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# 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual SRIP Conference 2023

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# Welcome to the Conference



## Welcome to the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Conference of the Society for Reproductive and Infant Psychology.

This year, the conference is welcoming three excellent keynote speakers: Prof. Susan Garthus-Niegel will speak about methodologies in family mental health research, Prof. Carolina de Weerth will discuss her research on perinatal psychological stress, and Prof. Livio Provenzi will present his work on psychobiological aspects of early social interactions. We are also delighted to offer an exciting program of interdisciplinary symposia, oral presentations, and poster sessions on a variety of topics, which we are sure will generate rich discussions. An online networking session for Early Career Researchers will be held on the 30<sup>th</sup> August 2023. This event will allow early career researchers who could not attend the in-person networking events organised during the conference to enjoy a moment of networking with other doctoral or postdoctoral researchers. This conference has been designed to stimulate reflection and exchange, to provide opportunities for networking, and above all, to spend an inspiring couple of days in the company of colleagues, peers, and friends from all over the world.

We look forward to seeing you there! The Conference Team

**Professor Antje Horsch**  
SRIP Chair  
University of Lausanne, Switzerland

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# Keynote lecturers



## SRIP 2023 LECTURER AWARD

### Professor Susan Garthus Niegel

*Assembling the puzzle pieces: Integrating different perspectives and methodologies in family mental health research*

Susan Garthus-Niegel is a psychologist and professor at the MSH Medical School Hamburg, Faculty of Medicine. She also holds part-time positions at the Norwegian Institute of Public Health and the University of Dresden, where she heads the Public Mental Health Research Unit. She and her team conduct epidemiological cohort studies, systematic reviews and meta-analyses on the mental health and well-being of women and families, e.g., during the perinatal period, in relation to work-life balance or domestic violence.



## SRIP 2023 KEYNOTE SPEAKER

### Professor Carolina de Weerth

*Perinatal psychological stress: Underlying mechanisms and de-stressing factors*

Carolina de Weerth is a developmental psychobiologist and Full Professor at Radboud University Medical Center and the Donders Institute for Brain, Cognition & Behaviour (The Netherlands). Her research focuses on early development, from pregnancy until adolescence, and in community and vulnerable populations. In particular, her research investigates: 1) the influences of prenatal maternal stress and anxiety on child development; 2) the development of the Hypothalamic Pituitary Adrenal (HPA) axis in children, in relation to their behavioural and emotional regulation. Environmental influences studied in this context are parental behaviour, co-sleeping, breastfeeding, and non-parental care; and 3) the development of the intestinal microbiota in relation to children's behavioural and emotion regulation, and their HPA axis development.



## SRIP 2023 KEYNOTE SPEAKER

### Professor Livio Provenzi

*A psychobiological journey into human togetherness*

Livio Provenzi is a psychologist, psychotherapist, and researcher at the University of Pavia (Italy). He coordinates the Developmental Psychobiology Lab ([www.devpsychobiology.com](http://www.devpsychobiology.com)) of the Mondino Foundation in Pavia. By integrating methodologies from infant research, neuroendocrinology, and behavioural epigenetic, his research is aimed at discovering the psychobiological foundation of human innate togetherness nature and the fundamental role of parenting for cognitive, social, and emotional development during the first thousand days of life in healthy and at-risk infants

# Early career researcher workshop

**WEDNESDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2023**

**10:00 – 12:00 CET**

**ONLINE**

## **Women in Science by Dr Marie-Paule Haefliger**

At SRIP, we welcome graduate students and early career researchers and provide a stimulating and supportive environment for everyone to discuss their research and network. This year we are running a pre-conference workshop especially for early career researchers, organised by our very own international team of SRIP early career researchers, so please sign up and join us! All are welcome.

This workshop is open to Master's and PhD students, Post Docs, and Research Assistants who will be attending the conference.

The workshop aims to provide an opportunity to: network with peers, gain insight from experienced researchers, develop skills, and build confidence.

For more information and to register for the conference, or workshop, please visit: [www.srip.org/conference](http://www.srip.org/conference).

# Mentorship programme lunch

**FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023**

**12:15 – 13:00 CET**

**SEMINAR ROOM 2  
(BH08-553)**

**Please register for this event,  
if you would like to attend!**

The SRIP Early Career Researcher Group invites all early career researchers to attend a mentoring session during lunch. You will be matched with a mentor, who is an experienced researcher in the field of Reproductive and Infant Psychology, and you will have the opportunity to ask questions and discuss your areas of interest.

To participate in the Mentorship programme lunch, please apply with your accepted conference abstract and a brief statement on what you hope to learn from the event. Applications can be sent to Lara Seefeld ([lara.seefeld@ukdd.de](mailto:lara.seefeld@ukdd.de)). The application deadline is 20<sup>th</sup> August 2023.

