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EDUCATION

University of Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium Ph.D. of the Social Sciences : Communication Studies <i>Supervisors:</i> dr. Michel Walrave & dr. Koen Ponnet <i>Dissertation title:</i> Sexting and cyber dating abuse among adolescents : unraveling the social, relational and individual antecedents	2017
University of Leuven, Leuven, Belgium Master of Communication Sciences (Master of Science) (MSc.) Magna cum laude	2014
University of Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium Master of Arts in Linguistics and Literature: Dutch (M.A.) Greatest distinction	2011
University of Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium Bachelor of Linguistics and Literature: Dutch-German Distinction	2010

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

MIOS, University of Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium Postdoctoral researcher (Research Foundation - Flanders)¹	2018 - current
MIOS, University of Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium Ph.D. researcher (Ph.D. fellowship – Research Foundation – Flanders)	2015 - 2018
BHAR, Dep. OB/Gyn, University of Texas Medical Branch (UTMB), Galveston, TX Visiting scholar - 4 month research project (Fulbright)	2016 - 2017
MIOS, University of Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium Ph.D. researcher (Ph.D.-project – Research Fund University of Antwerp)	2014 - 2015
MIOS & Didactica, University of Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium Researcher Mediawijs.be (50%) and Media Didactica (50%)	2013
CliPS, University of Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium Student-researcher at news reception research project for Public Television	2012

¹ The Research Foundation – Flanders is the Belgian equivalent of NSF or NIH. For more information, please visit: <https://www.fwo.be/en/>

RESEARCH AWARDS AND HONORS

November 2019: *National Communication Association (NCA), Interpersonal Communication Division*: Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award, Baltimore, MD.

November 2019: *University of Antwerp, Research Council*: Research Council Award 2019, Antwerp, Belgium. The Research Council Awards are awarded every two years to a “successful, young postdoctoral researcher for his/her exceptional contribution to the scientific field”. At the university-level, one researcher is selected within one of the three scientific domains: 1) exact and applied sciences; 2) medicine and biomedical sciences; 3) social sciences and humanities. I was selected for this biennial award within the latter category by an independent jury who reviews each of the applicants and may call on external experts to reach a decision.

November 2018: *National Communication Association (NCA)*: Gerald R. Miller Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award, Salt Lake City, UT.

April 2015: *LINC vzw*: Digital Week e-inclusion award - third place in the category Innovation for the research project Media Didactica.

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS IN ENGLISH

NOTE: Papers currently under review, including “revise and resubmit” are not listed. 28 of the 36 articles appeared in journals with impact factor (indexed in the Web of Science). Some of the publications are in press or ‘online first’ and may therefore not yet be visible in the index at the time of writing.

Citations in Google Scholar: 972 / h-index: 17 / i-10-index: 23

*indicates that the co-author was an advisee

1. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2019). An exploratory study of transactional sexting among high school students. *Journal of Adolescent Health*, Online Ahead of Print. (2018 IF – 3.957)
2. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., De Marez, L., Van Damme, K., De Wolf, R., Baccarne, B., Vanhaelewyn, B., & Ponnet, K. (2019). Concise Report: Teenage sexting on the rise? Results of a cohort study using a weighted-sample of adolescents. *Sexual Health*, accepted – in press. (2018 IF - 1.421)
3. Choi, H., Mori, C., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Madigan, S., & Temple, J.R. (2019). Adolescent Sexting Involvement Over Four Years and Associations with Sexual Activity. *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 65(6), 738-744. (2018 IF – 3.957)
4. Vanwesenbeeck, I., Symons, K., Walrave, M., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Ponnet, K. (2019). Parent-Child Communication about Internet Use and Acceptance of Parental Authority. *Journal of Broadcasting & Electronic Media*, accepted – in press. (2018 IF – 1.917)
5. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2019). An exploratory study of sexting behaviors among heterosexual and sexual-minority early adolescents. *Journal of Adolescent Health*, 65(5), 621-626. (2018 IF – 3.957)
6. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K., Willems, A-S.*, Van Dam, M.* (2019). Adolescents' perceptions of digital media's potential to elicit jealousy, conflict and monitoring behaviors within romantic relationships. *Cyberpsychology: Journal of Psychosocial Research on Cyberspace*, 13(3), article 3. (2018 IF: 1.174)
7. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Lu, Y., Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & Temple, J. R. (2019). Longitudinal associations between sexting, cyberbullying, and bullying among adolescents: Cross-lagged panel analysis. *Journal of Adolescence*, 73, 36-41. (2018 IF – 2.350)
8. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2019). Sexting within adolescents' romantic relationships: How is it related to perceptions of love and verbal conflict? *Computers in Human Behavior*, 97, 216-221. (2018 IF – 4.306)
9. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Madigan, S., Ponnet, K., Walrave, M., & Temple, J. R. (2019). Adolescent Sexting: Myths, Facts, and Advice. *NASN School Nurse*, 34(6), 345-350.
10. Symons, K., Vanwesenbeeck, I., Walrave, M., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Ponnet, K. (2019). Parents' Concerns Over Internet Use, Their Engagement in Interaction Restrictions, and Adolescents' Behavior on Social Networking Sites. *Youth & Society*, Online Ahead of Print. (2018 IF – 2.523)

11. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2018). Adolescent Sexting Research. The Challenges Ahead. *JAMA Pediatrics*, *172*(5), 405-406. (2018 IF - 12.004)
12. Madigan S., Ly A., Rash C.L., **Van Ouytsel J.**, & Temple J.R. (2018) Prevalence of Multiple Forms of Sexting Behavior Among Youth - A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. *JAMA Pediatrics*, *172*(4), 327-335. (2018 IF - 12.004)
13. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., Lu, Y., Temple, J. R., & Ponnet, K. (2018). The Associations between Substance Use, Sexual Behavior, Deviant Behaviors and Adolescents' Engagement in Sexting: Does Relationship Context Matter? *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, *47*(11), 2353-2370. (2018 IF – 3.259)
14. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (2018). Cyber Dating Abuse Victimization Among Secondary School Students From a Lifestyle-Routine Activities Theory Perspective. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*, *33*(17), 2767-2776. (2018 IF – 3.064)
15. Lu, Y., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & Temple, J. R. (2018). Cross-sectional and temporal associations between cyber dating abuse victimization and mental health and substance use outcomes. *Journal of Adolescence*, *65*, 1-5. (2018 IF – 2.350)
16. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (2017). Cyber Dating Abuse: Investigating Digital Monitoring Behaviors Among Adolescents From a Social Learning Perspective. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*. Online ahead of print, 1-22. (2017 IF – 2.443)
17. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., Walrave, M., & d'Haenens, L. (2017). Adolescent sexting from a social learning perspective. *Telematics and Informatics*, *34*(1), 287-298. (2017 IF – 3.789).
18. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (2017). The associations of adolescents' dating violence victimization, well-being and engagement in risk behaviors. *Journal of Adolescence*, *55*, 66-71. (2017 IF – 1.865)
19. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Torres, E., Choi, H. J., Ponnet, K., Walrave, M., & Temple, J. R. (2017). The Associations Between Substance Use, Sexual Behaviors, Bullying, Deviant Behaviors, Health, and Cyber Dating Abuse Perpetration. *The Journal of School Nursing*, *33*(2), 116-122. (2017 IF – 1.446)
20. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Van Gool, E., Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & Peeters, E.* (2017). Sexting: Adolescents' Perceptions of the Applications Used for, Motives for, and Consequences of Sexting. *Journal of Youth Studies*, *20*(4), 446-470. (2016 IF – 1.440)
21. Choi, H., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Temple, J. R. (2016). Association between sexting and sexual coercion among female adolescents. *Journal of Adolescence*, *53*, 164-168. (2016 IF – 1.795)
22. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., Walrave, M., & Temple, J. R. (2016). Adolescent cyber dating abuse victimization and its associations with substance use, and sexual behaviors. *Public Health*, *135*, 147-151. (2016 IF – 1.538)
23. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Van Gool, E., Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & Peeters, E.* (2016). Exploring the role of social networking sites within adolescent romantic relationships and dating experiences. *Computers in Human Behavior*, *55*, Part A, 76-86. (2016 IF – 3.435)
24. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & Temple, J. R. (2016). Digital forms of dating violence: what School Nurses Need to Know. *NASN School Nurse*, *31*(6), 348-353.
25. Meeus, W., T'Sas, J., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Driesen, A., & Janssenswillen, P. (2016). Challenging versus protecting in a mediatized society: A media-wise decision process. *Media Education Research Journal*, *7*(2), 103-120.
26. Heirman, W., Walrave, M., Vermeulen, A., Ponnet, K., Vandebosch, H., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Van Gool, E. (2016). An open book on Facebook? Examining the interdependence of adolescents' privacy regulation strategies. *Behaviour & Information Technology*, *35*(9), 706-719. (2016 IF – 1.388)
27. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & Heirman, W. (2015). The Association Between Adolescent Sexting, Psychosocial Difficulties, and Risk Behavior: Integrative Review. *The Journal of School Nursing*, *31*(1), 54-69. (2015 IF – 0.932)
28. Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Van Gool, E., Heirman, W., & Verbeek, A. (2015) Whether or not to engage in sexting: Explaining adolescent sexting behaviour by applying the prototype willingness model. *Telematics and Informatics*, *32*(4), 796-808. (2015 IF – 2.261)

29. Van Gool, E., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (2015). To share or not to share? Adolescents' self-disclosure about peer relationships on Facebook: An application of the Prototype Willingness Model. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 44, 230-239. (2015 IF - 2.880)
30. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Vandebosch, H. (2015). Correlates of Cyberbullying and How School Nurses Can Respond. *NASN School Nurse*, 30(3), 162-170.
31. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (2014). The Associations Between Adolescents' Consumption of Pornography and Music Videos and Their Sexting Behavior. *Cyberpsychology, Behavior, and Social Networking*, 17(12), 772-778. (2014 IF - 2.182)
32. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Van Gool, E., Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (2014). Brief report: The association between adolescents' characteristics and engagement in sexting. *Journal of Adolescence*, 37(8), 1387-1391. (2014 IF - 1.957)
33. Meeus, W., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Driesen, A., & T'Sas, J. (2014). Media Didactica : a media literacy reference framework for learners, teachers and teacher educators. *MerzWissenschaft*, 58(6), 41-49.
34. Meeus, W., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Driesen, A., & T'Sas, J. (2014). Media literacy in the digital age : how to benefit from media use while protecting against harm : an overview of competencies needed by learners, teachers and teacher educators using "media didactica". *Journal of Didactics*, 5(1-2), 64-79.
35. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2014). How Schools Can Help Their Students to Strengthen Their Online Reputations. *The Clearing House: A Journal of Educational Strategies, Issues and Ideas*, 87(4), 180-185.
36. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Van Gool, E. (2014). Sexting: Between Thrill and Fear - How Schools Can Respond. *The Clearing House: A Journal of Educational Strategies, Issues and Ideas*, 87(5), 204-212.

