



Consortium on Individual Development

Session: New faces

CID MEETING
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Jeroen Mulder – PhD candidate, UU, WP4, CID PI: Ellen Hamaker

Background

Education: BSc Communication Science (University of Twente), MSc Methodology and Statistics

Personal: Radio presenter at NPO KX (NTR) (and substitute presenter at NPO Radio 2 @BNNVARA)

Expertise

Causality, Structural Equation Models (SEM), multilevel modelling, longitudinal data analysis

CID project

Project title: Concerning Causes: Evaluation of Methods to Study Causes and Their Effects in Developmental Processes

With who: Ellen Hamaker



Lina van Drunen – PhD candidate, WP2, CID PI: Eveline Crone

Background

I grew up in Amsterdam and studied the research master '*Cognitive Neurobiology and Clinical Neurophysiology*' at the University of Amsterdam before starting my current PhD at the Leiden University. The combination of working with twins and analyzing fMRI/MRI data was a perfect match with my research interests. So I am very happy to continue working with twin MRI data for my PhD.

Expertise

Structural brain development, twin design, social environment, music ability, self-concept

CID project

Project title: The relation between structural brain development and variations in social environment

With who: Eveline Crone & Lara Wierenga

I will be using the *fMRI* and *self-concept* data of cohort 2 (3-9 years old) + *longitudinal MRI* and *music ability* data of cohort 3 (7-13 years old) within the L-CID dataset



Zenab Tamimy – PhD candidate, VU, WP3, CID PI: prof. dr. Dorret Boomsma

Background

University of Amsterdam

- BSc & (Res)MSc Psychological Methods and Statistics
- Teacher 2nd year Psychology Methods & Statistics; Foundations of Psychology
- Research Assistant: RT Modelling in Personality and Educational Measurement; Latent Change Score Models for Network Theory of Intelligence

Expertise

Psychometrics, Structural Equation Modelling, Educational Achievement, Twin-studies

CID project

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

- The genetic and environmental influences on academic achievement and behavioural control:
 - Relationship and direction of causation
 - Intergenerational transmission

prof. dr. Dorret Boomsma, prof. dr. Maja Deković, dr. Elsje van Bergen, dr. Eveline de Zeeuw



Irene I. van Driel – Position: Postdoc, UvA, WP1, CID PI: Patti Valkenburg

Background

I studied neuroscience at the VU and Journalism & New Media at University of Leiden and received my PhD in mass communication from Indiana University in Bloomington. Currently, I am a postdoc and member of Team AWeSome.

Expertise

Media effects, social media, behavioural control, well-being

CID project

Project title: Media Use, parenting, and behavioural control: An experience sampling study

With who: Patti Valkenburg, Ine Beyens, Loes Keijsers, Ellen Hamaker + all project AWeSome team members



Jana Runze – PhD candidate, VU, WP2, CID PI: Marian Bakermans-Kranenburg

Background

Education/Personal: originally from Germany. Did a bachelor in psychology in Enschede and a research master in behavioural sciences in Nijmegen before starting my PhD at the Vrije Universiteit in Amsterdam.

Expertise

Longitudinal research, social competence, cortisol, differential susceptibility

CID project

Project title: Intervention effects on parental sensitivity in light of the differential susceptibility hypothesis

With who: Marian Bakermans-Kranenburg, Mirjam Oosterman, Saskia Euser



Zsafia Belteki – PhD candidate, UU, WP1, CID PI: Chantal Kemner

Background

I grew up in Hungary and England and studied Psychology at Lancaster University prior to starting my PhD at Utrecht University.

Expertise

Language acquisition, Social attention, Atypical development

CID project

Project title: How language and social development interact and affect social interaction across development: Comparing typical and atypical trajectories

With who: Carlijn van den Boomen & Caroline Junge

CID dataset: Youth-Cohort



Niilo Valtakari – Position: PhD, Location: UU, WP1, CID PI: Chantal Kemner

Background

I grew up in Espoo, Finland. Before starting my PhD, I studied Chinese in China for two years, completed a BSc in psychology in Taiwan, and an MSc in psychology in Utrecht. Worked with eye tracking for my master's thesis.

Expertise

Parent-child interaction, (dual) eye tracking, infancy, programming

CID project

Project title: Fine-grained face-scanning patterns during parent-child interaction – a dual eye tracking approach
With who: Chantal Kemner, Roy Hessels, Ignace Hooge



Michiel Vellema – Postdoc, UU, WP4, CID PI: Johan Bolhuis

Background

- MSc in Biology, VU University Amsterdam.
- Researcher, Erasmus MC – Eyeblink conditioning in patients with Fragile-X syndrome.
- PhD in Biomedical Sciences, University of Antwerp – Biomedical imaging of neural plasticity in the avian brain.
- Postdoc, Max Planck Institute for Ornithology – Neural mechanisms of birdsong learning.
- Marie Curie fellow, University of Southern Denmark – Neural basis of vocal motor savings.

Expertise

Behavioural neurobiology, Neuroanatomy, Learning and memory, Bioacoustics

CID project

Mechanisms of short- and long-term learning of vocal structure in a songbird

- In collaboration with Sita ter Haar, Gabriel Beckers, and René Kager.



Sanne Geeraerts –Postdoc, UU, WP3, CID PI: Prof. Susan Branje

Background

PhD (yet to be defended) at Utrecht University (promotor: prof. Maja Deković)
Topic: Early precursors and development of self-regulation

Expertise

Early development, parenting, self-regulation, behavioral observations, structural equation modelling

CID project

Project title: Intergenerational transmission of parenting processes
With: Prof. Susan Branje
Dataset: RADAR data

