

Personal statement

I have over 20 years of experience developing, implementing, evaluating, and scaling social interventions for children and families in over 40 countries around the world.

I am a senior research and teaching fellow based at the University of Oxford Department of Social Policy and Intervention. My research is focused the implementation, effectiveness, and scale-up of programmes that improve child and family wellbeing and mental health outcomes in low- and middle-income countries.

I am the lead principal investigator of the Global Parenting Initiative which is a 5-year \$22 million project aimed at expanding the evidence and impact of human-digital playful parenting interventions in the Global South. I am also a principal investigator on multiple research projects in Jamaica, Malaysia, Moldova, North Macedonia, Philippines, Romania, South Africa, Sri Lanka, Tanzania, Thailand, and Uganda.

I am also the CEO and co-founder of [Parenting for Lifelong Health](#) (PLH), a charitable social enterprise working closely with World Health Organisation and UNICEF to support the scale-up of parenting programmes in the Global South.

I co-led an international, multi-agency response that has provided open-source and freely available [evidence-based parenting resources](#) to over 210 million people in more than 196 countries and territories to reduce the impact of COVID-19 on violence against children and poor child wellbeing.

I am also the former executive director and founder of Clowns Without Borders South Africa (www.cwbsa.org), a humanitarian arts-based intervention that provides psychosocial support to vulnerable children and families through humour and play.

I hold a DPhil in Social Intervention at the University of Oxford's Department of Social Policy and Intervention. I also hold degrees from the University of Oxford (MSc with distinction), Yale University (BA with distinction), and the Dell'Arte International School for Physical Theatre.

I am also a storyteller, banjo-player, singer-songwriter, clown, director, and facilitator.

Employment

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| 2021 - Pres | University of Oxford: Senior Research and Teaching Fellow (Grade 10)
Department of Social Policy & Intervention |
| 2017 - 2021 | University of Glasgow: Research Fellow
MRC/CSO Social and Public Health Sciences Unit |
| 2015 - 2021 | University of Oxford: Research Officer
Department of Social Policy & Intervention |
| 2004 - 2019 | Clowns Without Borders South Africa
Executive Director and Founder |

Other academic posts

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| 2022 - Pres | University of Cape Town: Honorary Associate Professor
Centre for Social Science Research |
| 2022 - Pres | University of Oxford: Director of Research
Department of Social Policy & Intervention |
| 2018 - Pres | University of Oxford: Chair
Department of Social Policy & Intervention Research Ethics Committee |
| 2022 - Pres | University of Oxford: Supernumerary Fellow
Wolfson College |
| 2016 - 2021 | University of Oxford: Junior Research Fellow
Wolfson College |

Education

2011 - 2016 **D.Phil. (Clarendon Scholar) Social Intervention**, University of Oxford

Dissertation: Building a rondavel of support: The development and pilot randomised controlled trial of a parenting programme to reduce the risk of child maltreatment in low-income families with children aged three to eight years in South Africa

2010 - 2011 **MSc (Distinction) Evidence-Based Social Intervention**, University of Oxford

Dissertation: Risk and protective factors associated with parental praise and parental supervision in high HIV-prevalent rural and urban communities in South Africa

1993 - 1998 **BA (Distinction) American Studies**, Yale University.

Selected research grants

- 2022 - 2027 **LEGO Foundation.** Global Parenting Initiative. \$16,550,056 (£11,033,371). Lead-PI.
- 2022 - 2026 **Oak Foundation.** Global Parenting Initiative. £3,749,998. Lead-PI.
- 2021 - 2022 **Pan-American Health Organisation (PAHO).** Parenting for Lifelong Health in Latin America. £20,000. Lead-PI with Gardner.
- 2021 **LEGO Foundation.** COVID-19 Playful Parenting in South Africa: Learning and bridging to global parenting support. £819,760. Lead-PI with Cluver, Ward, and Gardner.
- 2021 **Oak Foundation.** Global Parenting Initiative – Planning Grant. \$100,000 (£74,074). Lead-PI with Cluver.
- 2021 **The Human Safety Net.** COVID-19 Parenting Emergency Response: Building evidence of what works in Malaysia and the Philippines. E148,982 (£142,115). PI.
- 2020 - 2022 **Oak Foundation.** Parenting for Respectability Cluster Randomised Controlled Trial in Uganda. \$484,725 (£323,150). Co-PI with Siu.
- 2020 - 2021 **Global Challenges Research Fund – Newton Fund Agile Response to Address COVID-19.** COVID-19 Child Abuse Prevention Emergency Response. £532,433. Co-PI with Cluver.
- 2020 **LEGO Foundation.** COVID-19 Playful Parenting Emergency Response. £196,237. Lead-PI with Cluver.
- 2020 **Oak Foundation.** COVID-19 Parenting Emergency Response – Preventing Child Abuse in COVID-19. £71,429. Co-PI with Cluver.
- 2020 **Oxford Medical Sciences Division COVID-19 Research Response Fund.** COVID-19 Parenting: Global Child Abuse Prevention Response. £203,707. Co-PI with Cluver.
- 2020 - 2021 **UNICEF Philippines.** Delivering Parenting for Lifelong Health (PLH)-Philippines' Masayang Pamilya Para sa Batang Pilipino (MaPa) Program in the Time of the COVID-19 Pandemic. \$43,707 (£29,138). Co-PI with Alampay.
- 2020 - 2021 **Global Partnership to End Violence Evaluation Fund.** Furaha Adolescent Implementation Research (FAIR) Study. \$199,967 (£139,992). Co-PI with Wamoyi.
- 2020 - 2021 **Global Partnership to End Violence Evaluation Fund.** Uganda Parenting for Respectability Implementation Science Evaluation (UPRISE). \$184,517 (£129,176). Co-PI with Siu.
- 2019 - 2020 **Global Challenges Research Fund.** Harnessing implementation science to maximise the effectiveness and policy impact of parenting interventions to reduce violence against children in Southeast Asia. £50,000. PI.
- 2019 - 2023 **UKRI Global Challenges Research Fund.** Accelerating Achievement for Africa's Adolescents Hub. £18,531,197. Co-I with Cluver.
- 2018 - 2021 **EU-Horizon2020 Global Alliance for Chronic Diseases.** Prevention of child mental health problems in Southeastern Europe - Adapt, Optimize, Test, and Extend Parenting for Lifelong Health. E2,976,092.25 (£2,488,235). PI with Heinrichs, Foran, Ward, Fang, Hutchings, Gardner, Baban, Lesco, Raleva.