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS IN DUTCH OR GERMAN

1. Gebbers, T., & **Van Ouytsel, J.** (2017). „Zeig mir, was du hast!“ – Was steckt hinter dem Teilen von „sexy Selfies“ und welche Risiken und Chancen birgt das sogenannte Sexting unter Jugendlichen? [‘Show me what you got’ – What is behind the sharing of ‘sexy selfies’ and which risks are associated with so-called sexting among young people?] *In-Mind - The Inquisitive Mind - Deutschland*, 7(4/2017), 1-3. (In German)
2. Meeus, W., T'Sas, J., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Driesen, A. (2016). Kritisch Mediaonderwijs: Een Gat in de Markt. [Critical media literacy education: a gap in the market] *Pedagogiek: wetenschappelijk forum voor opvoeding, onderwijs en vorming [Pedagogy: scientific forum for education, teaching and formation]*, 36(1), 91-102. (In Dutch)
3. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Meeus, W., Walrave, M., & Driesen, A. (2014). Kinderen en jongeren kritisch leren omgaan met reclame : het aanbod en de kwaliteit van reclameopvoedingspakketten. [Teaching children and young people to critically engage with advertising: the availability and quality of advertising literacy education]. *Pedagogiek: wetenschappelijk forum voor opvoeding, onderwijs en vorming [Pedagogy: scientific forum for education, teaching and formation]*, 34(2), 123-149. (In Dutch)
4. T'Sas, J., Meeus, W., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Driesen, A. (2014). Media Didactica: een referentiekader voor mediawijsheid in de lerarenopleiding. [The use of Media Didactica as a media literacy framework in teacher education] *Tijdschrift voor Lerarenopleiders [Journal for Teacher Educators]*, 35(4), 93-106. (In Dutch)
5. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., Heirman, W., & d'Haenens, L. (2014). Prevalentie van sexting bij Vlaamse jongeren : een verkennende studie. [The prevalence of sexting in Flemish youth : an exploratory study] *Tijdschrift voor orthopedagogiek, kinderpsychiatrie en klinische kindpsychologie [Journal for orthopedagogy, child psychiatry and clinical child psychology]*, 39(4), 114-126. (In Dutch)
6. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Vandebosch, H., Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2014). Cyberpesten : hoeveel komt het voor en wat kunnen scholen ertegen doen? [Cyberbullying: what is its prevalence and what can schools do about it?] *4W : weten wat werkt en waarom : wetenschappelijk tijdschrift over opbrengsten en werking van ict in het onderwijs*, 4, 6-13. (In Dutch)

LETTER TO THE EDITOR IN A JOURNAL INCLUDED IN THE ISI WEB OF SCIENCE

Van Ouytsel, J. (2019). A decade of sexting research - Are we any wiser? *JAMA Pediatrics*. Online ahead of print (2018 IF – 12.004).

Madigan, S., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Temple, J. R. (2018). Nonconsensual sexting and the role of sex differences—reply. *JAMA Pediatrics* (2018 IF – 12.004).

PEER-REVIEWED BOOKS AS EDITOR

Walrave, M., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Temple, J. R. (2018). *Sexting. Motives and risk in online sexual self-presentation*. Series: Palgrave Studies in Cyberpsychology. Hampshire, UK & New York, NY: Palgrave Macmillan.

BOOKS

1. Walrave, M., & **Van Ouytsel, J.** (2014). *Mediawijs online: jongeren en sociale media*. [Media literacy online: youth and social media] Leuven: LannooCampus. (In Dutch)²
2. Driesen, A., Meeus, W., T'Sas, J., & **Van Ouytsel, J.** (2014). *Mediawijs met Media Didactica. Ontwikkelingsinstrument voor lerenden, leraren en lerarenopleiders*. [Media literacy with Media didactica: Development tool for learners, teachers and teacher educators] Brugge: die Keure. (In Dutch)
3. **Van Ouytsel, J.** (2012). Dialectverlies of dialectrevival? Actueel taalgedrag in Vlaanderen. [Dialect loss or Dialect Revival? Current language use in Flanders] Gent: Academia Press. (In Dutch)

BOOK CHAPTERS

1. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2020 – accepted; in press). Social Media and Risk. In J. Van den Bulck (Ed.), *The International Encyclopedia of Media Psychology*. Wiley Blackwell.
2. Walrave, M., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Ponnet, K. (2020 – accepted; in press). Agression Through Mobile Communication: Unraveling its Motives and Consequences. In R. Ling, L. Fortunati, G. Goggin, S. Sun Lim & Y. Li (Hrsg.), *The Oxford handbook of mobile communication and society*. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press.
3. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & Temple, J. R. (2019). Sexting. In R. Hobbs & P. Mihailidis (Eds.), *The International Encyclopedia of Media Literacy*. Wiley Blackwell.
4. De Kimpe, L., Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & **Van Ouytsel, J.** (2019). Internet Safety. In R. Hobbs & P. Mihailidis (Eds.), *The International Encyclopedia of Media Literacy*. Wiley Blackwell.
5. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & Temple, J. R. (2018). Sexting. In T. K. Shackelford & V. A. Weekes-Shackelford (Eds.), *Encyclopedia of Evolutionary Psychological Science*. Springer International Publishing.
6. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2018). A Nuanced Account: Why Do Individuals Engage in Sexting? In M. Walrave, J. Van Ouytsel, K. Ponnet, & J. R. Temple (Eds.), *Sexting: Motives and risk in online sexual self-presentation* (pp. 39-51). Cham: Springer International Publishing.
7. Vanwesenbeeck, I., Ponnet, K., Walrave, M., & **Van Ouytsel, J.** (2018). Parents' Role in Adolescents' Sexting Behaviour. In M. Walrave, J. Van Ouytsel, K. Ponnet, & J. R. Temple (Eds.), *Sexting: Motives and risk in online sexual self-presentation* (pp. 63-80). Cham: Springer International Publishing.
8. Walrave, M., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Temple, J. R. (2018). Sharing and Caring? The Role of Social Media and Privacy in Sexting Behaviour. In M. Walrave, J. Van Ouytsel, K. Ponnet, & J. R. Temple (Eds.), *Sexting: Motives and risk in online sexual self-presentation* (pp. 1-17). Cham: Springer International Publishing.

² After its publication, this book was selected by the Department of Education for distribution in all 1200 Dutch-language secondary schools in order to promote media literacy. Over 2200 copies of the book were sold. The book was peer-reviewed by other experts in line with internationally accepted standards (for procedures, see: <https://www.gprc.be/en/content/what-gprc>).

