## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### CONTACT INFORMATION

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### CLINICAL REGISTRATIONS

06/2013	<b>Registered Psychologist (Reg. # 2069)</b> College of Psychologists of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC
04/2008	Licensed Clinical Psychologist (non-practicing) Medicine and Pharmacy Licensing Board Stuttgart, Germany

### **CURRENT POSITION**

Since 03/2019	Clinic Director and Team Psychologist
	West Coast Resiliency Centre, Vancouver BC

### **PREVIOUS POSITIONS**

06/2013-05/2021	<b>Psychologist in Private Practice</b> North Shore Stress and Anxiety Clinic, North Vancouver BC
11/2013-05/2018 09/2017-05/2018	<b>Team Psychologist</b> <b>Practice Lead</b> Resilience over Psychological Trauma program and Mental Health Return to Work program. OrionHealth Vancouver Pain Clinic, Vancouver, BC
06/2010-04/2022	<b>CHÉOS Scientist</b> Centre for Health Evaluation and Outcome Sciences (CHÉOS), Vancouver BC Focus: Trauma/PTSD, substance use, women's mental health, homelessness
09/2008-05/2010	<b>Postdoctoral Researcher</b> BC Centre of Excellence for Women's Health, Vancouver, BC Focus: Substance use, trauma, women's mental health

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04/2002-08/2008	<b>Clinician Scientist</b> University Hospital for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Department of Addiction Medicine and Addiction Therapy, Tübingen, Germany
02/1994-09/1995	<b>Practical Nurse</b> Rottenburg General Hospital, Internal Medicine Unit, Rottenburg, Germany
08/1991-01/1994	<b>Practical Nurse</b> Centre for Pneumology and Thoracic Surgery, Oncology Unit, Hemer, Germany

### VOLUNTEER WORK

04/2020-05/2020	Volunteer Psychologist, COVID-19 Psychological First Aid Service
	British Columbia Psychological Association, Vancouver, BC

### DEGREES AND EDUCATION

01/2007	<b>Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology</b> Eberhard Karls University, Department of Psychology, Tübingen, Germany
09/2002-04/2008	<b>Cognitive-Behaviour Therapy Training</b> Eberhard Karls University and Tübingen Academy for Behaviour Therapy Accredited licensing program, see "Clinical Training" section below
03/2002	<b>Diplom (German M.Sc. equivalent) in Clinical Psychology</b> Eberhard Karls University, Department of Psychology, Tübingen
09/1997	<b>Pre-Diplom (German B.Sc. equivalent) in Psychology</b> Eberhard Karls University, Department of Psychology, Tübingen
10/1995-03/2002	<b>Student of Psychology</b> Eberhard Karls University, Department of Psychology, Tübingen
09/1990	Licensed Nurse Public Health Department, Province of Nordrhein Westfalen, Germany
10/1987-09/1990	Nursing Student Marienhospital and School of Nursing, Hamm, Germany

### CLINICAL EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

### Practice experience

Since 03/2019	Clinical Director and Psychologist at the West Coast Resiliency Centre
	Development of the interdisciplinary Trauma Recovery Program. Program devel-
	opment; staff training and supervision; assessment, treatment planning, treatment
	delivery (trauma-focused psychotherapy) and return-to-work support for adults
	with posttraumatic stress. West Coast Resiliency Centre, Vancouver, BC

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Since 07/2013	<b>Psychologist in Private Practice</b> Individual CBT-based treatment for adults with mental disorders and psychological problems (mainly related to trauma, anxiety, depression, and stress). Return-to- work support for clients who are off work. North Shore Stress and Anxiety Clinic, North Vancouver (until 05/2021) and West Coast Resiliency Centre, Vancouver, BC
11/2013-05/2018	<b>Psychologist with the Resilience over Psychological Trauma (RoPT) program</b> Implementation of RoPT; program development, staff training and supervision, as- sessment, treatment planning, treatment (trauma-focused CBT) and return-to-work support for adults with work-related posttraumatic stress. OrionHealth Vancouver Pain Clinic, Vancouver, BC
04/2010-09/2010	<b>Study Therapist: Gambling Disorder Treatment Study</b> Supervised individual treatment (CBT and DBT) for young adults with gambling and associated substance use and emotional problems. BC Mental Health and Addiction Services, Vancouver, BC
04/2002-07/2008	Addiction Counsellor and Clinic Coordinator CBT-based tobacco dependence treatment and motivational interviewing University Hospital for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Department of Addiction Medicine and Addiction Therapy, Smoking Cessation Clinic, Tübingen
11/2003-07/2008	<b>Clinical Psychologist Trainee</b> Supervised individual CBT treatment for adults with mental disorders Outpatient Psychotherapy Clinic at the Tübingen Academy for Behaviour Therapy, Tübingen
04/2007-09/2007	<b>Internship in Psychiatry, Psychotherapeutic Day Clinic</b> Assessment, treatment planning, counselling, and treatment of individuals with borderline personality disorders and concurrent disorders. University Hospital for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Tübingen
10/2006-03/2007	<b>Internship in Psychiatry, Unit for Acute Psychiatric Care</b> Crisis intervention, assessment, treatment planning, and counselling for patients with acute psychiatric symptoms. University Hospital for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Tübingen
09/2001-07/2003	<b>Development and Implementation of Social Skills Training Group Program</b> <b>for Male Prison Inmates</b> Co-developer and –therapist (with Psychologist Cecile Rast) Heimsheim State Prison, Heimsheim, Germany
09/2000-03/2001	<b>Social Skills Training Group Program for Individuals with Social Anxieties</b> Facilitator and co-therapist under supervision Eberhard Karls University, Department of Psychology, Tübingen
04/1999-09/1999	Internship in Clinical Psychology, Residential Drug Treatment Facility Drug Rehabilitation Clinic Tübingen/Reutlingen

