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Number of Workshops/Conferences Held/Offered by the Centre

Workshops

Reconciliation, Economic Opportunities and Emotional Wellbeing of First Nations Peoples: Yarning and learning together – 02 Feb 2023

WA Node 2023 Workshop 1 – 23 Mar 2023

Queensland Node Event – 17 May 2023

Australian Institute of Health and Welfare Workshop – 02 Jun 2023

Places / Opportunities Symposium – 22 Jun 2023

Single parenting, co-parenting, and post-separation families: Challenges and opportunities in times of crisis – 23 Jun 2023

Melbourne Node Workshop – 08 Aug 2023

Partnership Summit – 17 Aug 2023

Melbourne Node Workshop – 06 Sep 2023

Qualitative Research Methods Network Meeting – 19 Sep 2023

Places Partner Workshop (Agent-based Modelling) – 03 Oct 2023

Anti-Poverty Week Roundtable – 18 Oct 2023

Public Economics Forum – 30 Oct 2023

Conferences

International Congress on Evidence-based Parenting Support – 6-8 Jun 2023

International Sociological Association World Congress – 26-30 Jun 2023

Life Course Centre Data for Policy Summit – 15-16 Aug 2023

Outlook Conference – 02 Nov 2023

Seminars

Life Course Centre Seminar: ‘How do neural networks analyse drowsiness level for drivers?’ Presented by Prof Helen Huang and Dr Ruihong Qiu, University of Queensland – 28 Feb 2023

Life Course Centre Seminar: ‘Measurement of self-reported mental health – are the gender patterns changed when both symptoms and impairment are considered?’ Presented by Prof Curt Hagquist, University of Gothenburg – 13 Mar 2023

Life Course Centre Seminar: ‘Reducing Racial Inequality in Crime and Justice: U.S. National Academies of Science Consensus Report.’ Presented by Prof Bruce Western, Columbia University in the City of New York – 16 May 2023

Life Course Centre Seminar: ‘Who responds to school accountability information? Evidence from the launch of the MySchool website.’ Presented by A/Prof Cain Polidano, University of Melbourne – 30 May 2023

Life Course Centre Seminar: ‘Sustainable cities: integrating land use and transport systems.’ Presented by Prof Mark Stevenson, University of Melbourne – 13 Jul 2023

Life Course Centre Seminar: ‘Agent Based Modelling for Understanding Social Systems.’ Presented by Dr Rajith Vidanaarachchi, University of Melbourne – 07 Sep 2023

Life Course Centre Seminar: ‘By how much is ‘women’s work’ undervalued in the economy?’ Presented by Dr Leonora Risse, RMIT – 28 Nov 2023

Number of Training Courses Held/Offered by the Centre

How to do a systematic review – 06 Feb 2023

Community Involvement Training (Session 1) – 07 Mar 2023

Community Involvement Training (Session 2) – 14 Mar 2023

Community Involvement Training (Session 3) – 21 Mar 2023

Myers-Briggs Training for Professional Staff Workshop – 19 Apr 2023

ARMS Fundamentals of Project Management – 14-19 Jun 2023

Mastering Research Translation Workshop (Session 1) – 18 Jul 2023

Mastering Research Translation Workshop (Session 2) – 25 Jul 2023

Student Symposium – 26 Jul 2023

Mastering Research Translation Workshop (Session 3) – 01 Aug 2023

Pitching Your Research – 08 Nov 2023

How to Develop Successful Collaborations – 08 Nov 2023

Multi-, trans- and inter-disciplinary research – 08 Nov 2023

Collaborating across Centre, Disciplines and Nodes – 08-09 Nov 2023

Presenting with Confidence Training – 10 Nov 2023

Additional Researchers Working on Centre Research

New Postdoctoral Researchers

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Mr Zhi Chen	The University of Queensland
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Dr K.M. Shahunja	The University of Queensland
Dr Esperanza Vera-Toscano	The University of Melbourne
Dr Pengfei Zhang	The University of Queensland

Honours students

Student	Supervisor(s)	Institution
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Darrel Yao Jie Chang	A/Prof Alina Morawska	The University of Queensland
Diego Machillanda Flechas		The University of Melbourne
Grace Lagan	Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark	The University of Sydney
Madison Lloyd	Dr Alice Campbell	The University of Queensland
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Blake Pyne	A/Prof Alina Morawska	The University of Queensland
Olivia Ru	Prof Agnieszka Tymula Dr Jonathan Levy	The University of Sydney
Juan Zhong	A/Prof Alina Morawska	The University of Queensland

New PhD Students

Student	Supervisor(s)	Institution	Topic
Md Ashraful Alam	A/Prof Abdullah Mamun Prof Leonie Callaway	University of Queensland	Environmental exposures in pregnancy and birth outcomes in Queensland: A study for better policy and health outcomes
Ms Emma Charlton	Dr Lynne Millar Dr Gina Trapp Dr Siobhan Hickling	University of Western Australia	Can addressing underlying social factors at a system-level improve food security in disadvantaged communities in Western Australia?
Mx Skye Constantine	Prof Cameron Parsell Dr Ella Kuskoff	University of Queensland	Learning from living experience: Can consumer participation help end homelessness in Australia?
Miss Thuy Linh Duong	A/Prof Abdullah Mamun Prof James Ward Prof Harold McIntyre	University of Queensland	Gestational Diabetes Mellitus and its health impacts on First Nations Women and Children in Queensland Australia

Ms Branislava Godic	Dr Sachith Seneviratne A/Prof Jason Thompson Dr Rajith Vidanaarachchi A/Prof Debbie Scott	University of Melbourne	The role of modelling and evidence in policymaking
Thuy Anh Nguyen	Dr April Hoang	University of Queensland	Social-Emotional Competence: A Multidimensional Perspective in Vietnamese Schools
George Normore	Dr Sally Staton Dr Peter Rankin	University of Queensland	Physiological outcomes of transitions in early childhood
Ayu Namira Paramecwari	Dr April Hoang	University of Queensland	The Impact of Parent Mental Health Symptoms on Parenting and Family Adjustment Outcomes in Families Who Attend a Child Development Service
Gonzalo Paz Silva	A/Prof Abdullah Mamun Dr Yaqoot Fatima	University of Queensland	Exposure to Trihalomethanes in pregnancy and birth outcomes in Queensland: integrated data analysis and case studies for better policy and health outcomes

New Masters by Research Students

Student	Supervisor(s)	Institution
Madeline Frohlich	A/Prof Ilan Wiesel	University of Melbourne
Emma Kaye	Prof Mark Stevenson	University of Melbourne
Ms Beibei Wang	Prof Nick Glozier	University of Sydney

New Associate Investigators

Researcher	Institution
A/Prof Jasneek Chawla	The University of Queensland
Prof Mark Western	The University of Queensland

Other Researchers (non-postdoctoral and in-kind)

Researcher	Institution
Dr Vincent Mancini	The University of Western Australia
Dr Rebecca McKibbin	The University of Sydney
Dr Ning Xiang	The University of Queensland
Corinne Zadow	The University of Western Australia
Harshita Bhatia	The University of Melbourne
Patricia Lewis	The University of Western Australia
Hannah Moore	The University of Western Australia
Youjin Choe	The University of Melbourne
Ms Emily Munro	The University of Western Australia
Ms Avita Streatfield	The University of Melbourne

Number of Postgraduate Completions

Student	Supervisor(s)	Institution	Program	Topic
Dr Pulan Bai	A/Prof Hayley Christian Prof Jasper Schipperjin	University of Western Australia	PhD	Patterns and profiles of preschool children's physical activity in the home, neighbourhood and early childhood education and care centres: A cross-sectional study using device based measures of physical activity behaviour and objective measures
Dr Dure Jabran	Dr Yaqoot Fatima Dr Azhar Hussain Potia Prof Simon Smith	University of Queensland	PhD	Sleep Health Promotion in Indigenous youth workers as "Sleep Coaches"
Dr Yongbo Liu	Prof Janeen Baxter Dr Jack Lam Dr Martin O'Flaherty	University of Queensland	PhD	Multigenerational health inequality in Australia: The influence of grandparental socio-economic status on

				grandchild health outcomes
Dr Thao Thu Nguyen	Prof Guyonne Kalb	University of Melbourne	PhD	Essays in education economics: Children with immigration backgrounds in Australia from preschool to adolescence
Dr Sonia Pervin	Dr Yaqoot Fatima A/Prof Abdullah Mamun	University of Queensland	PhD	Resemblance of parent-offspring dietary patterns and the development of offspring cardiometabolic risks: A life course perspective
Dr Aaron Schokman	Prof Nick Glozier	University of Sydney	PhD	Assessing patient-centred access of health services amongst Australians with Narcolepsy
Dr Bonnie Searle	Prof Karen Thorpe Dr Sally Staton	University of Queensland	PhD	Why mealtimes matter: food provision and practices in childcare centres serving low-income communities
Dr K.M. Shahunja	A/Prof Abdullah Mamun	University of Queensland	PhD	Trajectories of asthma symptom and their associations with family, neighbourhood, and psychosocial environmental factors among children in Australia
Dr Nikita Sharma	A/Prof Jenny Povey Prof Janeen Baxter Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski	University of Queensland	PhD	Same-same but different? Country of origin and labour market outcomes of immigrants in Australia. In my thesis, I analysed different measures of integration in the labour market for immigrant men and women from different countries of origin using the HILDA Survey.

Ms Ruth Steinbring	Prof Janeen Baxter Dr Jack Lam Dr Francisco Perales	University of Queensland	MPhil	Female breadwinners: paid and unpaid work in families where women earn more than men
Dr Zijian Wang	Prof Helen Huang	University of Queensland	PhD	Improving the generalisation ability of machine learning models, which enables the model to achieve goals in different deployment environments
Miss Sofia Weerts	A/Prof Ilan Wiesel	University of Melbourne	Masters	Longing for belonging: Mapping young queer women's belonging in Melbourne
Dr Alicia Yon	Prof Brendan Gleeson	University of Melbourne	PhD	Access, participation, and inclusion: the gender-disability-violence-service planning nexus and the role of integrated planning policy in addressing the right to adequate services
Dr Pengfei Zhang	Prof Helen Huang	University of Queensland	PhD	Protecting data contents against unauthorised uses by methods such as adversarial examples learning and federated learning, and learning light-weight systems to efficiently deal with data
Dr Asma Zulfiqar	A/Prof Jenny Povey Prof Janeen Baxter	University of Queensland	PhD	Moving mountains: Pathways out of Patriarchy for Pakistani Women

Mentoring

Mentoring Programs offered by the Centre

- One-on-one mentoring program: long-term mentoring (Mentorloop)
- One-on-one mentoring program: focused mentoring

- Group mentoring program: career mentoring for students and ECRs
- Group mentoring program: networking opportunities for students and ECRs
- Diverse Advisory Teams: multi-disciplinary and multi-nodal teams for HDR students.
- Mentoring through committee memberships

Mentoring Workshops

Meet the Researcher: Alfredo Paloyo – 18 Apr 2023

Applying for Centre Funding: info session – 06 Jun 2023

Meet the Researcher: Peter Rankin – 15 Jun 2023

Kathy Edin – VIST/Mentoring – 22 Jun 2023

Meet the Researcher: Lynne Millar – 10 Aug 2023

Presentations and Briefings

Academic

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Sarah Johnson (02 Feb 2023) presented ‘The Western Australian Aboriginal Child Health Survey (WAACHS) data linkage study’ at Reconciliation, Opportunities for, and Wellbeing of First Nations Peoples: Yarning and Learning Together, Charles Perkins Centre, The University of Sydney, Sydney.

A/Prof Cain Polidano, & A/Prof Julie Moschion (02 Feb 2023) presented ‘Historical frontier violence: Drivers, legacy and the role of truth-telling’ at Reconciliation, Opportunities for, and Wellbeing of First Nations Peoples: Yarning and Learning Together, Charles Perkins Centre, The University of Sydney.

A/Prof Cain Polidano (02 Feb 2023) presented ‘Indigenous economic Power Project (IEPP): Visualising Indigenous businesses’ at Reconciliation, Opportunities for, and Wellbeing of First Nations Peoples: Yarning and Learning Together, Charles Perkins Centre, The University of Sydney.

Prof Guyonne Kalb, Prof Rhema Vaithianathan, & Prof Stefanie Schurer (02 Feb 2023) presented ‘Against the odds: Understanding the factors influencing wellbeing among Indigenous youth in the Northern Territory’ at Reconciliation, Opportunities for, and Wellbeing of First Nations Peoples: Yarning and Learning together, Charles Perkins Centre, The University of Sydney.

Ms Melissa Kennedy, Dr Sangeetha Chandrashekeran, & Mr Brendan Kennedy (02 Feb 2023) presented ‘Impact of water rights on wellbeing of the Tati-Tati people’ at Reconciliation, Opportunities for, and Wellbeing of First Nations Peoples: Yarning and Learning Together, Charles Perkins Centre, The University of Sydney.

Prof Karen Thorpe (09 Feb 2023) attended the Avon Longitudinal Study of Parents and Children fathers Edinburgh Postnatal Depression Scale paper.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Karen Healy, & A/Prof Jenny Povey (09 Feb 2023) attended the Out of Home Care Project Management & Advisory Group.

Prof Karen Thorpe (20 Feb 2023) presented 'Work on "at risk" parent- child relationships' at the Avon Longitudinal Study of Parents and Children fathers Edinburgh Postnatal Depression Scale meeting, Charles Darwin University.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (07 Mar 2023) attended the MADIP Population Health Analytical Working Group Meeting, with the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (08 Mar 2023) attended the WA Department of Health Data Linkage Research Advisory Meeting, Department of Health, Western Australia.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Mark Western (09 Mar 2023) presented 'Data systems that work for data users' at Our Data Sources as a Strategic National Asset Symposium, Te Papa Tongarewa Museum of New Zealand, University of Auckland.

Prof Janeen Baxter (14 Mar 2023) attended the Committee for Economic Development in Australia (CEDA) Council on Economic Policy (CCEP) Meeting 1 – 2023.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (14 Mar 2023) presented the invited guest lecture 'The built environment and health' to postgraduate students in the Health Promotion unit, School of Population and Global Health, The University of Western Australia.

Prof Janeen Baxter (15 Mar 2023) attended the Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia Working Group.

Prof Karen Thorpe (16 Mar 2023) attended the Future libraries: Better communities stakeholder symposium.

Prof Karen Thorpe (17 Mar 2023) attended the First 5 Forever Evaluation Overview at State Library, Queensland.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (18 Mar 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program' at Early Childhood Learning & Development Conference 2023, Perth.

Dr Stefanie Plage (21 Mar 2023) presented 'Fostering relationships between academic and industry sectors' at Addressing Social Inequalities workshop event – Inequalities and Social Action Cluster, Brisbane Common Ground, Micah Projects, Brisbane.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Ms Kate Erceg (22 Mar 2023) presented the 'Equity Project Research Seminar: Values & Advocacy Messaging' with Anglicare WA, The University of Western Australia, Committee for Economic Development in Australia (CEDA), Perth.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Guyonne Kalb (23 Mar 2023) attended the Academy of Social Science Australia Roundtable: Developments in work and wellbeing for contemporary Australia, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare and Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula, & Prof Sally Gainsbury (28 Mar 2023) attended the Gambling Harms Minimisation Roundtable, Sydney.

