

CURRENT ACADEMIC POSITIONS

University of Toronto

Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

Associate Professor	<i>2019 - Ongoing</i>
Associate Dean, Academic	<i>2019 - 2022</i>
Assistant Professor, Full-time/Tenure-Track	<i>2014 - 2019</i>
Interim Coordinator of MSW Indigenous Trauma and Resiliency Program	<i>2020</i>
Interim Coordinator of MSW Gerontology Specialization	<i>2017/2018</i>

Baycrest Health Sciences

Rotman Research Institute

Adjunct Scientist	<i>2014 - Ongoing</i>
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EDUCATION

PhD

2010 - 2014

Columbia University School of Social Work, New York, USA

Gerontology and Advanced Social Work Practice

- ♦ Academic distinction – cumulative GPA 3.98
- ♦ Dissertation defense and graduation – May 2014

Master of Social Work (MSW)

2003 - 2005

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work, Toronto, Canada

Individuals, Families and Groups

- ♦ Academic distinction – cumulative GPA 3.95
- ♦ Only student in graduating class to conduct primary thesis research with human subjects

Honors Baccalaureate of Science (B.Sc.)

1998 - 2003

University of Guelph, Department of Mathematics and Statistics, Guelph, Canada

Mathematics (major), Psychology (minor)

- ♦ Graduated with academic distinction on Dean's Honour List

FUNDING

External Peer-Reviewed

- ◆ **Public Health Agency of Canada – Preventing and Addressing Family Violence: The Health Perspective – P004635 (2022 – 2026)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: Implementing and Testing RISE: Addressing a Gap in Community-Based Elder Abuse Response Intervention
Amount: CAN\$799,971

- ◆ **Canada Research Chair – Tier 2 – CRC-2020-00084 (2021 – 2026)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: Older Adult Mistreatment Prevention
Amount: CAN\$600,000

- ◆ **Canadian Institutes for Health Research (CIHR) – Project Grant – 72060616 – (2021 – 2026)**
Role: Principal Investigator
Title: Resident-to-Resident Abuse in Long-Term Care: Reporting for Change
Co-Investigators: Dr. Lynn McDonald, Dr. Pamela Baxter, Dr. Sandra Hirst, Dr. Adriana Schnall
Amount: \$1,396,126

- ◆ **World Health Organization (WHO) (2020 – 2022)**
Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
Title: Mega-Maps on the Consequences of, and Risk and Protective Factors for Elder Abuse
Principal Investigator: Dr. Jennifer Storey
Amount: \$25,000

- ◆ **Social Science and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) – Insight Grant – 435-2020-0339 (2020 – 2024)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: What Does Engagement Look Like with Victims of Elder Abuse in Community Support Services?
Co-Investigator: Dr. Marion Bogo, Dr. Rachelle Ashcroft
Amount: CAN\$201,287

- ◆ **Canadian Institutes for Health Research (CIHR) – Operating Grant (COVID-19 Rapid Research Funding) (2020 – 2021)**
Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
Title: An International Multi-Site, Randomized Controlled Trial of a Brief eHealth Intervention to Increase COVID-19 Knowledge and Protective Behaviors, and Reduce Pandemic Stress Among Diverse LGBT+ People
Principal Investigator: Dr. Peter Newman
Amount: \$492,945

- ◆ **Mental Health Commission of Canada (2020 – 2022)**
 Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
 Title: Understanding the Link between Cannabis Use and Mental Health: A Focus on the Experiences of Older Adults.
 Principal Investigator: Dr. Lynn McDonald
 Amount: \$100,000

- ◆ **U.S. National Institutes of Health (NIH) – R01 – 1R01AG060080-01 (2018 – 2021)**
 Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
 Title: Understanding the Causes, Consequences, and Severity of Elder Mistreatment: A Longitudinal, Population-Based Study
 Co-Investigators: Dr. Mark Lachs, Dr. John Eckenrode, Dr. Janey Peterson
 Amount: US\$516,917

- ◆ **U.S. National Institute of Justice (NIJ) – 2017-VF-GX-0002 (2018 – 2020)**
 Role: Co-Principal Investigator (co-PI)
 Title: Developing a Taxonomy to Understand and Measure Outcomes of Success in Community-Based Elder Mistreatment Interventions
 Co-Principal Investigator: Dr. Mark Lachs
 Co-Investigator: Dr. Jo Anne Sirey, Dr. Jeanne Teresi, and Dr. Mildred Ramirez
 Amount: US\$499, 982

- ◆ **U.S. Administration for Community Living (ACL) – 90EJSG0031-01-00 (2018 – 2021)**
 Role: Lead Researcher/Co-Principal Investigator (PI)
 Title: Toward the Development of Evidenced-Based APS Practice: Implementation of a Service Planning/Intervention-Phase Model and Complete NAMRS Reporting
 Co-Principal Investigator: Erin Salvo, Maine Department of Health and Human Services
 Co-Investigators: Marie-Therese Connolly, Dr. Stuart Lewis
 Amount: US\$1,289,731

- ◆ **Canadian Institutes for Health Research (CIHR) – Planning/Dissemination Grant (2018 – 2019)**
 Role: Co-Investigator (Co-I)
 Title: Developing an Age-Friendly Approach for Promoting Health and Wellbeing in Vulnerable Older Adults Living in the City of Toronto
 Principal Investigator: Dr. Sander Hitzig
 Amount: \$10,000

- ◆ **Social Science and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) – Insight Grant – 435-2017-0578 (2017 – 2020)**
 Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
 Title: Addressing the Challenges of Client Retention and Service Utilization in Elder Abuse Interventions
 Co-Investigator: Dr. Lynn McDonald, Dr. Paul Stolee, Dr. Mark Lachs
 Amount: CAN\$86,116

- ◆ **Elder Justice Foundation Grant (2016 – 2018)**
 Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
 Title: Goal Attainment Scaling – A Client-Centered Measure of Success in Elder Mistreatment Adult Protective Services in the United States
 Co-Investigator: Dr. Mark Lachs
 Amount: US\$37,402

- ◆ **Social Science and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) – Insight Development Grant – 430-2015-00785 – (2015 - 2017)**
 Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
 Title: Introducing Individualized Measurement to Elder Abuse Interventions
 Co-Investigators: Dr. Lynn McDonald, Dr. Paul Stolee
 Amount: CAN\$57,550

- ◆ **Ontario Research Coalition – Early Researcher Award – 737190019 – (2014 – 2016)**
 Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
 Title: Understanding Resident-to-Resident Aggression in Dementia-Specific, Long-Term Care Units
 Collaborators: Dr. Morris Freedman, Dr. Angela Troyer, Christina Van Sickle
 Amount: CAN\$5,000

- ◆ **Social Science and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) Doctoral Fellowship (2012 - 2014)**
 Role: Principal Applicant
 Title: Elder Abuse Social Service Engagement and Case Resolution
 Amount: CAN\$60,000

- ◆ **National Anemia Institute for Research and Education – Research Grant Competition (2005)**
 Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
 Title: Mothers Raising Children with Sickle Cell Disease
 Co-Investigator: Dr. Beverley Antle
 Amount: CAN\$5,000

- ◆ **Hospital for Sick Children – Summer Research Grant (2003)**
 Role: Principal Applicant
 Title: Social Support, Quality of Life and Psychological Adjustment Among Pediatric Stem Cell Patients
 Amount: CAN\$2,000

- ◆ **Institute of Medical Science – Summer Research Grant (2003)**
 Role: Principal Applicant
 Title: Social Support, Quality of Life and Psychological Adjustment Among Pediatric Stem Cell Patients
 Amount: CAN\$2,000

- ◆ **Samuel Lunenfeld Research Institute – Summer Research Grant (2002)**
 Role: Principal Applicant
 Title: Prevalence of Perinatal HIV Transmission
 Amount: CAN\$4,000

Internal/Institutional Peer-Reviewed

- ◆ **Social Science and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) Institutional Research Grant (2018 - 2019)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: Understanding Engagement of Older Adults Victims in Community-Based Elder Abuse Intervention
Amount: CAN\$5,034
- ◆ **Social Science and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) Institutional Research Grant (2016 - 2017)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: Elder Financial Fraud and Scams: What Do We Know?
Amount: CAN\$4,508
- ◆ **University of Toronto Connaught Fund – New Researcher Award (2015 - 2017)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: Individualized Outcome Measurement in Elder Abuse Interventions
Co-Investigators: Dr. Mark Lachs, Dr. Lynn McDonald
Amount: CAN\$34,246
- ◆ **Social Science and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) Institutional Research Grant (2015 - 2016)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: Understanding Resident-to-Resident Aggression in Long-Term Care Dementia Units
Amount: CAN\$4,197
- ◆ **Social Science and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) Institutional Research Grant (2014 - 2015)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: Use of Goal Attainment Scaling in Elder Protective Services
Amount: CAN\$3,343
- ◆ **Social Science and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) Institutional Travel Grant (2014 - 2015)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: Risk Factors for Community-Based Elder Abuse and Neglect Using a Population-Based Study
Amount: CAN\$800
- ◆ **Center for the Study of Social Work Practice – Sylvia Rosenberg Dissertation Award in Aging & Mental Health - Columbia University (2013 - 2014)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: Risk Factors of Elder Mistreatment Severity
Amount: US\$5,000
- ◆ **Ruth Fizdale Dissertation Award in Aging and Social Services - Columbia University (2013 - 2014)**
Role: Principal Investigator (PI)
Title: Risk Factors of Elder Mistreatment Severity

US\$2,500

- ◆ **Doctoral Studies Full Research Scholarship - Columbia University (2010 - 2013)**
Role: Principal Applicant
Title: Alzheimer's Disease, Trauma and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder
Amount: US\$60,000
- ◆ **Hospital for Sick Children Department of Social Work Research Grant (2005)**
Role: Principal Applicant (PI)
Title: Mothers Raising Children with Sickle Cell Disease
Amount: CAN\$2,000

Contracts

- ◆ **Government of Canada – Employment and Social Development Canada (2022)**
Role: Principal Investigator
Title: Gaps and Challenges in Addressing and Preventing Mistreatment of Older adults Exposed During the Pandemic
Amount: \$24,778
- ◆ **Government of Canada – Public Health Agency of Canada (2021)**
Role: Principal Investigator
Title: Factors contributing to the Risk of Elder Abuse: Analysis of the Canadian Longitudinal Study on Aging (CLSA) Module on Elder Abuse
Amount: \$25,000
- ◆ **Government of Ontario – Ministry of Senior Affairs (2018)**
Role: Principal Investigator
Title: Assessment of Ontario's Elder Abuse Community Response Capacity and Scan of Elder Abuse Networks
Co-Investigator: Dr. Micheal Shier
Amount: CAN\$65,280
- ◆ **Jewish Association Serving the Aging (JASA) – Research Institute (2011 - 2013)**
Role: Co-Investigator
Title: Evaluation of a Legal-Social Work Elder Abuse Prevention Program
Principal Investigator: Dr. Victoria Rizzo
Amount: US\$20,000/year