- 2018 - 2020 **UNICEF-Philippines.** Extending the Development and Testing of the Parenting for Lifelong Health (PLH)-Philippines' Masayang Pamilya Para sa Batang Pilipino (MaPa) Program. £140,577. Co-PI with Alampay.
- 2017 - 2022 **European Research Council.** Hey Baby: Helping Empower Youth Brought Up in Adversity with Their Babies and Young Children. E1,999,960 (£1,672,149). Co-I with Cluver.
- 2017 - 2020 **UNICEF-Thailand.** Parenting for Lifelong Health-Thailand. £188,959. Co-PI with Gardner, Cheah, McCoy, Tapanya.
- 2016 - 2017 **Fell Fund.** Optimising Parenting Interventions through Methodological and Programmatic Innovation to Reduce the Risk of Child Maltreatment and Improve Child Wellbeing in Low- and Middle-Income Countries. £50,000. Co-I with Gardner.
- 2015 - 2017 **UBS Optimus Foundation.** Parenting for Lifelong Health-Philippines. CHF199,945 (£160,104). Lead-PI with Alampay, Alinea, Gardner, Hutchings, Madrid, Ward.
- 2015 - 2016 **UBS Optimus Foundation.** Building evidence for prevention of child maltreatment in Tanzania: cluster randomised trial. CHF 299,820 (£240,079). Co-PI with Gardner, Wamoyi.
- 2012 - 2014 **Iifa Labantwana.** 'Reducing Abuse of Children in South Africa' Randomised Trial. R2,494,623 (£191,894). Co-I with Ward, Cluver, Gardner, Hutchings.

Selected research and policy advisory work

- 2021-pres Global Initiative to Support Parents; co-founder and steering committee member.
- 2016-pres World Health Organization; advisor for technical meeting for implementing INSPIRE: Seven Strategies for Ending Violence Against Children.
- 2020 World Health Organization; consultant on the development of a WHO guideline on parent training to prevent child maltreatment and promote optimal child development.
- 2020-2021 UNICEF Thailand; consultant on the embedding of positive parenting programmes within the national public health system
- 2019-2021 Clowns Without Borders South Africa; senior advisor and board member.
- 2019-2021 The Human Safety Net Foundation; expert reviewer for Scaling Grants Initiative.
- 2019 UNICEF Middle East and North African Regional Office; consultant on establishing a case for positive parenting programmes in the Middle East and North African region.
- 2018-2019 UNICEF East Asia Pacific Regional Office; consultant on review and analysis of lessons learnt from existing positive parenting programmes in East Asia and the Pacific.
- 2017-2020 UNICEF Malaysia; consultant to support the Malaysian government on the review and strengthening of parenting modules for the prevention and response to violence against children.
- 2016 UNICEF Egypt; consultant on scaling-up family strengthening and positive parenting initiatives.
- 2014 World Health Organization; advisor for technical working group on parent skills training for developmental disorders.

Selected awards

- 2022 NOAM Chomsky Global Connections Award
- 2022 Oxford University Vice Chancellor's Award for Innovation and Engagement
- 2021 United Kingdom Economic and Social Research Council Celebrating Impact Winner, Panel's Choice.
- 2021 O²RB Excellence in Impact Award for Scale-up of evidence-based parenting programmes for more than 193 million people during the COVID-19 pandemic
- 2021 Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry Best Paper Award from the Association of Child and Adolescent Mental Health
- 2020 Recognition Award, Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford
- 2018 Oxford Vice Chancellor's Innovation Award, Highly Commended
- 2018 University of Oxford ESRC Excellence in Impact Award

- 2015 Winner of the Barnett Prize for Best Paper, Department of Social Policy and Intervention, University of Oxford
- 2014 Bursary scholar at the Conference on Global WHO and University of Cambridge Global Violence Reduction Conference, Cambridge, United Kingdom
- 2014 Donald J. Cohen Fellowship recipient at the International Association for Child and Adolescent Psychiatry and Allied Professions (IACAPAP), Durban, South Africa
- 2011 Clarendon Fund Scholarship recipient, Oxford, United Kingdom
- 2011 Distinction, MSc in Evidence Based Social Intervention, University of Oxford
- 2010 Traphagen Distinguished Alumni Speaker Series, Yale University
- 1998 Distinction in Major, American Studies, Yale University
- 1998 Nominated for Senior Thesis Award in American Studies, Yale University

Graduate supervision and teaching

Completed (2023). Martin, Mackenzie. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis title: “Implementation science and the Parenting for Lifelong Health programme suite: The impact of programme facilitator competent adherence on programme outcomes.” University of Oxford.

Completed (2023). Backhaus, Sophia. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis title: “Who benefits the most? Unpacking parenting interventions to reduce the risk of child maltreatment: An effectiveness study using multi-method analyses of moderators.” University of Oxford.