Prof Helen Huang, & Dr Yadan Luo (04 Apr 2023) presented 'DEI - Ethics in paper submissions and reviewing' on the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Panel at The annual IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE), Los Angeles.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (06 Apr 2023) attended the Committee for Economic Development in Australia Better Human Services Member Advisory Committee with Anglicare WA, Brotherhood of St. Laurence, The Smith Family, and the Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula, & Dr Jonathan Levy (12 Apr 2023) presented 'The gender reference point gap' at the Western Economic Association 17th International Conference, University of Melbourne.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark, Dr Juliana Silva Gonçalves, & Prof Agnieszka Tymula (12 Apr 2023) presented 'Assessing within individual consistency of survey and lab-based measurements of self-control' at the Western Economic Association 17th International Conference, University of Melbourne.

Dr Nancy Kong, Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark, & Ms Haniene Tayeb (12 Apr 2023) presented 'The intergenerational transmission of self-control' at the Western Economic Association 17th International Conference, The University of Melbourne.

Dr Rocky Chen (17 Apr 2023) presented 'Self-supervised learning for recommendation: Foundations, methods and prospects' at The 28th International Conference on Database Systems for Advanced Applications, Tianjin.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (28 Apr 2023) presented 'Influence of the built environment on child health: The BEACHES project' at the Environmental Health Association WA Conference, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Ms Kate Erceg (04 May 2023) attended the Equity Project Research Working Group with Anglicare WA and Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Karen Healy, & Dr Madonna Boman (05 May 2023) attended stakeholder data collection, with The Benevolent Society.

Prof Karen Thorpe (05 May 2023) attended The Australian Institute of Family Studies National Early Years (0-5) Research Roundtable.

Prof Janeen Baxter (10 May 2023) attended the Workplace Gender Equality Agency Gender Equality Educators Roundtable with Workplace Gender Equality Agency.

Prof Karen Thorpe (18 May 2023) presented 'ALSPAC fathers EPDS paper' at Work on "At Risk" Parent-Child Relationships meeting, Charles Darwin University.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, Ms Kate Gilkison, Prof Janeen Baxter, Ms Carla McCarthy, Ms Kate Erceg, & Dr Lucy Mills (24 May 2023) attended Life Course Centre Data for Policy Summit - Planning Committee meeting, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, Australian Government Department of Social Services, Brotherhood of St. Laurence, GoodStart Early Learning, The University of Melbourne, The University of Western Australia, The University of Sydney, Australian Bureau of Statistics, New South Wales Government Department of Customer Service, and Mission Australia.

Dr Tomasz Zajac, Dr Nikita Sharma, Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski, & Prof Mark Western (24 May 2023) presented 'The effects of educational capital, cultural and linguistic proximity, and age of arrival on the labour market outcomes of foreign-born university graduates in Australia' at RC28 Spring Meeting 2023: Education and Social Inequality across the Life Course, Paris.

Dr Tomasz Zajac, Dr Nikita Sharma, Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski, & Prof Mark Western (26 May 2023) presented 'The effects of educational capital, cultural and linguistic proximity, and age of arrival on the labour market outcomes of foreign-born university graduates in Australia' at the ISA Social Stratification Research Committee Conference, Paris.

Dr Sarah Dahmann (26 May 2023) presented 'Self-control and unhealthy body weight: The role of impulsivity and restraint' at the Crawford School of Public Policy, Tax and Transfer Policy Institute, Australian National University.

Prof Janeen Baxter (30 May 2023) attended Leeds/Glasgow/UQ grand challenge discussion - next steps, University of Glasgow.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (01 Jun 2023) presented 'The PLAYCE Research Program' at Perkins Medical Research Institute Seminar, Perkins Medical Research Institute, Perth.

Dr Tomasz Zajac, Prof Guyonne Kalb, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, Prof Janeen Baxter, Ms Carla McCarthy, Dr Alice Campbell, Dr Matthew Curry, & Dr Lucy Mills (02 Jun 2023) attended Australian Institute of Health and Welfare | Life Course Centre - homelessness, family domestic violence and mental health workshop, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare.

Prof Karen Thorpe (05 Jun 2023) presented SCU - Dean's research keynote.

Prof Janeen Baxter (06 Jun 2023) attended Leeds/Glasgow/UQ grand challenge discussion - next steps, University of Glasgow.

A/Prof Karen Turner, & Mr Arvind Ponnappalli (06 Jun 2023) presented 'Cultural adaptation and contextual fit of evidence-based parenting programs: A whole of community approach to family and child wellbeing' at International Congress on Evidence-based Parenting Support.

A/Prof Alina Morawska, & A/Prof Karen Turner (06 Jun 2023) presented 'Caregivers' perspectives on the impact of Group Triple P in Pakistani orphanages' at International Congress on Evidence-based Parenting Support.

A/Prof Karen Turner (06 Jun 2023) presented 'The use of evidence-based parenting support programs in diverse caregiving contexts in low resourced countries: Indigenous methodology in data collection process of Triple P in Kenya' at International Congress on Evidence-based Parenting Support.

Prof Matthew Sanders, Dr Carys Chainey, A/Prof Karen Turner (06 Jun 2023) presented 'Supporting families affected by adversity: Recommendations drawn from the context, development and testing of a novel intervention, Family Life Skills Triple P' at International Congress on Evidence-based Parenting Support 2023.

Dr Carys Chainey (06 Jun 2023) presented 'Supporting the next generation of parenting and family science professionals' at International Congress on Evidence-based Parenting Support 2023.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (06 Jun 2023) presented 'Adult Migrant English Program Impact Evaluation Project' at Adult Migrant English Program 2023 Service Provider Conference, Melbourne, with Australian Government Department of Home Affairs.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (07 Jun 2023) attended Dept of Health Data Linkage Research Advisory Committee Meeting, with Department of Health, WA.

A/Prof Karen Turner, & Mr Arvind Ponnappalli (07 Jun 2023) presented 'Exploring Indigenous parent wellbeing: Implications for early intervention parenting programs in Indigenous communities' at International Congress on Evidence-based Parenting Support.

A/Prof Karen Turner (08 Jun 2023) presented 'The science of play: Development and validation of three brief measures of playgroup outcomes' at International Congress on Evidence-based Parenting Support.

Ms Iryna Kolesnikova, A/Prof Jenny Povey, Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Karen Healy (12 Jun 2023) attended Project Meeting for Out of Home Care, with The University of Queensland.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, Ms Phoebe George, Prof Jasper Schipperijn, Ms Elizabeth Wenden, Dr Andrea Nathan, & Dr Matthew 'Tepi' McLaughlin (14 Jun 2023) presented 'Play active program for early childhood education and care: A pragmatic RCT' at International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Uppsala, Sweden.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, & Prof Jasper Schipperijn (14-Jun-2023) presented 'The PLAYCE Research Program' at Symposium on Promoting Children's Physical Activity in Childcare, University of Southern Denmark, Denmark.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, Pulan Bai, & Prof Jasper Schipperijn (14 Jun 2023) presented 'Preschool children's physical activity in the home, childcare and neighbourhood environment: A latent profile analysis using device-based measures' at International Society of Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity Conference 2023, Uppsala, Sweden.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Dr Alice Campbell (15 Jun 2023) attended Single Parenting Workshop Collaborations, with Australian Government Department of Social Service and Brotherhood of St. Laurence.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (19 Jun 2023) presented 'History-dependent risk attitudes and economic disadvantage' at 13th Annual Meeting of the Society for Experimental Finance, Sofia, Bulgaria.

Prof Xue Li (23 Jun 2023) presented 'High-order reasoning with large language model in life-critical decisions' at The First International Workshop on Autonomous Learning in Complex Decision Situations, Gold Coast.

Dr Tomasz Zajac, Dr Nikita Sharma, Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski, & Prof Mark Western (25 Jun 2023) presented 'Labour market outcomes of university graduates of migrant background in Australia: The relevance of cultural, linguistic, and educational capital in the country of origin' at XX ISA World Congress of Sociology, Melbourne.

Dr Melissa Johnstone, Dr Tomasz Zajac, A/Prof Francisco Perales Perez, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (25 Jun 2023) presented 'Pay disparities between male and female tertiary-education graduates in Australia: Where is the gap greatest?' at XX ISA World Congress of Sociology, Melbourne.

Dr Tomasz Zajac, Dr Nikita Sharma, Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski, & Prof Mark Western (29 Jun 2023) presented 'Labour market outcomes of university graduates of migrant background in Australia: The relevance of cultural, linguistic, and educational capital in the country of origin' at XX ISA World Congress of Sociology, Melbourne.

Dr Rose Stambe, Dr Ella Kuskoff, Dr Stefanie Plage, & Prof Cameron Parsell (29 Jun 2023) presented 'Climbing, stalling, falling: How people experiencing housing instability anticipate their futures' at XX ISA World Congress of Sociology, Melbourne.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (03 Jul 2023) presented 'History-dependent risk attitudes and economic disadvantage' at Workshop on Behavioral Game Theory 2023, University of East Anglia, Norwich.

Prof Janeen Baxter (04 Jul 2023) presented 'Family and relationship' at Asia Pacific Sociological Association, University of Sydney, Camperdown.

Prof Xue Li, & A/Prof Abdullah Mamun (04 Jul 2023) presented 'Social media analysis for detection of cyberbullying and suicide ideation' at UQ Poche Centre for Indigenous Health, Poche Centre, UQ Toowoong Campus, Brisbane with Population Health Research Network.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (05 Jul 2023) attended MADIP Population Health Analytical Working Group Meeting with Australian Bureau of Statistics.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (05 Jul 2023) presented 'Children's health & development: The importance of green space' at Telethon Kids Institute and Nature Play WA Seminar with Dr Maren Østvold Lindheim, Telethon Kids Institute, Nedlands.

Dr Emma Cooke (12 Jul 2023) presented 'Clinicians' experiences of explaining prenatal screening and delivering genetic syndrome diagnoses' at Centre for Children's Health Research Seminar Series, Centre for Children's Health Research, South Brisbane.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (12 Jul 2023) presented 'Children's neighbourhood physical environment and early development' at AECD State and Territory Training Workshop.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (13 Jul 2023) presented 'Evaluation of the Adult Migrant English Program for the Australian Government Department of Home Affairs' at Melbourne Institute of Applied Economic & Social Research - Seminar Series, The University of Melbourne.

Prof Janeen Baxter (17 Jul 2023) attended World Health Organisation B2 Life Course Country case studies meeting.

Prof A. Abigail Payne, & Dr Sangeetha Chandrashekeran (24 Jul 2023) attended Enabling Electrification Report Launch, University of Melbourne with Brotherhood of St. Laurence.

Prof Karen Thorpe (25 Jul 2023) attended QLD Brain Builders Academic Roundtable with Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark, Prof Agnieszka Tymula, & Prof Sally Gainsbury (26 Jul 2023) attended Reducing Gambling Harm CoE Advisory Committee Meeting, with The University of Sydney.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Simon Smith, & Prof Karen Thorpe (02 Aug 2023) attended EYC Mental Models Project - Professional Advisory Group Meeting with Anglicare WA.

Dr Melissa Johnstone, Dr Matthew Curry, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (03 Aug 2023) attended Targeted Review of Student Equity in Briefing to the Department of Education, the Universities Accord Panel and the Equity in Higher Education Panel on the Higher Education Programs and System Level Policy Levers.

Dr Ha Nguyen (03 Aug 2023) presented 'Is age-based mandated private health insurance enrolment effective in reducing demand on the public health system?' at Third Australian Workshop on Public Finance, Tax and Transfer Policy Institute, Canberra.

Dr Emma Cooke (03 Aug 2023) presented 'Qualitative data analysis' at Clinician Researcher Development Program.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula, & Dr Jonathan Levy (07 Aug 2023) presented 'The gender reference point gap' at Econometric Society Australasia Meeting 2023, UNSW.

Dr Jan Kabátek (07 Aug 2023) presented 'Fraternal birth order in bisexual, homosexual, heterosexual, and asexual men and women' at 49th Annual Meeting International Academy of Sex Research in Montreal.

Prof A. Abigail Payne, Dr Steeve Marchand, & Dr Ana Gamarra Rondinel (14 Aug 2023) presented 'Student debt, earnings and life decisions: Can income-contingent loans reduce constraints?' at 79th Annual Congress of the International Institute of Public Finance, Logan, Utah.

Dr Sandy Houen (16 Aug 2023) presented 'Educator strategies for responding to challenging behaviours in ECEC' at Early Childhood Australia Webinar.

Dr Ferdi Botha, & A/Prof Cain Polidano (21 Aug 2023) presented 'The reciprocal relationship between financial wellbeing and mental health' at 21st Annual Conference of the International Society for Quality of Life Studies, Rotterdam, Netherlands.

Dr Ferdi Botha (23 Aug 2023) presented 'The effects of commuting time and working from home arrangements on mental health in Australia' at 21st Conference of the International Society for Quality of Life Studies, Rotterdam, Netherlands.

Prof Helen Huang, & Dr Ruihong Qiu (25 Aug 2023) presented 'Recent advances of data science methods in public health' at Nonlinear Dynamics and Mathematical Application Conference, Busan, South Korea.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, & A/Prof Francis Mitrou (30 Aug 2023) attended Equity Project Advocacy/Research Sub Group, with Anglicare WA and Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Prof Karen Thorpe (30 Aug 2023) presented as the Keynote Speaker ECEC at QLD Brain Builders Summit.

Prof Karen Thorpe, & Dr Laetitia Coles (31 Aug 2023) presented 'The Pride and Prejudice of men's participation in early childhood education' at European Early Childhood Education Research Association Conference, Lisbon.

Dr Sally Staton, Prof Karen Thorpe, & Dr Laetitia Coles (01 Sep 2023) presented 'A performance of discarded data: an Ahmedian engagement with young children's gendered accounts of violence and power' at European Early Childhood Education Research Association conference, Lisbon.

Dr Bonnie Searle, Dr Sally Staton, Prof Karen Thorpe, & Dr Emma Cooke (01 Sep 2023) presented 'A case study of agency and food scarcity in mealtimes in disadvantaged ECE' at European Early Childhood Education Research Association conference, Lisbon.

Dr Laetitia Coles (01 Sep 2023) presented 'A cross-national collaborative project methodology aimed at understanding children's perspectives of their male and female teachers in early learning settings' at European Early Childhood Education Research Association Conference, Lisbon.