9. Walrave, M., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Zarouali, B., Ponnet, K., & Poels, K. (2015). Reclamewijsheid 2.0: Hoe kinderen en jongeren omgaan met sociale media marketing. [Advertising literacy 2.0.: How children and young people interact with social media marketing] In E. Lievens, E. Wauters, & P. Valcke (Eds.), *Sociale Media Anno 2015: Actuele Juridische Aspecten* [Social media in 2015: current legal aspects] (pp. 43-69). Morsel: Intersentia. (In Dutch)

NON-REFEREED JOURNAL AND MAGAZINE ARTICLES FOR BROAD AUDIENCES

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2. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2018). Sexting bij adolescenten: kansen en risico's. [Sexting among adolescents: opportunities and risks] *Neuron*, 23(5), 14-17. (In Dutch)
3. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2017). Offline en digitale vormen van relationeel geweld bij tieners. [Offline and digital forms of dating violence among teenagers] *Welwijs: wisselwerking onderwijs en welzijnswerk*, 28(1), 23-25. (In Dutch)
4. Meeus, W., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, T'Sas, J., & Driesen, A. (2017). Ook mediawijze leerlingen vangen Pokémons. [Media literate students are catching Pokémons too] *IMPULS voor onderwijsbegeleiding*, 47(4), 156-157. (In Dutch)
5. T'Sas, J., Meeus, W., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Driesen, A. (2017). Leerlingen beter begeleiden bij mediawijze uitdagingen. Een referentiekader voor leerlingbegeleiders. [How to help students with media literacy challenges. A reference framework for school counselors] *Zorgbreed. Tijdschrift voor integrale leerlingzorg*, 54(2), 26-33. (In Dutch)
6. Meeus, W., T'Sas, J., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Driesen, A. (2016). Hoe weerbaar zijn leerlingen tegenover de media-industrie? Een verwaarloosd stukje mediawijsheid. [How can students be critical towards the media-industry? An aspect of media literacy that is often neglected] *Hermes. Tijdschrift voor geschiedenis*, 59, 62-73. (In Dutch)
7. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (2015). Like it or not? Hoe sociale media hun intrede doen op school [Like it or not? How social media are introduced into schools]. *Welwijs: wisselwerking onderwijs en welzijnswerk*, 26(4), 7-10. (In Dutch)
8. Walrave, M., & **Van Ouytsel, J.** (2015). Online reputatiemanagement leer je in de klas : jongeren en sociaalnetwerksites. [Online reputation management in the classroom: young people and social networking sites] *Het vrije woord : magazine voor vrijdenkers*, 6(4), 40-43. (In Dutch)
9. Meeus, W., Walrave, M., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Driesen, A. (2014). Advertising literacy in schools : evaluating free online educational resources for advertising literacy. *Journal of media education*, 5(2), 5-12.
10. **Van Ouytsel, J.** (2014). Hoe verloopt dialectverlies? [How does dialect loss occur?] *De koerier / FVK Rodenbachfonds*, 32(3), 4-6. (In Dutch)
11. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Walrave M. (2014). Mediawijs online : waarom het zo goed klikt maar soms ook botst tussen jongeren en hun media. [Media literacy online: why young people love and hate "their" media] *Breedbeeld : onderwijstijdschrift van het VVKSO*, 7(2), 5-8. (In Dutch)

RESEARCH GRANTS, TRAVEL GRANTS, STIPENDS

Research grants

December 2019: *Research Foundation – Flanders (FWO)*: Research grant to conduct a large-scale study on sexting and cyber dating abuse among adolescents of different age groups and with a special focus on sexual minority youth. This competitive grant underwent peer-review by an external commission and covers costs related to both qualitative and quantitative data collection.

July 2018: *Research Foundation – Flanders (FWO)*: Three year postdoctoral grant (2018-2021) for the project: “Cyber dating abuse among early adolescents: Towards a comprehensive understanding of monitoring behaviors and sexting under pressure”. This competitive grant covers salary, social security, overhead and research funds. The grants are competitive and awarded to the researcher personally. The awardee becomes an employee of the Research Foundation – Flanders and is seconded to the university with the sole purpose of carrying out his work. The project is designed by the postdoctoral researcher. The FWO is the Belgian equivalent of the NSF or NIH, and each project undergoes similar rigorous review procedures that are also used by US funding organizations.

January 2018: *University of Antwerp – Research Council*: Competitive ‘Small Research Grant’ for the project “Sexting among young adolescents – focusing on sexting under pressure and secondary sexting”. This grant covers the funds needed to carry out a large-scale research study with multiple waves. Belgian universities are given research funding by the government on the condition that they use a competitive, peer-reviewed, transparent and audited protocol for this purpose. The funds are distributed by the Research Council. Applicants for grants have to compete with all other researchers of the University. Projects are judged by referees and then ranked by the Council. The competitive ‘Small Research Grants’ are meant to fund groundbreaking seed-level research, which contributes to the development of an individual research program.

October 2016: *US State Department/Fulbright Commission in Belgium*: Fulbright award for a four-month research stay at UTMB in Galveston, TX as a Research Scholar for work on sexting and cyber dating abuse. The Fulbright grant covered research and living expenses related to my stay in the US.

October 2015 – October 2019: *Research Foundation – Flanders (FWO)*: Four year PhD Fellowship (2014-2018) awarded for the project “Cyber dating abuse among adolescents: Unraveling its social, relational and individual antecedents.” The competitive grant includes salary, social security, overhead and research funds. The awardee becomes an employee of the FWO seconded to the university with the sole purpose of carrying out the dissertation project that he/she designed. The grant proposal is written by the awardee. All proposals are ranked and evaluated by external referees, with only a limited number of projects that are awarded.

Internationalization grants

March 2019: *Flemish government*: competitive grant to invite Dr. Nick Bowman and Dr. Jaime Banks (West-Virginia University/Texas Tech University) to provide the workshop entitled “The WHAT meets the WHY: Systematizing interpretive analysis to explain, support, refute”, give a guest lecture to our graduate students, and to work together on our current projects on sexting. The grant covered their travel, stay, and other expenses during this trip. The grants are funded by the Flemish government and are meant to fund training initiatives that will benefit a group of young researchers of Flemish universities. It also encourages international collaboration.

September 2018: *Flemish government*: competitive grant to invite Dr. Elizabeth Englander and Dr. Meghan McCoy (Bridgewater State University) to provide a workshop and guest lecture on cyberbullying and sexting to our graduate students and to establish future collaboration. The grant covered their travel, stay, and other expenses during this trip.

Travel grants for academic conferences and short research stays abroad

October 2019: *Research Foundation – Flanders (FWO)*: Competitive travel award covering travel expenses for the #AoIR2019 *Trust in the System* conference, 2-5 October 2019, Brisbane, Australia. FWO Travel grants are awarded on a competitive basis and the proposals are reviewed by the International Collaboration Committee. The funds are distributed based on scientific merit.