# Clinical training and professional development

09/2023	<b>EMDR Therapy for First Responders</b> 4-hour live webinar hosted by Envision Counselling and Consulting, Alberta. Instructor: Julie Miller.
06/2023	<b>Moral Injury in PTSD</b> 90-minute live webinar hosted by Bespoke Mental Health Canada. Instructor: Dr. Jennifer Wild
03/2023	<b>San'yas Indigenous Cultural Safety Training – Core Mental Health</b> 10-hour, 8-week instructor-facilitated online training, hosted by the Indigenous Health department at the Provincial Health Services Authority, Vancouver BC.
01/2023	<b>BC First Responders' Mental Health Conference - Connecting Leaders to Promote First Responders' Mental Health</b> 2-day conference hosted by the BC First Responders' Mental Health Committee. Richmond, BC.
01/2023	<b>Avoiding Common Mistakes in EMDR: A Practical Guide for Therapists</b> 1-hour webinar. Instructor: Deb Kennard, Personal Transformation Institute, TX.
08/2022	<b>Don't Let the ''TR'' Fool You: The DSM-5-TR is More Than a Text Revision</b> 2-hour live webinar hosted by the BCPA. Instructor: Dr. Greg Neimeyer.
05-06/2022	<b>Trauma-Focused Acceptance and Commitment Therapy (TF-ACT)</b> 6-week online course hosted by Psychwire. Instructor: Dr. Russ Harris.
11/2021	<b>Prolonged Exposure (PE) Web: A Web-Based Training Course for Providers</b> 10-hour online course ( <u>http://pe.musc.edu</u> ). Medical University of South Carolina; National Crime Victims Research and Treatment Center, Charleston, SC.
06/2021	<b>EMDR Strategies to Facilitate Reprocessing</b> 4-hour live webinar. Instructor: Rebecca Kase
10/2020	Emotionally Focused Therapy for Individuals, Level 1: Creating Security Within and Between 2-day live online workshop hosted by the Vancouver Centre for Emotionally Fo- cused Therapy. Instructor: Yolanda von Hockauf.
07/2020	Professional Practice in Disaster Response Part 1: Psychological First Aid; and Professional Practice in Disaster Response Part 2: Skills for Psychological Recovery 2-hour and 2.5-hour live webinar hosted by the College of Psychologists of British Columbia. Instructors: Dr. Jeanne LeBlanc, Dr. Susan Turnbull.
03/2020	<b>Psychological First Aid</b> 1-hour live webinar hosted by the British Columbia Psychological Association. In- structor: Dr. Claire Sira.

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03/2020	<b>Telepsychology Best Practices 101 Series</b> Segment 1 (Clinical Evaluation and Care: Cultural Competencies & Documenta- tion), Segment 2 (Technology), Segment 3 (Legal, Regulatory & Ethical Rules), Segment 4 (Reimbursement Strategies and Marketing). 8-hour webinar hosted by the American Psychological Association. Instructor: Dr. Marlene M. Maheu.
02/2020	<b>Occupational Awareness Training for Therapists: First Responder Trauma</b> 2-day training hosted by First Responder Health Services, Coquitlam, BC.
11/2019	<b>Risky Business: Working with Compulsive and Self-Endangering Behaviors</b> <b>with Trauma Survivors</b> 2-day workshop. Instructor: Dr. John Briere, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California, Los Angeles.
01/2019	<b>Occupational Trauma Response</b> 1-day seminar hosted by WorkSafeBC, Richmond, BC. Instructors: Dr. Tim Black and Alex Sterling, University of Victoria.
02-05/2018	<b>Eye Movement Desensitization and Reprocessing (EMDR) Basic Training</b> Curriculum approved by the EMDR International Association, including 20 hours lecture, demonstration and discussion, 10 hours supervised practice, and 10 hours consultation. Hosted by the British Columbia School of Professional Psychology. Vancouver, BC. Instructor: Dr. Marshall Wilensky.
05/2017	The Pain Paradox: The "Third Wave" of Mindfulness-Compassion Based Approaches for PTSD and Complex Trauma 2-day workshop. Instructor: Dr. John Briere, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern California, Los Angeles.
11/2016	Working with the Pain Paradox: Integrating Mindfulness Principles into Modern Psychotherapy 1-day workshop hosted by the BC Psychological Association, Vancouver, BC. In- structor: Dr. John Briere, Keck School of Medicine, University of Southern Cali- fornia, Los Angeles.
05/2016	<ul> <li>2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Mindfulness</li> <li>5-day conference hosted by the Sapienza University of Rome Faculty of Medicine and Psychology, Consciousness, Mindfulness, Compassion (CMC) International Association, MacTavish Behavioral Health, and the Associazione Italiana per la Mindfulness. Rome, Italy.</li> </ul>
03/2016	<b>TF-CBT web. An Online Training Course for Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy for Children and Adolescents</b> 10-hour online course ( <u>https://tfcbt2.musc.edu/</u> ). Medical University of South Carolina; National Crime Victims Research and Treatment Center, Charleston, SC.
12/2015	Military Culture: Core Competencies for Health Care Professionals Self-As- sessment and Introduction to Military Ethos Online course. US Department of Veterans Affairs, Employee Education System and Mental Health Services, in collaboration with the Department of Defense.