Miss Charlotte Casey, Dr Sally Staton, Prof Karen Thorpe, Dr Laetitia Coles, & Dr Sandy Houen (01 Sep 2023) presented 'Exploring our understanding of drop-off and pick-up in early childhood education and care contexts' at European Early childhood Education Research Association conference, Lisbon.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (02 Sep 2023) presented 'Active Play: An essential yet overlooked aspect of early child health and development' at Early Childhood Australia Conference WA, Curtin University, Perth.

Prof A. Abigail Payne (02 Sep 2023) presented 'Student debt, earnings and life decisions: Can income-contingent loans reduce constraints?' at CESifo Area Conference on Economics of Education 2023, Munich.

Dr Alexandra de Gendre, & Dr Nicolas Salamanca (02 Sep 2023) presented 'Cultural integration in the classroom: The role of students, parents, and teachers' at CESifo Area Conference on Economics of Education 2023, Munich.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (02 Sep 2023) presented 'The power of play for diverse learners' at Early Childhood Australia Conference WA, Curtin University, Perth.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (06 Sep 2023) attended WA Department of Health Data Linkage Research Advisory Meeting, with Department of Health, WA.

Prof Karen Thorpe (06 Sep 2023) attended ECEC Workforce forum (TAFE QLD).

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (07 Sep 2023) attended Sustainable Insurance Meeting, The University of Sydney.

Prof Karen Thorpe, & Dr Laetitia Coles (08 Sep 2023) presented 'At the margin and at the centre: How men working in early education and care position their role as a gender minority' at Global Childhoods Research Group Symposium, Nottingham University, Nottingham.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (11 Sep 2023) attended Productivity Commission Round Table at Minderoo Foundation, Perth, with Minderoo Foundation and Australian Government Productivity Commission.

Dr Yanshu Huang, Prof Leah Ruppanner, & Prof Janeen Baxter (11 Sep 2023) presented 'Change over time in gender attitudes: Are attitudes becoming more egalitarian and what drives change?' at Australian Social Policy Conference.

Prof Janeen Baxter (12 Sep 2023) attended Accessing Australia's Research Collections - Expert Reference Panel meeting 2, with Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

Dr Bonnie Searle, Dr Sally Staton, Prof Karen Thorpe, & Dr Emma Cooke (13 Sep 2023) presented 'A case study of agency and food scarcity in mealtimes in disadvantaged ECE' at Presentation and networking meeting with the School for Policy Studies, Bristol University, School for Policy Studies, Bristol University, Bristol.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula, & Mr Alexander Svenson (19 Sep 2023) presented 'Reference-dependent valuation in mood disorders' at Sydney Experimental Brownbag Seminar, Sydney.

Prof Karen Thorpe (21 Sep 2023) attended meeting with the Center on the Developing Child, Harvard University.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (21 Sep 2023) presented 'The effects of sleep duration on child health and development' at Australian Health Economics Society 44th Annual Conference, Adelaide.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (21 Sep 2023) presented 'Accuracy of self-reported private health insurance coverage' at 44th Australian Health Economics Society Conference, Adelaide.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (23 Sep 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program – Supporting ECEC services to provide energetic play every day' at Early Child Education Conference hosted by Murdoch University, Network Teach and the Play Matters Collective, Murdoch University.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (25 Sep 2023) presented 'Within-individual consistency of survey and laboratory-based measurements of self-control' at 16th Annual Australia New Zealand Workshop in Experimental Economics, RMIT, Melbourne.

Dr Hyundam Je, & Prof Agnieszka Tymula (25 Sep 2023) presented 'Ambiguity vulnerability' at 16th Annual Australia New Zealand Workshop in Experimental Economics, RMIT, Melbourne.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula, & Dr Jonathan Levy (25 Sep 2023) presented 'The gender reference point gap' at 16th Annual Australia New Zealand Workshop in Experimental Economics, RMIT, Melbourne.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (27 Sep 2023) presented 'The causal impact of mental illness on tobacco and alcohol consumption - an instrumental variables approach' at The Household, Income and Labour Dynamics in Australia (HILDA) Survey Research Conference 2023, The University of Melbourne.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (27 Sep 2023) presented 'Retirement, housing mobility, downsizing and neighbourhood quality - A causal investigation' at HILDA Survey Research Conference, The University of Melbourne.

Dr Ana Gamarra Rondinel (28 Sep 2023) presented 'Household income and the risk of poverty around the time of childbirth' at 2023 HILDA Survey Research Conference, The University of Melbourne.

Dr Richard Morris, Dr Ferdi Botha, & Prof Nick Glozier (28 Sep 2023) presented 'The kids are not alright: Differential trends in mental ill-health in Australia' at 2023 HILDA Survey Research Conference, The University of Melbourne.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (29 Sep 2023) presented 'History-dependent risk attitudes and economic disadvantage' at International Symposium for Well-being and Agency - Integration of Brain Science and Social Science, Kyoto University.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark (29 Sep 2023) presented 'Using the lab to clarify observational studies of personality' at Symposium on Economic Experiments in Developing Countries 2023, Tokyo.

Patricia Lewis, Dr Renee Teal, Dr Lynne Millar, Dr Jon Sae-Koew, & A/Prof Francis Mitrou (29 Sep 2023) presented 'Developmental Evaluation: Evaluating the implementation and outcomes of a multi-faceted complex real-world initiative' at AES International Evaluation Conference, Brisbane.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (02 Oct 2023) presented 'History-dependent risk attitudes and economic disadvantage' at Presentation at the Tamagawa University Brain Science Institute, Tamagawa University, Yokohama.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (03 Oct 2023) presented 'History-dependent risk attitudes and economic disadvantage' at Presentation at the University of Tsukuba, University of Tsukuba.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (04 Oct 2023) presented 'The separate impacts of sleep duration and physical activity on child health and development; findings from the Longitudinal Study of Australian Children' at Presentation at University of Gothenburg, Sweden.

Prof Janeen Baxter (06 Oct 2023) attended meeting with the Swiss Lives Centre, University of Lausanne.

Dr Sandy Houen (06 Oct 2023) presented 'Educator strategies for responding to challenging behaviours in ECEC' at Early Childhood Australia Conference, Adelaide.

Dr Melissa Johnstone, Dr Ning Xiang, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (09 Oct 2023) presented 'The relevance of school-based career guidance for postsecondary outcomes of young people from regional, rural and remote backgrounds in Australia' at 2023 Society for Longitudinal and Lifecourse Studies Conference, Munich.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, Dr Ha Nguyen, & A/Prof Hayley Christian (09 Oct 2023) presented 'Causal impact of physical activity on child health and development' at Society for Longitudinal and Lifecourse Studies 2023 Annual Conference: Life Courses in Times of Uncertainty, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich.

Ms Elizabeth Wenden, & A/Prof Hayley Christian (10 Oct 2023) presented 'Organisational readiness and fidelity of Play Active: An ECEC-specific physical activity policy' at Evidence and Implementation Summit, Melbourne.

Dr Natasha Pearce (11 Oct 2023) presented 'Pilot evaluation of a whole-school intervention at-scale: 2-year implementation and impact outcomes' at Evidence and Implementation Summit, Melbourne.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (12 Oct 2023) presented 2023 Consumer Neuroscience Symposium - Closing Remarks.

Prof Janeen Baxter (13 Oct 2023) attended meeting to discuss the Thailand case study for the B2 WHO project, with World Health Organisation.

Dr Matthew 'Tepi' McLaughlin (13 Oct 2023) presented 'Using technology to boost your research' at International Society for Behavioural Nutrition and Physical Activity (ISBNPA) Xchange, Australia.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (17 Oct 2023) presented 'Industry Panel Q&A' at Child-Friendly Urban Design for Better Communities and Cities with Dr Tim Gill – Industry Panel and Q&A, Planning Institute of Australia, South Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (19 Oct 2023) attended discussion between Telethon Kids and Productivity Commission on Early Childhood Education and Care Inquiry (ECEC), Perth, with Australian Government Productivity Commission.

Dr Ana Gamarra Rondinel, & Prof Sharon Goldfeld (19 Oct 2023) presented 'Combatting child poverty in Australia: What are the challenges and how can we overcome them?' at Thriving Children, Thriving Communities webinar series, with Murdoch Children's Research Institute.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (20 Oct 2023) attended PLIDA Useability improvements – Analytical Working Group consultation, with Australian Bureau of Statistics.

Dr Natasha Pearce (25 Oct 2023) presented 'Driving quality implementation of whole-school bullying prevention interventions at scale: Two-year process and impact evaluation of friendly schools' at World Anti-Bullying Forum, Raleigh, North Carolina, United States.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula, & Mr Alexander Svenson (28 Oct 2023) attended meeting to establish research connection in context of expanding subject recruitment, University of Technology, Sydney.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Dr Barbara Broadway, Dr Alice Campbell, Prof Guyonne Kalb, & Dr Leonora Risse (30 Oct 2023) attended Decisions in early parenthood: gender norms, government policy and lifetime effects - Closed Roundtable, with Australian Government Department of the Treasury.

Prof A. Abigail Payne (02 Nov 2023) presented 'Education & skills for the future' at The Economic and Social Outlook Conference, Melbourne.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (08 Nov 2023) attended MADIP Population Health Analytical Working Group Meeting, with Australian Bureau of Statistics.

Dr Diana Naehrig, Prof Nick Glozier, Dr Aaron Schokman, Dr Alyssa Milton, & Ms Nicollette Thornton (11 Nov 2023) presented 'Living with narcolepsy: From symptoms to stigma' at Sleep Down Under 2023.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (13 Nov 2023) presented 'Panel I: Managing labs' at Society for Neuroeconomics 21st Annual Meeting, Vancouver.

Dr Rennie Lee, & Prof Janeen Baxter (13 Nov 2023) presented 'Does initial status matter for employment? Evidence among humanitarian immigrants in Australia' at Emory University Sociology Seminar Series, United States.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (14 Nov 2023) presented 'Transitions from primary to secondary school: Supporting successful educational pathways of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students' at UQ Poche Centre for Indigenous Health, Toowong.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark (16 Nov 2023) presented 'Family stress and the intergenerational correlation in self-control' at Rohit and Harvanit Kumar Conference on Early Childhood Development: Parenting – Measurement, Impact, and Behavior Change, David Rubenstein Forum, University of Chicago.

Prof Karen Thorpe (16 Nov 2023) presented 'Advice to your younger self: Career insights from female ARC Laureates' at Women in Research.

A/Prof Marian Vidal-Fernandez (17 Nov 2023) presented 'The origins of the birth order effect' Seminar talk, with University of Queensland.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (21 Nov 2023) presented 'Neuroeconomic basis of context effects' at UNSW - UQ Economic Theory Festival, University of Queensland.

Dr Isabella Choi (21 Nov 2023) presented 'A mental wellbeing website application to support the help-seeking of Chinese international students: Randomised controlled trial' at PLUS Research Network Webinar 2023.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Sharon Goldfeld, Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski, Prof Guyonne Kalb, Prof A. Abigail Payne, Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Prof Mark Western (22 Nov 2023) attended ARDC social sciences pilot roundtable 2, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, Australian Government Department of Social Services, Australian Bureau of Statistics, Mission Australia, Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

A/Prof Marian Vidal-Fernandez (23 Nov 2023) presented 'Status of women in economics' at The Korean Women Economists Association Seminar Series, Korea-Australia.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, Prof Jasper Schipperijn, Dr Andrea Nathan, & Dr Matthew 'Tepi' McLaughlin (27 Nov 2023) presented 'How and if to scale-up a physical activity intervention — A case study of Play Active' at Asia-Pacific Society for Physical Activity Conference, Te Herenga Waka—Victoria University of Wellington.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & A/Prof Abdullah Mamun (28 Nov 2023) attended The Third WHO Life Course Network Meeting: Extending benefits across the life course - Connecting Healthy Development and Healthy Ageing, WHO Headquarters, Geneva, with World Health Organisation.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (28 Nov 2023) attended Asia Pacific Physical Activity (ASPA) conference handover, Wellington.

Prof Nick Glozier, & Dr Alyssa Milton (28 Nov 2023) presented 'Self-care of multimorbidity in schizophrenia supported by peer workers: a co-designed health' at Information Technology (SiMPlicITy), Mental Health Australia General Clinical Trial Network, Perth.

Prof Janeen Baxter, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & A/Prof Abdullah Mamun (29 Nov 2023) attended 3rd WHO Life Course Network Meeting, with World Health Organisation.

Ms Beibei Wang, Prof Nick Glozier, & Dr Isabella Choi (29 Nov 2023) presented 'Personalized help-seeking web application for Chinese-speaking international university students: Randomised controlled trial' at Society for Mental Health Research Conference 2023, Perth.

Ms Beibei Wang, Prof Nick Glozier, & Dr Isabella Choi (29 Nov 2023) presented 'Stigmas and intention to seek face-to-face and online mental health supports among Chinese background students in Australia' at Society for Mental Health Research Conference 2023, Perth.

Ms Laura Simpson Reeves, & Dr Nikita Sharma (29 Nov 2023) presented 'The (un)making of multicultural Australia' at TASA 2023, Sydney.

Prof Nick Glozier, & Dr Alyssa Milton (29-Nov-2023) presented 'Improving the physical and mental health of people with schizophrenia in a digital world: Opportunities and challenges' at SMHR symposium, Society for Mental Health Research conference, Perth.

Prof Nick Glozier, Dr Alyssa Milton, & Ms Nicollette Thornton (29 Nov 2023) presented 'Ketamine for treatment-resistant depression: Patient knowledge, expectations and lived experience' at Society for Mental Health Research, Perth.

Prof Helen Huang (30 Nov 2023) presented 'Quo Vadis: Navigating cross-disciplinary frontiers with AI in research' at Australasian Community for Advanced Organic Semiconductors Symposium, Tweed Heads, New South Wales.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (04 Dec 2023) presented 'Risk attitude with a backward-looking reference point' at Australasian Neuroscience Society 41st Annual Scientific Meeting, Brisbane.

Dr Ana Gamarra Rondinel (04 Dec 2023) presented 'Household income and the risk of poverty around the time of childbirth' at EFM Seminar Scholar Series, RMIT, Melbourne.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (04 Dec 2023) presented 'Nursing before and after COVID-19: Inflows, outflows and self-employment' at Applied Microeconomics Seminar at Research School of Economics, Australian National University, Canberra.

Prof Janeen Baxter (05 Dec 2023) presented 'Humanities, Arts & Social Sciences Centres of Excellence Workshop' at Australian Academy of the Humanities Workshop, Canberra.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (07 Dec 2023) attended Committee for Economic Development in Australia Better Human Services Member Advisory Committee, with Anglicare WA, Brotherhood of St. Laurence, The Smith Family, and Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Dr Emma Cooke (07 Dec 2023) presented 'Poetry for impact: Experiences of sleep disruption in families with a child with Down syndrome' at Child Health Research Centre HDR/ECR Showcase, Centre for Children's Health Research, South Brisbane.

Dr Jan Kabátek, & Dr Ferdi Botha (08 Dec 2023) presented 'The effects of commuting and working from home arrangements on workers' mental health' at Asian and Australasian Society of Labour Economics Conference, Taipei, Taiwan.