Completed (2021). Fang, Zuyi. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis title: “Evaluation of a parent training programme for families of children with autism spectrum disorder in China: A mixed-methods quasi-experimental study.” University of Oxford.

Completed (2020). McCoy, Amalee. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis title: “Adaptation and feasibility pilot of an evidence-based parenting intervention within the Thai public health system to prevent violence against young children.” DPhil in Social Intervention. University of Oxford.

Completed (2020). Janowski, Roselinde. MA in Psychological Research. Thesis title: “Predictors of attendance and the impact of attendance on outcomes for a parenting programme in two Southeast Asian countries.” University of Cape Town.

Completed (2020). Martin, Mackenzie. MPhil in Evidence Based Social Intervention and Policy Evaluation . Thesis title: “Facilitator competent adherence and parenting programmes: A two-part systematic review and an initial psychometric evaluation of the Parenting for Lifelong Health for Young Children-Facilitator Assessment Tool.” University of Oxford.

Completed (2017). King’ori, Galal. MA in Sociology. Thesis title: “A cross-sectional study on the risk and protective factors associated with child depression in rural Shinyanga Region, Tanzania.” University of Glasgow.

Ongoing. Shafer, Moa. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis title: “Effect of parenting interventions on intimate partner violence in parents and caregivers of children aged 0-17 years in low- and middle-income countries.” University of Oxford.

Ongoing. Alexandra Blackwell. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis title: “Supporting adolescents and families in conflict settings: Exploring parenting interventions to prevent adolescent recruitment & support reintegration.” University of Oxford.

Ongoing. Kathleen Murphy. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis title: “The feasibility, acceptability, and preliminary outcomes of a positive parenting programme for street-connected parents in Eldoret, Kenya.” University of Oxford.

Ongoing. Stephanie Eagling-Peche. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis title: “What is the feasibility of a digital parenting intervention with refugee parents to reduce child maltreatment?” University of Oxford.

Ongoing. Aya Fujita. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis title: “What is the impact of parenting programmes on children living with disabilities?” University of Oxford.

Ongoing. Maria Ambrosio. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis title: “An Investigation of Differential Cultural Adaptation Strategies for the Acceptance of the Digital Parenting for Lifelong Health Program.” University of Oxford.

Ongoing. Francisco Calderon. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis Title: “In depth longitudinal analysis of the effects of parenting interventions on child maltreatment and child mental health.” University of Oxford.

Ongoing. Maxwell Klapow. DPhil in Experimental Psychology. Thesis Title: “Digital parent-led cognitive behavioral therapy-based intervention for young people internalizing disorders in low- and middle-income countries: design, development, and evaluation.” University of Oxford.

Ongoing. Hallam Cooper. DPhil in Social Intervention. Thesis Title: Parenting and pre-school children's learning in Malaysia: risk factors, interventions effects, and the wider LMIC context.” University of Oxford.

Ongoing, Vanisa Senesathith. MSc in Social Intervention. University of Oxford.

Publications in peer-reviewed journals

Total peer-review publications in peer-reviewed journals and books: 65; Manuscripts in preparation or review: 10

Journals include *The Lancet*, *The Lancet Child and Adolescent Health*, *The Lancet Regional Health-Western Pacific*, *BMJ Global Health*, *Journal of Child Psychology and Psychiatry*, *BMC Public Health*, *Prevention Science*, *Child Abuse & Neglect*, *Trauma Violence & Abuse*, *Journal of Adolescent Health*, *Health Policy & Technology Journal*, *Family Psychology Review*,

Citations (as of May 2024): Google Scholar h-index: 23; Scopus h-index: 17; i10-index: 35; Citations: 3006; <https://scholar.google.co.uk/citations?user=vGJagpAAAAAJ&hl=en>

1. Danila, I, Balazsi, R, Taut, D, Baban, A, Foran, H, Heinric, N, **Lachman, J.M.**, Hutchings, J. (2024). Linking child adjustment difficulties with mother’s maladaptive parental behavior: The mediating roles of parental cognitions and parenting stress. *Family Process*. (IF: 3.9)
2. Ambrosio, M. D. G., **Lachman, J. M.**, Zinzer, P., Gwebu, H., Vyas, S., Vallance, I., ... & Melendez-Torres, G. J. (2024). A factorial randomized controlled trial to optimize user engagement with a chatbot-led parenting intervention: protocol for the ParentText optimisation trial. *JMIR research protocols*, 13(1), e52145. <https://doi.org/10.2196/52145> (IF: 1.7)
3. Reyes, D. R. G., Jocson, R. M., Alampay, L. A., Mamauag, B. L., Reyes, J. C., **Lachman, J. M.** (2024). Evaluation of a brief online parenting training for community service providers in the Philippines. *Children and Youth Services Review*. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.childyouth.2024.107664> (IF: 3.3)
4. Cooper H., Nadzri F. Z. M., Vyas S., Juhari R., Ismail N., Arshat Z., Rajandiran D., Calderon F., Markle L., Vallance I., Melendez-Torres G.J., Facciola C., Senesathith V., Gardner F., & **Lachman J. M.** (2024). A hybrid digital parenting programme delivered within the Malaysian preschool system: Protocol for a feasibility study of a small scale cluster randomised factorial trial. *JMIR Research Protocols*. <https://doi.org/10.2196/55491> (IF: 1.7)
5. Han, Q., Jocson, R., Kunovski, I., Raleva, M., Juhari, R., Okop, K., Oppler, A., Wilson, K., Cirovic, T., Sacolo, H., Alampay, L. P., Eagling-Peche, S., Calderon, F., Vallance, I., Muharam, F., Chen, Y., & **Lachman, J. M.** (2024). The bidirectional temporal relationship between parenting stress and child maltreatment: a cross-lagged study based on intervention and cohort data. *Journal of Affective Disorders*. (IF: 6.6)
6. Siu, G., Nsubuga, N., **Lachman, J. M.**, Namutebi, C., Sekiwunga, R., Zalwango, F., Riddell, J., & Wight, D. (2024). The impact of the Parenting for Respectability program on violent parenting and intimate partner relationships in Uganda: A pre-post study. *PLOS One*. (IF: N/A).