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10/2014	<b>Confronting the Challenges of Chronic Pain</b> 1-day professional conference hosted by Pain BC, Vancouver, BC.
10/2014	Integrating PTSD Treatment into DBT for Suicidal and Self-Injuring Clients with Borderline Personality Disorder 1-day workshop. Instructor: Dr. Melanie Harned, Behavioral Research and Ther- apy Clinics, Department of Psychology, University of Washington, Seattle.
09/2014	<b>Prolonged Exposure Therapy for PTSD</b> 4-day workshop. Instructor: Dr. David Yusko, Center for the Treatment and Study of Anxiety, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.
04/2014	<b>CPTweb – Cognitive Processing Therapy for PTSD</b> 9-hour online course ( <u>https://cpt2.musc.edu</u> ). Medical University of South Caro- lina, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences, Charleston, SC.
11/2013	<b>Distress Tolerance and Interpersonal Effectiveness Skills</b> 1-day workshop. Instructor: Dr. Alexander Chapman, Dialectical Behaviour Ther- apy Centre of Vancouver
03/2013	Lost in Translation – Exploring the Early Origins of Addiction Conference hosted by the Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse, UBC Department of Psychiatry, and CHÉOS. Vancouver, BC.
02/2011	Lost in Translation - Seeking Answers in Addiction and Concurrent Disorders Conference hosted by the Mental Health Commission of Canada, Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse, CIHR, UBC Department of Psychiatry, and CHÉOS. Van- couver, BC.
04-05/2010	<b>Dialectical Behavior Therapy (DBT)</b> 6-session workshop on theory and practice of DBT. Instructor: Dr. Lorne Korman, BC Mental Health and Addiction Services, Vancouver
11/2009	Into the Light - Transforming Mental Health in Canada Conference hosted by the Mental Health Commission of Canada, Vancouver Coastal Health and Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, BC.
10/2009	Wounded Souls and the Vulnerable Self: Trauma and Addiction – Causes, Consequences, and Treatment. Conference hosted by CHÉOS, UBC Institute of Mental Health, and Providence Health Care. Vancouver, BC.
01-07/2008	Curriculum: Cognitive-Behaviour Therapy for Children and Adolescents 200 theory hours. Tübingen Academy for Behaviour Therapy, Tübingen.
05-10/2006	<b>Cognitive-Behaviour Group Therapy</b> Volume: 48 theory hours; implementation of 60 double sessions of group therapy under supervision; and own participation in 80 hours of group therapy. Tübingen Academy for Behaviour Therapy, Tübingen.

10/2007	<b>Dialectical Behavior Therapy (DBT) for Borderline Personality Disorder</b> 36-hour (5-day) curriculum on theory and practice of DBT. Consortium for Evi- dence Based Psychotherapy, Freiburg, Germany.
09/2005	<b>Motivational Interviewing for the Treatment of Addiction</b> 8-hour workshop. Conference for Addiction Therapy, Tübingen.
03-04/2005	Alcoholism Specific Psychotherapy (ASP) 40-hour workshop. Instructor: Dr. Rigo Brueck. University Clinical Centre, Frei- burg, Germany.
09/2002-04/2008	<b>Clinical Training Program: Cognitive-Behaviour Therapy (CBT) for Adults</b> Volume: 600 theory hours; internships in psychiatry and psychotherapy (1800 hours); implementation of 600 individual sessions of CBT; 150 sessions of supervision, and own participation in group- and individual therapy (120 hours). Tübingen Academy for Behaviour Therapy, Tübingen.

## TEACHING\_

## Guest speaker\_

11/2023	The role of occupational therapists in supporting first responders with occu- pational stress injuries Webinar for members of the Canadian Association of Occupational Therapists (CAOT). Co-presenter: Kimberley Lennox
10/2022	Occupational therapy and psychology collaboration in trauma-focused psy- chotherapy Webinar for the Centre for Addiction and Mental Health (CAMH). Co-presenter: John Killoran
08/2022	<b>The role of occupational therapy in the treatment of PTSD</b> Webinar for members of the Canadian Association of Occupational Therapists (CAOT). Co-presenter: John Killoran
03/2022	<b>Collaborative psychotherapy and occupational therapy treatment for indi- viduals with work-related PTSD</b> Online presentation for the WorkSafeBC network of providers. Co-presenter: Montana Bahen
02/2020	<b>Operational stress: prevention and treatment</b> Presentation for the Vancouver Police Department Critical Incident Stress Management Team. Vancouver, BC
04/2018	<b>Unraveling posttraumatic stress disorder</b> Presentation in the Employability Webinar Series hosted by CBI Health Group. Co-presenter: Alison McWalter and Daniela Fisher