Prof Xue Li (10 Dec 2023) presented 'Learning from distributed multimodal data silos' at Privacy In Sapporo - Japan Database Association, Hokkaido University.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, A/Prof Abdullah Mamun, Prof Janeen Baxter, & Dr K M Shahunja (14 Dec 2023) attended 45 and Up Study - dataset discussion, with New South Wales Government Department of Customer Service.

Prof Janeen Baxter, A/Prof Abdullah Mamun, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr K.M. Shahunja (18 Dec 2023) attended Australia Case study B2 World Health Organisation.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula presented 'Heritability across different domains of trust' at University of Cape Town School of Economics seminar, South Africa.

Public

A/Prof Marian Vidal-Fernandez (01 Feb 2023) was interviewed for the SBS podcast My Bilingual Family.

Dr Emma Cooke (23 Feb 2023) presented 'Sleep research update: Findings from studies undertaken at Queensland Children's Hospital about sleep in children with Down syndrome' for the Down Syndrome Queensland Webinar.

Dr Sally Staton (17 Mar 2023) appeared on the podcast: How sleep helps us learn and respond to the world.

A/Prof Alina Morawska (27 Mar 2023) appeared on the podcast Alina Morawska on Parenting and Family Intervention.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (29 May 2023) attended the Australian Childcare Alliance WA Board Meeting - The Play Active Program, Perth.

Prof A. Abigail Payne, & Dr Sangeetha Chandrashekeran (24 Jul 2023) attended Enabling Electrification Report Launch, University of Melbourne with Brotherhood of St. Laurence.

Dr Alyssa Milton (26 Jul 2023) presented 'Child wellbeing and after school care' at North Parramatta Public School, CP3 Publication Launch, North Parramatta.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (02 Sep 2023) presented 'Active Play: An essential yet overlooked aspect of early child health and development' at Early Childhood Australia Conference WA, Curtin University, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (02 Sep 2023) presented 'The power of play for diverse learners' at Early Childhood Australia Conference WA, Curtin University, Perth.

Dr Yanshu Huang, Prof Leah Ruppner, & Prof Janeen Baxter (11 Sep 2023) presented 'Change over time in gender attitudes: Are attitudes becoming more egalitarian and what drives change?' at Australian Social Policy Conference.

Prof Matthew Sanders (03 Oct 2023) appeared on Matt Sanders - Positive Parenting, Dads Group podcast.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (17 Oct 2023) presented 'Industry Panel Q&A' at Child-Friendly Urban Design for Better Communities and Cities with Dr Tim Gill – Industry Panel and Q&A, Planning Institute of Australia, South Perth.

Dr Peter Rankin, Dr Bonnie Searle, Miss Charlotte Casey, Emily Westwood, Prof Karen Thorpe, Dr Azhar Hussain Potia, Dr Laetitia Coles, Ms Nadine Lorimer, Dr Emma Cooke, & Dr Sandy Houen (23 Oct 2023) attended Families in Focus Activity, Queensland Children's Hospital.

Dr Peter Rankin, Dr Bonnie Searle, Miss Charlotte Casey, Emily Westwood, Prof Karen Thorpe, Dr Azhar Hussain Potia, Dr Laetitia Coles, Ms Nadine Lorimer, Dr Emma Cooke, & Dr Sandy Houen (24 Oct 2023) attended Families in Focus Activity.

Dr Natasha Pearce (25 Oct 2023) presented 'Driving quality implementation of whole-school bullying prevention interventions at scale: Two-year process and impact evaluation of friendly schools' at World Anti-Bullying Forum, Raleigh, North Carolina, United States.

Prof A. Abigail Payne (02 Nov 2023) presented 'Education & skills for the future' at The Economic and Social Outlook Conference, Melbourne.

Dr Sally Staton (13 Nov 2023) appeared on Understanding Brain Development, Emerging Minds Podcast.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (14 Nov 2023) presented 'Transitions from primary to secondary school: Supporting successful educational pathways of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students' at UQ Poche Centre for Indigenous Health, Toowong.

A/Prof Marian Vidal-Fernandez (23 Nov 2023) presented 'Status of women in economics' at The Korean Women Economists Association Seminar Series, Korea-Australia.

Government

Prof Janeen Baxter, A/Prof Abdullah Mamun, A/Prof Francis Mitrou,, & Dr K.M. Shahunja (01 Jan 2023) presented 'WHO Project 45 and Up' to New South Wales Government Department of Customer Service.

Prof Janeen Baxter (04 Jan 2023) attended an introductory meeting: Health Protection and Policy, Joint Health Command with Australian Government Department of Defence.

Dr Peter Rankin (30 Jan 2023) presented a research update for the Australian Government Department of Education.

Dr Peter Rankin, Dr Yanshu Huang, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (13 Feb 2023) presented and discussed analytic strategy, with Government representatives.

Prof Karen Thorpe (17 Feb 2023) attended the National Early Years Summit.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark (21 Feb 2023) attended the Stronger Places, Stronger People (SPSP) National Leadership Group Meeting, Australian Government Department of Social Services.

Dr Peter Rankin (27 Feb 2023) presented a research update for the Australian Government Department of Education.

Prof Janeen Baxter (01 Mar 2023) attended the potential policy roundtable with Treasury and PM&C on 'Measuring What Matters, Employment White Paper and the Care and Support Economy Taskforce', Australian Government Department of the Treasury, Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, Prof Guyonne Kalb, Prof Karen Thorpe, & Dr Lucy Mills (07 Mar 2023) attended the Early Years Strategy - Initial Discussion, with the Australian Government Department of Social Services.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (07 Mar 2023) attended the MADIP Population Health Analytical Working Group Meeting, with the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (08 Mar 2023) attended the WA Department of Health Data Linkage Research Advisory Meeting, Department of Health, Western Australia.

Prof Janeen Baxter (14 Mar 2023) attended the Committee for Economic Development in Australia (CEDA) Council on Economic Policy (CCEP) Meeting 1 – 2023.

Prof Janeen Baxter (14 Mar 2023) attended the Academy / Treasury roundtable - Steering Group meeting, with Australian Government Department of the Treasury and Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

Dr Tomasz Zajac, Dr Matthew Curry, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (16 Mar 2023) attended a briefing with the NSW Centre for Education Statistics and Evaluation, NSW Department of Education.

Prof Karen Thorpe (16 Mar 2023) attended the Future libraries: Better communities stakeholder symposium.

Prof Karen Thorpe (17 Mar 2023) attended the First 5 Forever Evaluation Overview at State Library, Queensland.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Dr Lucy Mills (17 Mar 2023) discussed potential opportunities, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (18 Mar 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program' at Early Childhood Learning & Development Conference 2023, Perth.

Prof Karen Thorpe (21 Mar 2023) attended the GAP Standing Committee on Early Childhood_ Education and Care.

Dr Stefanie Plage (21 Mar 2023) presented 'Fostering relationships between academic and industry sectors' at Addressing Social Inequalities workshop event – Inequalities and Social Action Cluster, Brisbane Common Ground, Micah Projects, Brisbane.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (21 Mar 2023) presented 'What the research says on children's active school transport' at Minister Saffioti's launch of the Roadmap to Improve Active School Transport, WA Department of Transport and the Active School Transport Working Group, Perth.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (22 Mar 2023) attended a discussion with Australian Bureau of Statistics.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Guyonne Kalb (23 Mar 2023) attended the Academy of Social Science Australia Roundtable: Developments in work and wellbeing for contemporary Australia, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare and Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

Dr Peter Rankin (27 Mar 2023) presented a research update to the Australian Government Department of Education.

Prof Karen Thorpe (28 Mar 2023) attended a discussion with the Australian Government Productivity Commission on the Early Childhood Education and Care Inquiry.

Prof Janeen Baxter (29 Mar 2023) attended the Treasury Conference discussion, with the Australian Government Department of the Treasury.

Prof Janeen Baxter (30 Mar 2023) attended a discussion of potential collaborations, with the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare.

Dr Leonora Risse (03 Apr 2023) presented 'Are we measuring and teaching the skills that matter for the workforce of the future?' at the Treasury Policy Research Conference, Australian Government Department of the Treasury, Canberra.

Prof Guyonne Kalb, Prof Karen Thorpe, & Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark (03 Apr 2023) presented 'The role of ECEC in the labour market' at the Treasury Policy Research Conference, Australian Government Department of the Treasury, Canberra.

Prof Janeen Baxter (04 Apr 2023) attended a partner consultation with the Australian Government Department of Social Services.

Prof Helen Huang, & Dr Yadan Luo (04 Apr 2023) presented 'DEI - Ethics in paper submissions and reviewing' on the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Panel at the Annual IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE), Los Angeles.

Prof Janeen Baxter (04 Apr 2023) presented 'Gender wage gap and occupational segregation' on a panel at the Treasury Policy Research Conference, Government Department of the Treasury, Canberra.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (06 Apr 2023) attended the Committee for Economic Development in Australia Better Human Services Member Advisory Committee, with Anglicare WA, Brotherhood of St. Laurence, The Smith Family, and the Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Prof Janeen Baxter (13 Apr 2023) attended the Life Course Centre/Dept of Education collaborations, with the Australian Government Department of Education.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (28 Apr 2023) presented 'Influence of the built environment on child health: The BEACHES project' at the Environmental Health Association WA Conference, Perth.

A/Prof Karen Turner (01 May 2023) presented 'How the Triple P suite can be used by parents both online and integrated into the individually tailored clinical approach of the EIPC and EIC' at the Annual Queensland Health State-wide Early Intervention Parenting Clinicians Update Workshop, Queensland Children's Hospital.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (03 May 2023) attended the Childcare Modelling in relation to the Early Childhood Education and Care Inquiry, with the Australian Government Productivity Commission.

Prof Karen Thorpe (05 May 2023) attended The Australian Institute of Family Studies (AIFS) National Early Years (0-5) Research Roundtable.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark (09 May 2023) attended the grants review panel for the Ministry of Education in Singapore.

Prof Janeen Baxter (10 May 2023) attended the Workplace Gender Equality Agency Gender Equality Educators Roundtable, with Workplace Gender Equality Agency.

Prof Janeen Baxter (12 May 2023) attended the Measuring What Matters - ASSA and AAHMS Fellow consultation, with the Australian Government Department of the Treasury and Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (18 May 2023) presented 'Transition to secondary school program' at Yarn and Eats event roundtables, with Former Origin Greats Queensland and Queensland Government Department of Education.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (19-May-2023) attended discussion of Longitudinal Study of Life Opportunities, with Australian Government Department of Social Services.

Dr Peter Rankin (22 May 2023) presented a research update with the Australian Government Department of Education.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, Ms Kate Gilkison, Prof Janeen Baxter, Ms Carla McCarthy, Ms Kate Erceg, & Dr Lucy Mills (24 May 2023) attended Life Course Centre Data for Policy Summit - Planning Committee meeting, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, Australian Government Department of Social Services, Brotherhood of St. Laurence, GoodStart Early Learning, The University of Melbourne, The University of Western Australia, The University of Sydney, Australian Bureau of Statistics, New South Wales Government Department of Customer Service, and Mission Australia.

Dr Melissa Johnstone, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (25 May 2023) presented briefing on the Targeted Review of Student Equity in Higher Education Programs and System Level Policy Levers, with the Department of Education.

Prof Janeen Baxter (26 May 2023) attended the Life Course Centre and Australian Government Department of Social Services Workshop discussion.

Dr Sarah Dahmann (26 May 2023) presented 'Self-control and unhealthy body weight: The role of impulsivity and restraint' at the Crawford School of Public Policy, Tax and Transfer Policy Institute, Australian National University.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (29 May 2023) attended the Australian Childcare Alliance WA Board Meeting - The Play Active Program, Perth.

Dr Tomasz Zajac, Prof Guyonne Kalb, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, Prof Janeen Baxter, Ms Carla McCarthy, Dr Alice Campbell, Dr Matthew Curry, & Dr Lucy Mills (02 Jun 2023) attended Australian Institute of Health and Welfare | Life Course Centre - homelessness, family domestic violence and mental health workshop, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (06-Jun-2023) presented 'Evaluation of the Adult Migrant English Program' at Department of Home Affairs Adult Migrant English Program Service Provider Conference, State Library Victoria, with the Australian Government Department of Home Affairs.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (06 Jun 2023) presented 'Adult Migrant English Program Impact Evaluation Project' at Adult Migrant English Program 2023 Service Provider Conference, Melbourne, with Australian Government Department of Home Affairs.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (07 Jun 2023) attended Dept of Health Data Linkage Research Advisory Committee Meeting, with Department of Health, WA.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Dr Alice Campbell (15 Jun 2023) attended Single Parenting Workshop Collaborations, with Australian Government Department of Social Service and Brotherhood of St. Laurence.

Dr Peter Rankin (19 Jun 2023) presented research update with Australian Government Department of Education.

Dr Peter Rankin, & Dr Sally Staton (22 Jun 2023) presented an invited talk to share work on the distribution of ECEC quality, and relationships between quality and children's outcomes at the Australian Education Research Organisation Early Childhood Outcomes Project Advisory Group.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (05 Jul 2023) attended MADIP Population Health Analytical Working Group Meeting, with Australian Bureau of Statistics.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (12 Jul 2023) presented 'Children's neighbourhood physical environment and early development' at AECD State and Territory Training Workshop.

Dr Tomasz Zajac, Dr Matthew Curry, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (17 Jul 2023) attended briefing with the NSW Centre for Education Statistics and Evaluation, NSW Department of Education.

Dr Peter Rankin (17 Jul 2023) presented research update with Australian Government Department of Education.

Prof A. Abigail Payne, & Dr Sangeetha Chandrashekeran (24 Jul 2023) attended Enabling Electrification Report Launch, University of Melbourne with Brotherhood of St. Laurence.

Prof Karen Thorpe (27 Jul 2023) attended First 2000 Days Prevention Agenda Workshop, with Health and Wellbeing Queensland.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark (01 Aug 2023) attended Stronger Places, Stronger People (SPSP) National Leadership Group Meeting, with Australian Government Department of Social Services.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Simon Smith, & Prof Karen Thorpe (02 Aug 2023) attended EYC Mental Models Project - Professional Advisory Group Meeting, with Anglicare WA.

Dr Melissa Johnstone, Dr Matthew Curry, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (03 Aug 2023) attended Targeted Review of Student Equity in Briefing to the Department of Education, the Universities Accord Panel and the Equity in Higher Education Panel on the Higher Education Programs and System Level Policy Levers.

Dr Ha Nguyen (03 Aug 2023) presented 'Is age-based mandated private health insurance enrolment effective in reducing demand on the public health system?' at Third Australian Workshop on Public Finance, Tax and Transfer Policy Institute, Canberra.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (04 Aug 2023) attended Healthway/Lotterywest meeting, Perth.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (04 Aug 2023) attended discussion of opportunities to collaborate on Indigenous youth in detention support program.