PUBLICATIONS

Published Peer-Reviewed Manuscripts

- ◆ Mikton, C., Beaulieu, M., **Burnes, D.**, Choo, W-Y., Herbst, J.H., Pillemer, K., & Yon, Y. (2022, in press). Abuse of older people: High time for an intervention accelerator. *Nature Aging*.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, MacNeil, A., Connolly, MT., Salvo, E. Kimball, P., Rogers, G., & Lewis, S. (2022). Qualitative evaluation of the “RISE” elder abuse intervention model in partnership with Adult Protective Services: Addressing a service system gap. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08946566.2022.2140321>
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Connolly, MT., Salvo, E. Kimball, P., Rogers, G., & Lewis, S. (2022). RISE: An integrated model of elder abuse intervention. *The Gerontologist*. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1093/geront/gnac083>
- ◆ Hancock, D., **Burnes, D.**, Pillemer, K., Czaja, S., & Lachs, M. (2022). Psychometric properties of the Five-Item Victimization of Exploitation Scale (FIVE): A measure of financial abuse of older adults. *The Gerontologist*. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1093/geront/gnac048>
- ◆ Ho, M., Pullenayegum, E., **Burnes, D.**, & Fuller-Thomson, E. (2022). Successful aging among immigrant and Canadian-born older adults: Findings from the Canadian Longitudinal Study on Aging (CLSA). *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 19(20), 13199. <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph192013199>
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Pillemer, K., Rosen, T., Lachs, M.S., & McDonald, L. (2022). Elder abuse prevalence and risk factors: Findings from the Canadian Longitudinal Study on Aging. *Nature Aging*, 2, 784-795. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s43587-022-00280-2>
- ◆ Pillemer, K., **Burnes, D.**, Hancock, D.W., Eckenrode, J., Rosen, T., MacNeil, A., & Lachs, M.S. (2022). Lack of association of elder mistreatment with mortality. *The Journals of Gerontology: Series A (Medical Sciences)*, 77(8), 1699-1705. <https://doi.org/10.1093/gerona/glab348>
- ◆ MacNeil, A. & **Burnes, D.** (2022). Bridging the gap between homelessness in older adulthood and elder abuse: Considerations for an age-friendly shelter system. *Journal of Aging & Social Policy*, 34(3), 391-400. <https://doi.org/10.1080/08959420.2021.1973342>
- ◆ DeLiema, M., **Burnes, D.**, & Langton, L. (2021). The financial and psychological impact of identity theft among older adults. *Innovation in Aging*, 5(4), 1-11. <https://doi.org/10.1093/geroni/igab043>
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Hancock, D.W., Eckenrode, J., Lachs, M.S., & Pillemer, K. (2021). Estimated incidence and factors associated with risk of elder mistreatment in New York State. *JAMA Open Network*, 4(8), e2117758. doi:10.1001/jamanetworkopen.2021.17758.
- ◆ Pillemer, K., **Burnes, D.**, & MacNeil, A. (2021). Investigating the connection between ageism and elder mistreatment. *Nature Aging*, 1, 159-164. <https://doi.org/10.1038/s43587-021-00032-8>
- ◆ Bogo, M., Kourgiantakis, T., **Burnes, D.**, King, B., Lee, E. (2021). Guidelines for advancing clinical social work practice through articulating practice competencies: The Toronto Simulation Model. *Clinical Social Work Journal*, 49, 117-127. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10615-020-00777-6>
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Fahim, M., & Hsieh, J. (2021). Process models to understand resident-to-resident aggression among residents with dementia in long-term-care. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*, 40(10), 1236-1245. <https://doi.org/10.1177/07334648209550>
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, MacNeil, A., Nowaczynski, A., Sheppard, C., Trevors, L., Lenton, E., Lachs, M.S., & Pillemer, K. (2021). A scoping review of outcomes in elder abuse intervention research: The current landscape and where to go next. *Aggression and Violent Behavior*, 57, 1-8. doi:10.1016/j.avb.2020.101476

- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Elman, A., Feir, B.M., Rizzo, R., Chalfy, A., Courtney, E., Breckman, R., Lachs, M.S., & Rosen, T. (2021). Exploring risk of elder abuse revictimization: Development of a model to inform community response interventions. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*, 40(10), 1226-1230. doi:10.1177/0733464820933432
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Kirchin, D., Elman, A., Breckman, R., Lachs, M.S., & Rosen, T. (2020). Developing standard data for elder abuse multidisciplinary teams: A critical objective. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*, 32, 377-384. doi:10.1080/08946566.2020.1782301
- ◆ Elman, A., Rosselli, S., **Burnes, D.**, Clark, S., Stern, M.E., LoFaso, V.M., Mulcare, M.R., Breckman, R., & Rosen, T. (2020). Developing the emergency department elder mistreatment assessment tool for social workers using a modified delphi technique. *Health and Social Work*, 45, 110-121. doi:10.1093/hsw/hlz040
- ◆ Lachs, M.S., Adelman, R., Breckman, R., & **Burnes, D.** (2020). Elderabuse.org: A national charity fighting elder abuse via direct service, research, and advocacy. *Generations*, 44, 124-127.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, DeLiema, M., & Langton, L. (2020). Risk and protective factors of identity theft victimization in the United States. *Preventive Medicine Reports*, 17, 1-8. doi:10.1016/j.pmedr.2020.101058
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Sheppard, C., Henderson, Jr., CR., Wassel, M., Cope, R., Barber, C., & Pillemer, K. (2019). Interventions to reduce ageism against older adults: A systematic review and meta-analysis. *American Journal of Public Health (AJPH)*, 109, e1-e9. doi:10.2105/AJPH.2019.305123
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Breckman, R., Henderson Jr, C., Lachs, M.S., & Pillemer, K. (2019). Utilization of formal support services for elder abuse: Do informal supporters make a difference? *The Gerontologist*, 59, 619-624. doi:10.1093/geront/gny074
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Acierno, R., & Hernandez-Tejada, M. (2019). Help-seeking among victims of elder abuse: Findings from the National Elder Mistreatment Study. *The Journals of Gerontology, Series B: Social Sciences*, 74, 891-896. doi:10.1093/geronb/gby122
- ◆ Truong, C., **Burnes, D.**, Alaggia, R., Elman, A., & Rosen, T. (2019). Disclosure among victims of elder abuse in healthcare settings: A missing piece in the overall effort toward detection. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*, 31, 181-190. doi:10.1080/08946566.2019.1588182
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Lachs, M.S., Burnette, D., & Pillemer, K. (2019). Varying appraisals of elder mistreatment among victims: Findings from a population-based study. *The Journals of Gerontology, Series B: Social Sciences*, 74, 881-890. doi:10.1093/geronb/gbx005
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Lachs, M.S., & Pillemer, K. (2018). Addressing the measurement challenge in elder abuse interventions: Need for a severity framework. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*, 30, 402-407. doi:10.1080/08946566.2018.1510354
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Connolly, MT., Hamilton, R., & Lachs, M.S. (2018). The feasibility of goal attainment scaling to measure case resolution in elder abuse and neglect adult protective services intervention. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*, 30, 209-222. doi:10.1080/08946566.2018.1454864
- ◆ Breckman, R., **Burnes, D.**, Ross, S., Marshall, P.C., Sutor, J., Lachs, M.S., & Pillemer, K. (2018). When helping hurts: Non-abusing family, friends and neighbors in the lives of elder mistreatment victims. *The Gerontologist*, 58, 719-723. doi:10.1093/geront/gnw257
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Pillemer, K., & Lachs, M.S. (2017). Elder abuse severity: A critical but understudied dimension of victimization for clinicians and researchers. *The Gerontologist*, 57, 745-756. doi:10.1093/geront/gnv688.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Henderson, C., Sheppard, C., Zhao, R., Pillemer, K., & Lachs, M.S. (2017). Prevalence of financial fraud and scams among older adults in the United States: A systematic review and meta-analysis. *American Journal of Public Health (AJPH)*, 107, e13-e31. doi:10.2105/AJPH.2017.303821
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2017). Community elder mistreatment intervention with capable older adults: Toward a conceptual practice model. *The Gerontologist*, 57, 409-416. doi:10.1093/geront/gnv692.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** & Lachs, M.S. (2017). The case for individualized goal attainment scaling measurement in elder abuse interventions. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*, 36, 116-122. doi:10.1177/0733464815581486.

- ♦ Pillemer, K., **Burnes, D.**, Riffin, C., & Lachs, M.S. (2016). Elder abuse: Global situation, risk factors and prevention strategies. *The Gerontologist*, 56(2), S194-S205. doi:10.1093/geront/gnw004.
- ♦ Teresi, J.A., **Burnes, D.**, Skowron, E.A., Dutton, M.A., Mosqueda, L., Lachs, M.S., & Pillemer, K. (2016). State-of-the-science on prevention of elder abuse and lessons learned from child abuse and domestic violence prevention: Toward a conceptual framework for research. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*, 28, 263-300. doi:10.1080/08946566.2016.1240053
- ♦ **Burnes, D.**, Rizzo, V.M., Gorroochurn, P., Pollack, M., & Lachs, M.S. (2016). Understanding service utilization in cases of elder abuse to inform best practices. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*, 35, 1036-1057. doi:10.1177/0733464814563609
- ♦ **Burnes, D.**, Pillemer, K., Caccamise, P.L., Mason, A., Henderson, C.R., Berman, J., Cook, A.M., Shukoff, D., Brownell, P., Powell, M.M., Salamone, A., & Lachs, M.S. (2015). Prevalence of and risk factors for elder abuse and neglect in the community: A population-based study. *Journal of the American Geriatric Society (JAGS)*, 63, 1906-1912. doi:10.1111/jgs.13601.
- ♦ Rizzo, V.M., **Burnes, D.**, & Chalfy, A. (2015). A systematic evaluation of a multidisciplinary social work-lawyer elder mistreatment intervention model. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*, 27, 1-18. doi:10.1080/08946566.2013.792104.
- ♦ McDonald, L., Hitzig, S.L., Pillemer, K.A., Lachs, M.S., Beaulieu, M., Brownell, P., **Burnes, D.**, Capsi, E., Du Mont, J., Gadsby, R., Goergen, T., Gutman, G., Hirst, S.P., Holmes, C., Khattak, S., Lowenstein, A., Mirza, R.M., McNeill, S., Moorhouse, A.,...Thomas C. (2015). Developing a research agenda on resident-to-resident aggression: Recommendations from a consensus conference. *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*, 27, 146-167. doi:10.1080/08946566.2014.995869.
- ♦ Peterson, J.C., **Burnes, D.**, Caccamise, P.L., Mason, A., Henderson, C.R.,...Pillemer, K., Lachs, M.S. (2014). Financial exploitation of older adults: A population-based study. *Journal of General Internal Medicine*, 29, 1615-1623. doi:10.1007/s11606-014-2946-2.
- ♦ **Burnes, D.**, Rizzo, V.M. & Courtney, E. (2014). Elder abuse and neglect risk alleviation in protective services. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, 29, 2091-2113. doi:10.1177/0886260513516387.
- ♦ **Burnes, D.**, & Burnette, D. (2013). Broadening the etiological discourse on Alzheimer's disease to include trauma and posttraumatic stress disorder as psychosocial risk factors. *Journal of Aging Studies*, 27, 218-224. doi:10.1016/j.jaging.2013.03.002.
- ♦ **Burnes, D.** (2011). Approaching mental health work with older adults. [peer-reviewed review of the book *Aging and mental health*, 2nd ed., by D.L. Segal, S.H. Qualls, & M.A. Smyer]. *The Gerontologist*, 51, 576-578. doi:10.1093/geront/gnr075.
- ♦ **Burnes, D.**, Antle, B.J., Williams, C.C., & Cook, L. (2008). Mothers raising children with sickle cell disease at the intersection of race, gender, and illness stigma. *Health and Social Work*, 33, 211-220. doi:10.1093/hsw/33.3.211.
- ♦ Barrera, M., Andrews, G., & **Burnes, D.** (2008). Age differences in perceived social support by pediatric hematopoietic progenitor cell transplant patients: A longitudinal study. *Child: Care, Health and Development*, 34, 19-24. doi:10.1111/j.1365-2214.2007.00785.x.

