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PERSONAL DATA

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EDUCATION

- 2008 Ph.D., Social Psychology, Université Nancy 2, Nancy, France.
Thesis Adviser: Prof. Dr. Kamel Gana
Thesis: "On the Validity of the Implicit Association Test to Measure the Implicit Self-Concept".
2004 M.A., Psychology, Université Nancy 2, Nancy, France.
2002 B.A., Psychology, Université Nancy 2, Nancy, France.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS / PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 09/18 – Maître de Conférences, Laboratoire de Psychologie Sociale: menaces et société (EA 4471), Université Paris Descartes.
10/09 - 08/18 Wissenschaftlicher Mitarbeiter, Department of Social and Organisation Psychology (Prof. Dr. Ursula Hess), Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany.
03/09 - 08/09 Attaché temporaire d'enseignement et de recherche (ATER), Department of Psychology, Université Aix-Marseille I, France.
09/08 - 02/09 Wissenschaftlicher Mitarbeiter, Department of Psychology (Prof. Dr. Rainer Banse), Bonn Universität, Germany.
11/13 - 12/15 Partner, Mondrian U.G. (Mondrian is an online geo-affective mapping service)
01/16 - 07/17 Managing Director, Mondrian U.G.
09/2017 - Development Manager Development Center VINCI Energy-France (IQP)

RESEARCH GRANTS

- 2016-2018 Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG) research grant (BL 1280/1-1); "*How Do Threatening Locations Alter People's Feelings and Interactions with Others in the Surroundings? A Psychophysiological Study in the Lab*"; Christophe Blaison (PI), Ursula Hess, & Ottmar Lipp (31.781,00 €).
2012 Förderprojekte der Humboldt-Universität Gemeinschaft; „*Reduktion der Schmerzwahrnehmung bei älteren Personen – empirische Evaluation der Rolle*

- tierischer Begleiter als soziale Unterstützung“; Christophe Blaison (PI) & Jens Nachtwei (800,00 €).*
- 2011-2012 Förderprojekte der Wolfgang Köhler Zentrum Stiftung. „*Konflikt am Arbeitsplatz, im Labor nachgemacht*“ (Une étude en laboratoire d'un conflit au travail). Ursula Hess (PI) and Christophe Blaison (PI) (15,000 €)
- 2009 (Déclined.) Bourse de Recherche Post-Doctorale Clemens Heller. « *Affective Misattribution Procedure : Simple priming and/or genuine misattribution effect* » (15,300 €)
- 2004-2007 Doctoral research grant from the French Department for Youth, Education and Research (N° 13477 – 2004) “*On the Validity of the Implicit Association Test to Measure the Implicit Self-Concept*” (45.000,00 €).
- 2003-2004 Master's Degree research grant from the French Department for Youth, Education and Research, “*Which one is the best: Self vs Other IAT or Single Category Self-IAT?*” (3.780,00 €).

PUBLICATIONS

- Blaison, C.**, Gebauer, J. E., Gollwitzer, M., Schott, F., Kastendieck, T. M., & Hess, U. (2018). On the combined influence of attractive and unattractive locations on the surroundings. *Environment and Behavior*, 50, 947-974.
- Dufner, M., Brümmer, M., Chung, J. M., Drewke, P. B., **Blaison, C.**, & Schmukle, S. C. (2017). Does smile intensity in photographs really predict longevity? A replication and extension of Abel and Kruger (2010). *Psychological Science*, 29, 147-153.
- Blaison, C.**, Fayant, M.-P., Hess, U. (in press). Contrast effect in spatial context: Robustness and practical significance. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied*.
- Blaison, C.**, Gollwitzer, M., & Hess, U. (2017). Effects of “hotspots” as a function of intrinsic neighborhood attractiveness. *Journal of Environmental Psychology*, 51, 57-69.
- Hess, U., **Blaison, C.**, & Dandeneau, S. (2017). The impact of rewards on empathic accuracy and emotional mimicry. *Motivation and Emotion*, 41, 107-112.
- Hess, U., Arslan, R., Mauersberger, H., **Blaison, C.**, Dufner, M., Denissen, J., & Ziegler, M. (2017). Reliability of surface facial electromyography. *Psychophysiology*, 54, 12-23.
- Hess, U., Kafetsios, K., Mauersberger, H., **Blaison, C.**, & Kessler, C.-L. (2016). Signal and noise in the perception of facial emotion expressions: From labs to life. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 42, 1092-1110.
- Blaison, C.**, & Hess, U. (2016). Affective judgment in spatial context: How places derive affective meaning from the surroundings. *Journal of Environmental Psychology*, 47, 53-65.
- Hess, U., **Blaison, C.**, Kafetsios, K. (2016). Judging facial emotion expressions in context: The influence of culture and self-construal orientation. *Journal of Non-verbal Behavior*, 40, 50-64.
- Mauersberger, H., **Blaison, C.**, Kafetsios, K., Kessler, C.-L., & Hess, U. (2015). Individual Differences in Emotional Mimicry: Underlying Traits and Social Consequences. *European Journal of Personality*, 29, 512-529.
- Blaison, C.**, Imhoff, R., Hühnel, I., Hess, U., & Banse, R. (2012). The affect misattribution procedure: Hot or not? *Emotion*, 12, 403–412.
- Gana, K., Lourel, M., Trouillet, R., Fort, I., Mezred, D., **Blaison, C.**, Boudjemadi, V., K'Delant, P., & Ledrich, J. (2010). Judgment of riskiness: Impact of personality, naive theories, and heuristic thinking among female students. *Psychology & Health*, 25, 131-145.