7. Baerecke, L., Ornellas, A., Wamoyi, J. ... **Lachman, J. M.**, & Cluver, L. (2024). A hybrid digital parenting programme to prevent abuse of adolescents in Tanzania: study protocol for a pragmatic cluster-randomised controlled trial. *Trials* **25**, 119 (<https://doi.org/10.1186/s13063-023-07893-x> (IF: 2.5))
8. **Lachman, J. M.**, Juhari, R., Stuer, F., ... Landers, C. (2023). "Before I was like a Tarzan. But now, I take a pause": Mixed methods feasibility study of the Naungan Kasih parenting program to prevent violence against children in Malaysia *BMC Public Health* **23** (241). <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-023-15065-4> (IF: 4.5)
9. Zhang, H., Wang, W., & **Lachman, J. M.**, (2023). The efficacy of an evidence-based parenting program in preventing child maltreatment in mainland China. *Child Abuse & Neglect*. **147**. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chiabu.2023.106544> (IF: 4.8)
10. Fang, Z., Liu, X., Zhang, C., **Lachman, J. M.**, & Qiao, D. (2023). Parenting interventions promoting child protection and development for preschool-age children with developmental disabilities: A global systematic review and meta-analysis. *Trauma, Violence, & Abuse*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/15248380231207965> (IF: 6.4)
11. Cuartas, J., Bhatia, A., Carter, D., Cluver, L., Coll, C., Donger, E., **Lachman, J. M.**, ... & Seidel, F. (2023). Climate change is a threat multiplier for violence against children. *Child Abuse & Neglect*. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chiabu.2023.106430> (IF: 4.8)
12. Fang, Z., **Lachman, J. M.**, Qiao, D., & Barlow, J. (2023). How are parental mental health and parenting practices associated with externalizing behaviors among young children with autism in China? A cross-sectional study and indirect effect analysis. *Family Process*. Online First. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1111/famp.12940>. (IF: 3.9)
13. Schafer, M., **Lachman, J. M.**, Gardner, F. Zinser, P., Calderon, F., Han, Q., Facciola, C., Clements, L. (2023). Integrating intimate partner violence prevention content into a digital parenting chatbot intervention during COVID-19: Intervention development and remote data collection. *BMC Public Health* **23**, 1708. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-023-16649-w> (IF: 4.5)
14. Brühl, A., Ward, C. L., **Lachman, J. M.**, Foran, H. M., Raleva, M., Baban, A., & Heinrichs, N. (2023). Co-occurrence of intimate partner violence against mothers and maltreatment of their children with behavioral problems in eastern Europe. *Violence against Women*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/10778012231188090> (IF: 2.2)
15. Embleton, L., Murphy, K., Kirwa, S., Okal, E. O., Makori, D., Logie, C. H., Di Ruggiero, E., **Lachman, J. M.**, Ayuku, D., Braitstein, P. (2023). Factors influencing the implementation of evidence-based interventions with street-connected children and youth: Two case studies from Eldoret, Kenya. *Global Implementation Research and Applications*. **3**, 195-211. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s43477-023-00083-6>.
16. Janowski, R., Green, O., Shenderovich, Y., ... **Lachman, J. M.**, ... Cluver, L. (2023). Optimising engagement in a digital parenting intervention to prevent violence against adolescents in Tanzania: protocol for a cluster randomised factorial trial. *BMC Public Health* **23**, 1224. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-023-15989-x> (IF: 4.5)
17. Jocson, R, Alampay, L, P, **Lachman, J. M.**, Gardner, F, Maramba, D, Melgar, M, Ward, C, Madrid, B (2023). Pre-post mixed-methods study of a parent and teen support intervention to prevent violence against adolescents in the Philippines. *Journal of Adolescent Health* (IF: 7.6)
18. Backhaus, S,* Gardner, F,* Melendez-Torres, G. J., Schafer, M., Knerr, W., **Lachman, J. M.** (2023). WHO Guidelines on parenting interventions to prevent maltreatment and enhance parent-child relationships with children aged 0–17 years: Report of the Systematic Reviews of Evidence. *Geneva, WHO* * joint first authors.
19. Wang, W., Liu, S., Liang, Y., **Lachman, J. M.**, Fang, Z., & Zhang, H. (2023). Feasibility and acceptability of Parenting for Lifelong Health Program in Mainland China. *Research on Social Work Practice*, 10497315231174395. (IF: 1.8)
20. Martin, M, Steele, B, Spreckelsen, T. F., **Lachman, J. M.**, Gardner, F., Shenderovich., Y. (2023). The association between facilitator competent adherence and outcomes in parenting programs: A systematic review and SWiM analysis. *Prevention Science*. <http://doi.org/10.1007/s11121-023-01515-3> (IF: 3.5)
21. Waller, F, Prandstetter, F, Jansen, E, Nikolova, G, **Lachman, J. L.**, Foran, H. M. (2023). Screen media use and its associations with parental mental health, parenting, and ADHD among children from middle-income countries. *Family Relations*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/fare.12869> (IF: 2.2)
22. Martin, M, **Lachman, J.M.**, Murphy, H, Gardner, F, Foran, H. (2022). The development, reliability, and validity of the Facilitator Assessment Tool: An implementation fidelity measure used in Parenting for Lifelong Health for Young Children. *Child: Care, Health and Development*. **49** (3), 591-604. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1111/cch.13075> (IF: 1.9)