# Conference dinner

**THURSDAY 7TH SEPTEMBER 2023**

**19:30**

## **Restaurant Le Chalet Suisse**

Route du Signal 40  
CH – 1018 Lausanne

Visit the venue at:

Bienvenue au Restaurant Chalet Suisse au nord de Lausanne

To book your place for the conference dinner, visit:

[www.srip.org/event-details/43rd-annual-srip-conference-2023](http://www.srip.org/event-details/43rd-annual-srip-conference-2023)

Partners are welcome!

Following welcome drinks, a 3-course meal with wine will be served. The conference dinner provides a friendly and relaxed environment to network and socialise with colleagues.



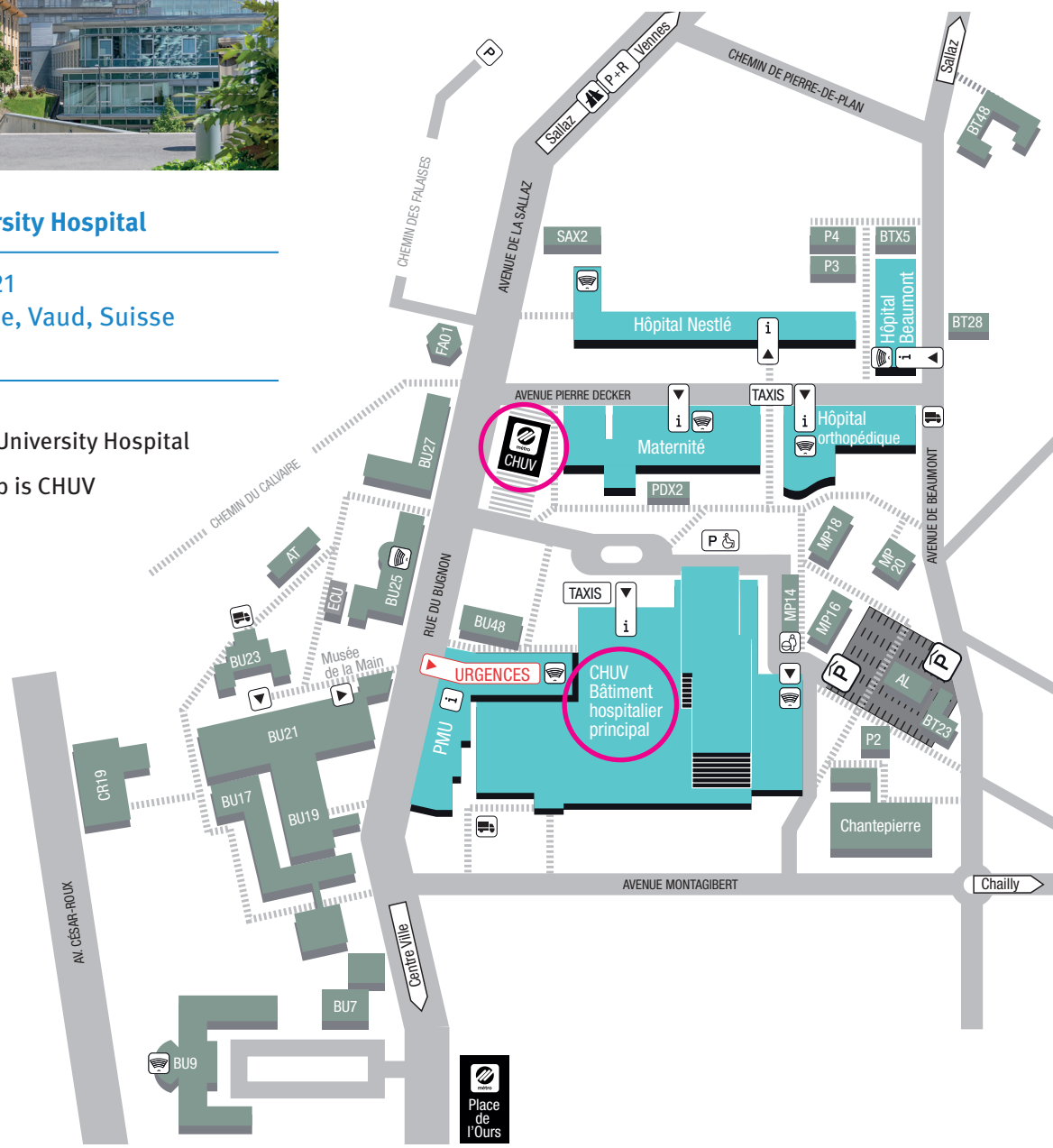
# Venue map



## Lausanne University Hospital

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| Liaisons piétonnières         | Garderie                      | Stations M2          |