Publications Under Review or Revise/Resubmit Status

- ♦ Lewis, S. Connolly, MT., Salvo, E. Kimball, P., Rogers, G., MacNeil, A., & **Burnes, D.** (2022, under review). The effect of a community-based elder abuse and self-neglect intervention on repeat investigations by Adult Protective Services: The RISE Project. *The Gerontologist*.
- ♦ MacNeil, A., Connolly, MT., Salvo, E. Kimball, P., Rogers, G., & Lewis, S., & **Burnes, D.** (2022, under review). Use of Motivational Interviewing in the Context of Elder Abuse Intervention: The RISE Project. *Ageing & Society*.

Reports

- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2021). Factors contributing to the Risk of Elder Abuse: Analysis of the Canadian Longitudinal Study on Aging (CLSA) Module on Elder Abuse. *Public Health Agency of Canada, Government of Canada*.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** & Lachs, M.S. (2020). Developing a Taxonomy To Understand and Measure Outcomes of Success in Community-Based Elder Mistreatment Interventions. *U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, National Institute of Justice*
- ◆ Pillemer, K., **Burnes, D.**, Riffin, C., & Lachs, M.S. (2016). Elder abuse: Background paper. *World Health Organization (WHO): World Report on Ageing and Health*.

Published Systematic or Scoping Review Protocols

- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Pillemer, K., Sheppard, C., Wassel, M., & Barber, C. Systematic review of interventions targeting ageism against older adults. PROSPERO 2018 CRD42018088349. Available from: http://www.crd.york.ac.uk/PROSPERO/display_record.php?ID=CRD42018088349
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Sheppard, C., Nowaczynski, A., Hsieh, J., Sirey, J. A., Lachs, M., & Lenton, E. (2019). Scoping Review of Elder Abuse Intervention Outcomes. Open Science Framework. Retrieved from osf.io/mwz4s

Book Chapters

- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Ernst, J., & Brownell, P. (2019). Stop Family Violence. In S. Sanders, S. Kolomer, C. Waites Spellman, & V. M. Rizzo (Eds.), *Gerontological Social Work and the Grand Challenges: Focusing on Policy and Practice*. Pages 177-179. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Company
- ◆ Pillemer, K., & **Burnes, D.** (2018). Elder abuse. In M. H. Bornstein (Ed.), *The Sage Encyclopedia of Lifespan Human Development*. Pages 33-47. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Bachman, R., & Lachs, M.S. (2017). Elder crime victimization. In E.A. Capezuti, M. Malone, P. Katz, & M. Mezey (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of elder care* (4th ed.). Pages 177-179. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Company
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Zhao, R., & Pillemer, K. (2017). Violence and aggression in older adults: What works? What works best? In P. Sturmey (Ed.), Section 106. *The Wiley Handbook of Violence and Aggression*. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley & Sons Inc.
- ◆ Lachs, M.S., Bachman, R., **Burnes, D.** (2014). Elder crime victimization. In E.A. Capezuti, M. Malone, P. Katz, & M. Mezey (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of elder care* (3rd ed.). Pages 176-178. New York, NY: Springer Publishing Company

PhD Dissertation:

- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2014). *Risk Factors for Elder Abuse Incidence and Severity Among Cognitively Intact Older Adults*. (Doctoral Dissertation). Retrieved from ProQuest Dissertations and Theses. (Accession Order No. 3622688)

Other Published Works

- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2012). A cross-national comparison of perceptions of aging and older adults. *Proceedings of the United Nations NGO Committee on Ageing (COA)*, New York, USA.

- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2011). Book review. [Review of the book *Trauma: Contemporary directions in theory, practice, and research*, by S. Ringel, & J.R. Brandell]. *Smith College Studies in Social Work*, 81(4), 391-394. doi:10.1080/00377317.2011.616842

CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS

PEER REVIEWED CONFERENCE PRESENTATION

- ◆ MacNeil, A., **Burnes, D.**, Connolly, M-T., Salvo, E., Kimball, P.F., Rogers, G., & Lewis, S. (2022, November). Use of Motivational Interviewing in the Context of Elder Abuse Intervention: The RISE Project. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2022 Annual Scientific Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, MacNeil, A., Nowaczynski, A., Sheppard, C., Nekolaichuk, E., Lachs, M.S., & Pillemer, K. (2022, November). A Scoping Review of Outcomes in Elder Abuse Intervention Research: The Current Landscape and Where to Go Next. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2022 Annual Scientific Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Pillemer, K., & MacNeil, A. (2022, November). Investigating the Connection Between Ageism and Elder Abuse. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2022 Annual Scientific Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, USA.
- ◆ Hancock, D., Pillemer, K., **Burnes, D.**, Czaja, J., & Lachs, M.S. (2022, November). Psychometric Properties of a Novel Measure of Financial Abuse of Older Adults. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2022 Annual Scientific Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Hancock, D., Eckenrode, J., Lachs, M.S., & Pillemer, K. (2021, November). *Incidence and Risk Factors of Elder Mistreatment in the Community: A Longitudinal Population-Based Study*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2021 Annual Scientific Meeting, Phoenix, AZ, USA. Online (due to COVID-19).
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Deliema, M., & Langton, L. (2021, November). *Identity Theft and Older Adults: How Minorities and the Poor Suffer the Worst Consequences*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 2021 Annual Scientific Meeting, Phoenix, AZ, USA. Online (due to COVID-19).
- ◆ Hsieh, J., **Burnes, D.**, Scher, C., Zanotti, P., Burchett, C., Sirey, J. A., & Lachs, M. S. (2020, November) *What Are the Most Distressing Aspects of Experiencing Elder Abuse? Findings From a Qualitative Study With Victims*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting, Online (due to COVID-19).
- ◆ Stum, M., Breckman, R., Fraga Dominguez, S., Kilaberia, T., & **Burnes, D.** (2020, November). The Critical Help-Seeking Role of Family, Friends, and Neighbors in the Lives of Elder Abuse Victims. Symposium presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting, Online (due to COVID-19).
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Connolly, MT., Kimball, P., Lewis, S.D., & Salvo, E. (2020, November). *Evaluating an Integrated APS/Elder Advocate Intervention Model in the State of Maine*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting, Online (due to COVID-19).
- ◆ Deliema, M. **Burnes, D.**, & Langton, L. (2020, November). *Identity Theft Among Older Adults: Risk and Protective Factors*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 72nd Annual Scientific Meeting, Online (due to COVID-19).
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Hsieh, J., Sher, C., Zanotti, P., Burchett, C., Sirey, JA., & Lachs, M. (2020, January). *What Does Success Mean in the Context of Elder Abuse Intervention from the Perspective of Victims?* Paper presented at the 24th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), Washington, DC, USA.

- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Acierno, R., Hernandez Tejada, M. (2020, January). *Understanding Help-Seeking Among Victims of Elder Abuse: A National Population-Based Study*. Paper presented at the 24th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), Washington, DC, USA.
- ◆ Bogo, M., **Burnes, D.**, King, B., Kourgiantakis, T., & Lee, E. (2020, January). *Using Simulation-Based Learning to Teach Social Work Practice*. Roundtable session presented at the 24th Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), Washington, DC, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Hsieh, J., Sher, C., Zanotti, P., Burchett, C., Sirey, J.A., & Lachs, M. (2019, November). *What Does Success Mean in the Context of Elder Abuse Intervention from the Perspective of Victims?* Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 71st Annual Scientific Meeting, Austin, TX, USA.
- ◆ Rosen, T., **Burnes, D.**, Kirchin, D., & Elman, A. (2019). *Existing Strategies for Electronic Data Collection by Elder Abuse Multi-Disciplinary Teams*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 71st Annual Scientific Meeting, Austin, TX, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Acierno, R., Hernandez Tejada, M. (2019, January). *Facilitators and barriers for elder abuse victims seeking help: Findings from the National Elder Mistreatment Study*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America (GSA) 71st Annual Scientific Meeting, Austin, TX, USA.
- ◆ Sheppard, C., Nowaczynski, A., Lachs, M., & **Burnes, D.** (2019). *Understanding outcomes in elder mistreatment interventions: A scoping review*. Paper presented at the 48th Scientific and Educational Meeting of the Canadian Association on Gerontology (CAG), NB, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** Hsieh, J., Scher, C., Zanotti, P., Burchett, C., Sirey, J. A., & Lachs, M. S. (2019). *What Does Success Mean in the Context of Elder Abuse Intervention from the Perspective of Victims?* Poster presented at the 48th Canadian Association on Gerontology (CAG) Conference, NB, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2019, August). *Goal Attainment Scaling: A Tool for Intervention Planning and Measuring Case Resolution in APS*. Paper presented at the 30th Annual National Adult Protective Services Association Conference, Denver, CO, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Salvo, E. (2019, August). *Partnerships that Work in APS Research: Measuring the Impact of Innovation*. Paper presented at the 30th Annual National Adult Protective Services Association Conference, Denver, CO, USA.
- ◆ Breckman, R., **Burnes, D.**, Mantrose, L. (2019, June). *Families, Friends, and Neighbors in the Lives of Elder Abuse Victims: A Population of Concern and Promise*. Paper presented at the New York City Elder Abuse Conference, New York City, NY, USA.
- ◆ Pillemer, K., **Burnes, D.**, Henderson Jr. C., & Sheppard, C. (2019, May). *Interventions to Reduce Ageism Against Older Adults: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis*. Paper presented at the International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics (IAGG) European Region Congress, Gothenburg, Sweden.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Fahim, M. (2018, November). *Understanding How Resident-to-Resident Aggression in Long-Term Care Dementia Units Unfolds*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 70th Annual Scientific Meeting, Boston, MA, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Breckman, R., Henderson Jr, C., Lachs, M.S., & Pillemer, K. (2018, November). *Informal Network Supporters Make a Difference in Facilitating Use of Formal Support Services for Elder Abuse Victims*. Poster presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 70th Annual Scientific Meeting, Boston, MA, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Lachs, M.S. (2018, January). *Measuring Success in Adult Protective Services*. Paper presented at the 22nd Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), Washington, DC, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Henderson, C., Sheppard, C., Zhao, R., Pillemer, K., & Lachs, M.S. (2018, January). *Prevalence of Elder Financial Fraud and Scams: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis*. Paper presented at the 22nd Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), Washington, DC, USA.
- ◆ Fahim, M., **Burnes, D.**, & Zhao, R. (2018, January). *A Qualitative Exploration of Resident-to-Resident Aggression (RRA) in Long-Term Care Dementia Units*. Poster presented at the 22nd Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), Washington, DC, USA.

- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Lachs, M.S. (2017, July). *Goal Attainment Scaling: Measuring Change in APS Elder Abuse Intervention*. Paper presented at the International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics (IAGG) World Congress, San Francisco, CA, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Henderson, C., Sheppard, C., Zhao, R., Pillemer, K., & Lachs, M.S. (2017, July). *Prevalence of Elder Financial Fraud and Scams: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis*. Paper presented at the International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics (IAGG) World Congress, San Francisco, CA, USA
Selected by IAGG to be highlighted as a Presidential Symposium
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Pillemer, K., Burnette, D., & Lachs, M.S. (2016, November). *Understanding Elder Abuse Victim Subjective Appraisal of Mistreatment*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 69th Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Manuel, L., Huijbregts, M., & Lachs, M.S. (2016, November). *Goal Attainment Scaling: Measuring Client Change in Elder Abuse Interventions*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 69th Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA, USA.
- ◆ Breckman, R., **Burnes, D.**, Pillemer, K., & Lachs, M.S. (2016, November). *Concerned Others in the Lives of Elder Abuse Victims: Results From a National Survey*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 69th Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D. (Symposium Organizer)**, Pillemer, K., & Lachs, M.S. (2015, November). *Elder abuse prevalence studies: Do they matter at all for clinicians?* Symposium presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 68th Annual Scientific Meeting, Orlando, FL, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Pillemer, K., & Lachs, M.S. (2015, November). *The case for elder abuse severity measures to inform clinical practice*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 68th Annual Scientific Meeting, Orlando, FL, USA.
- ◆ Pillemer, K., & **Burnes, D.** (2015, November) *Worlds of Difference: Elder Mistreatment Prevalence Studies and Clinical Practice*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 68th Annual Scientific Meeting, Orlando, FL, USA.
- ◆ Lachs, M.S., **Burnes, D.**, & Pillemer, K. (2015, November). *Broadening Our Understanding of Interpersonal Violence in Long-Term Care Settings*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 68th Annual Scientific Meeting, Orlando, FL, USA.
- ◆ Fuller-Thomson, E., Hollister, B., & **Burnes, D.** (2015, November). *Complete mental health and older adults: Findings from a population-based Canadian study*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 68th Annual Scientific Meeting, Orlando, FL, USA.
- ◆ Peterson, J., **Burnes, D.**, & Lachs, M.S. (2015, November). *The financial exploitation assessment tool (FEAT): Development and experience*. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 68th Annual Scientific Meeting, Orlando, FL, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Manuel, L., & Lachs, M.S. (2015, November). *Introducing individualized goal attainment scaling to elder abuse response/support programs*. Paper presented at the Elder Abuse Prevention Ontario Provincial Conference, Toronto, ON, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D. (Symposium Organizer)**, Navarro, A., & Flores, D. (2015, January). *Understanding elder abuse risk and prevention*. Symposium presented at the 2015 Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), New Orleans, LA, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2015, January). *Risk factors for community-based elder abuse and neglect using a population-based study*. Paper session presented at the 2015 Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), New Orleans, LA, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2015, January). *Risk factors for elder abuse severity*. Poster session presented at the 2015 Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR), New Orleans, LA, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Rizzo, V. (2013, November). *Prediction of elder abuse protection program outcomes: Towards a systematic evaluation framework*. Paper session presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 66th Annual Scientific Meeting, New Orleans, LA, USA.

- ◆ Mosqueda, L., Breckman, R., & **Burnes, D.** (2013, April). *Understanding abuse in later life*. Paper session presented at the Academy on Violence and Abuse 2013 AVA conference, Bloomington, MN USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Rizzo, V. (2012, November). *Elder abuse social service intervention: Improving client retention and case resolution*. Paper session presented at the Council on Social Work Education (CSWE) 2012 Annual Program Meeting, Washington, DC, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Rizzo, V., & Courtney, E. (2012, May). *A multidisciplinary elder abuse intervention and a new conceptual approach to program evaluation*. Paper session presented at the Seventh Annual New York City Elder Abuse Conference, New York, NY, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2012, April). *A cross-national comparison of perceptions of ageing and older adults*. Paper session presented at the United Nations NGO Committee on Ageing Sub-Committee on Intergenerational Relationships panel program, New York, NY, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Rizzo, V., & Chalfy, A. (2012, March). *LEAP: A social/legal partnership support model for elder abuse*. Paper session presented at the ASA 2012 Aging in America Conference, Washington, DC, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Burnette, D. (2011, November). *Alzheimer's disease, trauma, and PTSD: Towards an integrating model for theory and practice*. Poster session presented at the Gerontological Society of America's (GSA) 64th Annual Scientific Meeting, Boston, MA, USA.
- ◆ Rizzo, V., **Burnes, D.**, & Courtney, E. (2011, June). *Successful clinical interventions: A mediation model and a social/legal partnership model*. Paper session presented at The Sixth Annual New York City Elder Abuse Conference, New York, NY, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Antle, B.J. (2005, September). *Raising a child with sickle cell disease: Experiences and perceptions of mothers*. Paper session presented at the National Anemia Conference, Toronto, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Antle, B.J. (2005, July). *Sickle cell disease: Healthcare and racial marginalization*. Paper session presented at the National Canadian Society of Epidemiology and Biostatistics Conference. Toronto, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Barrera, M. (2003, September). *Role of social support in the quality of life and psychological adjustment of stem cell transplant patients*. Poster session presented at the Pediatric Oncology Group of Ontario, Multidisciplinary Symposium on Childhood Cancer, Adolescent and Young Adult Oncology, Toronto, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Barrera, M. (2003, July). *Role of perceived social support in the quality of life and psychological adjustment of pediatric stem cell transplant patients*. Poster session presented at the Institute of Medical Science 2003 Research Symposium. Toronto, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & King, S. (2002, July). *Evaluating and identifying strategies for preventing perinatal HIV in Ontario*. Paper session presented at the Hospital for Sick Children Summer Student Research Symposium, Toronto, Canada.

Invited Conference Speaker Presentations

- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, & Pillemer, K. (2022, June). *Elder Abuse Interventions: It's Time to Address the Elephant in the Room*. Keynote address at the Eighth Global Summit for World Elder Abuse Awareness Abuse Day. Washington, DC, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Connolly, M.T., Kimball, P., Rogers, G., & Lewis, S. (2022, June). *RISE: An Integrated Model of Elder Abuse Intervention*. Keynote address at the 2022 New York City Elder Abuse Conference. New York, NY, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2022, May). *The Intersection Between Elder Abuse and Ageism*. Keynote address at the Annual Maine State Elder Abuse Summit. Augusta, Maine, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.**, Connolly, M.T., Kimball, P., Rogers, G., & Lewis, S. (2022, May). *RISE: An Integrated Model of Elder Abuse Intervention*. Panel presentation at the Annual Maine State Elder Abuse Summit. Augusta, Maine, USA.

- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2021, December). *Elder Abuse Intervention Strategies and Risk Factors*. Keynote address at the Elder Abuse Prevention Ontario Virtual Knowledge Exchange Day. Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2021, May). *Family of Origin Abuse*. Oral presentation at Scientific Workshop on Violence and Related Health Outcomes in Sexual and Gender Minority (SGM) Communities, National Institutes of Health (NIH), Bethesda, MD, USA
- ◆ **Burnes, D., & Pillemer, K.** (2020). *Understanding Ageism and Strategies to Reduce its Negative Impact*. Oral presentation at the American Medical Association Senior Physicians Section Educational Program. Online (due to COVID-19)
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2019, June). *What Does “Success” Mean for Elder Abuse Victim Over the Course of Intervention?* Keynote address at the 2019 New York City Elder Abuse Conference. New York, NY, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2017, October). *Elder mistreatment: What is it and how should I respond in the community?* Keynote address at the Ontario College of Social Workers and Social Service Workers 2017 Education Forum. Kitchener, ON, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2017, August). *A broad typology to understand elder financial exploitation*. Oral presentation at the 8th Annual Summit on Elder Financial Exploitation. Milwaukee, WI, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2017, June). *Understanding elder mistreatment phenomena toward client-centered interventions*. Oral presentation at the Third Global Summit for World Elder Abuse Awareness Abuse Day. Washington, DC, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2017, June). *Elder mistreatment: What does it mean? How should I respond to it?* Oral presentation at the Ontario College of Social Workers and Social Service Workers 2017 Annual Meeting and Education Day (AMED). Toronto, ON, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2017, May). *Toward a More Evidence-Based, Person-Centered Response to Elder Abuse: Recent Lessons from Goal Attainment Scaling and Prevention Research*. Oral presentation at the 2017 Annual Maine Elder Abuse Summit. Augusta, Maine, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2017, February). *Introducing a Community-Based Elder Mistreatment Response Practice Model*. Oral presentation at the Elder abuse Ontario Greater Toronto Area Regional Conference. Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2016, September). Featured Speaker. *Goal attainment scaling: A client-centered measurement approach in a world of multiple realities*. Oral presentation at the University of Southern California (USC) Elder Abuse Conference, Los Angeles, CA, USA

Invited Professional Presentations

- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2022, June). *Understanding the Causes, Consequences, and Severity of Elder Mistreatment: A Longitudinal, Population-Based Study*. Online Oral presentation at the National Institutes of Health (NIH), Elder Mistreatment RFA Grantee Informal Network. Bethesda, MD, USA
- ◆ **Burnes, D., Kimball, P., Connolly, MT., Rogers, G., & Lewis, S.** (2022, June). *RISE A Conceptual Model of Integrated and Restorative Elder Abuse Intervention*. Oral presentation at the Government of Ontario, Ministry for Seniors and Accessibility. Toronto, ON, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2022, February). *Meaningful Data Collection for Elder Abuse Multidisciplinary Teams*. Webinar presentation for the National Clearinghouse on Abuse in Later Life and MDT National Center. Madison, Wisconsin, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2022, February). *Intersection Between Ageism and Elder Abuse*. Provincial webinar for Elder Abuse Prevention Ontario and age Friendly Communities. Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- ◆ **Kimball, P., Burnes, D., Connolly, MT., Rogers, G., & Lewis, S.** (2022, January). *Restorative Approaches in Elder Justice – Exploring Another Way*. Oral presentation for Springboard Alliance. Maine, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2021, December). *Factors Contributing to the Risk of Elder Abuse: Analysis of the Canadian Longitudinal Study on Aging (CLSA) Module on Elder Abuse*. Online oral presentation presented to the Public Health Agency of Canada, Family Violence Initiative Working Group

- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2021, November). *Multi Agency Collaboration in Safeguarding Case Management - Interventions*. Online oral presentation presented to Trinity College Dublin, School of Nursing & Midwifery
- ◆ **Burnes, D., & Rosen, T.** (2020, June). *Elder Abuse Re-Victimization Risk*. Online webinar presented for the National Elder Abuse Multi-Disciplinary Team (MDT) Training and Technical Assistance (TTA) Center
- ◆ **Burnes, D., Ernst, J., & Brownell, P.** (2020, May). *Stop Family Violence*. Oral presentation for the U.S. National Adult Protective Services Association (NAPSA) and National Committee for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (NCPEA).
- ◆ **Burnes, D., Hernandez-Tejada, M.A., & Breckman, L.,** (2019, July). *The Role of Social Support in the Lives of Elder Abuse Victims*. Online webinar presented for the U.S. National Adult Protective Services Association (NAPSA) and National Committee for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (NCPEA) Research to Practice Series.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2019, February). *Goal Attainment Scaling: A Client-Centered Tool to Generate Intervention Plans and Measure Case Resolution in APS and other Elder Abuse Response Programs*. Online webinar presented for the U.S. National Adult Protective Services Association (NAPSA) and National Committee for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (NCPEA) Research to Practice Series.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2017, December). *Goal Attainment Scaling: Defining the Success of Elder Mistreatment Interventions*. Keynote address at the 2017 Elder Justice Community Grand Rounds. New York, NY, USA.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2017, September). *Understanding Elder Mistreatment Through a Lens of Severity: Implications for Research and Practice*. Online webinar presented for the U.S. Department of Justice.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2016, November). *Understanding Elder Mistreatment and Community Intervention*. Keynote address at the Abuse Prevention of Older Adults Network Peterborough “Closing the Gap on Elder Abuse: Let’s Connect” event. Peterborough, Ontario, Canada
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2016, October). *Understanding the Issue of Elder Mistreatment: What Do We Know?* Oral presentation at the University of Toronto, Institute of Life Course and Aging Seminar Series. Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2016, February). *Goal Attainment Scaling: Measuring Client Change on Multifarious Outcomes*. Online webinar presented to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Community Living.
- ◆ **Burnes, D., Fahim, M., & Zhao, R.** (2015, December). *Understanding Resident-to-Resident Aggression in Long-Term Care Dementia Units*. Online webinar presented for the Seniors Health Knowledge Network, Toronto, ON, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2015, May). *Understanding Elder Mistreatment: A Need for Client-Centered Practice and Measurement Strategies*. Grand rounds presentation at Baycrest Health Sciences, Behavioural Neurology Rounds. Toronto, ON, Canada.
- ◆ **Williams, C., Craig, S., Fang, L., Burnes, D., & Shier, M.** (2015, May). *Equity in the City: Social Work Engaging Communities in Solutions to Urban Problems*. Oral panel presentation at the Cities of Learning: The University in the Americas Conference. Toronto, ON, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D.** (2015, March). *Understanding Elder Mistreatment*. Keynote address at Good Neighbour’s Club Annual General Meeting. Toronto, ON, Canada.
- ◆ **Burnes, D., Rizzo, V., & Chalfy, A.** (2013, November). *Understanding Conditions Associated with Elder Mistreatment Protective Social Service Case Outcomes*. Oral presentation at the Elder abuse Enhanced Multidisciplinary Team meeting. New York City, NY, USA.

SELECT HONOURS/RECOGNITIONS

2022

- ◆ Invited as a lead on World Health Organization (WHO) elder abuse intervention accelerator initiative to identify promising EM interventions and support their development and evaluation through rigorous intervention research
- ◆ Invited advisor to World Health Organization (WHO) multistakeholder meeting to discuss the terms of reference for a global healthy ageing collaborative toward the implementation of the UN Decade of Health Ageing, 2021 - 2030
- ◆ Invited elder abuse subject matter expert to World Health Organization (WHO) meeting to select a set of priorities for addressing elder abuse within the WHO Decade of Healthy Ageing 2021 – 2030

2021

- ◆ Awarded a Canada Research (CRC) Chair on Older Adult Mistreatment Prevention
- ◆ Invited subject expert speaker, working group member, and advisor across five workshop phases on family violence and sexual and gender minority communities at U.S. National Institutes of Health (NIH) (2021)
- ◆ Invited contributor to World Health Organization (WHO) evidence and gap map elder abuse initiative
- ◆ Invited elder mistreatment subject matter expert to Public Health Agency of Canada to identify elder mistreatment risk factors in the Canadian context

2020

- ◆ “Interest Group” symposium selection at Gerontological Society of America (GSA) Annual Scientific Meeting

2018

- ◆ Faculty Achievement Award – Association for Gerontology Education in Social Work (AGESW)
- ◆ Invited contributor and project co-lead on World Health Organization (WHO) Global Campaign to Combat Ageism

2017

- ◆ “Presidential Symposium” selection – Gerontological Society of America (GSA) Annual Scientific Meeting

2016

- ◆ Senior Service America Junior Scholar Award for Research Related to Disadvantaged Older Adults – Gerontological Society of America (GSA)
- ◆ Invited contributor to World Health Organization (WHO) World Report on Ageing and Health section on elder abuse

2015

- ◆ Invited subject expert speaker and advisor on elder abuse at U.S. National Institutes of Health (NIH) Elder Abuse Planning Meeting (2015)

2014

- ◆ Early Research Award – Ontario Research Coalition of Research Institutes/Centres on Health and Aging
- ◆ National Doctoral Student Dissertation Award – Association for Gerontology Education in Social Work (AGESW)

2013

- ◆ Ruth Fizdale Dissertation Award in Aging and Social Services
- ◆ Sylvia Rosenberg Dissertation Award in Aging & Mental Health

2010

- ◆ Columbia University Doctoral Studies Full Tuition Scholarship

2004

- ◆ University of Toronto Graduate Studies Fellowship Award

2003

- ◆ University of Toronto Graduate Studies Fellowship Award
- ◆ Institute of Medical Science – Student Researcher Award

2002

- ◆ Samuel Lunenfeld Research Institute – Student Researcher Award

1998

- ◆ Valedictorian of North Toronto Collegiate graduating high school class
- ◆ Scholarship/Leadership/Citizenship Award of North Toronto Collegiate graduating high school class

INVITED ELDER MISTREATMENT EXPERT AT INTERNATIONAL PLANNING MEETINGS

2022

Priorities for Addressing Elder Abuse Within the Decade of Healthy Ageing 2021 – 2030, World Health Organization (WHO)

- ◆ Invited gathering of international elder abuse experts to discuss and identify a set of priorities for addressing elder abuse for the WHO Decade of Healthy Ageing 2021 – 2030 initiative and report

Advancing Best Practices for Goal Attainment Scaling, National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA), USA

- ◆ Invited group of internationally recognized experts on the use of goal attainment to inform the development of best practices

2021

Emerging Knowledge on Lifetime Abuse in Old Age: An Intersectional Perspective, University of Haifa, The Minerva Center on Intersectionality in Ageing

- ◆ Invited gathering of international experts on topics of family violence and trauma to examine the concept of lifetime abuse as constructed in old age, explore definitional issues, identify its various dimensions, and consequences in old age.

Elder Abuse Evidence and Gap Map Initiative, World Health Organization (WHO) & Campbell Collaboration

- ◆ Invited gathering of elder abuse experts worldwide to provide input and consultation on the development of an evidence and gap map prevalence, consequences, and determinants of elder abuse, as well as on interventions to prevent, detect and respond to elder abuse.

Multiphase Scientific Workshop on Violence and Related Health Outcomes in Sexual and Gender Minority (SGM) Communities, National Institutes of Health (NIH), Bethesda, MD, USA (2021).

- ◆ Invited gathering of experts across five phases from various domains of interpersonal violence to synthesize the current state of science and provide advice on future research priorities in the area of violence and sexual and gender minority communities.

Ageing Summit, The Department for the Ageing (DFTA), New York City, USA

- ◆ Invited gathering experts on the subject of ageism to present research and inform policy makers, practitioners, and the general public about ageism

2019

Technical Expert Panel on Elder Abuse Risk Factors Predictive Analytics, National Adult Protective Services Technical Assistance Resource Center, Administration for Community Living (ACL), Washington, DC, USA (2019)

- ◆ A convening of elder abuse leaders to refine a research plan to assess opportunities for using predictive analytics to identify older adults who are at increased risk for abuse, neglect, and exploitation.

Adult Protective Services Client Outcomes Project. Administration for Community Living (ACL), Office of Elder Justice and Adult Protective Services, Washington, DC, USA (2019)

- ◆ Invited gathering of international experts serving on panel to advise on the development of a national Adult Protective Services client outcomes initiative.

Trafficking of the Elderly, Lakehead University, Orillia, ON, Canada (2019)

- ◆ A panel of experts in fields of gerontology and elder abuse to develop a working definition of trafficking of the elderly and to identify future research priorities.

2017

Working at the Intersections of Elder Abuse and Violence against Women Sectors: An Interdisciplinary Forum of International Leaders to Advance Research, Policy and Practice. Women's College Hospital, Toronto, ON, Canada (2017).

- ◆ Invited gathering of international experts from fields of elder abuse and violence against women to discuss how the two fields intersect and identify collaborative priorities in regard to research, theory, policy and social service programming.

Expanding Elder Abuse Multidisciplinary Intervention Teams in New York City. New York City Elder Abuse Center, New York City, NY, USA (2017).

- ◆ Invited meeting of elder abuse intervention experts to design the structure/model of multidisciplinary elder abuse intervention teams in all five boroughs of New York City and to develop a strategic evaluation plan

2016

Comparative Research on the Financial Abuse of Older People. Weill Cornell Medical College and Cornell University, New York City, NY, USA (2016).

- ◆ Invited gathering of international experts on issue of elder financial abuse to plan comparative studies across countries and develop a research agenda on the topic.

2015

Multiple Approaches to Understanding and Preventing Elder Abuse and Mistreatment. National Institutes of Health (NIH), Bethesda, MD, USA (2015).

- ◆ A U.S. congressionally mandated planning meeting from the 2015 White House Conference on Aging, organized by the National Institutes of Health to develop strategic research directions in field of elder abuse.

2014

Elder Abuse Multidisciplinary Teams: Planning for the Future. New York City Elder Abuse Center, New York City, NY, USA (2014).

- ◆ Invited meeting of elder abuse experts in North America to discuss a research agenda on multidisciplinary team elder abuse interventions

Developing a Research Agenda on Resident-to-Resident Abuse. Canadian Institutes for Health Research (CIHR), Toronto, Canada (2014).

- ◆ Invited planning meeting consisting of elder abuse experts from around the world to develop a research agenda on the topic of older adult resident-to-resident aggression in long-term care facilities.