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03/2017	<b>PTSD: therapeutic strategies for occupational therapists</b> Presentation (on behalf of AnxietyBC) for OTs at Community Therapists, Burn- aby, BC, Canada
03/2016	Fear avoidance in PTSD and chronic pain Webinar for health care providers hosted by PainBC. Co-presenter: Sarah Gallant
07/2013	Substance use and trauma in vulnerable urban populations 1-day seminar for graduate students at the UBC School of Population and Public Health (with Dr. Michael Krausz), Vancouver, BC
04/2013	<b>Exploring trauma in research and practice</b> 3.5-hour seminar for IMPART Research Training Seminar trainees, Vancouver BC
08/2010	<b>Cognitive behavioural smoking cessation treatment for psychiatric clients</b> 2-lessons seminar for mental health counsellors (with Dr. Okoli), Richmond Men- tal Health Team, Richmond, BC, Canada
05/2010	How can we address sex and gender in smoking cessation counselling? Webinar for counsellors at the QuitNow services in London, ON, Canada
10/2009	Smoking cessation counselling strategies for pharmacists 2-hour lecture for pharmacy students, University of British Columbia, Vancouver
04/2008	<b>Smoking cessation interventions: pharmacological and counseling strategies</b> . 2-hour presentation for physicians. Professional development series, South-Wuerttemberg Medical Association, Reutlingen, Germany
02/2008	<b>Smoking cessation approaches for individuals with mental disorders</b> . 1-hour presentation for psychiatrists and psychologists. Psychiatric education series, Centre for Psychiatry, Bad Schussenried, Germany
02/2008	Managing problems during tobacco dependence treatment Supervision seminar for smoking cessation therapists. Tobacco Prevention Consor- tium Steiermark, Graz, Austria
02/2008	<b>Cognitive-behavioural group treatment for smoking cessation</b> 7-hour workshop for psychologists. Tobacco Prevention Consortium Steiermark, Graz, Austria
10/2007	Motivational interviewing and counselling for dependent smokers 4-hour workshop for psychiatric nurses, Münsterklinik, Zwiefalten, Germany
05/2007	A 6-week smoking cessation program - workshop for therapists Addiction prevention at work. Symposium of the University Hospital of Tübingen and the General Hospital of Sigmaringen, Germany
01/2007	<b>Treating tobacco use and dependence in the general practice.</b> 2-hour presentation for general practitioners. Continuing education series, Local Association of General Practitioners, Reutlingen, Germany

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02/2006	<b>The smoke-free school – from theory to practice</b> 2-hour training for teachers, Wilhelm Hauff Secondary School, Pfullingen, Ger- many
10/2005	<b>Cognitive-behavioural therapy for tobacco dependence</b> 2-hour training for the German Association of Psychotherapists and the German Association of Pharmacists, Karlsruhe, Germany
<u>Seminars</u>	
03/2014-05/2018	<b>Trauma and PTSD</b> Monthly training for clinicians at the Vancouver Pain Clinic. Developer and presenter
04/2012-10/2013	<b>Concurrent trauma and addiction – a knowledge exchange workshop</b> Monthly workshop with health care workers at the Sheway pregnancy outreach program for women who use substances, Vancouver. Co-developer and -presenter (with Dr. V. Strehlau)
06/2009-10/2009	<b>Tobacco dependence – research and practice (internal seminar)</b> British Columbia Centre of Excellence for Women's Health, Vancouver. Co-developer and -instructor (with Dr. C.T.C. Okoli)
10/1999-03/2001	<b>Social skills training</b> 3-semester training for students, University of Tübingen, Dep. of Psychology Therapist, tutor, and teacher
<u>Regular worksho</u>	ps
semi-annual 2007 - 2008	<b>Smoking cessation strategies for patients with mental disorders</b> 2-hour workshop within the 20-hour curriculum "Tobacco Dependence" University Hospital for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Tübingen
semi-annual 2004-2008	<b>Clinical diagnostics of tobacco dependence</b> 2-hour workshop within the 20- hour curriculum "Tobacco Dependence" University Hospital for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Tübingen
semi-annual 2004-2008	<b>Smoking prevention</b> 2-hour workshop within the 20- hour curriculum "Tobacco Dependence" Tübingen, University Hospital for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy
semi-annual 2007-2008	Smoking and tobacco dependence Seminar for nursing students, University Hospital of Tübingen.
annual: 2003-2007 2005-2007	Motivational enhancement strategies for tobacco dependence 2-hour workshop within the 20- hour curriculum "Tobacco Dependence" Tübingen Conference for Addiction Therapy Hamburg Conference for Addiction Therapy