Dr Peter Rankin, Dr Sally Staton, Prof Karen Thorpe, & Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (08 Aug 2023) attended workshop with Australian Education Research Organisation on analysis of NQS quality and child outcomes, The University of Queensland.

Dr Peter Rankin (14 Aug 2023) presented research update with Australian Government Department of Education.

Prof Karen Thorpe (15 Aug 2023) attended discussion on the Commission's preliminary findings on some key aspects of the literature on children's outcomes in ECEC, Childrens Outcomes Roundtable, with Australian Government Productivity Commission.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (15 Aug 2023) presented 'From Partnered to Single: Financial Security over a Lifetime' at Research Seminar at Norway Statistics, Norway Statistics office, Oslo.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (18 Aug 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program' at Australian Childcare Alliance WA - Professional Development Workshop with the WA Education and Care Regulatory Unit, Fremantle.

Dr Ferdi Botha, & A/Prof Cain Polidano (21 Aug 2023) presented 'The reciprocal relationship between financial wellbeing and mental health' at 21st Annual Conference of the International Society for Quality of Life Studies, Rotterdam, Netherlands.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, Dr Rosemary Cahill, Dr Lucy Mills, & Prof Janeen Baxter (22 Aug 2023) attended Early Years Strategy meeting, with Australian Government Department of Social Services.

Prof Janeen Baxter (24 Aug 2023) attended Child Support Expert Panel Meeting, with Australian Government Department of Social Services.

Prof Karen Thorpe (30 Aug 2023) presented as the Keynote Speaker ECEC at QLD Brain Builders Summit.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (02 Sep 2023) presented 'Active Play: An essential yet overlooked aspect of early child health and development' at Early Childhood Australia Conference WA, Curtin University, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (02 Sep 2023) presented 'The power of play for diverse learners' at Early Childhood Australia Conference WA, Curtin University, Perth.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (06 Sep 2023) attended WA Department of Health Data Linkage Research Advisory Meeting, with Department of Health, WA.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (11 Sep 2023) attended Productivity Commission Round Table at Minderoo Foundation, Perth, with Minderoo Foundation and Australian Government Productivity Commission.

Dr Peter Rankin (11 Sep 2023) presented research update, with Australian Government Department of Education.

Dr Yanshu Huang, Prof Leah Ruppanner, & Prof Janeen Baxter (11 Sep 2023) presented 'Change over time in gender attitudes: Are attitudes becoming more egalitarian and what drives change?' at Australian Social Policy Conference.

Dr Sachith Seneviratne, Dr Kerry Nice, Youjin Choe, & Prof Mark Stevenson (14 Sep 2023) attended Analysing Access to Childcare Services, with Australian Government Department of Education.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (21 Sep 2023) presented 'Accuracy of self-reported private health insurance coverage' at 44th Australian Health Economics Society Conference, Adelaide.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (23 Sep 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program – Supporting ECEC services to provide energetic play every day' at Early Child Education Conference hosted by Murdoch University, Network Teach and the Play Matters Collective, Murdoch University.

Dr Tomasz Zajac, Dr Matthew Curry, & Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (25 Sep 2023) attended briefing with the NSW Centre for Education Statistics and Evaluation, with NSW Department of Education.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (27 Sep 2023) presented 'The causal impact of mental illness on tobacco and alcohol consumption - an instrumental variables approach' at The Household, Income and Labour Dynamics in Australia (HILDA) Survey Research Conference 2023, The University of Melbourne.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (27 Sep 2023) presented 'Retirement, housing mobility, downsizing and neighbourhood quality - A causal investigation' at HILDA Survey Research Conference, The University of Melbourne.

Dr Ana Gamarra Rondinel (28 Sep 2023) presented 'Household income and the risk of poverty around the time of childbirth' at 2023 HILDA Survey Research Conference, The University of Melbourne.

Dr Richard Morris, Dr Ferdi Botha, & Prof Nick Glozier (28 Sep 2023) presented 'The kids are not alright: Differential trends in mental ill-health in Australia' at 2023 HILDA Survey Research Conference, The University of Melbourne.

Patricia Lewis, Dr Renee Teal, Dr Lynne Millar, Dr Jon Sae-Koew, & A/Prof Francis Mitrou (29 Sep 2023) presented 'Developmental Evaluation: Evaluating the implementation and outcomes of a multi-faceted complex real-world initiative' at AES International Evaluation Conference, Brisbane.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (04 Oct 2023) attended WA Department of Transport, and Asia Pacific Physical Activity Conference 2024, Perth, with Department of Transport WA.

Prof Janeen Baxter (05 Oct 2023) attended meeting with the World Health Organisations to discuss current and future projects, Geneva, Switzerland.

Prof Karen Thorpe (05 Oct 2023) attended First 2000 Days Initiative, with Health and Wellbeing Queensland.

Prof Karen Thorpe (05 Oct 2023) attended discussion of analysis examining NQS ratings and child outcomes - UQ, AERO, ACECQA.

Dr Peter Rankin, & Dr Sally Staton (05 Oct 2023) presented invited presentation to collaborators at The Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority on NQS quality ratings and child outcomes (AEDC) in the Multi-Agency Data Integration Project (MADIP), First Five Years project.

Dr Sandy Houen (06 Oct 2023) presented 'Educator strategies for responding to challenging behaviours in ECEC' at Early Childhood Australia Conference, Adelaide.

Dr Peter Rankin (06 Oct 2023) presented invited presentation to collaborators on NQS quality ratings and child outcomes (AEDC) in the Multi-Agency Data Integration Project (MADIP), First Five Years project, with Australian Government Department of Education.

Dr Peter Rankin (09 Oct 2023) presented research update, with Australian Government Department of Education.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (11 Oct 2023) attended discussion of ARC Industry Fellowship, with Queensland Government Department of Education.

Dr Natasha Pearce (11 Oct 2023) presented 'Pilot evaluation of a whole-school intervention at-scale: 2-year implementation and impact outcomes' at Evidence and Implementation Summit, Melbourne.

Prof Janeen Baxter (13 Oct 2023) attended meeting to discuss the Thailand case study for the B2 WHO project, with World Health Organisation.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark (13 Oct 2023) attended Stronger Places, Stronger People (SPSP) Measurement and Evaluation (UMEL) Reference Group Meeting, with Australian Government Department of Social Services.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (17 Oct 2023) presented 'Industry Panel Q&A' at Child-Friendly Urban Design for Better Communities and Cities with Dr Tim Gill – Industry Panel and Q&A, Planning Institute of Australia, South Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (19 Oct 2023) attended discussion between Telethon Kids and Productivity Commission on Early Childhood Education and Care Inquiry (ECEC), Perth, with Australian Government Productivity Commission.

Dr Ana Gamarra Rondinel, & Prof Sharon Goldfeld (19 Oct 2023) presented 'Combatting child poverty in Australia: What are the challenges and how can we overcome them?' at Thriving Children, Thriving Communities webinar series, with Murdoch Children's Research Institute.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (20 Oct 2023) attended PLIDA Useability improvements – Analytical Working Group consultation, with Australian Bureau of Statistics.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (23 Oct 2023) met with various sections to discuss relevant research and hear about Treasury's activities, Gender, Early Childhood and Schools team, Transfers and Social Services unit, with Australian Government Department of the Treasury.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (24 Oct 2023) attended meeting with tax analysis division, household microdata unit, and Measuring What Matters team, Canberra, with Australian Government Department of the Treasury.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (24 Oct 2023) attended meeting to discuss Time Use Survey and Life Course Data asset, with Australian Bureau of Statistics.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (25 Oct 2023) met with Targeting Entrenched Disadvantage Taskforce and the Australian Centre for Evaluation, with Australian Government Department of the Treasury.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (25 Oct 2023) met with a large group of Office for Women staff, led by Padma Raman, with Australian Government Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (25 Oct 2023) met with Chris Collett, First Assistant Secretary, and Children and Families Division, Attorney-General's Department.

Dr Peter Rankin, Dr Sally Staton, Prof Karen Thorpe, Dr Azhar Hussain Potia, & Dr Sandy Houen (25 Oct 2023) attended Workshop with Australian Education Research Organisation and The Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority on analysis of NQS quality and child outcomes, The University of Queensland.

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Prof Janeen Baxter, Dr Barbara Broadway, Dr Alice Campbell, Prof Guyonne Kalb, & Dr Leonora Risse (30 Oct 2023) attended Decisions in early parenthood: gender norms, government policy and lifetime effects - Closed Roundtable, with Australian Government Department of the Treasury.

Prof A. Abigail Payne (31 Oct 2023) attended Community Affairs References Committee: The extent and nature of poverty in Australia, Canberra.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (31 Oct 2023) met with Kristy Baker, Assistant Secretary of First Nations, Gender Equality and Social Services Branch, Canberra, with Australian Government Department of the Treasury.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (31 Oct 2023) presented 'From partnered to single: Financial security over a lifetime' Seminar at Commonwealth Treasury, Canberra, with Australian Government Department of the Treasury.

Prof A. Abigail Payne (02 Nov 2023) presented 'Education & skills for the future' at The Economic and Social Outlook Conference, Melbourne.

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Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark (10 Nov 2023) attended grants review panel for the Ministry of Education in Singapore.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (14 Nov 2023) presented 'Transitions from primary to secondary school: Supporting successful educational pathways of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students' at UQ Poche Centre for Indigenous Health, Toowong.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (17 Nov 2023) attended meeting with Gender, Early Childhood and Schools Unit members to discuss evaluation of three year old Kindergarten in Victoria, Melbourne, with Australian Government Department of the Treasury.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark (21 Nov 2023) attended Stronger Places, Stronger People (SPSP) National Leadership Group Meeting, with Australian Government Department of Social Services.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Sharon Goldfeld, Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski, Prof Guyonne Kalb, Prof A. Abigail Payne, Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Prof Mark Western (22 Nov 2023) attended ARDC social sciences pilot roundtable 2, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, Australian Government Department of Social Services, Australian Bureau of Statistics, Mission Australia, Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

A/Prof Marian Vidal-Fernandez (23 Nov 2023) presented 'Status of women in economics' at The Korean Women Economists Association Seminar Series, Korea-Australia.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Dr Lucy Mills, Prof Guyonne Kalb, Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Peter Rankin (29 Nov 2023) attended DSS-LCC Management Meeting.

Prof Janeen Baxter, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & A/Prof Abdullah Mamun (29 Nov 2023) attended 3rd WHO Life Course Network Meeting, with World Health Organisation.

Dr Rosemary Cahill, & Dr Lucy Mills (29 Nov 2023) attended Early Years Strategy meeting, with Australian Government Department of Social Services.

Dr Peter Rankin (04 Dec 2023) presented research update, with Australian Government Department of Education.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (05 Dec 2023) attended meeting with Child Support section directors Angela Davey and Keith Parnell, a/g branch manager Paul Dowling, and researcher Maria Vnuk and Cathy Thebridge to discuss the Child Support system. With Australian Government Department of Social Services.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (07 Dec 2023) attended Committee for Economic Development in Australia Better Human Services Member Advisory Committee, with Anglicare WA, Brotherhood of St. Laurence, The Smith Family, and Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Prof Guyonne Kalb (08 Dec 2023) attended meeting with Mike Power (director) and Mark Lang (assistant director) of Collections and Analytics in Data Delivery and Support Branch, Early Childhood and Youth Group to discuss data linkage for 3-year old Kindergarten evaluation, & Childcare Census data, with Australian Government Department of Education.

Prof Xue Li (10 Dec 2023) presented 'Learning from distributed multimodal data silos' at Privacy In Sapporo - Japan Database Association, Hokkaido University.

Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski (14 Dec 2023) presented briefing on recent LCC research to the NSW Department of Education.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, A/Prof Abdullah Mamun, Prof Janeen Baxter, & Dr K M Shahunja (14 Dec 2023) attended 45 and Up Study - dataset discussion, with New South Wales Government Department of Customer Service.

Prof Janeen Baxter, A/Prof Abdullah Mamun, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr K.M. Shahunja (18 Dec 2023) attended Australia Case study B2 World Health Organisation.

Non-Government Organisations

Dr Stefanie Plage (20 Jan 2023) attended the Inclusive Health and Wellness Hub - First Stakeholder Engagement Workshop, Brisbane Common Ground, Micah Projects.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Karen Healy, & A/Prof Jenny Povey (09 Feb 2023) attended the Out of Home Care Project Management & Advisory Group.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Mark Western (17 Feb 2023) attended the Scoping Calls for Paul Ramsey Foundation Employment National Open Grant Round.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Mark Western (03 Mar 2023) attended the Paul Ramsay Foundation & Life Course Centre grant discussion.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (18 Mar 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program' at Early Childhood Learning & Development Conference 2023, Perth.

Prof Karen Thorpe (21 Mar 2023) attended the GAP Standing Committee on Early Childhood_ Education and Care (ECEC).

Dr Stefanie Plage (21 Mar 2023) presented 'Fostering relationships between academic and industry sectors' at Addressing Social Inequalities workshop event – Inequalities and Social Action Cluster, Brisbane Common Ground, Micah Projects, Brisbane.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (21 Mar 2023) presented 'What the research says on children's active school transport' at Minister Saffioti's launch of the Roadmap to Improve Active School Transport, WA Department of Transport and the Active School Transport Working Group, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Ms Kate Erceg (22 Mar 2023) presented the 'Equity Project Research Seminar: Values & Advocacy Messaging' with Anglicare WA, The University of Western Australia, Committee for Economic Development in Australia (CEDA), Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, Ms Kate Erceg, & Dr Lynne Millar (22 Mar 2023) attended the Minderoo Foundation & TKI Meeting, Minderoo Foundation.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (28 Mar 2023) attended the WA Social Research Network/TKI Meeting with Anglicare WA.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (06 Apr 2023) attended the Committee for Economic Development in Australia Better Human Services Member Advisory Committee with Anglicare WA, Brotherhood of St. Laurence, The Smith Family, and the Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Mark Western (12 Apr 2023) attended the Modelling cycles research roundtable, with the Paul Ramsay Foundation.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (24 Apr 2023) attended a Yarning session to set up a First Nation led brain health program, Brisbane.

Prof Janeen Baxter (25 Apr 2023) attended a Life Course Centre partner meeting with Brotherhood of St Laurence.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, & Ms Phoebe George (27 Apr 2023) presented 'Research on the influence of the built environment on child health and development' at the Forever Project Community Seminar, The Forever Project, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (28 Apr 2023) presented 'Influence of the built environment on child health: The BEACHES project' at the Environmental Health Association WA Conference, Perth.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Mark Western (03 May 2023) attended the modelling cycles research roundtable updates, with the Paul Ramsay Foundation.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Ms Kate Erceg (04 May 2023) attended the Equity Project Research Working Group with Anglicare WA and Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Karen Healy, & Dr Madonna Boman (05 May 2023) attended stakeholder data collection with The Benevolent Society.

Prof Karen Thorpe (05 May 2023) attended The Australian Institute of Family Studies (AIFS) National Early Years (0-5) Research Roundtable.