# Schedule at a glance

THURSDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023

Time	Cesar Roux	Alexandre Yersin	Auguste Tissot
8:00 – 8:30	Registration/coffee – Hall		
8:30 – 8:40	Opening ceremony – <i>Chair: Prof Antje Horsch</i>		
8:45 – 10:00	<b>Symposium 1</b> New developments in fear of childbirth research <i>Chair: Fiona Challacombe</i>	<b>Oral Session 1</b> Physical health and physicality of reproduction and pregnancy <i>Chair: Colin Martin</i>	<b>Oral Session 2</b> Fertility and loss <i>Chair: Zoe Darwin</i>
10:00 – 10:15	Coffee – Hall and poster viewing session		
10:15 – 11:15	<b>Symposium 2</b> An update on the postpartum specific anxiety scale: Research, policy, & practice <i>Chair: Sergio Silverio</i>	<b>Oral Session 3</b> COVID-19 and perinatal mental health <i>Chair: Nicola Carone</i>	<b>Oral Session 4</b> Pregnancy experiences, expectations and fear of childbirth <i>Chair: Susan Garthus-Niegel</i>
11:20 – 12:20	<b>Symposium 3</b> Suicide in the Perinatal Period: Improving identification, assessment, and support for women who are suicidal during pregnancy or the postnatal period <i>Chair: Abigail Easter</i>	<b>Oral Session 5</b> Influences of the COVID-19 pandemic <i>Chair: Zoe Darwin</i>	<b>Oral Session 6</b> Bonding and the parent-infant relationship <i>Chair: Sandra Nakic-Rados</i>
12:20 – 13:20	Lunch – Hall		
13:20 – 13:55	Flash poster presentations, <i>Chair: Zoe Darwin</i>		
14:00 – 14:45	<b>SRIP Lecturer Award 2023</b> Professor Susan Garthus-Niegel <i>Chair: Jane Iles</i>		
14:45 – 15:15	Coffee – Hall and poster viewing session		
15:15 – 16:00	<b>ECR prizes</b> <b>Winner - Marijana Matijaš</b> Dysphoric milk ejection reflex (D-MER): prevalence, breastfeeding experience, and mental health issues <b>Runner Up – Gracia Fellmeth</b> Women's awareness of perinatal mental health conditions and the acceptability of being asked about mental health in two regions in India: a qualitative study <i>Chair: Antje Horsch</i>		
16:05 – 16:50	<b>SRIP Keynote Lecturer 2023</b> Professor Livio Provenzi <i>Chair: Caroline Lafarge</i>		
16:55 – 18:10	<b>Oral Session 7</b> Birth trauma <i>Chair: Kayleigh Sheen</i> Different room: Placide Nicod		<b>Oral Session 8</b> Relationships and social support <i>Chair: Fiona Alderdice</i>
18:10 – 19:00	Aperitif		



FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2023

Time	Cesar Roux	Charlotte Olivier	Auguste Tissot
8:00 – 8:30	Registration/coffee – Hall and poster viewing session		
8:30 – 9:30	<p><b>Doctoral and Master Prizes</b></p> <p><b>Doctoral thesis winner – Leanne Jackson</b> The Postpartum Period: Using a Series of mixed-methods studies to investigate determinants of infant feeding and maternal emotional wellbeing outcomes</p> <p><b>Professional doctorate winner – Lara Naqvi</b> Monopoly on finding it difficult” fathers’ experiences of harm-related intrusive thoughts in the perinatal period</p> <p><b>Master winner – Flora Kent-Nye</b> (M)others in life jackets - Recurrent early pregnancy loss in the pandemic <i>Chair: Antje Horsch</i></p>		
9:30 – 9:45	Coffee – Hall and poster viewing session		
9:50 – 10:50	<p><b>Symposium 4</b> New Frontiers In ChildBirth Related Trauma: a symposium presented on behalf of the DEVOTION Cost Action, dedicated to minimising birth trauma and optimising birth experiences <i>Susan Garthus-Niegel &amp; Jonathan Handalzalts</i></p>	<p><b>Oral Session 9</b> Maternal mental health and wellbeing during pregnancy and postpartum <i>Chair: Rafael Caparros-Gonzalez</i></p>	<p><b>Oral Session 10</b> Perceptions and experiences of healthcare provision <i>Chair: Caroline Lafarge</i></p>
10:55 – 12:10	<p><b>Symposium 5</b> Improving access and engagement with mental health support during the perinatal period <i>Chair: Abigail Easter</i></p>	<p><b>Oral Session 11</b> International perspectives on birth trauma <i>Chair: Susan Ayers</i></p>	<p><b>Oral Session 12</b> Health and mental health care <i>Chair: Vicky Fallon</i></p>
12:10 – 13:00	Lunch and AGM – Hall   Mentorship programme lunch: Seminar room 2 (BH08-553) (12:15)		
13:05 – 13:35	<p><b>Poster viewing session</b></p>	<p><b>Oral Session 13</b> Fathers’ experiences <i>Chair: Maggie Redshaw</i></p>	<p><b>Oral Session 14</b> Transition to parenthood <i>Chair: Lara Seefeld</i></p>
13:40 – 14:25	<p><b>SRIP Keynote Lecturer 2023</b> Professor Carolina de Weerth <i>Chair: Jane Iles</i></p>		
14:25 – 15:05	Coffee – Hall		
15:05 – 15:35	Poster viewing session		
15:40 – 16:55	<p><b>Symposium 6</b> It’s a family affair: the crucial role of family relationship quality for parental mental health and infant development <i>Chair: Anna-Lena Zietlow and Susan Garthus-Niegel</i></p>	<p><b>Oral Session 15</b> Interventions and services <i>Chair: Nicola Carone</i></p>	<p><b>Oral Session 16</b> Parenting and the transition to parenthood <i>Chair: Vicky Fallon</i></p>
17:00 – 18:00	Closing ceremony + prizes		