23. Martin, M., **Lachman, J. M.**, Murphy, H., Gardner, F., & Foran, H. (2022). The development, reliability, and validity of the Facilitator Assessment Tool: An implementation fidelity measure used in Parenting for Lifelong Health for Young Children.” *Journal of Child and Family Studies*. <http://doi.org/10.1111/cch.13075> (IF: 2.1)
24. Williams, M.E., Foran, H.M., Hutchings, J. Frantz, I., Taut, D., **Lachman, J. M.**, Ward, C. L., Heinrichs, N. (2022). Exploring factors associated with parent engagement in a parenting program in Southeastern Europe. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10826-022-02411-0> (IF: 2.1)
25. Shenderovich, Y., Sacolo-Gwebu, H., Fang, Z., **Lachman, J. M.**, & Ward, C. L. (2022). Adaptations and staff experiences in delivering parenting programmes and other family support services in three community-based organisations in Cape Town, South Africa during the COVID pandemic *Global Public Health*. <http://doi.org/10.1080/17441692.2022.2129725> (IF: 3.3)
26. Kaku, S. M., Sibeoni, J., **Lachman, J. M.**, Basheer, S., Chang, J. P., Dahanayake, D. M. A., Irrarazaval, M., Mapayi, B. M., Mejia, A., Orri, M., Jui-Goh, T., Uddin, S., & Vallance, I. (2022). Global child and adolescent mental health perspectives: Bringing change locally, while thinking globally. *Child and Adolescent Psychiatry and Mental Health*. <http://doi.org/10.1186/s13034-022-00512-8> (IF: 5.6)
27. Sherr, L., Mebrahtu, H., Mwaba, K., Nurova, N., Chetty, A. N., Swartz, A., Cluver, L., Roberts, K. S., **Lachman, J. M.** (2022). “Tipping the balance” – an evaluation of COVID-19 parenting resources developed and adapted for child protection during global emergency responses. *Health Psychology and Behavioral Medicine*. <http://doi.org/10.1080/21642850.2022.2104285> (IF: 2.7)
28. Prandstetter, K., Waller, F., Heinrichs, N., Hutchings, J., Ward, C. L., Dănilă, I., **Lachman, J. M.**, Foran, H. (2022). Measuring dysfunctional parenting: Psychometrics of three versions of the Parenting Scale. *Family Relations*. <http://doi.org/10.1111/fare.12732> (IF: 2.8)
29. Fang, Z., Cerna-Turoff, I., Zhang, C., Mengyao, L., **Lachman J. M.**, & Barlow, J. (2022). Worldwide estimates of violence against children with disabilities: An update of a systematic review and meta-analysis. *The Lancet Child and Adolescent Health*. [http://doi.org/10.1016/s2352-4642\(22\)00033-5](http://doi.org/10.1016/s2352-4642(22)00033-5) (IF: 36.4)
30. Fang, Z., **Lachman, J. M.**, Qiao, D., and Barlow, J. (2022). Controlled trial of a short-term intensive parent training program within the context of routine Services for autistic children in China. *Psychosocial Intervention*, 31(2), 121 - 131. <https://doi.org/10.5093/pi2022a9> (IF: 4.8)
31. Fang, Z., **Lachman, J. M.**, Zhang, C., Qiao, D., & Barlow, J. (2022). A virtuous circle: Stakeholder perspectives of a short-term intensive parent training programme delivered within the context of routine services for autism in China. *Autism*. <https://doi.org/10.1177/13623613211070869> (IF: 5.2)
32. **Lachman, J. M.**, Alampay, L. P., Jocson, R. M., Alinea, M. C. D., Madrid, B., Ward, C. L., Hutchings, J., ... Gardner, F. (2021). Effectiveness of a parenting programme to reduce violence in a cash transfer system in the Philippines: RCT with follow-up. *The Lancet Regional Health – Western Pacific*, 17, 100279. <https://doi.org/10.1111/famp.12625> (IF: 7.1)
33. Tăut, D., Băban, A., Frantz, I., Dănilă, I., **Lachman, J. M.**, Heinrichs, N., ... & Foran, H. (2021). Prevention of child mental health problems through parenting interventions in Southeastern Europe (RISE): Study protocol for a multi-site randomised controlled trial. *Trials*, 22(1), 1-18. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s13063-021-05817-1> (IF: 2.5)
34. Massarwi, A. A., Cluver, L., Meinck, F., Doubt, J., **Lachman, J. M.**, Shenderovich, Y., & Green, O. (2021). Mediation pathways for reduced substance use among parents in South Africa: A randomized controlled trial. *BMC Public Health*, 21, 1656. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-021-11651-6> (IF: 4.5)
35. Kruahong, N. & **Lachman, J. M.** (2021). What can good leadership do to support the digital revolution in health? *Health Policy & Technology Journal*. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.hlpt.2021.100579> (IF: 6.0)
36. Jansen, E., Frantz, I., Hutchings, J., **Lachman, J. M.**, Williams, M. E., Taut, D., . . . Foran, H. M. (2021). Preventing child mental health problems in southeastern Europe: Feasibility study (phase 1 of MOST framework). *Family Process*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/famp.12720> (IF: 3.9)
37. Murphy, K., Embleton, L., **Lachman, J. M.**, Owino, E. Kirwa, S., Makori, D., and Braitstein, P. (2021). “From Analog to Digital”: The feasibility, acceptability, and preliminary outcomes of a positive parenting program for street-connected mothers in Kenya. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 127, 106077. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chilyouth.2021.106077> (IF: 3.3)
38. McCoy A. **Lachman, J. M.**, Ward, C. L., Tapanya, S., Poomchaichote, T. Kelly, J., Mukaka, M., Cheah, P. Y., Gardner, F. (2021). Feasibility pilot of an adapted parenting program embedded within the Thai public health system. *BMC Public Health*, 21(1), 1-19. <https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-021-11081-4> (IF: 4.5)

