

Curriculum Vitae 2020-01-01

Simone Schwank (*b. Dec 1984*)

Education

Postdoc Fellowship Swiss National Science Foundation (*12.2019 – 2022*)

*Shanghai, China; Fudan University, Obstetrics and Gynecology Hospital; Prof. Ding Yan
Shanghai, China; Women's and Children's Health Center; Shanghai Government
Tromsø, Norway; University of Northern Norway; Prof. Dr. med. PhD Ganesh Acharya*

PhD Karolinska Institutet (*10.2015 – 11.2019*)

*Sweden; Department of Women's and Children's Health, Div. Reproductive Health.
Main supervisor: Prof. Helena Lindgren, Co-Supervisor: Dr. Ewa Andersson*

Fellow, Columbia University Center for Psychoanalytic Training and Research (*08.2014 – present*)

Member of The Association for Psychoanalytic Medicine

Post Graduate, Parent Infant Program Columbia University (*08.2014 – 06.2017*)

New York; Parent Infant Program Graduate

Research in Psychology, University of Zürich (*01.2012 – 07.2015*)

Switzerland; Department of Psychology.

Master of Science in Psychotherapy and Neuropsychology (*01.2014 – 05.2015*)

City University of New York

Master of Science in Psychology (*09.2008 – 11.2009*)

University of Gothenburg, Sweden; Cognitive Psychology, Developmental Psychology, Organisational Psychology

Master of Arts in Linguistics and Comparative Literature (*09.2008 – 08.2009*)

University of Gothenburg, Sweden; Literature and Linguistics

Bachelor of Arts in Psychology, Linguistics and Literature (*09.2005 – 06.2008*)

University of Zurich, Switzerland; Psychology, Scandinavian Linguistics and Literature, English and German Linguistics

Law and Economics University of St. Gallen (HSG) (*10.2004 – 06.2005*)

Switzerland; Law and Economics

Work Experience

CAPA Lecturer and Clinical Supervision (01.2017-present)

New York, Beijing, Shanghai; psychoanalytic training and supervision of Chinese psychiatrists and counsellors in psychoanalytic theory and clinical practise.

DIS Study in Scandinavia (05.2016-present)

Stockholm, Sweden; Psychology Lecturer for Bachelor students from the United States

Obersee Bilingual School (08.2011- present)

Pfäffikon, Switzerland; Educational Psychologist, International Baccalaureate and Curriculum Coordinator, High School Project Leader

Private Psychological Practice (05.2010- present)

Zurich, Switzerland; psychotherapy, diagnostic assessments, potential analysis, psycho-emotional development testing, coaching, training multinational companies in intercultural competence

Psychologist at La Petite Ecole (08.2014 – 07.2015)

New York, USA. Psychotherapy for infants and families

Psychologist at Center for Optimal Performance (05.2014 - 07.2015)

New York, USA. Psychotherapy and consultancy for international clients, children, adolescents, couples, and families

Psychologist at Shanghai Community Centre (09.2012 – 01.2014)

Shanghai, China. Psychotherapy for international, expatriate clients, Consultant for multinational companies in intercultural communication and career development

Lecturer at Shanghai University (09.2012 – 01.2014)

Shanghai, China. Department of Foreign Languages and Intercultural Communication
Instructing Chinese Master Students in Intercultural Communication

Zurich International School (01.2010 – 09.2012)

Kilchberg, Switzerland; School Psychologist, High School Teacher, tutoring German, EAL, and French

Syngenta Crop Protection (07.2009-12.2009)

Basel, HQ responsible for University Graduate Finance Management Program

Supervision, Graduate and Undergraduate thesis work *(current and former)*

9 Master student theses from the Graduate programme for Midwifery, Karolinska Institutet

3 Undergraduate students, DIS Exchange Programme

Teaching Activities *(current and former)*

Intercultural Communication, Shanghai University

Reproductive Health Midwifery Education, Karolinska Institutet

Emerging Adulthood Psychology, DIS-Study Abroad in Scandinavia

Lifespan Psychology: The Emergence of the Self, DIS-Study Abroad in Scandinavia

Scandinavian Language & Culture, DIS-Study Abroad in Scandinavia

Theory of Psychotherapy for Psychiatrists, Chinese American Psychoanalytic Alliance (CAPA)

Positions of Trust *(current and former)*

Board Member, International Marcé Organisation

Board Member Doctoral Student Association, Karolinska Institutet

PhD Representative International Committee, Karolinska Institutet

PhD Representative Disputation Committee, Karolinska Institutet

PhD Representative Recruitment Committee, Karolinska Institutet

PhD Representative Doctoral Education Committee, Karolinska Institutet

Memberships

Member Columbia University Association for Psychoanalytic Medicine

Member of Chinese American Psychoanalytic Alliance (CAPA)

Member Verband Schweizer Akademikerinnen

Member of the Graduate School of Excellence, University of Zurich

Research Grants and Stipends

- Swiss National Science Foundation SNSF Postdoc Project Grant 2019 USD 100,000
- STINT Initiation Grant (Principal Investigator) 2019 USD 20,000
- Chinese American Psychoanalytic Alliance Project Grant (2016, 2017, 2019) USD 15,000 total
- Swedish Society of Medical Research (x2 2018-2019) USD 9,000 total
- Karolinska Institutet Travel Grant (x6 2015-2020), USD 8500 total
- Svenka Läkarsällskapet Travel Grant (x4 2016-2020) 2016 USD 7,000 total
- University of Zurich Workshop Organisation Grant 2013: USD 5,000
- Swiss National Science Foundation SNSF Gender Equality Grant 2019 USD 3,000
- University of Zurich Travel Grant 2012 and 2013: USD 2,000 total
- Anna Cederbergs Stiftelse Grant 2017 USD 1200
- STINT Initiation Grant (co-applicant) 2017 USD 20,000
- STINT Strategic Grant (co-applicant) 2018 USD 198,000
- NSFC Grant (co-applicant) 2018 RMB 490 000

Language Proficiency

Fluent: English, Swedish, German, French, Italian

Conversational: Mandarin Chinese