June 2019: *National Communication Association (NCA)*: Travel grant for travel expenses related to the 2019 Shenzhen Forum. The Forum was co-sponsored by NCA and the Shenzhen University (SZU) of China, and was held in Shenzhen, China, June 26-28, 2019. I attended the Health Communication track.

May 2017: *Research Foundation – Flanders (FWO)*: Competitive travel award covering travel expenses for the 67th Annual ICA Conference, 25-29 May 2017, San Diego, CA.

May 2016: *Society for Prevention Research*: Travel Award to attend the 24th SPR Annual Meeting, 31.05.16-03.06.16, San Francisco, CA.

February 2016: *Flemish government/University of Antwerp*: Competitive travel Grant for tuition, travel and accommodation expenses to participate in a course on qualitative research methods at the 5th ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques at the University of Bamberg, Germany (29.02.16 – 04.03.16).

October 2015: *Research Foundation – Flanders (FWO)*: Competitive travel grant for short stay abroad at UTMB, Galveston, TX (13.10.2015-02.11.2015).

Stipends

October 2009: *Erasmus project (European Union)*: Stipend for a stay at the University of Vienna. I was a student-assistant in the University of Vienna's Department of Dutch Language and Linguistics (Abteilung für Niederlandistik). I also performed research on jargon and science communication for my Bachelor's dissertation (Fachsprachen und Gemeinsprache; 10 ECTS) and participated in a research seminar on Medieval and Early German Literature – case: the Eneasroman.

August 2007: *Catholic University Brussels*: Stipend to attend the for the International Summer School of German Language and Culture at the Ruprechts-Karls-Universität Heidelberg (including travel, tuition and stay).

INVITED PRESENTATIONS AT ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS

Sexting & Cyber Dating Abuse – Findings from Belgium (10.12.2019). Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA.

Sexting & Cyber Dating Abuse (20.11.2019). Bridgewater State University, Bridgewater, MA.

Sexting & Cyber Dating Abuse: National findings (22.02.2019). Erasmus University Hospital (Youth Psychiatric Division), Brussels, Belgium.

Sexting & Cyber Dating Abuse: Research from Belgium (06.11.2018). University Center Tower. The University of Texas. Health Science Center at Houston (UT Health). School of Public Health. Houston, TX.

Sexting And Cyber Dating Abuse among Adolescents – Research on the Antecedents, Motives and Consequences from Belgium. (05.11.2018) CDC's Division of Violence Prevention. Research and Evaluation Branch. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA.

I was invited to visit the division and present on my work. After the presentation I had a meeting with the research of the branch to focus on the intersection of sexting and violent behaviors among adolescents. We also discussed further opportunities to work together with individual researchers.

Sexting & Cyber Dating Abuse. How Digital Media Have Changed Teens' Romantic Relationships (02.03.2018) Mountainlair, Mountaineer Room. West Virginia University. Department of Communication Studies. Morgantown, WV.

Mediawijze uitdagingen [Challenges in media literacy] (23.11.2015). Keynote presentation at the Symposium "De Mediawijze professional" [Professional Media Literacy], Windesheim University of Applied Sciences, Zwolle, The Netherlands.

Adolescent Sexting – Research on Young People's Motives and the Associations of the Behavior in Flanders, Belgium (22.10.2015). Invited talk as part of the PMCH Seminar Series. Ewing Hall, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX.

INVITED WORKSHOPS

March 2020: Invitation to the two-day conference "Media Literacy: Can we catch the (algo)rhythm?" – sponsored by the Fulbright Commission in Warsaw, Poland. The stay and conference were provided by the Fulbright Commission.

DISCUSSANT

Daneels, R. (20.03.2019). Van Ouytsel J. [discussant]. Meaningful game experiences & moral elevation among adolescents: how games can positively influence adolescents' moral identity and prosocial attitudes/behaviors. Doctoral seminar. University of Antwerp, Antwerp.

Van Ouytsel J. [chair] (8.11.2019): "Current Topics in Communication Mediated Communication". Chaired this session during the NCA 104th Annual Convention. Salt Lake City, UT.

De Kimpe, L. (17.10.2018). Van Ouytsel J. [discussant]. Cybersecurity and cybercrime. Doctoral seminar. University of Antwerp, Antwerp.

Vandenbosch, L.P. [chair], Trekels, J. [presenter], Rousseau A. [presenter], Dobrow, J. [presenter], van Oosten J.M.F. [presenter], Van Ouytsel J. [discussant] (12.06.2016). Self-Presentation and Appearance Issues of Youth in Media. CAM-Session. International Communication Association 66th Annual Conference. Fukuoka, Japan.

Englander, E.K. [chair and presenter], Houck, C. [presenter], Temple, J. [presenter], Van Ouytsel J. [discussant] (27.10.2015). Adolescent Sexting: Aberrant, Adverse, or Average? Symposium 5. American Academy of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry 62nd Annual Meeting. San Antonio, TX.

Van Royen, K. (15.10.2014). Van Ouytsel J. [discussant]. Tackling sexual harassment of adolescents on social networking sites: examining automatic monitoring as a strategy. Doctoral seminar. University of Antwerp, Antwerp.