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Lachman, J.M., Wamoyi, J., Martin, M., Han, Q., Calderon, F., Mgunga, S., Nydetabura, E., Manjengenga, N., Shenderovich, Y. Reducing family and school-based violence at scale in Tanzania: Results from a large-scale pre-post study of the Furaha Teens parenting programme. *In Submission*

Lachman, J. M., Fang, X., McCoy, A., Eagling-Peche, S., Melendez-Torres, G. J., Tapanya, S., & Gardner, F. Cost-effectiveness of embedding a parenting program within the Thai public health system to reduce violence against children. *In submission.*

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Mamaug, B. L., Alampay, L. A., Jocson, R. M., **Lachman, J. M.**, Madrid, B. J., Hutchings, J., Ward, C. L., & Gardner, F. Reducing child maltreatment in Filipino families: Mediators of parenting program effect. *In submission.*

Murphy, H, **Lachman, J. M.**, Heinrichs, N, Gardner, F, Foran, H (2023) Evaluating the measurement Characteristics of the Parenting of Young Children Scale (PARYC) Among Primary Caregivers From Six Countries. *In review.*

Gardner, F., Knerr, W., **Lachman, J. M.**, Melendez-Torres, G. J., Riddell, J., ^bMcCoy, A. R., . . . Wight, D. Parenting for preventing risk of child maltreatment in low- and middle-income countries: Updated systematic review and meta-analysis. *In preparation.*

Wamoyi, J., Martin, M., Shenderovich, Y., Mugunga, S., Manjengenga, N., Ndetyabura, E., & **Lachman, J. M.** Implementers' experiences of delivering a parenting programme at scale: Lessons learned from the scale-up of Parenting for Lifelong Health-Teens to reduce violence against children in Tanzania. *In review.*

Gardner, F., McCoy, A., **Lachman, J. M.**, Melendez-Torres, G. J., Tapanya, S., and Ward, C. Effectiveness of a parenting program embedded within the public health system in Thailand: Results from a randomized controlled trial. *In review.*

McCoy, A., **Lachman, J. M.**, Sim, A., Tapanya, S., Ward, C., and Gardner, F. Fine-tuning cultural and contextual adaptation: Findings from a formative evaluation of an evidence-based parenting intervention to prevent violence against young children in Thailand. *In review.*

Martin, M., **Lachman, J. M.**, Gardner, F., Calderon, F., Han, Q., Shenderovich, Y., Ndyetabura, E., Manjengenga, N., & Wamoyi, J. Assessing the delivery of parenting program facilitators at scale in Tanzania: A psychometric evaluation of an observational measure of competent adherence. *In submission.*

Invited presentations

Lachman, J.M., *ARNEC Regional Conference on Early Childhood Development.* Panel discussion moderator on parenting and innovation. Attended with Parenting for Lifelong Health and Global Initiative to Support Parents. May 2024

Lachman, J.M., *Optimizing Engagement and Effectiveness of a Hybrid Chatbot-led Parenting Intervention for Low-Income parents of Adolescent Girls to Reduce Risks Associated with Physical, emotional, and Sexual Violence in South Africa.* Presented at ISRII, Limerick, June 2024

Lachman, J. M., *Optimisation of a parenting programme to reduce behaviour problems in young children in three Southeastern European countries.* Invited talk for New York University at the Center for Advancement and Dissemination of Intervention and Optimisation (CADIO) November 2023

Lachman, J. M., Fang, Z. *Parenting for Lifelong Health: Providing evidence-based playful parenting support for every parent, everywhere.* Invited talk for China Development and Research Foundation, Beijing, October 2023.

Lachman, J. M., *Testing and Scaling digital and human-digital Parenting Support to reduce violence against children and improve child learning outcomes in the Global South.* Invited seminar for the Oxford Children's Rights Network, Oxford, May 2023.

Lachman, J. M. *Parenting for Lifelong Health (PLH): Programmes to prevent child abuse and other forms of Violence.* Invited talk for Caixa Foundation, Barcelona, March 2023.

Lachman, J. M. *Every parent, everywhere: Taking parenting support to scale to reduce violence against children and improve child wellbeing.* Invited keynote at Home-Start Worldwide Global Conference, Malta, November 2022.

Lachman, J. M., Cluver, L. *COVID-19 Parenting Emergency Response*. Invited talk at ESRC UKRI, remote, November 2022

Lachman, J. M., *Stitching a parachute in free-fall: Lessons learned during early-stage implementation and piloting of remotely delivered playful parenting programmes*. Invited talk at ChildFund International, remote, September 2022.

Lachman, J. M., McCoy, A., Gardner, F., Thakur, S. *Parenting programmes during early childhood: Effectiveness, scale-up, and sustainability in the East Asia and Pacific Region*. Invited talk at the UNICEF East Asia and Pacific Region learning group, 07 June 2022.

Lachman, J. M. *Providing freely available evidence-based parenting support on a systemic level to reduce violence against children and improve child wellbeing*. Invited keynote at JUCONI Fundación Congreso Internacional, Puebla, Mexico, June 2022.