annual 2003-2006	<b>Intensive cognitive-behavioural therapy for smoking cessation</b> Presentation within the 3- hour workshop "Smoking cessation treatment" 1 <sup>rst</sup> -4 <sup>th</sup> German Conference on Tobacco Control of the German Cancer Research Centre, Heidelberg, Germany
FUNDING SUPPORT	[
07/2018-06/2020	Women, victimization, and homelessness: Towards a conceptual model to ad- vance trauma-informed research, policy and practice. Project Grant, Canadian Institutes of Health Research (PI: Dr. Jim Frankish). \$68,850; Co- Applicant.
11/2012-10/2013	A trauma-informed knowledge exchange curriculum for a community service targeting mothers with addiction and concurrent disorders. Meeting, Knowledge, and Dissemination Grant, Canadian Institutes of Health Research. \$13,394; Principal Applicant.
09/2009-08/2013	<b>iTAG</b> (Investigating Tobacco and Gender) Postdoctoral Research Fellowship. Canadian Institutes of Health Research Emerging Team Grant (PI: Dr. Joan Bot- torff). University of British Columbia, Institute of Healthy Living and Chronic Dis- ease Prevention, Kelowna. \$5,000/year. Award Recipient.
12/2009-11/2012	The comparative efficacy of cognitive-behavioural and hypnotherapy for smoking cessation. German Cancer Aid (PI: Dr. Anil Batra), €460,000 (\$583,540). Co-Applicant.
06/2009-05/2011	Social and build environments and gendered effects of second-hand smoke policies. Policy Research Grant, Canadian Tobacco Control Research Initiative. Health (PI: Dr. Lorraine Greaves). \$79,994. Co-Applicant.
03/2010-02/2011	Knowledge translation on smoking reduction and cessation interventions for pregnant and postpartum girls and women. Federal Tobacco Control Strategy Grant, Health Canada (PI: Dr. Lorraine Greaves). \$30,755. Co-Applicant.
09/2008-08/2010	<b>IMPART Postdoctoral Research Fellowship</b> . Intersections of Mental Health Per- spectives in Addictions Research Training (IMPART; CIHR Strategic Training In- itiative in Health Research), BC Centre of Excellence for Women's Health (PI: Dr. Lorraine Greaves). \$40,000/year. Award Recipient.
04/2009-03/2010	Smoking cessation programs targeted to women. Seed Grant, Women's Health Research Network, \$4000. Principal Applicant.
04/2009-03/2010	<b>Integrated treatment of concurrent trauma and substance use disorder</b> . Seed Grant, BC Mental Health and Addictions Research Network, \$3500. Principal Applicant.
08/2004-07/2007	Smoking cessation treatments adapted to biological and psychological out- come predictors – a chance for improvement of treatment outcome. German Ministry for Education and Research (PI: Dr. Anil Batra), €300,000 (\$380,500). Co-Applicant.

### PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

#### PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 1. Mackoff J, Lennox K, Torchalla I (under review). Collaborative trauma-focused occupational therapy and psychotherapy for work-related PTSD: two case studies.
- 2. Batra A, Eck S, Riegel B, Friedrich S, Fuhr K, Torchalla I, Tönnies S (2024). Hypnotherapy compared to cognitive-behavioral therapy for smoking cessation in a randomized controlled trial. *Frontiers in Psychology*; <u>https://doi.org/10.3389/fpsyg.2024.1330362</u>.
- 3. Torchalla I, Killoran J (2022). Interdisciplinary trauma-focused treatment and return-to-work support for a police officer with work-related PTSD: a case study. *Journal of Contemporary Psychotherapy*, 52(4):319-327.
- 4. Torchalla I, Killoran J, Fisher D, Bahen M (2019). Trauma-focused treatment for individuals with posttraumatic stress disorder: The role of occupational therapy. *Occupational Therapy in Mental Health*; 35(4): 386-406.
- 5. Torchalla I, Strehlau V (2018). The evidence base for interventions targeting individuals with work-related PTSD: a systematic review and recommendations. *Behavior Modification*; 42(2), 273-303.
- 6. Strehlau V, Torchalla I, Patterson M, Laing A, Addorisio S, Frankish J, Krausz M, Somers J (2017). Recruitment and retention of homeless individuals with mental illness in a housing first intervention study. *Contemporary Clinical Trials Communication 7: 48-56*.
- 7. Goossens I, Nicholls T, Torchalla I, Brink J, de Ruiter C (2016). The perceived impact of traumafocused research with forensic psychiatric patients with lifetime victimization histories. *Journal of Empirical Research on Human Research Ethics 11; 4: 334-345.*
- 8. Torchalla I, Linden IA, Strehlau V, Neilson E, Krausz M (2015). "Like a lots happened with my whole childhood": Violence, trauma, and addiction in pregnant and postpartum women from Vancouver's Downtown Eastside. *Harm Reduction Journal 12; 1: 1-10.*
- 9. Neilson E, Mar M, Torchalla I, Krausz M (2015). Help seeking experiences of youth with suicidal ideations. *Journal of Patient Experience 1; 2: 22-27.*
- 10. Bottorff JL, Robinson CA, Sarbit G, Graham RB, Kelly MT, Torchalla I (2015). A motivational, gender-sensitive smoking cessation resource for family members of people with lung cancer. *Oncology Nursing Forum 42*; 4: 363-370.
- 11. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Li K, Linden IA, Noel F, Krausz M (2014). Posttraumatic stress disorder and substance use disorder comorbidity in homeless adults: Prevalence, correlates, and sex differences. *Psychology of Addictive Behaviors 28; 2: 443-452.*
- 12. Mar M, Linden I, Torchalla I, Li K, Krausz M (2014). Are childhood abuse and neglect related to age of first homelessness episode among currently homeless adults? *Violence and Victims 16; 6: 999-1013*.
- 13. Sahoo S, Torchalla I, Krausz M (2014). Gender differences in early trauma and high risk behaviors among street entrenched Youth in British Columbia. *International Journal of Adolescent Medicine & Health* 26; 4: 489-493.
- 14. Mar M, Neilson E, Torchalla I, Werker G, Krausz M (2014). Exploring E-Mental Health Preferences of Generation Y. *Journal of Technology in Human Services 32; 4:, 312-327*.
- 15. Bottorff JL, Haines-Saah R, Kelly M, Oliffe JL, Torchalla I, Poole N, Greaves L, Robinson CA, Ensom MHH, Okoli CTC, Phillips JC (2014). Gender, smoking and tobacco reduction and cessation: A scoping review. *International Journal for Equity in Health 13; 1: 114*.
- Torchalla I, Li K, Strehlau V, Linden IA, Krausz M (2014). Religious participation and substance use behavior in a Canadian sample of homeless individuals. *Community Mental Health Journal* 50; 7: 862-869.