PRESENTATIONS DURING PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCES

1. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (02.10.2019) *Examining risk and protective factors for sexting under pressure from a routine-lifestyle theory perspective among early adolescents*. Paper presented during the Association of Internet Researchers Annual Conference. Brisbane, Australia
2. **Van Ouytsel, J.** (27.06.2019) *Sexting and cyberbullying prevention – new challenges for schools and school counselors*. Presentation in the Health Communication Track of The Shenzhen Forum 2019, hosted by NCA and Shenzhen University of China (SZU), Shenzhen, China.
3. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Walrave, M., Diederens, K., & Ponnet, K. (10.11.2018) *Checked and Approved? Human Resources Managers' Uses of Social Network Sites for Cybervetting*. Paper presented during the NCA 104th Annual Convention. Salt Lake City, UT.
4. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Ponnet, K. (28.05.2018). *Adolescents' Intent to Engage in Privacy-Protection on Facebook: An Application of the Protection Motivation Theory*. Paper presented during the International Communication Association 68th Annual Conference. Prague, Czech Republic.
5. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (09.02.2018). *Teenagers' perspectives on how digital media can elicit jealousy, conflict and monitoring behaviors in their romantic relationships*. Paper presented during the Etmaal 2018 Conference. Ghent, Belgium.
6. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., Walrave, M., Willems, A., & Van Dam, M. (18.11.2017). *Adolescents' perceptions of the role of digital media in jealousy, conflict and control within their romantic relationships*. Paper presented during the NCA 103rd Annual Convention. Dallas, TX.
7. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Lu, Y., Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & Temple, J. R. (07.11.2017). *Cross-sectional and longitudinal associations between mental health outcomes, substance use, and cyber dating abuse victimization*. Poster Board 5 presented during family violence prevention caucus poster session 4178.0 at the APHA 2017 Annual Meeting and Expo in Atlanta, GA.
8. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Lu, Y., Le, V.D., Walrave, M., Ponnet, K., & Temple, J. R. (06.11.2017). *Longitudinal Associations between Sexting and Bullying Victimization: Cross-Lagged Panel Analysis*. Poster Board 4 presented during poster session 3330.0: Child and Adolescent Health at the APHA 2017 Annual Meeting and Expo in Atlanta, GA.
9. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, & Ponnet, K. (28.05.2017). *The Associations Between Substance Use, Sexual Behavior, Deviant Behaviors and Adolescents' Engagement in Sexting: Does Relationship Context Matter?*. Working paper presented during the International Communication Association 67th Annual Conference. San Diego, CA.

10. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., Walrave, M., & Van Gool, E. (27.05.2017). *Adolescents' Engagement in Sexting Within Their Romantic Relationship and its Associations With Perceptions of Love and Conflict*. Paper presented during the International Communication Association 67th Annual Conference. San Diego, CA.
11. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (27.05.2017). *Cyber Dating Abuse: Investigating Digital Controlling Behaviors Among Adolescents From a Social Learning Perspective*. Paper presented during the International Communication Association 67th Annual Conference. San Diego, CA.
12. Temple, J. R., Choi, H., & **Van Ouytsel, J.** (16.11.2016) *Teen Sexting and Adolescent Relationship Abuse*. Paper presented during the American Society of Criminology Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA.
13. **Van Ouytsel, J.** (29.10.2016). *Cyber Dating Abuse: Research on Young People's Motives and the Associations of the Behavior in Flanders, Belgium*. Symposium 50.1 presented during the American Academy of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry 2016 63rd Annual Meeting, New York, NY.
14. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Torres, E., Ponnet, K., Walrave, M., Choi H.J., & Temple, J. R. (29.10.2016). *The Associations Between Adolescents' Substance Use, Deviant Behaviors, Self-Reported Health, and Cyber Dating Abuse Perpetration*. 6.75 presented during the American Academy of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry 2016 63rd Annual Meeting, New York, NY.
15. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Van Gool, E., Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (12.06.2016). *Exploring adolescents' views on social networking sites' role within adolescent romantic relationships and dating experiences*. Poster presented during the International Communication Association 66th Annual Conference. Fukuoka, Japan.
16. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Van Gool, E., Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (12.06.2016). *Sexting: Adolescents' Perceptions of the Motives and Consequences of Engaging in the Behavior*. Poster presented during the International Communication Association 66th Annual Conference. Fukuoka, Japan.
17. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (02.06.2016). *Victimization of Digital Controlling Behavior within Adolescents' Romantic Relationships from a Lifestyle-Routine Activities Theory Perspective*. Poster 476 presented during the Society for Prevention Research 24th annual meeting 2016, San Francisco, CA.
18. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., & Walrave, M. (01.06.2016). *Substance Use, Sexual Behavior and Conduct Problems Among Adolescents Who Engage in Sexting: Does Relationship Context Matter?*. Poster 301 presented during the Society for Prevention Research 24th annual meeting 2016, San Francisco, CA.
19. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., Walrave, M., d'Haenens, L. & Temple J. (29.10.2015). *Applying the Social Learning Theory to Predict Sexting Behavior*. New Research Poster Presentation 3.34 presented during the American Academy of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry 2015 62nd Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX.
20. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., Walrave, M. & Temple J. (29.10.2015). *Substance Use, Sexual Behavior, and Conduct Problems Among Adolescents Who Engage in Sexting: Does Relationship Context Matter?* New Research Poster Presentation 3.35 presented during the American Academy of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry 2015 62nd Annual Meeting, San Antonio, TX.
21. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Ponnet, K., Walrave, M. & d'Haenens, L. (19.06.2015-24.06.2015). *Adolescent sexting from a social learning perspective*. Poster presented during the International Summer School "Living with Media" 2015, Cologne, Germany.
22. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Van Gool, E., Walrave, M., & Ponnet, K. (02.02.2015-03.02.2015). *A Protection Motivation approach to adolescents' intent to engage in privacy-protective behaviors*. Paper presented during the Etmaal van de Communicatiewetenschap 2015, Antwerp, Belgium.
23. **Van Ouytsel, J.**, Driesen, A., T'Sas, J., & Meeus, W. (27.11.2013-29.11.2013). *Media Didactica: a reference framework for media literacy education for teacher educators*. Refereed-workshop organized during EAPRIL, Biel/Bienne, Switzerland.
24. Driesen, A., **Van Ouytsel, J.**, T'Sas, J., & Meeus, W. (19.09.2013-20.09.2013). *Media Didactica: a reference framework for media literacy education for teacher educators*. Poster presented at the Media Education Summit, Sheffield, UK.

TEACHING & ADVISING

Courses

Methods of communication research (academic year 2019-2020). I will be fully responsible for teaching the research method's course in the BA Communication Studies at the University of Antwerp. The syllabus can be found on my personal website at the University of Antwerp.

Teaching assistant at a research seminar for the bachelor communication studies (Leeronderzoek Communicatiewetenschappen) which doubles as the Bachelor thesis for the BA Communication Studies (12ECTS) (2015-2016). During this course ten students work together to carry out a joint research project under the supervision of the course leaders. I was responsible for the curriculum development, delivery of the coursework and evaluation, both online and offline.

