

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- 2019 – today **Ph.D. student in clinical psychology**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem.
Supervisor: Prof. Jonathan D. Huppert
- 2013 – 2015 **Pre-requisite course study in educational psychology**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem.
- 2010 – 2013 **M.A. in Neurocognitive Psychology** with Great Honor, University of Haifa, Israel.
Supervisor: Prof. Asher Koriat, University of Haifa, Israel.
- 2006 – 2010 **B.A. in Psychology and Philosophy**, University of Haifa, Israel.

Awards and Scholarships

- 2022 Sturman travel award
- 2022 Student travel award of Society for Psychotherapy Research
- 2022 Student travel grant of Faculty of Social Sciences
- 2022 Faculty of Social Sciences grant for research. *Interpersonal Emotion Regulation Strategies in Depressed and Anxious Individuals.*
- 2021 Small Grant Award of the Society for Psychotherapy Research.
- 2020 Israel Science Foundation, *Imagery based interventions for the treatment of anxiety-related disorders: mechanisms and optimizing outcomes*, Huppert, J.D., Zlotnick, E.C, Barzilai, S. & Sorka, H., Grant Accepted.
- 2011 – 2013 M.A. Excellence Scholarship for Academic Achievements.

Clinical Experience

- 2013 – 2021 Educational Psychologist in Municipality Center of Educational Psychology, Jerusalem.

Teaching Experience

- 2023 – present T.A. in " *Quantitative Research Methods*" for M.A program, Department of Social Work, University of Jerusalem.
- 2020 – present Frontal T.A. in " *Statistical Thinking in Psychology*" for B.A. program, Department of Psychology, University of Jerusalem.
- 2011 – 2013 Frontal T.A. in " *Cognitive Psychology*" for B.A. program, Department of Psychology, University of Haifa.
- 2011 – 2013 Frontal T.A. in " *Statistics and SPSS*" for M.A program, Department of Social Work, University of Haifa.
- 2010 – 2012 Tutor for Statistics and Research Methods, Department for Academic and Personal Assistance, University of Haifa.

Academic Activity

- 2022 – present organizing a clinical workshop series for PhD students in clinical psychology.
- 2022 Planned and coordinated the annual convention of the department of psychology for PhD graduates.
- 2022 Planned and coordinated the department's annual academic poster convention for research students.
- The Department of Psychology Academic Poster Convention*

Conference Presentations

- Sorka, H. & Huppert, J.D. (2023, March). *Imagery Rescripting: Updating the Trauma*. Ted talk presented at the Annual Meeting of the Psycho-trauma Israeli Center, Hertzog Hospital, Jerusalem, Israel.
- Sorka, H. & Huppert, J.D. (2023, March). *Self-Guided Imagery Rescripting for OCD*. Brief talk presented at OCD labs day at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel.
- Sorka, H., Huppert, J.D., Sofer, B., Arnon, H., & Clark, D.M., (2022, September). *Anxious Attachment Style Moderates the Effectiveness of the Involvement of Another Person in Imagery Rescripting for Trait Anxiety*. Poster presented at the annual conference of the European Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (EABCT), Barcelona, Spain.
- Sorka, H. & Huppert, J.D. (2022, July). *The Utilization of Another Person in Imagery Rescripting intervention*. Brief paper presented at the International Annual Meeting of the Society for Psychotherapy Research, Denver, Colorado.
- Sorka, H. & Huppert, J.D. (2022, March). *The Utilization of Another Person in Imagery Rescripting intervention*. Brief paper presented at the Imagery Meeting, Jerusalem, Israel.

- Sorka, H. & Huppert, J.D. (2021, October). Reach Out to Me: The Utilization of Another Person in Imagery Rescripting. In Wiseman, H. (Chair) *Innovative intervention methods*, Symposium conducted at the Annual Congress of the Society for Psychotherapy Research - Israel (ISPR), Tel-Aviv, Israel.
- Sorka, H. & Huppert, J.D. (2021, September). Using the Self vs. Another in Imagery Rescripting for Trait Anxiety: Does Attachment Style Moderate the Effect? In Huppert, J.D. (Chair) Brief Imagery Interventions for Social Anxiety: Processes and Outcomes, Symposium presented at the annual conference of the European Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies (EABCT), Belfast, Northern Ireland.
- Sorka, H. & Koriat, A. (2015, March). *The construction of categorization judgments: Using subjective confidence and response latency to test a distributed model*. Symposium presented at the 10th Board Meeting of the Advisory Council of Max Wertheimer Minerva Center for Cognitive Processes and Human Performance, Technion and University of Haifa, Haifa, Israel.

Publications

- Huppert, J. D., & Sorka, H. (2022). Exposure Therapy when Patients Present with Comorbid Depression. In *Clinical Guide to Exposure Therapy: Beyond Phobias* (pp. 67-85). Cham: Springer International Publishing.
- Koriat, A., & Sorka, H. (2017). The construction of category membership judgments: Towards a distributed model. In H. Cohen & C. Lefebvre. (Eds.) *Handbook of categorization in cognitive science* (2nd ed., pp. 773-794). Amsterdam, Netherlands: Elsevier.
- Koriat, A., & Sorka, H. (2015). The construction of categorization judgments: Using subjective confidence and response latency to test a distributed model. *Cognition*, 134, 21-38.