Prof Janeen Baxter (16 May 2023) attended the World Health Organisation Lifecourse collaboration B2 working group meeting with the World Health Organisation.

Prof Karen Thorpe (18 May 2023) presented 'ALSPAC fathers EPDS paper' at Work on "At Risk" Parent-Child Relationships meeting, Charles Darwin University.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (18 May 2023) presented 'Transition to secondary school program' at Yarn and Eats event roundtables, with Former Origin Greats Queensland and Queensland Government Department of Education.

Prof Deborah Cobb-Clark, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, Ms Kate Gilkison, Prof Janeen Baxter, Ms Carla McCarthy, Ms Kate Erceg, & Dr Lucy Mills (24 May 2023) attended Life Course Centre Data for Policy Summit - Planning Committee meeting, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare, Australian Government Department of Social Services, Brotherhood of St. Laurence, GoodStart Early Learning, The University of Melbourne, The University of Western Australia, The University of Sydney, Australian Bureau of Statistics, New South Wales Government Department of Customer Service, and Mission Australia.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (29 May 2023) attended the Australian Childcare Alliance WA Board Meeting - The Play Active Program, Perth.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (02 Jun 2023) attended discussion of a grant proposal for Ian Potter Foundation.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (06 Jun 2023) presented 'Adult Migrant English Program Impact Evaluation Project' at Adult Migrant English Program 2023 Service Provider Conference, Melbourne, with Australian Government Department of Home Affairs.

Prof Karen Thorpe (09 Jun 2023) attended Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth Board Meeting.

Prof Janeen Baxter (12 Jun 2023) attended the Minderoo Foundation & Life Course Centre Director catch-up.

Prof Janeen Baxter (13 Jun 2023) attended B2 Co-Leads World Health Organisation life course collaboration.

Dr Peter Rankin, & Dr Sally Staton (22 Jun 2023) presented an invited talk to share work on the distribution of ECEC quality, and relationships between quality and children's outcomes at the Australian Education Research Organisation Early Childhood Outcomes Project Advisory Group.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (03 Jul 2023) attended meeting with GoodStart Early Learning, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (05 Jul 2023) presented 'Children's health & development: The importance of green space' at Telethon Kids Institute and Nature Play WA Seminar with Dr Maren Østvold Lindheim, Telethon Kids Institute, Nedlands.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (05 Jul 2023) presented 'Transitions from primary to secondary school: Supporting successful educational pathways of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students' at professional development talk for ARTIE staff, Former Origin Greats Queensland.

Prof Janeen Baxter (17 Jul 2023) attended World Health Organisation B2 Life Course Country case studies meeting.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (28 Jul 2023) attended meeting with Dr Kate Liley, National Research Manager, Goodstart Early Learning, Perth.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Simon Smith, & Prof Karen Thorpe (02 Aug 2023) attended EYC Mental Models Project - Professional Advisory Group Meeting, with Anglicare WA.

Prof A. Abigail Payne, & Dr Sangeetha Chandrashekeran (04 Aug 2023) met to discuss project proposal: 'The significance of place and mobility in social housing', with St Vincent de Paul Society Victoria.

Prof Janeen Baxter, Dr Ella Kuskoff, & Dr Alice Campbell (07 Aug 2023) attended Life Course Centre/DVAC Research Project, with Domestic Violence Action Centre.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (08 Aug 2023) attended Minderoo/TKI Introductions, Perth with Minderoo Foundation.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (10 Aug 2023) attended meeting with Play Australia, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (18 Aug 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program' at Australian Childcare Alliance WA - Professional Development Workshop with the WA Education and Care Regulatory Unit, Fremantle.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, & A/Prof Francis Mitrou (30 Aug 2023) attended Equity Project Advocacy/Research Sub Group, with Anglicare WA and Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Prof Karen Thorpe (30 Aug 2023) presented as the Keynote Speaker ECEC at QLD Brain Builders Summit.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (02 Sep 2023) presented 'Active Play: An essential yet overlooked aspect of early child health and development' at Early Childhood Australia Conference WA, Curtin University, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (02 Sep 2023) presented 'The power of play for diverse learners' at Early Childhood Australia Conference WA, Curtin University, Perth.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (05 Sep 2023) attended meetings to discuss various collaboration opportunities focused on addressing Indigenous education outcomes, with Former Origin Greats Queensland.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (11 Sep 2023) attended Productivity Commission Round Table at Minderoo Foundation, Perth, with Minderoo Foundation and Australian Government Productivity Commission.

Prof Karen Thorpe (12 Sep 2023) attended Goodstart Social Inclusion Team Meeting.

Dr Rose Stambe, & Dr Stefanie Plage (20 Sep 2023) presented Anglicare Southern Queensland Youth Homelessness PhotoVoice Project at Grovely Mothers Union, Mitchelton, QLD.

Prof Karen Thorpe (22 Sep 2023) attended Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth Board Meeting.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (23 Sep 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program – Supporting ECEC services to provide energetic play every day' at Early Child Education Conference hosted by Murdoch University, Network Teach and the Play Matters Collective, Murdoch University.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (27 Sep 2023) presented 'The causal impact of mental illness on tobacco and alcohol consumption - an instrumental variables approach' at The Household, Income and Labour Dynamics in Australia (HILDA) Survey Research Conference 2023, The University of Melbourne.

Prof Karen Thorpe (05 Oct 2023) attended discussion of analysis examining NQS ratings and child outcomes - UQ, AERO, ACECQA.

Dr Natasha Pearce (11 Oct 2023) presented 'Pilot evaluation of a whole-school intervention at-scale: 2-year implementation and impact outcomes' at Evidence and Implementation Summit, Melbourne.

Prof Karen Thorpe (12 Oct 2023) attended ECEC Workforce Strategy + QBI /TQKP grant from Ian Potter Foundation.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (17 Oct 2023) presented 'Industry Panel Q&A' at Child-Friendly Urban Design for Better Communities and Cities with Dr Tim Gill – Industry Panel and Q&A, Planning Institute of Australia, South Perth.

Dr Natasha Pearce (25 Oct 2023) presented 'Driving quality implementation of whole-school bullying prevention interventions at scale: Two-year process and impact evaluation of friendly schools' at World Anti-Bullying Forum, Raleigh, North Carolina, United States.

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A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & A/Prof Abdullah Mamun (28 Nov 2023) attended The Third WHO Life Course Network Meeting: Extending benefits across the life course - Connecting Healthy Development and Healthy Ageing, WHO Headquarters, Geneva, with World Health Organisation.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (30 Nov 2023) attended meeting with Nikki Reeves, State Manager Goodstart, South East QLD.

Prof Karen Thorpe (01 Dec 2023) attended Goodstart meeting: Discussion of productivity report.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (06 Dec 2023) attended meeting with Kerrin Thomas, State Manager Goodstart South East QLD North.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (07 Dec 2023) attended meeting with Brooke Koenecke, Acting State Manager Goodstart SA and NT.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou (07 Dec 2023) attended Committee for Economic Development in Australia Better Human Services Member Advisory Committee, with Anglicare WA, Brotherhood of St. Laurence, The Smith Family, and Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Industry / Business / Community

Prof Janeen Baxter, Prof Karen Healy, & A/Prof Jenny Povey (09 Feb 2023) attended the Out of Home Care Project Management & Advisory Group.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, Ms Phoebe George, Hannah Moore, Dr Andrea Nathan, & Corinne Zadow (15 Feb 2023) attended the PLAYCE Consumer Reference Group meetings.

Dr Emma Cooke (23 Feb 2023) presented 'Sleep research update: Findings from studies undertaken at Queensland Children's Hospital about sleep in children with Down syndrome' for the Down Syndrome Queensland Webinar.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Mark Western (09 Mar 2023) presented 'Data systems that work for data users' at Our Data Sources as a Strategic National Asset Symposium, Te Papa Tongarewa Museum of New Zealand, University of Auckland.

Prof Janeen Baxter (14 Mar 2023) attended the Committee for Economic Development in Australia Council on Economic Policy Meeting 1 – 2023.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (18 Mar 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program' at Early Childhood Learning & Development Conference 2023, Perth.

Dr Stefanie Plage (21 Mar 2023) presented 'Fostering relationships between academic and industry sectors' at Addressing Social Inequalities workshop event – Inequalities and Social Action Cluster, Brisbane Common Ground, Micah Projects, Brisbane.

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Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Guyonne Kalb (23 Mar 2023) attended the Academy of Social Science Australia Roundtable: Developments in work and wellbeing for contemporary Australia, with Australian Institute of Health and Welfare and Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

Prof Agnieszka Tymula, & Prof Sally Gainsbury (28 Mar 2023) attended the Gambling Harms Minimisation Roundtable, Sydney.

Prof Helen Huang, & Dr Yadan Luo (04 Apr 2023) presented 'DEI - Ethics in paper submissions and reviewing' on the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Panel at the annual IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE), Los Angeles.

Dr Rocky Chen (17 Apr 2023) presented 'Self-supervised learning for recommendation: Foundations, methods and prospects' at the 28th International Conference on Database Systems for Advanced Applications, Tianjin.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, Ms Phoebe George, Hannah Moore, Dr Andrea Nathan, & Corinne Zadow (23 Apr 2023) attended the PLAYCE Consumer Reference Group meetings.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, & Ms Phoebe George (27 Apr 2023) presented 'Research on the influence of the built environment on child health and development' at the Forever Project Community Seminar, The Forever Project, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (28 Apr 2023) presented 'Influence of the built environment on child health: The BEACHES project' at the Environmental Health Association WA Conference, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Ms Kate Erceg (04 May 2023) attended the Equity Project Research Working Group with Anglicare WA and Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Prof Janeen Baxter (10 May 2023) attended the Workplace Gender Equality Agency Gender Equality Educators Roundtable with Workplace Gender Equality Agency.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (18 May 2023) presented 'Transition to secondary school program' at Yarn and Eats event roundtables, with Former Origin Greats Queensland and Queensland Government Department of Education.

Prof Karen Thorpe (23 May 2023) attended the Grain Growers Assoc: Rural and Regional Childcare Roundtable, Canberra.

Dr Melissa Johnstone, Prof Wojtek Tomaszewski, Mr Matthias Kubler, & Dr Denise Clague (31 May 2023) attended briefing on the rollout of the Student Equity in Higher Education Evaluation Framework to the Higher education equity sector, Curtin University.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (06 Jun 2023) presented 'Adult Migrant English Program Impact Evaluation Project' at Adult Migrant English Program 2023 Service Provider Conference, Melbourne, with Australian Government Department of Home Affairs.

Prof Karen Thorpe (13 Jun 2023) attended Everything Everywhere All At Once: Formulating Strategy in Complexity.

Dr Ferdi Botha (14 Jun 2023) attended a meeting with AIA to discuss potential collaboration in using HILDA data, Melbourne Business School, The University of Melbourne.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, Ms Phoebe George, Prof Jasper Schipperijn, Ms Elizabeth Wenden, Dr Andrea Nathan, & Dr Matthew 'Tepi' McLaughlin (14 Jun 2023) presented 'Play active program for early childhood education and care: A pragmatic RCT' at International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Uppsala, Sweden.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Dr Alice Campbell (15 Jun 2023) attended Single Parenting Workshop Collaborations, with Australian Government Department of Social Service and Brotherhood of St. Laurence.

Dr Ferdi Botha, & Prof John de New (23 Jun 2023) attended a meeting with ANZ to discuss potential collaboration on financial wellbeing projects.

Prof Xue Li (23 Jun 2023) presented 'High-order reasoning with large language model in life-critical decisions' at The First International Workshop on Autonomous Learning in Complex Decision Situations, Gold Coast.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (26 Jun 2023) attended meeting with Cancer Council WA, Perth.

Dr Sandy Houen (29 Jun 2023) presented 'Educator strategies for responding to challenging behaviours in ECEC' at C&K Conference 2023, Brisbane.

Dr Azhar Hussain Potia (05 Jul 2023) presented 'Transitions from primary to secondary school: Supporting successful educational pathways of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students' at professional development talk for ARTIE staff, Former Origin Greats Queensland.

Dr Emma Cooke (12 Jul 2023) presented 'Clinicians' experiences of explaining prenatal screening and delivering genetic syndrome diagnoses' at Centre for Children's Health Research Seminar Series, Centre for Children's Health Research, South Brisbane.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (20 Jul 2023) attended meeting with Sagewood Early Learning, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (26 Jul 2023) attended meeting with Nature Play WA, Telethon Kids Institute, Perth.

Dr Emma Cooke (03 Aug 2023) presented 'Qualitative data analysis' at Clinician Researcher Development Program.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (10 Aug 2023) attended meeting with Play Australia, Perth.

Dr Sandy Houen (16 Aug 2023) presented 'Educator strategies for responding to challenging behaviours in ECEC' at Early Childhood Australia Webinar.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (18 Aug 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program' at Australian Childcare Alliance WA - Professional Development Workshop with the WA Education and Care Regulatory Unit, Fremantle.

Prof Helen Huang, & Dr Ruihong Qiu (25 Aug 2023) presented 'Recent advances of data science methods in public health' at Nonlinear Dynamics and Mathematical Application Conference, Busan, South Korea.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, & A/Prof Francis Mitrou (30 Aug 2023) attended Equity Project Advocacy/Research Sub Group, with Anglicare WA and Committee for Economic Development in Australia.

Prof Karen Thorpe, & Dr Laetitia Coles (31 Aug 2023) presented 'The Pride and Prejudice of men's participation in early childhood education' at European Early Childhood Education Research Association Conference, Lisbon.

Dr Laetitia Coles (01 Sep 2023) presented 'A cross-national collaborative project methodology aimed at understanding children's perspectives of their male and female teachers in early learning settings' at European Early Childhood Education Research Association Conference, Lisbon.

Miss Charlotte Casey, Dr Sally Staton, Prof Karen Thorpe, Dr Laetitia Coles, & Dr Sandy Houen (01 Sep 2023) presented 'Exploring our understanding of drop-off and pick-up in early childhood education and care contexts' at European Early childhood Education Research Association conference, Lisbon.

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Prof Karen Thorpe (06 Sep 2023) attended ECEC Workforce forum (TAFE QLD).

Prof Agnieszka Tymula (07 Sep 2023) attended Sustainable Insurance Meeting, The University of Sydney.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, Ms Phoebe George, Hannah Moore, Dr Andrea Nathan, & Corinne Zadow (11 Sep 2023) attended PLAYCE Consumer Reference Group meeting, Perth.

Patricia Lewis (14 Sep 2023) presented 'The Telethon Kids Institute, EYP and Dental Health' at Rotary Club of Kojonup, Kojonup, WA.

Dr Rose Stambe, & Dr Stefanie Plage (20 Sep 2023) presented Anglicare Southern Queensland Youth Homelessness PhotoVoice Project at Grovely Mothers Union, Mitchelton, QLD.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (23 Sep 2023) presented 'The Play Active Program – Supporting ECEC services to provide energetic play every day' at Early Child Education Conference hosted by Murdoch University, Network Teach and the Play Matters Collective, Murdoch University.