Lachman, J. M. and Cluver, L. *Improving engagement and impact of in-person and digital parenting programmes in the Global South*. Invited talk for Behavioural Insights Team at the Social Change UK in London, 08 November 2021.

Lachman, J. M. and Ward, C. *Parenting for Lifelong Health: Effective, free parenting programmes for everyone, everywhere*. Invited symposium at the International Society for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect World Summit, 06 November 2021.

Lachman, J. M. *From thousands to millions: Harnessing digital and hybrid approaches to provide evidence-based playful parenting support for families during the COVID-19 pandemic*. Keynote presentation at the Child and Adolescent Research Network Conference in Christ Church, New Zealand, 02 November 2021.

Lachman, J. M. *Moving from projects to integrated positive parenting programmes from 0-18: Lessons from the region and COVID-19*. Keynote presentation at the Second Regional Conference to Strengthen Implementation of INSPIRE Strategies to End Violence Against Children During COVID-19 and Beyond, Bangkok, Thailand, 02 November 2021.

Lachman, J. M. *Digital dreams: Reaching millions of children in a global pandemic*. Invited session at the LEGO Foundation Ideas Conference, Virtual, 12 October 2021.

Lachman, J. M., Schafer, M., and Cluver, L. *Parenting for Lifelong Health-Digital and the integration of IPV-prevention and assessment*. Invited webinar with Prevention Collaborative, *Lessons from Virtual Violence Prevention and Response Programmes*. Virtual, 22 September 2021.

Lachman, J. M. *It's all about the evidence*. Invited presentation at the 20th Annual International Mental Health Conference in Bangkok, Thailand, 07 July 2021.

Lachman, J. M. *Innovate! Accelerate! Evaluate! Harnessing implementation science to inform the evaluation of an inter-agency scale-up of parenting resources during COVID-19*. Invited webinar with the Global Implementation Society, 08 June 2021.

Lachman, J. M. *Parenting for Lifelong Health: Moving to digital*. Invited keynote speech at The Human Safety Net NetWorks Annual Meeting: Driving Impact and Resilience, 23 March, 2021.

Lachman, J. M. *Parenting in the time of COVID-19: Insights from an inter-agency global response*. Asian Regional Network for Early Childhood Webinar No. 3 Focus on Responsive Caregiving, 10 March 2021.

Lachman, J. M. and Cluver, L. C. *Parenting support programs and scale-up in the time of COVID-19*. INSPIRE Webinar Series on Parenting in Geneva, 02 March 2021.

Lachman, J. M., *Optimizing Parenting Programs in Low- and Middle-Income Countries to Maintain Quality Implementation and Effectiveness at Scale*. Invited Lecture at Grants and Sponsored Research Initiative (GRIT) Seminar Series, Research Program on Children and Adversity, Boston College School of Social Work. January 2020: Boston, USA.

Lachman, J. M., *It's Time to Grow Up! Taking Early Childhood Interventions to Scale: Challenges and Opportunities*. Invited keynote speech at the 1st Annual Meeting of the Swiss Society for Research in Early Childhood. November 2019: Lucerne, Switzerland.

Lachman, J. M., *The ABCs of Positive Parenting at Scale*. Closing keynote speech at the LEGO Ideas Conference on Unlocking the Power of Parenting. April 2019: Billund, Denmark.

Lachman, J. M. *Getting the Most Bang for Your Buck: Optimizing ECD Interventions at Scale*. Keynote speech at the 6th Annual UBS Philanthropy Day. October 2018, Lugano, Switzerland.

Lachman, J. M. *Maintaining Quality Implementation and Effectiveness of Parenting Programmes at Scale.* Keynote speech at International Conference on the Family: Parenting, Child Wellbeing, and Development, organized by the Doha International Family Institute. October 2018: Doha, Qatar.

Lachman, J. M., Alampay, L. P., Landoy, B. N., Madrid, B., Ward., C., Hutchings, J., and Gardner, F. *Parenting for Lifelong Health (PLH) – Philippines: Cultural adaptation and pilot evaluation of the Masayang Pamilya Para sa Batang Pilipino (MaPa) Program.* Plenary paper presented at the Ako Para Sa Bata International Conference on the Science and Art of Parenting Children Today. December 2017: Manila, Philippines.

Lachman, J. M., Cluver, L., and Ward., C. *Parenting for Lifelong Health Among Adolescents: Reducing violence against children and improving adolescent wellbeing in low- and middle-income countries through evidence-informed parenting programs.* Paper presented at the Ako Para Sa Bata International Conference on the Science and Art of Parenting Children Today. December 2017: Manila, Philippines.

Selected conference presentations

Lachman, J. M. and Cluver, L. C. Parenting in the times of COVID-19: Moving to digital. The 4th Biennial National Conference on Adolescent Health in Moldova, 27 November 2020.

Lachman, J. M., Knerr, W., Gardner, F., Melendez-Torres, G. J., Riddell, J., McCoy, A., Fang, Z., Wight, D. Parenting programmes for preventing the risk of child maltreatment and harsh parenting in low- and middle-income countries: A systematic review and meta-analysis. Paper presented at the 23rd World Congress of Social Psychiatry in Bucharest, Romania, 25-28 October 2019.

Lachman, J. M. Parenting interventions and violence prevention across the world. Presentation as part of a symposium on Developing a National Parenting Agenda: Consensus Building on Evidence, Policymaking, Advocacy, and Scale-Up at the Sexual Violence Research Initiative Forum 2019 in Cape Town, South Africa, 21-15 October 2019.