Guest lectures

- *Sexting & dating aggression* (05.06.2019) guest lecture during the course New Media & Interpersonal Communication of dr. Elisabeth Timmermans, Erasmus University Rotterdam. Rotterdam, The Netherlands.
- *Sexting and cyber dating abuse* (18.03.2019) guest lecture during the course Interpersonal Communication of dr. Sara Bastiaensens, University of Antwerp. Antwerp, Belgium
- *Adolescent sexting* (December 2018 & 2019) guest lecture during the course media effects of Indra Orlent, Artesis Plantijn University College Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium
- *How adolescents select, engage with and are affected by sexual media* (2017, 2018 & 2019). I have taught this guest lecture for the past three years in the course Media Psychology and Sociology of dr. Koen Ponnet at Ghent University.
- *Guest lecture: Qualitative research methods* (2016 & 2017) guest lectures on multiple occasions as part of the research methodology course of dr. Koen Ponnet at the Antwerp Maritime Academy.
- *Dialect change, dialect loss and dialect revival* (25.09.2013) guest lecture as part of the course "Taalcontact en Taaldynamiek" of dr. Reinhild Vandekerckhove at the University of Antwerp.

Master's thesis committee member of several master's theses

Supervision of two master's theses: in the current academic year 2019-2020, I am the sole supervisor of two master's theses. Prior to that, I have been co-supervisor of several master's theses (2014-2015, 2015-2016, 2018-2019). Primary responsibility for all aspects of the students' work (including, conceptualization of research, supervising literature reviews, design, preparation, assisting students with planning data collection, supervising writing of the thesis, providing feedback, preparing the student for the thesis defense, and grading...). The completed projects are listed below:

- MA-Thesis: Sarah Quaeyhaegens. Amazon Alexa en een onderzoek naar de gebruiksintentie van smart speakers [Amazon Alexa and a study into the user intentions of smart speakers]. 2019
- MA-Thesis: Lore Adriaensens. Meisjes als sletten en jongens als helden: exploratief onderzoek naar de percepties van jongeren over genderverschillen in sexting [Girls as sluts and boys as heroes: exploratory research into the perceptions of youth on the gender differences in sexting]. 2019
- MA-Thesis: Amber Nicolai. De voorspellers van partner phubbing in Vlaanderen: een toepassing van de theory of planned behavior [Predictors of partner phubbing in Flanders: an application of the theory of planned behavior]. 2019
- MA-thesis: Sander Carollo. Online delen van informatie bij adolescenten op Facebook. [Adolescents' online self-disclosure on Facebook]. 2016
- MA-thesis: Moniek Wallink. Na-apers en Papegaaien: Daderschap bij Cyberrelationeel Geweld bij Jongeren verklaard vanuit de Social Learning Theory. [Cyber Dating Abuse perpetration explained using The Social Learning Theory]. 2016

- MA-thesis: Janne D'Haens: Think before you act, twice before you speak and three times before you post on Facebook. Het Facebookgebruik van Belgische rekruteerders in kaart gebracht. [Facebook use of Belgian recruiters]. 2016
- MA-thesis: Linda Janssen: Waarom recruiters kandidaten selecteren via sociaalnetwerksites. Het selecteren van kandidaten via LinkedIn en Facebook door recruiters vanuit The Theory of Planned Behavior en The Decomposed Theory of Planned Behavior. [Why recruiters select candidates through social networking sites. The selection of candidates through LinkedIn and Facebook by recruiters through the Theory of Planned Behavior and The Decomposed Theory of Planned Behavior]. 2016
- MA-thesis: Ellen Soetemans: Een onderzoek naar verbanden tussen sexting en persoonskenmerken bij jongeren binnen het Hexaco-persoonlijkheidsmodel. [A study on the correlations between sexting and Hexaco-personality traits]. 2016
- MA-thesis: Marlies Vandervoort: Cyberpesten onder leerlingen en het concept 'sexting'. [Cyberbullying and sexting among students]. 2016
- MA-thesis: Kay Diederens: Welke rol speelt de beschikbaarheid van beelden op sociale media bij de selectie van potentiële medewerkers door HR-medewerkers bij profit en non-profitorganisaties en wat zijn de voornaamste verschillen. [What is the role of images on social media and the recruitment of potential candidates by HR-workers at profit and non-profit organizations]. 2016
- MA-Thesis: Delphine Gillain. Jongeren en hun internetgebruik: online delen van informatie. [Youth and their internet use: online sharing of information]. 2015
- MA-Thesis: Pauline Mesaert. De invloed van digitale media op relatievorming en seksualiteit. [The influence of digital media on relationship development and sexuality]. 2015
- MA-Thesis: Jasmien Yamam. Kwalitatief onderzoek: Jongeren en hun internetgebruik. Online privacy. [Youth and their internet use. Online privacy]. 2015

RESEARCH STAYS ABROAD

November 2017: One week research stay at UTMB in Galveston, TX. During this trip, I also went to APHA in Atlanta, GA and the NCA conference in Dallas, TX.

October 2016 – February 2017: Four-month research stay at UTMB in Galveston, TX, as a Fulbright Research Scholar with the support of a grant awarded by the Fulbright Commission in Belgium doing research on sexting and cyber dating abuse.

October 2015 – November 2015: Three week stay at UTMB in Galveston, TX, USA (FWO travel grant for short research stay abroad).

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Service to the University of Antwerp

Full Member of the Faculty Council FSW (2016-current)
Deputy member of the Faculty Council FSW (2015-2016)

Ad-hoc Reviewer Journals

I have performed over 70 reviews as an ad-hoc reviewer for various journals listed below (as of January 1st 2020). For an overview of all my verified reviews; please see my peer review profile at Publons:

<https://publons.com/researcher/1552445/joris-van-ouytse/>

Some journals include: Current Psychology (2019); Journal of Adolescent Health (2019); Pediatrics (2018); Social Media + Society (2018); Psychiatry Research (2018); Victims & Offenders (2018); New Media and Society (2018); International Journal of Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine (2018); Infant and Child Development (2018); Human Communication Research (2018 & 2019); Journal of Relationships Research (2018); Sex Education (2017); Behaviour & Information Technology (2017 & 2018); Culture, Health and Sexuality (2017); Violence and Gender (2017); International Journal of Developmental Science (2017); Aggression and Violent Behavior (2017); Journal of Youth Studies (2017); Journal of Adolescence (2017); Telematics & Informatics (2017 & 2018); European Journal of Developmental Psychology (2016); Global Studies of Childhood (2016); Cyberpsychology (2016, 2017, 2018 & 2019); Cyberpsychology, Behavior and Social Networking (2015, 2016, 2017 & 2018); The Journal of School Nursing (2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 & 2019); Sexual Health (2015); Computers in Human Behavior (2017 & 2018)