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Patricia Lewis, Dr Renee Teal, Dr Lynne Millar, Dr Jon Sae-Koew, & A/Prof Francis Mitrou (29 Sep 2023) presented 'Developmental Evaluation: Evaluating the implementation and outcomes of a multi-faceted complex real-world initiative' at AES International Evaluation Conference, Brisbane.

Dr Sandy Houen (06 Oct 2023) presented 'Educator strategies for responding to challenging behaviours in ECEC' at Early Childhood Australia Conference, Adelaide.

Dr Natasha Pearce (11 Oct 2023) presented 'Pilot evaluation of a whole-school intervention at-scale: 2-year implementation and impact outcomes' at Evidence and Implementation Summit, Melbourne.

Prof Karen Thorpe (11 Oct 2023) attended CareConnect: Bridging Gaps in Rural and Remote Childcare, National press Club, Canberra.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (12 Oct 2023) attended meet and greet and Institute tour with Baby Sensory and Toddler Sense Australia and New Zealand, Telethon Kids Institute, Perth.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (17 Oct 2023) presented 'Industry Panel Q&A' at Child-Friendly Urban Design for Better Communities and Cities with Dr Tim Gill – Industry Panel and Q&A, Planning Institute of Australia, South Perth.

Dr Natasha Pearce (25 Oct 2023) presented 'Driving quality implementation of whole-school bullying prevention interventions at scale: Two-year process and impact evaluation of friendly schools' at World Anti-Bullying Forum, Raleigh, North Carolina, United States.

A/Prof Hayley Christian (08 Nov 2023) attended Australian Council for Health, Physical Education and Recreation (ACHPER) & Asia Pacific Physical Activity Conference 2024, Perth.

Dr Diana Naehrig, Prof Nick Glozier, Dr Aaron Schokman, Dr Alyssa Milton, & Ms Nicollette Thornton (11 Nov 2023) presented 'Living with narcolepsy: From symptoms to stigma' at Sleep Down Under 2023.

Prof Helen Huang (30 Nov 2023) presented 'Quo Vadis: Navigating cross-disciplinary frontiers with AI in research' at Australasian Community for Advanced Organic Semiconductors Symposium, Tweed Heads, New South Wales.

Ms Beibei Wang, Prof Nick Glozier, & Dr Isabella Choi (06 Dec 2023) presented 'A personalized mental wellbeing web application to support help-seeking among Chinese-speaking international university students' at 33rd ISANA Conference, Sydney.

Prof Xue Li (10 Dec 2023) presented 'Learning from distributed multimodal data silos' at Privacy In Sapporo - Japan Database Association, Hokkaido University.

Professional Organisations and Bodies

Prof Karen Thorpe (09 Feb 2023) presented the Avon Longitudinal Study of Parents and Children fathers Edinburgh Postnatal Depression Scale paper.

Prof Janeen Baxter, & Prof Mark Western (09 Mar 2023) presented 'Data systems that work for data users' at Our Data Sources as a Strategic National Asset Symposium, Te Papa Tongarewa Museum of New Zealand, University of Auckland.

Prof Karen Thorpe (10 Mar 2023) attended the Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth (ARACY) Board Meeting.

Prof Janeen Baxter (14 Mar 2023) attended the Academy / Treasury roundtable - Steering Group meeting with Australian Government Department of the Treasury and Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

Dr Stefanie Plage (21 Mar 2023) presented 'Fostering relationships between academic and industry sectors' at Addressing Social Inequalities workshop event – Inequalities and Social Action Cluster, Brisbane Common Ground, Micah Projects, Brisbane.

Prof Helen Huang, & Dr Yadan Luo (04 Apr 2023) presented 'DEI - Ethics in paper submissions and reviewing' on the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Panel at annual IEEE International Conference on Data Engineering (ICDE), Los Angeles.

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Prof Janeen Baxter (12 May 2023) attended the Measuring What Matters - ASSA and AAHMS Fellow consultation, with the Australian Government Department of the Treasury and Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Dr Ha Nguyen (06 Jun 2023) presented 'Adult Migrant English Program Impact Evaluation Project' at Adult Migrant English Program 2023 Service Provider Conference, Melbourne, with Australian Government Department of Home Affairs.

A/Prof Hayley Christian, Ms Phoebe George, Prof Jasper Schipperijn, Ms Elizabeth Wenden, Dr Andrea Nathan, & Dr Matthew 'Tepi' McLaughlin (14 Jun 2023) presented 'Play active program for early childhood education and care: A pragmatic RCT' at International Society for Behavioral Nutrition and Physical Activity, Uppsala, Sweden.

Dr Natasha Pearce, A/Prof Francis Mitrou, & Ms Kate Erceg (21 Jun 2023) attended OASIS Project briefing and discussion on latest wellbeing evidence, with Sydney Catholic Schools.

Dr Peter Rankin, & Dr Sally Staton (22 Jun 2023) presented an invited talk to share work on the distribution of ECEC quality, and relationships between quality and children's outcomes at the Australian Education Research Organisation Early Childhood Outcomes Project Advisory Group.

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Mr Matthew MacDermott, Prof Janeen Baxter, & Dr Alice Campbell (11 Sep 2023) attended meeting to discuss collaboration with Single Mother Families Australia.

Prof Janeen Baxter (12 Sep 2023) attended Accessing Australia's Research Collections - Expert Reference Panel meeting 2, with Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia.

Dr Sandy Houen (06 Oct 2023) presented 'Educator strategies for responding to challenging behaviours in ECEC' at Early Childhood Australia Conference, Adelaide.

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Dr Diana Naehrig, Prof Nick Glozier, Dr Aaron Schokman, Dr Alyssa Milton, & Ms Nicolette Thornton (11 Nov 2023) presented 'Living with narcolepsy: From symptoms to stigma' at Sleep Down Under 2023.

Prof Karen Thorpe (16-Nov-2023) attended Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth Board strategy session.

Prof Karen Thorpe (17-Nov-2023) Australian Research Alliance for Children and Youth Board Meeting.

Ms Beibei Wang, Prof Nick Glozier, & Dr Isabella Choi (06 Dec 2023) presented 'A personalized mental wellbeing web application to support help-seeking among Chinese-speaking international university students' at 33rd ISANA Conference, Sydney.

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New organisations collaborating with, or involved in, the Centre

Organisation name	Organisation type	Country
Committee for Economic Development in Australia (CEDA)	Professional organisations	Australia
Department of Human Services - SA	Government	Australia
Domestic Violence Action Centre	NGO	Australia

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Down Syndrome Australia	NGO	Australia
Emerging Minds	Industry/business/community/end users	Australia
eSafety	Government	Australia
Healthway	Government	Australia
HumanAbility	Government	Australia
Inclusivity Quotient (InQ)	Industry/business/ community/end users	Australia
Lives Lived Well	NGO	Australia
Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment	Government	New Zealand
National Indigenous Australians Agency	Government	Australia
Neami National	NGO	Australia
NSW Coalition of Aboriginal Peak Organisations (CAPO)	NGO	Australia
NSW Government Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research	Government	Australia
NSW Government Department of Communities and Justice	Government	Australia
Oranga Tamariki - Ministry for Children New Zealand	Government	New Zealand
Q Shelter	NGO	Australia
RDRS Bangladesh Dhaka	NGO	Bangladesh
SA Health	Government	Australia
Save the Children	NGO	International
Social Wellbeing Agency New Zealand	NGO	New Zealand
Sydney Catholic Schools	Professional organisations	Australia

Organisation name	Organisation type	Country
Tasmanian Government Department for Education, Children and Young People	Government	Australia
Uniting NSW.ACT	NGO	Australia
World Health Organisation	NGO	International

Centre Specific Indicators

Position papers, reports and submissions to government

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Understanding the Feelings of Poverty: Shame, Anger, and Hope. Featuring Cameron Parsell and Rose Stambe. <https://www.powertopersuade.org.au/blog/poverty-and-shame-rage-and-hope>

Single parents and post-separation families: Challenges and opportunities in times of crisis. Featuring Alice Campbell. <https://www.powertopersuade.org.au/blog/single-parents-and-post-separation-families-challenges-and-opportunities-in-times-of-crisis/4/10/2023>

What research says about studying with the Adult Migrant English Program (AMEP). Featuring Ha Nguyen and Francis Mitrou. <https://www.powertopersuade.org.au/blog/what-research-says-about-studying-with-the-adult-migrant-english-program-amep/9/10/2023>

Why Housing is Key to Understanding, and Alleviating(!), Poverty. Featuring Stephen Whelan. <https://www.powertopersuade.org.au/blog/why-housing-is-key-to-understanding-and-alleviating-poverty/10/10/2023>

Raising children in the lucky country: Understanding the income penalty and poverty at childbirth. Featuring Ana Gamarra Rondinel. <https://www.powertopersuade.org.au/blog/raising-children-in-the-lucky-country-understanding-the-income-penalty-and-poverty-at-childbirth/11/10/2023>

Centre researcher secures \$1.2m NHMRC funding to support mental health research. Featuring Alyssa Milton. <https://lifecoursecentre.org.au/news/centre-researcher-secures-1-2m-nhmrc-funding-to-support-mental-health-research/>

Action needed to address rising levels of poverty and inequality. Featuring Janeen Baxter and Alice Campbell. <https://antipovertyweek.org.au/2023/10/action-needed-to-address-rising-levels-of-poverty-and-inequality/>

Dads choice to withhold child support is preventable poverty. Featuring Janeen Baxter and Alice Campbell. <https://antipovertyweek.org.au/2023/10/dads-choice-to-withhold-child-support-is-preventable-poverty/>

Anti-Poverty Week campaigns to end child poverty in Australia. Featuring Alice Campbell. https://comms.hass.uq.edu.au/v/39308/3736868/email.html?k=4WJod7QDhxBlurC5UOLDA4XzY_Fiq-N8VNnuiPxuTM8

Anti-Poverty Week roundtable: Tackling poverty and disadvantage through data. Featuring Janeen Baxter, Cameron Parsell, A. Abigail Payne, Sangeetha Chandrashekeran, and Azhar Hussain Potia. <https://lifecoursecentre.org.au/news/anti-poverty-week-roundtable-tackling-poverty-and-disadvantage-through-data/>

Life Course Centre November 2023 Newsletter. Featuring Janeen Baxter, Cameron Parsell, A. Abigail Payne, Sharon Goldfeld, Barbara Broadway, Ha Nguyen, Alice Campbell, Jack Lam, Iryna Kolesnikova, Francis Mitrou, Stephen Whelan, Ana Gamarra Rondinel, and Rose Stambe. <https://comms.uq.edu.au/v/39362/1287769/email.html?k=C7WPq6LoR4Ecqtfn5UJS6Nz5rNNmf6klybdGFhN42Ew>

Young people at risk of homelessness find their voice through photography. Featuring Cameron Parsell, Ella Kuskoff, Stefanie Plage, and Rose Stambe. <https://lifecoursecentre.org.au/news/young-people-at-risk-of-homelessness-find-their-voice-through-photography/>

Increasing participation in research: undergraduate researchers, community researchers and participants in equity initiatives

Community involvement in research

The PlayActive Community Reference Group has 16 members.

The Community Advisory Committee has 5 members.

Undergraduate researchers

There were five participants in University of Queensland Summer and Winter Scholar Program.

Student	Supervisor(s)
Darby Jones	Dr Alice Campbell
Juan Zhong	Dr Rennie Lee
Khanh Huyen Duong	Dr Yanshu Huang
Tingyan Yang	Dr Rennie Lee
Rachael Gerritsen	Dr Jack Lam

Demonstrated influence on policy and practice

Peter Rankin invited by the Australian Department of Education, Skills and Employment to provide expert advice on causal modelling using observational data (15/03/2023). Guided discussion led to refined agreement on principles and practice to be used in upcoming analytical work undertaken by Department.

The DSS publication Impact Analysis - Additional Support for Single Parents OIA23-04851 cited two pieces of research by Centre members. de Gendre, Schurer and Zhang, Two Decades of Welfare Reforms in Australia: How Did They Affect Single Mothers and Their Children? IZA Discussion Paper No. 14752 (September 2021). Campbell and Baxter, Still Too Much Child Poverty in the 'Lucky Country', Anti-Poverty Week Media Briefing, 18 October 2022.

Nick Glozier, Alyssa Milton, Christiane Klinner, Elizabeth Stratton, Aaron Schokman, Nicollette Thornton had findings published in the Guardian.

On 18 April 2023, the Australian Government Department of Social Services Interim Economic Inclusion Advisory Committee released a report for the 2023-24 Federal Budget. This report cited Life Course Centre researchers Ferdi Botha (page 49) and Greg Duncan and Ariel Kalil (page 72),

Anglicare Southern Queensland (ASQ) and the ARC Centre of Excellence for Children and Families over the Life Course (Ella Kuskoff, Stefanie Plage, Rose Stambe) collaborated to bring together the young people at risk of homelessness supported by ASQ to ask them about what home means to them. Using photography and captions the young people workshopped their ideas, and discussed the significance of belonging and identity, of growing up (too fast) and their everyday struggles in the search for home. These extraordinary photographs were curated into an exhibition which was launched on 27 October as a part of Anti-Poverty week.

In June/July 2023, the Life Course Centre UQ (Janeen Baxter, Yanshu Huang) hosted international visitor Magnus Jørgensen, PhD candidate at University of Bergen, Norway. This visit was a direct result of our Life Course Centre Working Paper 'Stressful Life Events, Social Support, and Depressive Symptoms in Adolescents: The Mediating Role of School Connectedness' published in 2021. Magnus research interests include the associations between socioeconomic disadvantage in adolescence and adult mental health outcomes and, in researching the field, he came across our Working Paper and reached out to the centre

for a visit, where he worked with and learnt from centre researchers, attended centre events, and made connections for potential collaborations.

Research led by Max Yong from the University of Melbourne examining the effectiveness of the Australian Government's Job Ready Graduates funding model achieved high levels of impact in 2023. Max was a recipient of a Life Course Centre Pathways Scholarship and his Honours thesis was supervised by Life Course Centre Research Fellow Dr Jan Kabatek. Max graduated with First Class Honours in 2022 and is now an Associate with Boston Consulting Group. His thesis was recognised as the first evidence-based assessment of Job Ready Graduates and gained widespread media exposure. In 2023, the research was cited by the Productivity Commission's 5-year Productivity Inquiry report, released in March 2023, and in the Universities Accord Interim Report, released in July 2023, and in an article in *The Conversation* led by Jan Kabatek, published in November 2023.