- 17. Strehlau V, Torchalla I, Linden I, Li K, Krausz M (2014). Sexual health, vulnerabilities, and risk behaviors among homeless adults. *Sexual Health 11; 1: 91-93*.
- 18. Linden IA, Torchalla I, Krausz M (2013). Addiction in maternity: prevalence of mental illness, substance use, and trauma. *Journal of Aggression, Maltreatment, and Trauma 22; 10: 1070-1084.*
- 19. Schütz C, Linden IA, Torchalla I, Aldesouki M, Li K, Krausz M (2013). The Burnaby Treatment Center for Mental Health and Addiction, a novel integrated treatment program for patients with addiction and concurrent disorders: results from a program evaluation. *BMC Health Services Research 13:* 288.
- 20. Krausz M, Clarkson A, Strehlau V, Torchalla I, Li K, Schuetz C (2013). Mental disorder, service use, and barriers to care among 500 homeless people in 3 different urban settings. *Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology* 48, 8: 1235-1243.
- 21. Krausz M, Strehlau V, Schütz C, Torchalla I (2013). Frühe Traumatisierung bei Menschen in Wohnungslosigkeit und Armut Ergebnisse aus einer kanadischen Studie [Early traumatization among individuals living in homelessness and poverty Results of a Canadian study]. *Trauma & Gewalt 7; 4: 290-300.*
- 22. Krausz M, Schutz C, Torchalla I, Backmund M (2013). Stand der heroingestützten Behandlung aus internationaler Sicht [Current state of heroin-assisted treatment from an international perspective]. *Suchtmedizin in Forschung und Praxis 15; 5: 303-308.*
- 23. Collins SE, Eck S, Torchalla I, Schroeter M, Batra A (2013). Understanding treatment-seeking smokers' motivation to change: Content analysis of the decisional balance worksheet. *Addictive Behaviors* 38, 1: 1472-1480.
- 24. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Li K, Schuetz C, Krausz M (2012). The association between childhood maltreatment subtypes and current suicide risk among homeless men and women. *Child Maltreatment* 17, 2: 132-143.
- 25. Strehlau V, Torchalla I, Li K, Schuetz C, Krausz M (2012). Mental health, concurrent disorders, and health care utilization in homeless women. *Journal of Psychiatric Practice 18, 5: 349-360*.
- 26. Torchalla I, Nosen L, Rostam H, Allen P (2012). Integrated treatment programs for individuals with concurrent substance use disorders and trauma experiences: A systematic review and meta-analysis. *Journal of Substance Abuse Treatment 42, 1: 65-77.*
- 27. Torchalla I, Okoli CTC, Bottorff JL, Qu A, Poole N, Greaves L (2012). Smoking cessation interventions targeted to women: A systematic review. *Women & Health 52, 1: 32-54.*
- 28. Okoli CTC, Torchalla I, Khara M (2012). Sex differences in nicotine dependence among addictions clients accessing a smoking cessation programme in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. *Journal of Psychiatric and Mental Health Nursing 19, 9: 776-784*.
- 29. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Okoli CTC, Li K, Schuetz C, Krausz M (2011). Smoking and predictors of nicotine dependence in a homeless population. *Nicotine & Tobacco Research 13, 10: 934-942*.
- 30. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Li K, Krausz M (2011). Substance use and predictors of substance dependence in homeless women. *Drug and Alcohol Dependence 118, 2-3: 173-179*.
- 31. Okoli CTC, Torchalla I, Oliffe J, Bottorff JL. (2011). Men's smoking cessation interventions: A brief review. *Journal of Men's Health 8, 2: 100-108.*
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- 2. Strehlau V, Torchalla I, Linden IA, Krausz M (May 2015). Changes in staff practices, attitudes, and trauma-related knowledge 12 months after a comprehensive trauma-informed curriculum. Poster presented at the *168th Annual Meeting of the American Psychiatric Association*, New York, NY, USA.
- 3. Strehlau V, Krausz M, Torchalla I (May 2014). A Trauma-Informed Curriculum for Sheway, a Community Service for Pregnant Women and New Mothers With Addiction and Complex Concurrent Disorders. Poster presented at the *167th Annual Meeting of the American Psychiatric Association*, New York, NY, USA.
- 4. Bottorff JL, Robinson CA, Sarbit G, Torchalla I (November 2013). Built for two: A motivational approach to quit smoking for families of patients with lung cancer. Poster presented at the 8<sup>th</sup> National Conference on Tobacco or Health, Ottawa, ON.
- 5. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Linden I, Smylie D, Krausz M (March 2013). Addressing trauma in mothers with addiction a training workshop for harm-reduction oriented community services. Poster presented at *Lost in Translation exploring the early origins of addiction*. Conference hosted by the Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse, UBC Department of Psychiatry, and CHÉOS. Vancouver, BC.
- 6. Ogilvie L, Torchalla I, Krausz M (March 2013). Multiple Substance Use in British Columbia's Street Entrenched Youth. Poster presented at *Lost in Translation – exploring the early origins of addiction*. Conference hosted by the Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse, UBC Department of Psychiatry, and CHÉOS. Vancouver, BC.