Lachman, J. M., Knerr, W., Gardner, F., Melendez-Torres, G. J., Riddell, J., McCoy, A., Fang, Z., Wight, D. (21-25 October 2019). *Parenting programmes for preventing the risk of child maltreatment and harsh parenting in low- and middle-income countries: A systematic review and meta-analysis.* Paper presented at the Sexual Violence Research Initiative Forum 2019, Cape Town, South Africa.

Lachman, J. M., Williams, M., Hutchings, J., Jansen, E., Foran, H., Franz, I., Baban, A., Babii, V., Fang, X., Gajdadzis-Knezhevikj, S., Gardner, F., Lesco, G., Raleva, M., Taut, D., Ward, C. L., Heinrichs, N. (May 2019). *Feasibility Study of the Parenting for Lifelong Health for Young Children Program in Three South-Eastern European Countries.* Paper presented at the Society for Prevention Research 2019 Annual Meeting, San Francisco, United States.

Lachman, J. M., Alampay, L. P., Alinea, C. D., Madrid, B., Hutchings, J., Ward, C. L., Landoy, B. V. N., Garilao, M. A. V. F., Jocson, R., M., Reyes, J., Gardner, F. (April 2019). *Integrating parent management training within a conditional cash transfer system for low-income families: Results from a small-scale randomized controlled trial in the Philippines.* Paper presented at the Society for Research on Child Development Biennial Meeting, Baltimore, Maryland.

Lachman, J. M., Alampay, L. P., Landoy, B. V. N., Garilao, M. A. V. F., Madrid, B., Ward, C. L., Hutchings, J., Gardner, F. (July 2018). *Randomised controlled trial of a parenting intervention to reduce child maltreatment in low-income Filipino families with children ages 2 to 6.* Paper presented at the 25th Biennial Meeting of the International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development, Gold Coast, Queensland, Australia.

Lachman, J. M., Heinrichs, N., Foran, H., Baban, A., Fang, X., Gardner, F., Hutchings, J., Lesco, G., Raleva, M., Ward, C. L. (June 2018). *The Multiphase Optimization Strategy (MOST) As an Innovative and Efficient Framework to Optimize Parenting Interventions for Scalability in Low- and Middle-Income Countries.* Paper presented at the Society for Prevention Research 2018 Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., United States. Abstract of distinction.

Lachman, J. M., Alampay, L. P., Landoy, B. V. N., Garilao, M. A. V. F., Madrid, B., Ward, C. L., Hutchings, J., Gardner, F. (June 2018). *Integrating parent management training within a conditional cash transfer system for low-income Filipino families with children ages 2 to 6: Results from a small-scale randomized controlled trial in Metro Manila.* Paper presented at the Society for Prevention Research 2018 Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., United States.

Lachman, J. M., Parra-Cardona, J. R., Baumann, A., Mejia, A., Lopez, G., Domenech-Rodriguez, M., *Parenting programs for underserved populations: Issues of science, social justice, and adversity.* (June 2018).

Paper presented at the Society for Prevention Research 2018 Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., United States. Abstract of distinction.

Parra-Cardona, J. R., **Lachman, J. M.**, Baumann, A., Mejia, A., Lopez, G., Domenech-Rodriguez, M., *Parenting programs for underserved populations: Issues of science, social justice, and adversity.* (June 2018). Paper presented at the Society for Prevention Research 2018 Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., United States. Abstract of distinction.

Lachman, J. M., Wamoyi, J., Maganga, J., Spreckelsen, T., Wight, D. Gardner, F. (October 2017). *Combining agribusiness and skillful parenting to reduce the risk of violence against children in rural Tanzania: A small-scale cluster randomized controlled trial.* Paper presented at the Aga Khan University 2nd International Conference of the Institute for Human Development, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania.

Lachman, J. M., Wamoyi, J., Maganga, J., Spreckelsen, T., Wight, D. Gardner, F. (September 2017). *Combining agribusiness and skillful parenting to reduce the risk of violence against children in rural Tanzania: A small-scale cluster randomized controlled trial.* Paper presented at the International Society for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect 15th European Regional Conference, The Hague, Netherlands.

Lachman, J. M., Wamoyi, J., Maganga, J., Spreckelsen, T., Wight, D. Gardner, F. (June 2017). *Combining agribusiness and skillful parenting to reduce the risk of violence against children in rural Tanzania: A small-scale cluster randomized controlled trial.* Paper presented at the Society for Prevention Research 2017 Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., United States.

Lachman, J. M., Mukadah, N., Doubt, J., Loening-Vorse, H., Meinck, F., Cluver, L., Ward, C., Tomlinson, M., Hutchings, J., Mikton, C., Gardner, F. (June 2017). *Putting the horse before the cart? Negotiating tensions between the need for evidence and the demand for dissemination of parenting programs to reduce violence against children in low- and middle-income countries.* Paper presented at the Society for Prevention Research 2017 Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., United States.

Lachman, J. M., Doubt, J., Loening-Vorse, H., Meinck, F., Cluver, L., Ward, C., Tomlinson, M., Hutchings, J., Mikton, C., Cooper, P., Murray, L., Gardner, F. (August 2016). *Putting the horse before the cart? Negotiating tensions between the need for evidence and the demand for dissemination of parenting programs to reduce violence against children in low- and middle-income countries.* Paper presented at the ISPCAN International Congress for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect, Calgary, Canada.

Ward, C., **Lachman, J. M.**, Wessels, I., Cluver, L., Gardner, F., Hutchings, J., Kassanjee, R., Little, F. (August 2016). *Preventing child maltreatment and child conduct problems in LMIC: A randomised controlled trial of parenting for lifelong health (PLH) for parents of children aged 2-9.* Paper presented at the ISPCAN International Congress for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect, Calgary, Canada.

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