The Australian Twins Economic Preferences Survey (ATEPS) is a new dataset that became available for download from the Australian Data Archive in 2023. The creation of this new dataset was led by Nathan Kettlewell and Agnieszka Tymula and received funding support from the Life Course Centre. There are 1,120 twins pairs in the ATEPS dataset who completed a suite of behavioural decision tasks. The dataset provides insights into how economic preferences and behaviours form, but the potential of the dataset extends beyond that as twins are great counterfactuals for each other, ATEPS could be a real asset for social scientists. The development of the ATEPS dataset was first published in the Life Course Centre Working Paper Series in 2021 and later that year in the academic journal, *Twin Research and Human Genetics*,

In August 2023, the Australian Institute of Family Studies (AIFS) released the latest publication in its *Growing Up In Australia* series 'Parents' welfare receipt and their children's employment and education outcomes'. Key Life Course Centre research on intergenerational welfare dependency and people Not in Employment, Education or Training (NEETs) (Janeen Baxter, Deborah Cobb-Clark, Nicolas Salamanca, Sarah Dahmann, Francis Mitrou) provided the foundations for this AIFS report.

Life Course Centre research (Janeen Baxter, Matthew MacDermott, Alice Campbell) was used to update Anti-Poverty Week's Fast Facts sheets on Women, Violence & Poverty and Child & Family Poverty for Anti-Poverty Week 2023. Our research was also to inform Anti-Poverty Week 2023 media releases on addressing poverty and child support. These Anti-Poverty Week materials generated significant online, TV, radio and print media coverage during Anti-Poverty Week in October 2023.

The Australian newspaper's annual *Research Magazine* ranks Australia's top researchers and research institutions across 250 fields of research. In the 2023 edition, released on 7 November 2023, Life Course Centre Director Professor Janeen Baxter from The University of Queensland was named as the top researcher in the field of Family Studies. The University of Queensland was also ranked as the top research institution in the field of Family Studies. Life Course Centre Associate Investigator Professor Leah Ruppanner from The University of Melbourne was named as the top researcher in the fields of Gender Studies and Sociology. The University of Melbourne was also ranked as the top research institutions in these fields.

In May 2023 Professor Janeen Baxter, Director of the Life Course Centre, received and accepted an invitation from the President of the Australian Academy of Science, Professor Chennupati Jagadish, to sit on the Accessing Australia's Research Collections Expert Reference Panel.

In March 2023, Professor Janeen Baxter, Director of the Life Course Centre, was one of the convenors of an Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia Policy Roundtable in Canberra on 'Developments in work and wellbeing for Contemporary Australia' that brought together a diverse range of senior Australian

Government officials with some of Australia's leading social scientists for an in-depth discussion on developments in work and wellbeing for contemporary Australia.

In 2023, Life Course Centre Chief Investigator Wojtek Tomaszewski (UQ) was successfully nominated by the UQ Vice-Chancellor to be on the Committee for Brisbane's new Equity sub-committee. This new sub-committee aims to forge clear action and initiatives around some of South-East Queensland's key liveability challenges, from affordable housing to inclusive and accessible workplaces and identifying key transformational change opportunities.

Nicollette Thornton is a PhD student of Life Course Centre Chief Investigator Professor Nick Glozier at the University of Sydney and her research on the use of ketamine as a treatment for psychiatric disorders such as depression achieved strong impact in 2023. Nicolette's PhD is looking at public sector implementation of ketamine treatments for psychiatric disorders. This research includes the setting up of a ketamine treatment clinic at the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital in Sydney. This ketamine clinic was Highly Commended for 'Excellence in the Provision of Mental Healthcare Services' at the 2023 Sydney Local Health District Innovation and Excellence Awards. Nicolette published a major systematic review of media coverage on ketamine use and this generated strong media exposure including a prominent article in The Guardian. An article on a former patient's experience at the ketamine treatment clinic set up at Royal Prince Alfred was also published by the ABC.

Life Course Centre PhD students Nikita Sharma and Josi Tabosa interned at the Academy of Social Sciences in Australia (ASSA) in 2023, specifically to work on ASSA's first ever Decadal Plan for Social Science Research Infrastructure. After completing her internship, Nikita continued to work for ASSA as a policy analyst and was one of the authors of the Discussion Paper on the Decadal Plan, which was presented at the Australian Social Policy Conference in Canberra. The Life Course Centre was a partner in the preparation of the discussion paper with the ASSA which supports stakeholder consultation for the development of a Decadal Plan for Social Science Research Infrastructure 2023-32. The Decadal Plan seeks to build sector-wide consensus around the research capabilities social science researchers will need, over the next 10 years, to take advantage of an unfolding digital revolution to produce insights and outputs at the very cutting edge of global knowledge.

Bonnie Searle was appointed as a member of the Podsquad Advisory Group by Health and Wellbeing Queensland. The purpose of the Podsquad Advisory Group was to help shape Podsquad into a program that is equitable, inclusive, and beneficial for Queensland's diverse families. This involved establishing priorities, program co-design, sharing expertise, and making connections across and beyond the health sector. Bonnie contributed expertise in nutrition and feeding practices.

'Health Home Hope – a photographic exhibition on housing instability and health' provides a visual representation of the lived experiences of homelessness and its impact on health and hope. The exhibition is the result of a highly collaborative project bringing together a range of UQ researchers (Cameron Parsell, Ella Kuskoff, Stefanie Plage, Rose Stambe) with Brisbane homelessness and housing support service providers, advocates and the people they assist. The opening night of the exhibition at Vacant Assembly in West End in April 2023 was attended by 60 guests, including study participants and researchers and key stakeholders from government and non-government organisations active in the housing and social care sector. It also included an address by then Brisbane City Councillor for the Gabba Ward and now Brisbane City Lord Mayoral candidate Jonathan Sriranganathan. The photographs were also displayed at the UQ Open Day in August and at the National Housing Conference in Brisbane in October.

The Life Course Centre worked with AustLit, Australia's largest literary database, in 2023 on curating two Necessary Conversations for young people on the topics of Homelessness and Domestic and Family Violence. AustLit's Necessary Conversations are curated lists of picture books, children's fiction, and

young-adult novels. The Domestic and Family Violence list was created by Darby Jones, a Summer Research Scholar under the supervision of Dr Alice Campbell, while the Homelessness list was created with input from PhD student Skye Constantine, supervised by Professor Cameron Parsell

In April 2023, the Life Course Centre (Janeen Baxter, Hayley Christian, Abdullah Mamun, Francis Mitrou) provided a submission to the Australian Government Department of Social Services Early Years Strategy in response to the Early Years Discussion Paper and National Early Years Summit held in Canberra in February. In December 2023, the release of the Early Years Draft Strategy featured a prominent reference to our submission on the importance of the early years in shaping an individual's life course. The Early Years Draft Strategy also referenced our researchers at the Telethon Kids Institute on the need for improved data tracking children's developmental progress, and a Life Course Centre Working Paper on the impact of poverty on children (reinforcing the accessibility and value of our Working Papers Series to policymakers).

In February 2023, the Life Course Centre (Janeen Baxter, Guyonne Kalb, Barbara Broadway, Francis Mitrou) provided a submission to Senate Inquiry into the extent and nature of poverty in Australia. In May 2023, the Senate Community Affairs References Committee tabled its Interim Report on this inquiry. The Interim Report featured a total of eight direct references to our submission, covering issues such as economic participation, employment, those more likely to experience poverty and the structural drivers and human impact of poverty.

In November 2023, the Productivity Commission released the Draft Report: 'A path to universal early childhood education and care' It highlighted that affordability should not be a barrier to ECEC and the need to make quality ECEC accessible to all children and families, including those experiencing disadvantage, disability and from diverse cultural backgrounds. The report cited a total of 20 publications involving Life Course Centre researchers, including Karen Thorpe, Steve Zubrick, Guyonne Kalb and Sharon Goldfeld and teams, and from an international perspective, Greg Duncan and Ariel Kalil. Guyonne Kalb, Karen Thorpe and Steve Zubrick were mentioned as academics involved in consultations for the drafting of the report. In preparing the report, the Productivity Commission hosted a roundtable on children's outcomes in August 2023 that included Karen Thorpe, Sharon Goldfeld and Myra Geddes from Centre partner Goodstart Early Learning and a member of the Life Course Centre Advisory Committee.

Katrien Stevens and Marian Vidal-Fernandez from the University of Sydney Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences provided evaluation data and analysis of the Australian Chamber Orchestra (ACO) Foundations programs. The ACO Foundations is an in-school program which uses music learning to improve the developmental and educational outcomes of children in low socio-economic status schools. The publication of the 2018-2022 Evaluation Report received media attention.

Sandy Houen was an invited panel member - Social Ventures Australia and the Front Project.

Wojtek Tomaszewski, Melissa Johnstone, Matthias Kubler, Denise Clague informing phase 2 rollout of the SEHEEF.

Rocky Chen organized a workshop "Artificial Intelligence Enabled Trustworthy Recommendations" at the 2023 Australasian Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence, on 28 Nov 2023. The workshop attracted over 30 researchers and industry practitioners that hold strong interest in uplifting the trustworthiness of AI algorithms, especially recommender systems.

Agnieszka Tymula is an Elected Executive Committee Board Member of the Economic Science Association 2020-2023.

Agnieszka Tymula was the 2022-2023 President of the Society for Neuroeconomics.

Findings from Families in Focus (Emma Cooke, Laetitia Coles, Jasneek Chawla) have been used to inform Children's Health Queensland (CHQ) Hospital and Health Service Strategic Plan 2024-2028

New Research Projects Co-designed with Partners

LCC_2024_171 Housing ABM Project – with the National Growth Areas Alliance

LCC_2023_165 WHO Scoping Review on Linked Data – with the World Health Organisation

LCC_2023_140 Educational outcomes and disadvantaged students – with the Australian Department of Education

LCC_2023_120 Mission Australia Data Analysis – with Mission Australia

(NO CODE) International Early Years Systems – with the Australian Government Department of Social Services

LCC_2024_163 Labour market outcome prediction – with the Australian Department of Education

LCC_2023_160 Survivor Experiences – with the Domestic Violence Action Centre

New funding associated with the Centre

Centre Members Involved	Funded Project Title	Amount	Funding Scheme / Organisation
Isabella Choi	Disseminating a mental wellbeing help-seeking web-app for international students to end-users	\$2,000	2023 Australian Research Council Life Course Centre Capacity Building Award
Isabella Choi		\$9,857	2023 Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS) External Engagement Fund
Isabella Choi		\$4,500	2023 Faculty of Medicine and Health Rewarding Research Success – Final COVID Recovery Support
Nick Glozier Alyssa Milton	Co-production for early psychosis functional recovery groups	\$20,000	ALIVE Next Generation Researcher Network 2022 Seed Funding

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Helen Huang	Responsible modelling respecting privacy, data quality, and green computing	\$485,000	ARC DP
Azhar Hussain Potia	Supporting successful educational pathways of First Nations students	\$476,053	ARC Industry Fellowship
Karen Thorpe	10,000 Hours: Time in early education and care for better life opportunity	\$413,0000	ARC Laureate fellowship
Karen Thorpe Sally Staton Sandy Houen Azhar Hussain Potia Peter Rankin	Provision of exploratory research related to early childhood data	\$163,360	Australian Education Research Organisation
Karen Thorpe Nick Glozier Alyssa Milton	STARS: School Transition and Readiness via School-aged education and care services	\$50,000	Brain and Mind Centre Partnerships Grant
Matthew Sanders Carys Chainey	FLSTP RCT - Jacaranda Place	\$100,000	Children's Health Queensland Hospital and Health Service
Matthew Sanders	A consumer informed study to develop a professional development program that promotes sustainability education	\$92,395	Education Horizon
Hayley Christian Matthew 'Tepi' McLaughlin	Childcare educator-parent engagement for healthy eating and physical activity	\$74,976	Exploratory
Hayley Christian Andrea Nathan	Incorporating children's voices for more equitable and healthy environments	\$74,999	Exploratory
Ferdi Botha John de New	Financial literacy and mental health	\$10,000	Faculty of Business and Economics (FBE) Research Grant
Sangeetha Chandrashekeran Rajith Vidanaarachchi	Tati Tati Agent Based Modelling	\$20,000	Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology

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			Indigenous Research Grant 2022
Nick Glozier Alyssa Milton	SiMPLiCiTY - co-design	\$20,000	Faculty of Medicine and Health Bright Ideas Grant
Hayley Christian	PLAYCE Cohort Study - WA Cohort Studies-Operational Support Program	\$114,972	Future Health Research & Innovation Fund
Hayley Christian Matthew 'Tepi' McLaughlin	Play Active childcare intervention to improve children's physical activity	\$388,296	Intervention
Hayley Christian Jasper Schipperijn Andrea Nathan Matthew 'Tepi' McLaughlin	Scaling-up the 'Play Active' program to improve children's physical activity in early childhood education and care — a multi-state hybrid effectiveness-implementation trial	\$1,727,513	Medical Research Future Fund 2021 Maternal Health and Healthy Lifestyles
Nick Glozier Alyssa Milton	SiMPLiCiTY - user testing stage	\$100,000	Moyira Elizabeth Vine Grant for Research into Schizophrenia
Matthew Curry Wojtek Tomaszewski Yanshu Huang Melissa Johnstone Matthias Kubler	Targeted Review of Student Equity in Higher Education Programs and System Level Policy Levers	\$695,000	National Priorities Pool
Nick Glozier Alyssa Milton	NHMRC Targeted Research Call for Improving the physical health of people with a mental illness	\$1,184,994	NHMRC Targeted Research Call for Improving the physical health of people with a mental illness
Sangeetha Chandrashekeran Rajith Vidanaarachchi	Tati Tati Agent Based Modelling	\$39,990	Social Equity Institute 2022 Seed Funding
Pulan Bai		\$20,000	Stan and Jean Perron PhD Career Launching Award
Nick Glozier	Feasibility and acceptability pilot of a self-management	\$20,000	Sydney Health Partners

Centre Members Involved	Funded Project Title	Amount	Funding Scheme / Organisation
Alyssa Milton	intervention “My Personal Recovery Plan” (MyPREP) for people with serious mental health conditions		Implementation Science Pilot Grants
Stefanie Schurer Sarah Johnson Francis Mitrou	Improving Aboriginal health by understanding the influence of early life environments and contacts with health and social service systems over time and across generations	\$5,000,000	Synergy Grant
Isabella Choi	Towards better access and equity in digital mental health: Understanding and addressing the impacts of health literacy in treatment	\$19,753	The ALIVE National Centre 2023 Next Gen Researcher Network (NGRN) Seed Funding
Matthew Sanders Carys Chainey April Hoang Karen Turner	I-CEPS 2023	\$257,383	The University of Queensland, Murdoch Children's Research Institute, The Smith Family, Queensland Government Department of Children, Youth Justice and Multicultural Affairs

New Interventions

LCC_2023_131 Driver Drowsiness Analysis - In this project, we will build a drowsiness detection model to predict driver drowsiness from simple devices.

LCC_2024_113 Sleep in Recovery Phase One - This project aims to examine how sleep need and sleep security can be addressed in relation to the social challenge of drug and alcohol use.

LCC_2024_163 Labour market outcome prediction - The outputs are expected to identify groups of university graduates that should be the focus of policy, including preventative interventions to avoid poor graduate outcomes down the track

LCC_2023_160 Survivor Experiences - The knowledge generated through this project will allow DVAC to refine and enhance their services.