Ad-hoc Reviewer Conferences

International Communication Association Conference 2019, Gold Coast, Australia.
NCA 105th Annual Convention 2019, Baltimore, MD, USA (health communication division).
NCA 104th Annual Convention 2018, Salt Lake City, UT, USA.
Society for Prevention Research 2018, Washington D.C. USA.
International Communication Association Conference 2016, Fukuoka, Japan.
Etnaal van de Communicatiewetenschappen 2015, Antwerp, Belgium

CURRENT PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, TX – affiliated researcher
National Communication Association
International Communication Association
International Association for Media and Communication Research
Association of Internet Researchers
European Communication Research and Education Association
Netherlands – Flanders Communication Association

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY – PRESENTATIONS FOR SCHOOLS, NGO'S AND OTHER NON-ACADEMIC AUDIENCES

5 mythes rond sexting [5 myths surrounding sexting] (25.11.2019). Smart talk for Telenet Telecom group, Antwerp, Belgium.

Sexting en Cyber Dating Abuse – cijfers uit België [Sexting and Cyber Dating Abuse – statistics from Belgium]. (23.08.2019). Presentation for the study group Ceder. Leuven, Belgium.

Sexting (12.03.2019): Presentation for the school counselors of the J.B. David school community, Lier, Belgium.

Online risicogedrag [Online risk behavior]. (04.02.2019): Presentation to the teachers of Portus Berkenboom catholic school, St.-Niklaas, Belgium

E-Safety (18.12.2018): Workshop for the students of the K.A. Beveren public middle school, Beveren, Belgium.

Expert Round Table on children, youth and sexuality organized by Sensoa in preparation of the symposium Sexual Health, Friday December 14th 2018, Brussels, Belgium.

De rol van digitale media binnen romantische relaties en seksualiteit [The role of digital media in adolescents' romantic relationships and their sexuality] (10.03.2017). Invited talk during the symposium "Awel... Liefde in de kno(o)p, Awel vzw [Youth Hotline], Muntpunt, Brussels, Belgium.

Sexting (23.03.2016) presentation for the Communication Studies department at the University of Antwerp, Antwerp, Belgium. Discussants: K. Van Royen & Dr. K. Symons.

Media Didactica (02.09.2015) brief presentation for the expert group on Media Literacy Competencies at Mediawijs.be, Etterbeek, Belgium.

Expert Round Table on media (literacy) research in Flanders (02.07.2015), Etterbeek, Belgium.

Cyberpesten [Cyberbullying] (24.06.2015) pitch presentation at the Kennisnet-NRO research conference 'Weten wat werkt met ict!' [Know what works with digital media]. Theater Diligentia, Den Haag, The Netherlands.

Media Didactica (31.10.2014) presentation with Aleksander Driesen. Boekenbeurs, Antwerp.

Mediawijs Online. Jongeren en Sociale Media [Young people and social media] (05.10.2014) presentation for teachers of the J.B. David school community, Lier.

Expert Round Table on the development of a Flemish media literacy framework (07.05.2015 - 02.09.2015)

Expert Round Table on children's privacy and the role of parents and educators (16.09.2015). Hosted by the Kinderrechtencoalitie Vlaanderen [Children's rights coalition – Flanders], Brussels, Belgium

Mediawijs Online. Jongeren en Sociale Media [Young people and social media] (02.02.2015) presentation for teachers of the Kogeka school community, Geel.

Jongeren en privacy [Youth and privacy] (20.05.2014) presentation with Ellen Van Gool at Apestaartjaren 5.0., Ghent [Symposium for youth workers, teachers, librarians and others]

Reclamewijsheid bij kinderen en jongeren [Advertising Literacy and Youth] (27.03.2014 & 25.04.2014) presentation for Mediacoach course, Leuven and Ghent.

Mediawijs Online. Jongeren en Sociale Media (25.03.2014) presentation for teachers of the Sint-Ursula secondary school, Lier.

Media Didactica (25.11.2013) presentation with Aleksander Driesen for the Educational Research Club at the University of Antwerp, Antwerp.

Expert Round Table on gaming and gaming literacy (10.09.2013). Hosted by Mediawijs.be, Brussels, Belgium.

PRESS COVERAGE

I have been interviewed on multiple occasions by Deseret News, the New Statesman, The Atlantic, Daily Mail Online, and all Belgian National news media (De Standaard, De Morgen, Gazet Van Antwerpen, Het Nieuwsblad, Het Laatste Nieuws, Metro, Humo, Knack, Goed Gevoel, Libelle, VRT Nieuws, VTM Nieuws...).

Our study in JAMA Pediatrics of which I was a co-author, ranked in the top 5% of all research outputs scored by Altmetric (<https://jamanetwork.altmetric.com/details/33694953>) and was covered by 149 news outlets.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Qualitative data-analysis from a Grounded Theory perspective (D. Mortelmans), UGent	2016
Advanced Qualitative Data Analysis (M.-H. Paré), ECPR Winter School - Bamberg	2016
Giving Academic Presentation in English for PhD Students (S. George), UAntwerpen	2015
International Summer School: "Living with Media", University of Cologne	2015
Focus group interviews for advanced users (J. Janssens), VUB Brussels	2015
Introduction to Structural Equation Modelling using Mplus, Utrecht Summer School	2014
Advanced course on using Mplus, Utrecht Summer School	2014
StatUA workshop Analysis of longitudinal and clustered data using Linear Mixed Models	2014
StatUA workshop Logistic Regression in SPSS, UAntwerp	2013
StatUA workshop Basic Principles of Statistics, UAntwerp	2013
Academic Writing in English, ILT Leuven	2012
Innovative research designs in the Communication Sciences (4ECTS), KULeuven	2012