Media Exposure

- ◆ The Record. (August, 2021). *More than 10% of older New Yorkers at risk of elder abuse.*
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<https://www.newkerala.com/news/read/162310/ageism-can-be-curbed-by-education-intergenerational-contact-study.html>

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- ◆ ANI. (June, 2019). *Ageism can be curbed by education, intergenerational contact: Study*. <https://www.aninews.in/news/lifestyle/relationships/ageism-can-be-curbed-by-education-intergenerational-contact-study20190622223843/>
- ◆ 7th Space. (June, 2019). *Ageism reduced by education, intergenerational contact*. http://7thspace.com/headlines/875477/ageism_reduced_by_education__intergenerational_contact.html
- ◆ Science Daily. (June, 2019). *Ageism reduced by education, intergenerational contact*. <https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2019/06/190621140328.htm>
- ◆ Medical Press. (June, 2019). *Ageism reduced by education, intergenerational contact*. <https://medicalxpress.com/news/2019-06-ageism-intergenerational-contact.html>
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- ◆ EurekAlert. (June, 2019). *Ageism reduced by education, intergenerational contact*. https://www.eurekalert.org/pub_releases/2019-06/cu-arb062119.php
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- ◆ Weill Cornell Medicine News. (August, 2016). *Experts Address Elder Financial Abuse as Global Problem*. <https://news.weill.cornell.edu/news/2016/08/experts-address-elder-financial-abuse-as-global-problem>
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- ◆ Futurity – Health and Medicine. (March, 2016). *Elder Abuse is Often More Severe for ‘Youngest Old’*. <http://www.futurity.org/elder-abuse-1114892-2/>
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- ◆ Medical Press. (March, 2016). *New Study Finds Elders Living Alone with Abuser More Likely to Endure Severe Mistreatment*. <http://medicalxpress.com/news/2016-03-elders-abuser-severe-mistreatment.html>

TEACHING AND CURRICULUM EXPERIENCE

Associate Dean, Academic

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work - Toronto, Canada 2019 - 2022

- ◆ Oversee the MSW curricula across four programs: two-year MSW, advanced standing MSW, part-time MSW, and Indigenous Trauma and Resiliency MSW
- ◆ Oversee six specializations within the MSW programs: Mental Health and Health, Children and their Families, Gerontology, Social Justice and Diversity, Human Services Management and Leadership, and Indigenous Trauma and Resiliency.
- ◆ Responsible for implementing an MSW co-curriculum, including lunch and learns, workshops, and guest lectures on various topics that span clinical, social justice, policy, and research issues
- ◆ COVID-19 – responsible for the transition of all MSW courses from in-person to online delivery formats, including instructor training and implementation

Field of Study/Specialization Coordinator

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work - Toronto, Canada

Interim Coordinator of MSW Gerontology Field of Study/Specialization 2017/2018

- ◆ Responsible for managing the administration and ongoing development of the gerontology stream within the MSW program, including developing core social work gerontology educational competencies, reviewing and scoring MSW advanced standing admissions applications, leading instructor meetings, coordinating a cross-curriculum with the University of Toronto Institute for Life Course & Aging, presenting at MSW student information sessions, and responding to issues arising among students and other instructors within the gerontology field of study

Course Coordinator and Instructor

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work - Toronto, Canada

Applied Quantitative Data Analysis for Social Workers – PhD-level 2022

- ◆ PhD course on introductory applied statistics in the social sciences and use of SPSS
- ◆ Course coordinator and instructor
- ◆ Constructed course from scratch (course content, readings, evaluation structure, syllabus, etc.)

Social Work Practice with Individuals and Families – Master's-level 2015 - Ongoing

- ◆ MSW course emphasizing foundational social work practice theory, concepts and skills related to work with individuals, couples, and families
- ◆ Course coordinator and instructor
- ◆ Responsible for coordinating and managing six course sections and five other instructors in this core course taken by all first-year MSW students
- ◆ Supervision responsibilities for PhD student and sessional course instructors

- Family Practice Across the Life Cycle: Caregiving and Older Adults – Master’s-level 2015 - 2019
- ◆ MSW course on older adult caregiver theory, practice and intervention
 - ◆ Course coordinator and instructor
 - ◆ Constructed course from scratch (course content, readings, evaluation structure, syllabus, etc.)
- Special Topics in Social Work Gerontology: Elder Abuse – Master’s-level 2015 - 2022
- ◆ MSW course on elder abuse knowledge, theory, practice, and policy in community and long-term care settings
 - ◆ Course coordinator and instructor
 - ◆ Constructed course from scratch (course content, readings, evaluation structure, syllabus, etc.)
- Principles of Aging – Master’s-level 2015 - 2018
- ◆ Interdisciplinary course covering major gerontology theories/perspectives
 - ◆ Course coordinator and instructor
 - ◆ Adapted course from a previous iteration
- Advanced Research Seminar in Aging and the Life Course – PhD-level 2016
- ◆ Course supervisor
 - ◆ Independent study course for a PhD-level student focusing on the issue elder financial exploitation within the *Collaborative Graduate Specialization in Aging, Palliative and Supportive Care Across the Life Course*
- Independent Study Course – PhD-level 2020
- ◆ Course supervisor
 - ◆ Independent study course for a PhD student focusing on the distressing aspects of elder mistreatment from the perspective of victims
- Independent Study Course – Master’s-level 2018
- ◆ Course supervisor
 - ◆ Independent study course for an MSW student focusing on the issue of disclosure among victims of elder abuse

University of Toronto, Scarborough Campus, Health Studies Program, Scarborough, Canada

- Advanced Topics in Health and Wellness: Elder Abuse – Undergraduate-level course
- ◆ Undergraduate course on elder abuse knowledge, theory, practice, and policy in community and long-term care settings
 - ◆ Course coordinator and instructor
 - ◆ Constructed course from scratch (course content, readings, evaluation structure, syllabus, etc.)

Humber College, Department of Liberal Arts and Sciences - Toronto, Canada

- Introductory Developmental Psychology (2007, 2008) – Undergraduate-level course
- ◆ Course instructor/coordinator: constructed course (content, readings, evaluation structure, syllabus, etc.)

Curriculum Development

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work - Toronto, Canada

Curriculum Innovations Committee – Chair (2020 – 2022)

- ◆ Reviewing the MSW curriculum for issues of continuity, redundancies, gaps, updating, and integration of diverse perspectives and ways of knowing
- ◆ Developed a strategic plan for changes in the MSW curriculum that: 1) further integrate diverse perspectives and ways of knowing, and 2) develop student capacity as social workers around principles of equity, diversity, and inclusion

MSW Gerontology Specialization Competencies Development

- ◆ Led the development of the MSW Gerontology stream curriculum core competencies, in consultation with an advisory group comprising gerontological social work community practitioners and faculty gerontology instructors and students
- ◆ Drafted the MSW Gerontology curriculum competencies document describing competency content, behavior, and assessment strategies

Simulation Development

- ◆ Led the development of a teaching simulation package for the MSW Gerontology stream focused on the engagement of elder abuse victims who are reluctant to seek formal support
- ◆ Simulation development involved collaboration with community stakeholders, case vignette construction, live actor training, and generation of key practice competencies

Inter-professional Education (IPE) program – Faculty Lead

- ◆ IPE program provides opportunities for FIFSW students to engage with and learn from other students representing 11 different health sciences faculties/departments across the university
- ◆ Responsible for helping to develop IPE curriculum content that integrated a social work perspective and was relevant to social work student training

George Brown College, Social Service Management Program - Toronto, Canada

- ◆ Course developer – Canadian Social Policy (2007) – Undergraduate-level course
- ◆ Course developer – Canadian Social Service Systems (2007) – Undergraduate-level course

Guest Lecturer

University of Waterloo, School of Public Health and Health Systems, Gerontology

- ◆ Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Aging (2016, 2018, 2020) – Undergraduate/Master's-level course

Columbia University School of Social Work – New York, NY

- ◆ Advanced Clinical Practice in Aging (2013) – Master's-level course
- ◆ Human Behavior and Social Environment (2013) – Master's-level course
- ◆ Hartford Geriatric Partnership Program in Aging Education (2012) – Master's-level course
- ◆ Social work clinical training workshop with clients experiencing elder mistreatment or dementia (2012)

Humber College - Toronto, Canada

- ◆ Psychology and Stress Management (Paramedic Program) (2007, 2008) – Undergraduate-level course

Course Teaching Assistant

Columbia University School of Social Work – New York, NY

- ◆ Health, Mental Health and Disability Policy, Practice and Programs (2012) – Master’s-level course

Workshop Teaching Training

University of Toronto – Centre for Teaching Support and Innovation

- ◆ Instructor Summer School Program (2014)
- ◆ New Faculty Orientation (2014)
- ◆ Discussion Techniques to Support Active Learning (2014)
- ◆ Teaching with Technology (2014)

Columbia University Teaching Center

- ◆ Oral Presentation Skills -- How To Give Informative And Memorable Lectures (2011)
- ◆ The Future Is Now: Integrating Digital Storytelling and Video into Your Classroom (2011)
- ◆ Using Film Effectively in Classes (2011)

Supervision

PHD ACADEMIC SUPERVISOR

PhD Supervisor

PhD Student – Jessica Hsieh
University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

2018 - Ongoing

PHD COMMITTEE MEMBER

PhD Dissertation Committee Member

PhD Student – Mabel Ho
University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

2019 - Ongoing

PhD Dissertation Committee Member

PhD Student – Weijia Tan
University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

2017 - Ongoing

PhD Dissertation Defence Committee

PhD Student – Lamson LIN Shen
University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

2022

PhD Dissertation External Examiner

PhD Student – Sylvia Fraga Dominguez
University of Kent, Keynes College

2021

PhD Dissertation Defense Committee Member

PhD Student – Shira Moalem
University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

2018

PhD Dissertation Committee Member

PhD Student – Kristina Kokorelias
University of Toronto, Faculty of Medicine

2018 - 2021

PhD Dissertation Committee Member

PhD Student – Ifah Arbel
University of Toronto, Rehabilitation Sciences

2018 - 2021

MSc Thesis Defense Committee Member

MSc Student – Shadi Zazrei
University of Toronto, Faculty of Medicine

2018

PhD Dissertation Committee Member

PhD Student – Rebecca Judges
University of Toronto, Ontario Institute for Studies in Education

2017 - 2021

RESEARCH

Principal Supervisor

2018 - Ongoing

PhD Student Research Assistant – Jessica Hsieh

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Development of taxonomy indicating successful outcomes in elder abuse interventions using qualitative individual interviews with older adult elder abuse victims
- ◆ Manuscript writing and preparation

Principal Supervisor

2018 - Ongoing

Masters-Level Student Research Assistant – Andie MacNeil

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Systematic review of outcomes indicative of success in elder abuse interventions
- ◆ Qualitative interviewing and analysis on RISE intervention
- ◆ Manuscript writing and preparation

Principal Supervisor

2018 - Ongoing

Undergraduate-Level Student Research Assistant – Rachel Burton

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Systematic review of outcomes indicative of success in elder abuse interventions
- ◆ Qualitative interview transcription

Principal Supervisor

2016 - 2021

PhD Student Research Assistant – Manaal Fahim

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Qualitative analysis to understand resident-to-resident aggression in dementia-specific long-term care units
- ◆ Manuscript writing and preparation

Principal Supervisor

2016 - 2020

PhD Student Research Assistant – Christine Sheppard

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Systematic review of outcomes indicative of success in elder abuse interventions
- ◆ Systematic review and meta-analysis on interventions targeting ageism against older adults
- ◆ Systematic review and meta-analysis on the prevalence of elder financial fraud and scams

Principal Supervisor

2018 - 2020

Masters-Level Student Research Assistant – Chantal Barber

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Systematic review and meta-analysis on interventions targeting ageism against older adults

Principal Supervisor

2018 - 2020

Masters-Level Student Research Assistant – Leanne Trevors

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Systematic review of outcomes indicative of success in elder abuse interventions

Principal Supervisor

2018 - 2020

Masters-Level Student Research Assistant – Aliya Nowaczynski

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Systematic review of outcomes indicative of success in elder abuse interventions

Principal Supervisor

2017 - 2018

Masters-Level Student Research Assistant – Darin Kirchin
University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Environmental scan of data collection systems used in multidisciplinary elder mistreatment intervention teams