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- Gana, K., **Blaison, C.**, Boudjemadi, V., Mezred, D., K'Delant, P., Trouillet, R., Lourel, M., Fort, I. & Baginski, E. (2009). De quelques prédicteurs de l'anxiété face à la retraite. *Revue Canadienne des Sciences du Comportement. Revue Canadienne des Sciences du Comportement*, 41, 260-271.
- Blaison, C.**, & Gana, K. (2007). Évaluation de deux modes de construction des SC-IATs (Single Category Implicit Association Test) de personnalité : Une étude dans le domaine de la masculinité/féminité. *Revue Internationale de Psychologie Sociale*, 20, 89-122.
- Blaison, C.**, Chassard, D., Kop, J. L., & Gana, K. (2006). L'IAT (Implicit Association Test) ou la mesure des cognitions sociales implicites ? Revue critique de la validité et des fondements théoriques des scores qu'il produit. *L'Année Psychologique*, 106, 305-335.
- Mezred, D., Petigênet, V., Fort, I., **Blaison, C.**, & Gana, K. (2006). Réminiscence: Concept, fonctions et mesure. *Les Cahiers Internationaux de Psychologie Sociale*, 71, 3-14.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- Blaison, C.**, (2018). Représentation Affective de l'Environnement et Contexte Spatiale. In T. Ramadier (Ed.), *Ebook Cartotête 2017*.
- Gana, K., **Blaison, C.**, & Boudjemadi, V. (2012). The effects of semantic meaning and valence of the self-concept attributes on traditional self-concept IATs and SC-IATs scores. In K. Gana (Ed.), *Psychology of self-concept*. New-York: Nova Publishers.

INVITED TALKS

- Blaison, C.** (2018, Avril). *Affective spatial context: Implications for socio-spatial segregation*. Institut für Psychologie, Fernuniversität Hagen, Hagen.
- Blaison, C.** (2016, November). *Affective judgment in spatial context*. Institut für Psychologie, Sozial- und Rechtspsychologie, Universität Mainz, Mainz.
- Blaison, C.**, & Hess, U. (2016, October). *Cultural traits affect facial emotion perception as a function of the social context*. Institut für Psychologie, Sozial- und Rechtspsychologie, Universität Bonn, Bonn.
- Blaison, C.** (2015, December). *Relative judgment in spatial context: How places derive affective meaning from the backdrop of other places*. Laboratoire de psychologie sociale : menaces et société, Université Paris Descartes, Paris.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Blaison, C.** (2019). *Affective judgment in spatial context : A simulation with artificial neural networks*. Poster accepted, ICPS 2018, Paris.
- Blaison, C.** (2018). *The effect of group members' likability and status on the impression of groups*. Paper presented at the 12ème Congrès International de Psychologie Sociale en Langue Française, Université Catholique de Louvain, Louvain-la-Neuve.
- Blaison, C.** (2017). *Représentation affective de l'environnement et contexte spatial*. Paper presented at the Cartotête 2017 annual meeting, Strasbourg, France.
- Blaison, C.** (2017). *Evaluative judgment in spatial context: How do places derive affective meaning from the surroundings?* Paper presented at the 59th Teap Conference, Dresden, Germany.
- Blaison, C.** (2016). *Affective Judgment in Spatial Context: How places derive affective meaning from the surroundings*. Paper presented at the 50th DGPS Meeting, Leipzig, Germany.