- 7. Robinson CA, Bottorff JL, Sarbit G, Torchalla I (presenter) (October 2012). The Gender Agenda in Health Promotion: Motivating Smoking Cessation Among Women and Men in Families of Lung Cancer Patients. Oral presentation at *Advancing Excellence in Gender, Sex, and Health Research*. Conference hosted by the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Institute of Gender and Health. Montreal, QC.
- 8. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Linden I, Li K, Krausz M (October 2012). Gender differences in homeless individuals with concurrent substance use disorder and posttraumatic stress disorder. Poster presented at *Advancing Excellence in Gender, Sex, and Health Research*. Conference hosted by the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) Institute of Gender and Health. Montreal, QC.
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- Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Li K, Krausz M (2011, February). Substance use and predictors of substance dependence in homeless women. Poster presented at *Lost in Translation – seeking answers in addictions and concurrent disorders*. Conference hosted by the Mental Health Commission of Canada, Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse, CIHR, UBC Department of Psychiatry, and CHÉOS. Vancouver, BC.
- 11. Strehlau V, Torchalla I, Li K, Krausz M (2011, February). Mental health and suicidality in homeless women. Poster presented at *Lost in Translation seeking answers in addictions and concurrent disorders*. Conference hosted by the Mental Health Commission of Canada, Canadian Centre on Substance Abuse, CIHR, UBC Department of Psychiatry, and CHÉOS. Vancouver, BC.
- 12. Hemsing N, Greaves L, Poole N, Okoli CTC, Torchalla I (2010, October). Knowledge Translation on Smoking Reduction and Cessation Interventions for Pregnant and Postpartum Girls and Women. Poster presented at the *Bridging the Worlds of Practice, Research and Education*, 21st National Conference of the Association of Women's Health, Obstetric and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN), Montreal, QC.
- 13. Vittoz NM, Sullivan KM, Torchalla, I, Rostam H, Brache K, Greaves L (2009, November). IMPART - Integrated Mental Health Perspectives in Addictions Research Training: Bridging the challenges of transdisciplinarity in sex and gender, addictions, and mental health. Poster presented at *Into the light transforming mental health in Canada*. Conference hosted by the Mental Health Commission of Canada, Vancouver Coastal Health and Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, BC.
- Torchalla I, Batra A, Collins SE, Schroeter M, Eck S (2009, November). A cluster-randomized trial of smoking cessation treatment tailored to multidimensional smoker profiles. Poster presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> National Conference on Tobacco or Health, Montreal, QC.
- 15. Okoli, C, Torchalla, I, Ratner, P, Johnson, J (2009, November). Are there differences in the smoking identities of adolescent boys and girls? Poster presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> National Conference on Tobacco or Health, Montreal, QC.
- 16. Coletti M, Torchalla I (October, 2009). Sexual abuse, violence, and neglect under family therapy. Oral presentation at *Wounded souls and the vulnerable self: Trauma and addiction causes, consequences, and treatment.* Conference hosted by the Centre for Health Evaluation and Outcome Sciences (CHÉOS), UBC Institute of Mental Health, and Providence Health CareVancouver, BC.
- 17. Torchalla I, Collins SE, Schroeter M, Batra A (2006, September). Rauchertypen und differentielle Behandlungserfolge Implikationen für die Therapie [Smoker subtypes and differential abstinence rates Implications for therapy]. Poster presented at the 45<sup>th</sup> Congress of the German Association for Psychology (DGPs), Nuernberg, Germany.
- 18. Batra A, Collins SE, Schroeter M, Torchalla I (2006, May). Smoking cessation treatments adapted to biological and psychological outcome predictors a chance for improvement of treatment outcome.

Poster presented at Understanding Addiction: Mediators and Moderators of Behaviour Change Processes.  $2^{nd}$  Meeting of the German Addiction Research Network, Dresden.

- 19. Batra A, Collins SE, Schroeter M, Torchalla I, Buchkremer G (2006, March). Subklinische psychopathologische Phänotypen der Raucher – Ansatzpunkt für eine risikogruppenspezifische Raucherentwöhnungstherapie [Subclinical smoker subtypes – implications for the development of riskgroup specific interventions]. Poster presented at the *Annual Meeting of the German Society for Addiction Research and Addiction Therapy*, Regensburg, Germany.
- 20. Torchalla I, Collins SE, Schroeter M, Buchkremer G, Batra A (October, 2004). Biological and psychological predictors of tobacco abstinence. Oral presentation at the 6<sup>th</sup> European Conference of the Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco (SRNT Europe), Tübingen.