Principal Supervisor

2015 - 2017

Undergraduate Student Research Assistant – Rebecca Zhao
University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Qualitative focus groups study to understand resident-to resident aggression in long-term care facilities

Principal Supervisor

2014 - 2015

Undergraduate Student Research Assistant – Beatrice Feir
University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Qualitative focus group study to understand concept of elder abuse risk

Co-Supervisor

2014 - 2015

Masters-Level Student Research Assistant – Bailey Hollister
University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

- ◆ Secondary analysis of a large data set to understand determinants of older adult mental health

Co-Supervisor

2013

Masters-Level Student Research Intern
Columbia University, School of Social Work

- ◆ Qualitative focus group study to understand needs of older adult residents in a retirement community

Co-Supervisor

2012

Masters-Level Student Research Intern
Columbia University, School of Social Work

- ◆ Intervention research study comparing effects of three community-based caregiver support programs on health and psychosocial outcomes

Co-Supervisor

2012

Masters-Level Student Research Intern
Columbia University, School of Social Work

- ◆ Intervention research study comparing effects of three community-based caregiver support programs on health and psychosocial outcomes

Co-Supervisor

2010/2011

Masters-Level Student Research Intern
Columbia University, School of Social Work

- ◆ Elder protective social service case record review study to evaluate a multidisciplinary elder protection model and identify factors associated with client retention, service utilization, and case resolution

TEACHING

Faculty Mentor

2019

PhD Student Teaching Apprentice – Ying Wang
University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work
Special Topics in Social Work Gerontology: Elder Abuse – Master’s-level course

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work (FIFSW)

Faculty Administration

- ◆ Associate Dean, Academic (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ MSW indigenous, Trauma and Resiliency Stream/Specialization Interim Coordinator (2020)
- ◆ MSW Gerontology Stream/Specialization Interim Coordinator (2017/2018)

Faculty Search Committees

- ◆ Full-Time FIFSE Student Engagement and Success officer (2022)
- ◆ Part-Time FIFSW Simulation Coordinator Position (2020)
- ◆ Full-Time Tenure-Track FIFSW Gerontology Position (2019/2020)
- ◆ Full-Time Tenure-Track FIFSW Clinical Social Work Position (2019/2020)
- ◆ Full-Time Tenure-Track FIFSW Child Welfare and Indigenous Studies Position (2019/2020)
- ◆ Full-Time FIFSW Senior Communications Strategist Position (2019/2020)
- ◆ Dean Search Committee – Appointment of Dean for FIFSW (2018/2019)
- ◆ Full-Time Tenure-Track FIFSW Open Clinical Position (2017/2018)
- ◆ Full-Time Tenure-Track FIFSW Gerontology Position (2017/2018)
- ◆ Full-Time Tenure-Track Joint FIFSW/Baycrest Position (2015 - 2018)
- ◆ Full-Time Teaching Stream Position (2016/2017)

Faculty Committees

- ◆ FIFSW Banting Post-Doctoral Fellowship Selection Committee (2022/2023)
- ◆ FIFSW Tenure Promotions Committee (2022/2023)
- ◆ Faculty Council Executive Committee (2021 – 2023)
- ◆ (Lead) Canadian Association for Social Work Education (CASWE) Faculty Re-Accreditation Site Review (2022)
- ◆ (Chair) Curriculum Innovations Committee (2020 – Ongoing)
- ◆ (Chair) MSW Studies Committee (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ (Chair) Program Management Group Committee (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ (Chair) Assessment Committee (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ (Chair) Education Review Committee (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ (Chair) Coursework Extensions Working Group (2019/2020)
- ◆ (Chair) MSW Field of Study/Specialization Coordinators Committee
- ◆ (Chair) Admissions Committee (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ (Co-Chair) Internal Awards Committee (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ Academic Leadership Team Committee (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ PhD Studies Committee (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ Progress Through the Ranks (PTR) Committee (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ Simulation Program Steering Committee (2019 – 2022)
- ◆ Appointments Committee (2019/2020)
- ◆ Sessional Advancement Committee (2019/2020)
- ◆ Research Management Committee (2018/2019)

- ◆ Institute for the Life Course and Aging Curriculum Committee (2017/2018)
- ◆ MSW Studies Committee (2014 - 2018)
- ◆ Institute for the Life Course and Aging Collaborative Specialization Committee (2015 - 2018)
- ◆ Academic Planning Committee (2016)
- ◆ Internal Awards Committee (2015, 2018)
- ◆ Workload Policy Committee (2015/2016)
- ◆ Academic Appeals Committee (2014 - 2016)

Mentoring

- ◆ Junior/Pre-Tenure faculty mentor (x1)

University of Toronto

- ◆ (Lead) FIFSW 8-Year University of Toronto Quality Assurance Process Review
- ◆ School of Graduate Studies – Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council/Canada Graduate Scholarship Review Committee (2021)
- ◆ Vice-Provost Academic Programs – Roundtable Meetings (2021/2022)
- ◆ Vice-Provost Academic Programs – Course Evaluation Working Group (2019 – ongoing)
- ◆ Academic Integrity Working Group (2020 – ongoing)
- ◆ Vice-Provost Academic Programs – Academic Continuity Working Group (2020 – ongoing)
- ◆ Principals, Deans, Associate Deans & Chairs (2019 – ongoing)
- ◆ Council of Graduate Deans (2019 – ongoing)
- ◆ Council of Health Sciences, Extended (2019 – ongoing)
- ◆ Graduate Education Council (2019 – ongoing)
- ◆ School of Graduate Studies – Committee on Program Matters (2019 – ongoing)
- ◆ School of Graduate Studies - Graduate Academic Appeals Board (2018 – ongoing)
- ◆ Health Sciences - Inter-Professional Education (IPE) Committee (2015 - 2018)
- ◆ University of Toronto School of Continuing Studies – Advisory Group for FIFSW Continuing Education Courses at the (2017)

Provincial

Ontario Interdisciplinary Council for Aging and Health (OICAH) (2018 - ongoing)

- ◆ Seeks to enhance the well-being of older adults in Ontario by promoting partnerships and collaboration among universities and stakeholders to improve interdisciplinary and interprofessional education, research, policy, and practice related to aging.

Elder Abuse Prevention Ontario - Chair, Elder Abuse Intervention Initiative (2016)

- ◆ A province-level, inter-disciplinary, cross-systems collaboration to develop recommendations for an effective community-based elder mistreatment response system in Ontario

National

Alzheimer's Society of Canada – Committee Member on Task Force to Address Resident-to-Resident Aggression Among Older Adults in Long-Term Care Settings (2017/2018)

- ◆ A selection of national experts on the issue of older adult resident-to-resident aggression in long-term care settings to develop best practices in identifying and addressing the problem

International

Priorities for Addressing Elder Abuse Within the Decade of Healthy Ageing 2021 – 2030, World Health Organization (WHO)

- ◆ Invited gathering of international elder abuse experts to discuss and identify a set of priorities for addressing elder abuse for the WHO Decade of Healthy Ageing 2021 – 2030 initiative and report

U.S. National Institutes of Health (NIH) – Multiphase Scientific Workshop to Address Violence & Related Health Outcomes in Sexual & Gender Minority Communities

- ◆ Invited to moderate and present current state of science information and be an ongoing working group member of to address key questions, identify research priorities, and write a summary report

World Health Organization (WHO) & Campbell Collaboration – Elder Abuse Evidence and Gap Map Initiative

- ◆ Invited gathering of elder abuse experts worldwide to provide input and consultation on the development of an evidence and gap map prevalence, consequences, and determinants of elder abuse, as well as on interventions to prevent, detect and respond to elder abuse.

World Health Organization (WHO) – Expert Reviewer for Global Report on Ageism (2020)

- ◆ Invited to review and provide feedback on the WHO *Global Report on Ageism*

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Community Living – Elder Abuse Subject Matter Expert (2019/2020)

- ◆ A convening of elder abuse leaders to refine a research plan to assess opportunities for using predictive analytics to identify older adults who are at increased risk for abuse, neglect, and exploitation.

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Community Living – Elder Abuse Expert Advisor (2019/2020)

- ◆ Invited to serve on expert panel to advise on a national U.S. initiative designed to understand client outcomes in the context of Adult Protective Services

International Centre in Geriatric Forensic Medicine and Nursing (ICGFMN) - Elder Abuse Expert Contributor (2019)

- ◆ The function of the Centre is to develop and direct research, education, training and clinical engagement, and the promotion of policy reforms, that protects the health, wellbeing, rights and choices of older people, including the reduction of abuse, neglect and premature death of vulnerable older adults

World Health Organization (WHO) – Gerontology Contributor to Ageism Project (2017/2018)

- ◆ Invited to co-lead a systematic review and meta-analysis on interventions to reduce ageism against older adults, as a part of the WHO Global Campaign to Combat Ageism

World Health Organization (WHO) – Elder Abuse Expert Contributor to Global Report (2016)

- ◆ Invited to co-author section on elder abuse in the WHO World Report on Ageing and Health covering current global state of knowledge on elder abuse prevalence, risk factors, interventions, and future research priorities.

U.S. National Institutes of Health (NIH) – Elder Abuse Expert Advisor/Collaborator (2015)

- ◆ Selection of experts on the topic of elder abuse to advise on future priority research directions and ways to move the field forward towards evidence-based practices

U.S. Joint National Adult Protective Services Association (NAPSA) and National Committee for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (NCPEA) – Research Committee Member (2015/Ongoing)

- ◆ A joint NAPSA-NCPEA research committee aiming to promote elder abuse intervention evidenced-based practices and practice-informed research

Grant Reviewer

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) (2022)

- ◆ Insight Grant reviewer

Israel Science Foundation (2017, 2022)

Swiss National Science Foundation – Agora Funding Mechanism (2020)

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) (2020)

- ◆ Insight Grant review committee member – Education and Social Work Selection Committee

Canada France Research Fund – New Research Collaboration Program (2019)

German-Israeli Scientific Cooperation Foundation (2019)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (2022)

- ◆ Elder abuse expert subject matter grant proposal reviewer for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Community Living federally funded “Improving Results for APS Clients” grant

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (2016, 2017)

- ◆ Elder abuse expert subject matter grant proposal reviewer for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Community Living federally funded “Elder Justice Innovation Grants”

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (2015, 2016)

- ◆ Elder abuse intervention expert subject matter grant proposal reviewer for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Community Living federally funded “State Grants to Enhance Adult Protective Services”

Journal Board

- ◆ Editorial Board Member – *Journal of Elder Abuse & Neglect*
- ◆ Advisory Board Member – *Social Work Education: The International Journal*

Journal Manuscript Peer-Reviewer

- ◆ JAMA Open Network
- ◆ The Lancet
- ◆ Psychological Bulletin
- ◆ American Psychologist

