psychiatry Review.

Consulting reviewer:

Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry

Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology

Journal of Abnormal Child Psychology

Journal of Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology

Social Development

British Journal of Clinical Psychology

British Journal of Developmental Psychology

Behavioural and Cognitive Psychotherapy

Child and Adolescent Mental Health.

Infant and Child Development

Grant reviewing:

ESRC

Wellcome Trust;

Medical Research Council;

Health Foundation; ZonMW:

Netherlands Organisation for Health Research and Development (Prevention Programme 3);

Peer reviewer for ESRC Centre for Evidence-based Policy & Practice;

National Forensic Mental Health R & D;

Welsh Assembly Flying Start.

Research advisory work

- 2008 Member of ESRC Commissioning Panel: Understanding Individual Behaviours
- 2007-10 Vice-Chair of Scientific Advisory Board, Parenting Academy, Kings College, London and UK Department for Children, Schools and Families.
- 2007 Member of UN Expert Panel: UNODC consultation on family skills training, Vienna, October.
- 2006 Prime Minister's Strategy Unit. Member of Expert panel on Health-led parenting demonstration projects.
- 2003-5 British Psychological Society/ DfES funded working group on 'Very young children as potential offenders: preventive approaches', Royal Society.
- 2001-5 Member of Joseph Rowntree Foundation advisory group for 'Consistency in parenting: comparisons across mothers and fathers, family type and siblings.' Dr A Pike; Prof J Dunn; Prof J Stevenson
- 2001 DoH Research Initiative: 'Supporting Parents: how to mobilise support to promote better parenting'. Member of overview group; to review, summarise & publish policy implications.

Examining research degrees:

- 2006 PhD - University of London, Institute of Psychiatry
- 2005 DPhil - University of Oxford, Department Educational Studies.
- 2002 PhD - University of Southampton, Department of Psychology.
- 2001 MPhil - University of London, Institute of Psychiatry.
- 2000 PhD - London University, School of Tropical Hygiene & Medicine

Assessor for doctoral examinations

Transfer of Status: Sethna; Mayo Wilson

Confirmation of Status: Bjornstad; Ross

Oxford University positions of responsibility

2008: Chair of review panel for MSc Criminology

2007-2008 Pro-Proctor

2005- date Division of Social Sciences, Teaching Audit Committee

2005- date Division of Social Sciences, Teaching Policy Committee.

2004- 2008 Course director, MSc/ MPhil, Evidence-Based Social Work

2004 - 2007 Director of Graduate Studies, Evidence-Based Social Work

2002 - 2004 Admissions tutor, MSc/ MPhil Evidence-Based Social Work.

2005 - date Member of Departmental Executive Committee
2002 - 2005 Member of Departmental Finance and General Purposes Committee.
2002 - 2004 Deputy Course Director, MSc Applied Social Studies
2002 - 2007 Convenor of annual research seminar series: Evidence-Based Practice.
2003 - date Examiner, MSc / MPhil Evidence-Based Social Work
2001 - 2004 Examiner, MSc Applied Social Studies
1995 - 2003 Exam Board, Doctorate in Clinical Psychology; Examiner MSc & Doctoral theses.

College committees- Wolfson College

2005- Harassment panel
2005-7 Academic Strategy working group
2008- Fellowships and Memberships committees
2008- Wine Committee
2008 Nominating committee