#### PRESENTATIONS AT HEALTH CONFERENCES AND RESEARCH SERIES

- 1. Torchalla I (2023, January). Invited speaker. Interdisciplinary, trauma-focused occupational therapy and psychology treatment for first responders with PTSD. *BC First Responders' Mental Health Conference. Connecting Leaders to Promote First Responders' Mental Health*. Hosted by the BC First Responders' Mental Health Committee. Richmond, BC.
- 2. Torchalla I & Gallant S (2014, October). Fear avoidance in chronic pain and PTSD. Oral presentation at *Pain BC's 2014 Interdisciplinary Conference "Confronting the Challenges of Chronic Pain"*. Vancouver, BC.
- 3. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Linden IA, Neilson E, Krausz M (June, 2014). "Like a lots happened with my whole childhood": Violence, trauma, and addiction in pregnant and postpartum women from Vancouver's Downtown Eastside. Poster presented at the 29th Annual Research Day of the University of British Columbia, Department of Psychiatry. Vancouver, BC.
- 4. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Linden I, Li K, Krausz M (June 2013). Gender differences in homeless individuals with concurrent substance use disorder and posttraumatic stress disorder. Poster presented at the 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Research Day of the University of British Columbia, Department of Psychiatry. Vancouver, BC.
- 5. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Li K, Linden I, Schuetz C, Krausz M (2012, October). Substance use, mental health, and their comorbidities: women-specific results and gender differences in the BC Health of the Homeless Survey. Oral presentation at the *Concurrent Disorders Research Meeting*, Child & Family Research Institute, Vancouver.
- 6. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Li K, Schuetz C, Krausz M (2012, September). How are histories of childhood trauma associated with adult suicide risk? Results from the BC Health of the Homeless Survey. *Work in Progress Speakers Series*, Centre for Health Evaluation and Outcome Sciences (CHÉOS), Vancouver.
- 7. Torchalla I (2012, March). Invited speaker. The Science of stopping smoking. *Heart and Lung Health FEST 2012 Scientific Symposium*. Institute for Heart and Lung Health. Vancouver, BC.
- 8. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Linden IA (2012, February). Concurrent trauma and addiction gender issues and promising treatment approaches. Oral presentation at the *Winter Workshop on Addiction Research*. Whistler, BC.
- Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Li K, Krausz M (2011, June). Substance use and predictors of substance dependence in homeless women. Poster presented at the 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Research Day of the University of British Columbia, Department of Psychiatry. Vancouver, BC.
- 10. Strehlau V, Torchalla I, Li K, Krausz M (2011, June). Mental health and suicidality in homeless women. Poster presented at the 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Research Day of the University of British Columbia, Department of Psychiatry. Vancouver, BC.

- 11. Torchalla I, Strehlau V, Li K, Krausz M (2011, June). Substance use and dependence in homeless women Results from the BC Health of the Homeless Survey. *Work in Progress Speakers Series*, Centre for Health Evaluation and Outcome Sciences (CHÉOS), Vancouver.
- 12. Taplin C, Strehlau V, Torchalla I, Li K, Schechter M, Krausz M (2011, April). Childhood trauma, family history of alcohol and drug abuse, and age of first drug injection. Poster presented at the conference of the UBC Faculty of Medicine, Vancouver, BC.
- 13. Torchalla I (2008, October). Sex and gender differences in smoking behaviour and cessation. *Speakers series*, British Columbia Centre of Excellence for Women's Health, Vancouver.
- 14. Torchalla I (2007, December). Invited speaker. Geschlechterspezifische Aspekte bei der Behandlung der Tabakabhängigkeit [Gender aspects in the treatment of tobacco dependence]. 5<sup>th</sup> German Conference on Tobacco Control. German Cancer Research Center (DKFZ), Heidelberg, Germany.
- 15. Torchalla I (2007, September). Invited speaker. Psychologische Aspekte der Tabakabhängigkeit [Psychological aspects of tobacco dependence]. "*Präventika" 1<sup>rst</sup> Conference on Health and Prevention*. German Association for the Prevention of Cardiovascular Diseases (DGPr), Karlsruhe, Germany.
- 16. Torchalla I, Collins S, Schroeter M, Batra A (2005, September). Rauchertypen und differentielle Entwöhnungserfolge [Smoker subtypes and differential abstinence rates]. *Addiction Research Education Series*. University Hospital for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Tübingen.
- 17. Torchalla I (2005, May). Invited speaker. Das Tabakentwöhnungsprogramm ,Nichtraucher in 6 Wochen [A 6-week cognitive-behavioural smoking cessation intervention]. *"Health Professionals and Tobacco Control"*. Symposium of the Insurance Institution for Railways and Mining, Graz, Austria.
- 18. Torchalla I (2004, June). Invited speaker. Tabakabhängigkeit [Tobacco dependence]. "Addicted to Party" European Conference for Party Drugs. Association for Drugs and Intoxicants (FDR), Erfurt, Germany.

#### **INVITED COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS**

- 1. Torchalla I (2019, April). Moving forward after trauma. Hosted by the West Vancouver Public Library and the North Shore Stress & Anxiety Clinic. West Vancouver, BC.
- 2. Greaves L, Gibson E, Rostam H, Torchalla I, Uban K (2009, February). *Café Scientific "Understanding Addiction: Nature Meets Nurture"*. Hosted by BC Centre for Excellence for Women's Health in collaboration with CIHR. Café Du Soleil, Vancouver.
- 3. Torchalla I (2007, September). Rauchen und Raucherentwöhnung [Smoking and smoking cessation]. Information seminar for patients of the Psychiatric Day Clinic, Tübingen.
- 4. Torchalla I (2005 and 2007, March). Tabakabhängigkeit und Möglichkeiten der Entwöhnung [Tobacco dependence and smoking cessation strategies]. Motivational seminar for patients of the Psychosocial Outreach Clinic for Substance Use Disorders, Tübingen.
- 5. Torchalla I, Döbler A (2006, April). Die rauchfreie Schule [The smoke free school]. Information seminar for students of the Friedrich List Secondary School, Reutlingen.
- 6. Torchalla I (2005, May). Tabakabhängigkeit und Entwöhnungsmöglichkeiten [Tobacco dependence and smoking cessation]. Presentation at the Open House of the Adult Education Centre, Tübingen.
- Torchalla I (2004, October). Rauchen und Tabakabhängigkeit [Smoking and tobacco dependence]. Presentation at the World Mental Health Day, University Clinic for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy, Tübingen.