- ◆ Alzheimer's & Dementia
- ◆ Journals of Gerontology Series A: Biological and Medical Sciences
- ◆ Journals of Gerontology Series B: Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences
- ◆ Journal of the American Geriatrics Society (JAGS)
- ◆ American Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry
- ◆ The Gerontologist
- ◆ Innovation in Aging
- ◆ Brain Imaging and Behavior
- ◆ PLoS One
- ◆ BioMed Central (BMC) Geriatrics
- ◆ BioMed Research International
- ◆ BioMed Central (BMC) Public Health
- ◆ Aggression and Violent Behavior
- ◆ Aging and Mental Health
- ◆ Journal of Aging Studies
- ◆ Journal of Elder Abuse and Neglect
- ◆ Gerontology and Geriatrics Education
- ◆ Journal of Family Violence
- ◆ Archives of Gerontology and Geriatrics
- ◆ Clinical Social Work Journal
- ◆ Social Work Education
- ◆ Disability and Rehabilitation
- ◆ Journal of Applied Gerontology
- ◆ Canadian Journal on Aging/La Revue canadienne du vieillissement
- ◆ Criminal Justice Review
- ◆ The Joint Commission Journal on Quality and Patient Safety
- ◆ Journal of Adult Protective Services
- ◆ Victims & Offenders

Academic/Scientific Conference Abstract Submission Reviewer

- ◆ Annual Conference of the Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR) (2020)
- ◆ The Gerontological Society of America (GSA) Annual Scientific Meeting (2016, 2018, 2019)
- ◆ International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics (IAGG) (2017)

Book Reviewer

- ◆ Jackson, S.L. (2017). *Understanding elder abuse: A clinician's guide*. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

PRIOR RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Assistant Director *2012 - 2014*

Project Coordinator *2010 - 2012*

Jewish Association Serving the Aging (JASA) Research Institute

Supervisor/Director: Dr. Victoria Rizzo

JASA is the largest social service organization serving the aging in New York State

- ◆ Involved in strategic planning of institute research agenda
- ◆ Responsible for overseeing/coordinating multi-site research projects, including study conceptualization, design, data collection, analysis, and manuscript writing/submission
- ◆ Supervised MSW student interns assisting with focus groups, literature reviews, data collection/coding/entry

Research Associate *2012 - 2014*

New York State Elder Abuse Prevalence Study (NYSEAPS)

Weill Cornell Medical College of Cornell University; Cornell Survey Research Institute; New York City Department for the Aging

Supervisor: Dr. Mark Lachs

- ◆ NYSEAPS is a state-wide, representative (n = 4156) cross-sectional study using random-digit dial, direct telephone interviews with older adults – largest single-state elder abuse prevalence study in U.S.
- ◆ Responsible for generating the conceptual model, rationale, aims, hypotheses, measurement scale, analysis, and manuscript writing for a sub-project investigating the prevalence and risk factors for elder physical abuse, emotional abuse and neglect

Research Associate *2013 - 2014*

Elder Abuse Prevention Intervention Initiative

Weill Cornell Medical College of Cornell University; New York State Office for the Aging; New York State Office of Children and Family Services; Lifespan of Greater Rochester Inc.

Supervisor: Dr. Mark Lachs

- ◆ Multi-year, interdisciplinary, U.S. federally funded project through the Administration on Aging
- ◆ Feasibility study to develop and implement an enhanced multidisciplinary team model that addresses complex cases of financial elder exploitation and other forms of elder abuse in one urban and one rural area of New York State
- ◆ Responsible for contributing to pilot study design; developing protocols; formulating research questions; writing IRB application; developing eligibility, intake, tracking and outcome data collection forms; and developing database.

Elder Abuse Research Mentoring Program *2011 - 2015*

Weill Cornell Medical College of Cornell University

Mentor: Dr. Mark Lachs

- ◆ A national, interdisciplinary mentor group composed of prominent elder abuse scholars
- ◆ Present, review, and critique elder abuse research papers and proposals

Research Assistant *2005 - 2006*

Women, Ethnicity, and Depression: Gender Differences in Post-Marital Dissolution

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

Supervisor: Dr. Tahany Gadalla

- ◆ Edited and formatted manuscripts for three peer-reviewed research journals
- ◆ Created graphs and scatter plot charts using Statistical Analysis Software (SAS) output

Primary Investigator

2004 - 2005

Mothers Raising Children with Sickle Cell Disease

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work

Supervisor: Dr. Beverley Antle

- ◆ Conducted first psychosocial research on Sickle Cell Disease in Canada
- ◆ Conducted qualitative cross-cultural, in-depth, phenomenological interviews and facilitated a post-focus group
- ◆ Analyzed and interpreted qualitative transcripts data using N-Vivo software
- ◆ Manuscript writing/editing/submission

Research Assistant

2003

Social Support, Quality of Life and Psychological Adjustment Among Pediatric Stem Cell Patients

University of Toronto, Hospital for Sick Children, Psychology Department

Supervisor: Dr. Maru Barrera

- ◆ Conducted data analysis (T-Tests, ANOVA, MANOVA, Multiple linear regression)
- ◆ Managed data in Microsoft Excel and Access
- ◆ Abstract writing and manuscript editing

Research Assistant

2001 - 2002

Epidemiology Research on Prevalence of Perinatal HIV Transmission in Canada

University of Toronto, Hospital for Sick Children, Division of Infectious Diseases

Supervisor: Dr. Susan King

- ◆ Developed and managed the first Ontario and Canadian databases for reported perinatal HIV cases
- ◆ Completed univariate descriptive data analysis
- ◆ Wrote report advising Ontario government on treating perinatal HIV

POST MSW DIRECT/CLINICAL PRACTICE EXPERIENCE

Psychotherapy/Social Work Counseling

August 2006 – September 2010

Counseling and Healing Services - Toronto, Ontario

- ◆ Counseling and comprehensive social work services to adults who have experienced trauma and PTSD
- ◆ Used cognitive-behavioral, psycho-education, prolonged exposure, imagery re-scripting and reprocessing, systematic desensitization, and relaxation/breathing techniques to help alleviate PTSD
- ◆ Completed biopsychosocial assessments, treatment plans, progress reports, invoicing, scheduling, and liaising with community services
- ◆ Trained new counselors on biopsychosocial assessment and counseling skills

Social Worker

September 2005 – August 2006

Child, Youth and Family Services – Christchurch, New Zealand

- ◆ Managed a full case load of families dealing with issues of child abuse and neglect
- ◆ Completed family assessments, investigations, interventions, placements, and court reports
- ◆ Provided counseling, psycho-education and advocacy to individuals and families

VOLUNTEERING/ADVOCACY (SELECT)

Canadian Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse

Board of Directors

2022 - Ongoing

- ◆ A non-profit organization comprising individual and organization members across Canada with a mission to exchange reliable information and advance program and policy development on issues related to preventing elder mistreatment

CanAge

Fellow

2020 - Ongoing

- ◆ Canada's National Senior's Advocacy Organization

Elder Abuse Consultation Team

2014 - Ongoing

Family Services Toronto – Abuse of Older Adults Program

- ◆ Assist community agencies in an advisory capacity in responding to complex cases of elder abuse

ElderAbuse.Org

Board of Directors

2018 - Ongoing

- ◆ A non-profit organization that supports research, service, education, and policy initiatives designed to address the issue of elder abuse

Haven Toronto

Board of Directors

2016 - 2019

- ◆ A drop-in centre providing comprehensive services (food, clothes, counseling, health services, mailing address, respite) for older adults who are homeless or have precarious housing situations

Chair - Board of Directors Governance Sub-Committee

- ◆ Responsible for developing and reviewing governance structure, bylaws and policies of the organization, and recommending modifications that reflect best practice in order to advance the work of the Board of Directors

Manhattan Elder Abuse Case Consultation and Review Team *2011 – 2014*

- ◆ Member of an interdisciplinary, collaborative group of professionals in New York City to discuss and resolve particularly complex cases of elder abuse and neglect

MSW Student Mentor *2010, 2011*

University of Toronto, Factor-Inwentash Faculty of Social Work, Toronto ON

- ◆ Responsible for helping a graduating student with CV preparation, job search, networking and interview skills

Board of Directors *2004 – 2005*

Ontario Association of Social Workers, Toronto ON

- ◆ Member of the Central Branch Board of Directors to help design a strategic advocacy plan
- ◆ Advocated/organized to help pass the Government of Ontario legislation that now includes social workers as part of Bill 171: Psychotherapy Act

Co-Organizer and Peer Counselor *2001 – 2003*

University of Guelph Student to Student Support Services - Guelph, Ontario

- ◆ Coordinated, supervised and supported a team of student peer counselors
- ◆ Designed and facilitated active listening training workshops for forty student peer counselors
- ◆ Provided peer counseling to a diverse student body in a drop-in center and via telephone help-line

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

University of Toronto

Centre for Faculty Development

- ◆ New and Evolving Academic Leaders (NEAL) Program *2020/2021*
 - An intensive academic leadership development training program

Office of the Vice Provost, Faculty and Academic Life Workshops *2020*

- ◆ Retreat Leadership Webinar: Having Difficult Conversations

Office of the Vice Provost, Faculty and Academic Life Workshops *2019*

- ◆ Retreat for Deans, Vice-Deans & Principals

Office of the Vice Provost, Faculty and Academic Life Workshops *2014/2015*

- ◆ Promoting Research in Media
- ◆ Managing Research Projects
- ◆ 3rd Year Review and Tenure

Mount Sinai School of Medicine *2011*

The Consortium of New York Geriatric Education Centers

- ◆ Multidisciplinary education on geriatric mental health and quality of life improvement

The Hincks-Dellcrest Centre: Gail Appel Institute

2007

Dr. Mervin R. Smucker, Medical College of Wisconsin

- ◆ Intensive training on a multi-faceted, cognitive-behavioral approach to treating PTSD
- ◆ Focused on prolonged imaginal exposure and imagery re-scripting and reprocessing techniques

MSW Counseling Internship

2004/2005

York University Counseling and Development Centre, Toronto ON

- ◆ Provided individual, group and couples counseling to university students dealing with a range of mental health issues
- ◆ Implemented various counseling approaches including cognitive-behavioral, narrative, solution-focused, and supportive/exploratory listening
- ◆ Attended regular supervision and training seminars, maintained professional clinical notes and files, scheduled appointments, tape-recorded and analyzed sessions, and presented case analysis to a clinical team

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS/LICENSURE**The Gerontological Society of America (GSA)**

2010 – Ongoing

USA

- ◆ National, multidisciplinary society for professionals in aging fields that promotes the scientific study of aging

Society for Social Work and Research (SSWR)

2010 – Ongoing

USA

- ◆ National organization dedicated to the support and advancement of social work research and knowledge

Association for Gerontology Education in Social Work

2012 – Ongoing

USA

- ◆ Provides leadership in the areas of gerontological social work education, research, and policy

National Committee for the Prevention of Elder Abuse

2016 – 2018

USA

- ◆ A national association for professionals, practitioners, and researchers across disciplines working to address elder abuse, neglect, and financial exploitation.

Academy on Violence and Abuse (AVA)

2010/2011

USA

- ◆ Non-profit, academic organization that seeks to expand health education and research knowledge about violence and abuse into the training of health professionals

Ontario College of Social Workers and Social Service Workers (OCSWSSW) 2005 – Ongoing

Ontario, Canada

- ◆ Mandated to protect the interest of the public by regulating the practice of social workers and promoting excellence in practice.

Ontario Association of Social Workers (OASW)

2004 – 2014, 2018

Ontario, Canada

- ♦ A voluntary, provincial, non-profit association that provides advocacy for social workers and issues facing social work clients