- Hess, U., & **Blaison, C.** (2016). *Blocking Mimicry – Or not?* Poster presented at SPR 2016, Minneapolis, US.
- Gollwitzer, M., Hannuschke, M., & **Blaison, C.** (2016). *Are early adolescents more or less sensitive to angry facial expressions?* Paper presented at the 2016 SRA Biennial Meeting, Baltimore, US.
- Blaison, C.** (2015). *Affective Judgment in Spatial Context: When the Self is in da Place.* Poster presented at the 15. Tagung der Fachgruppe Sozialpsychologie, Potsdam, Germany.
- Blaison, C.**, Hess, U., van Lent, T., Edreva, D., & Fischer, A. (2015). *My competitor's tears make me smile: Facial mimicry and counter-mimicry of out-group expressions.* Paper presented at the ISRE Pre-Conference 2015, Geneva, Switzerland.
- Blaison, C.**, & Hess, U. (2015). *Affective judgment in spatial context.* Poster session presented at the ISRE Conference 2015, Geneva, Switzerland.
- Hess, U., **Blaison, C.**, van Lent, T., Edreva, D., & Fischer, A. (2015). *My competitor's tears make me smile: Facial mimicry and counter-mimicry of out-group expressions.* Poster presented at the 55th Annual Meeting of the Society for Psychophysiological Research, Seattle, WA, September 30 – October 4.
- Blaison, C.**, Mauruscha, J., Semin, G., & Hess, U. (2013). *The Influence of Social Group and Interpersonal Context on Facial Mimicry.* Poster session presented at SPSP 2013, New-Orleans, US.
- Blaison, C.**, Strauss, C., Hareli, S., & Hess, U. (2013). *People do not mimic what they see but what they understand.* Poster session presented at SPR 2013, Florence, Italy.
- Blaison, C.**, Shlomo, H., Strauss, C., & Hess, U. (2012). *Imitating eyes: Mimicry of emotions shown in the eyes.* Poster session presented at the CERE Emotion Conference 2012, University of Kent, UK.
- Blaison, C.**, Krewel, A., Herzberg, P., & Hess, U. (2011). *Mimicry of 3D stereoscopic Emotional facial expressions.* Poster session presented at SPR 2013, Boston, US.
- Blaison C.**, Banse, R., & Gollwitzer, M. (2010). *An implicit measure of aggression based on the hostile attribution bias in ambiguous facial expressions.* Paper presented at the XV. Aggression workshop, Bonn, Germany.
- Blaison C.**, Imhoff, R., & Banse, R. (2010). *The Affect Misattribution Procedure: Hot or not?* Paper presented at the 52. Tagung Experimentell Arbeitender Psychologen (TEAP), Saarbrücken, Germany.
- Imhoff, R., Banse, R., & **Blaison, C.** (May, 2009). *An inkblot for prejudice? A normative analysis of the Affective Misattribution Procedure as an implicit measure.* Paper presented at the V PhD Meeting in Social and Organizational Psychology, Lisboa, Portugal.
- Blaison, C.**, & Gana, K. (2008). *The malleability and contextualization of anxiety IATs.* Paper presented at the European Social Cognition Network Conference. International School for Advanced Education, Volterra, Italy.
- Blaison, C.**, & Gana, K. (2008). *L'IAT (Implicit Association Test) et la mesure implicite de la personnalité : une tentative de contextualisation de la mesure dans le domaine de l'anxiété.* Poster presented at the 18 èmes Journées Internationales de Psychologie Différentielle. University of Geneva, Geneva, Switzerland.
- Blaison, C.** (2007). *Investigation of potential moderators of the implicit-explicit consistency.* Paper presented at the European Association of Personality Psychology Summer School on Implicit Measures of Personality. Bertinoro, Italie.
- Blaison, C.** (2005). *Adaptation indirecte du BSRI grâce au SC-IAT.* Poster presented at the Congrès de la Société Française de Psychologie. University Nancy 2, France.

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Blaison, C., & Gana, K. (2004). *Using the Implicit Association Test (IAT) to measure affectivity trait versus state*. Poster presented at the 12th European Conference on Personality. Groningen University, Groningen, Belgium.

TEACHING ACTIVITIES

Lectures

- 2017 - present *Cultural psychology* (MA students). Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany.
- 2017 - present *Advanced research methods in psychology* (MA students). Hochschule für Gesundheit & Sport Technik & Kunst, Germany.
- 2007 *Introduction to differential psychology* (BA students). Université Nancy 2, France.
- #### Seminars
- 2018 - present *Introduction to social psychology* (BA students)
- 2016 *Self, social identity and the consumer society* (MA students). Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany.
- 2014 - present *The science of social influence* (BA students). Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany.
- 2011 - 2014 *Implicit social cognition* (BA students). Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany.
- 2009 - 2014 *Communication in organisations* (BA students). Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany.
- 2009 *The implicit self-concept* (BA students). Université Aix-Marseille I, France.
- 2007 *Research methods in psychology* (BA students). Université Nancy 2, France.

SUPERVISING ACTIVITIES

- 2009 - present Master Thesis (15)
- 2009 - present Bachelor Thesis (24)
- 2016 – présent PhD Thesis (1 ; Co-supervision)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

ASSOCIATE EDITOR

International Review of Social Psychology/ Revue Internationale de Psychologie Sociale

AD HOC REVIEWER, JOURNALS

Biological Psychology, Aggressive Behavior, Cognition and Emotion, Emotion, European Journal of Social Psychology, European Review of Applied Psychology, Helyion, International Review of Social Psychology, Journal of Environmental Psychology, Journal of Nonverbal Behavior, Social Psychological and Personality Science

DEPARTMENTAL SERVICE

- 2009 - 2018 Member of the Ethic Comity board of the Psychology Department at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.
- 2009 - present Mittelbauvertreter in Promotionskommissionen (10)

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- 2009 - present Mittelbauvertreter in Habilitationskommissionen (1)
2014 Co-organizer of the CERE 2014 (Consortium of European Research on Emotion) conference in Berlin.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

- ISRE (International Society for Research on Emotion) Member
SPR (Society for Psychophysiological Research) Member
SPSP (Society for Personality and Social Psychology)

LANGUAGES

- French: Native language
German and English: Fluent