# Schedule for oral presentations and symposiums

THURSDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – MORNING SESSION, 8:45 – 10:00

## ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 1

### Physical health and physicality of reproduction and pregnancy

Chair: *Colin Martin*

**Anna Straham** | Gestational diabetes and racial disparities in midwestern pregnancy

**Fiona Alderdice** | Developing a pregnancy wellbeing measure for women with long term health condition

**Julia Ditzer** | The experience of bearing a child: Implications on body boundaries and their link to preterm birth

**Anna Crossland** | Recognising, interpreting and reacting to internal bodily signals during pregnancy

**Jasmine Warren** | A qualitative exploration of menstrual cycle experiences and attitudes

## ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 2

### Fertility and loss

Chair: *Zoe Darwin*

**Tamsin Bicknell-Morel** | Developing support through the perinatal journey for parents in the context of the removal of a baby at birth

**Shwetha Tumkur Shivakumar** | Experience of grief among women with perinatal loss post IVF treatment in tertiary care centre: A phenomenological study

**Caroline Lafarge** | Supporting women after pregnancy termination for medical reasons: a pilot randomised controlled trial of a Sophrology wellbeing intervention

**Faye Powell** | Priorities in early pregnancy loss care in England: A participatory approach to improve psychological well-being for parents'

**Leonardo De Pascalis** | Attitudes towards parenthood and fertility-related knowledge in young adults in higher education settings

## SYMPOSIUM – SESSION 1

### New developments in fear of childbirth research

Chair: *Fiona Challacombe*

**Nichole Fairbrother** | Psychometric properties and screening accuracy of the Childbirth Fear Questionnaire

**Elisabet Rondung** | Too afraid to become pregnant: fear of childbirth among non-pregnant women

**Georgina Constantinou** | A systematic review and meta-analysis of interventions to treat fear of childbirth during pregnancy

**Fiona Challacombe** | Predicting delivery mode using the intrapartum app: a survey of patient and professional views and preliminary data from a clinical setting

**Pauline Slade** | Improving the identification of fear of childbirth within a UK population: development of the Fear of Childbirth Questionnaire

THURSDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – MORNING SESSION, 10:15 – 11:15

### ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 3

## COVID-19 and perinatal mental health

*Chair: Vicky Fallon*

**Sian Harrison** | The impact of Covid-19 on postnatal depression

**Kirsty Crossley** | The impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on perinatal mental health: A Longitudinal Study of Women in the Born in Bradford COVID-19 Research Study

**Tiago Miguel Pinto** | The protective impact of the previous couple's relationship on the perinatal mental health of mothers and fathers facing the COVID-19 pandemic

**Rafael Caparros-Gonzalez** | Prevalence of maternal psychopathological symptoms before and during the COVID-19 outbreak

### ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 4

## Pregnancy experience, expectations and fear of childbirth

*Chair: Susan Garthus-Niegel*

**Sian Davies** | Investigating the psychological predictors and maintenance of fear of childbirth during the antenatal period

**Anne-Sylvie Diezi** | Perception, expectations, and preparation of first-time pregnant women and partners for their upcoming childbirth: a qualitative study

**Claire Marshall** | A Qualitative appraisal of Fear of Childbirth outcome measures and their clinical application

**Pauline Slade** | Cognitive processing biases associated with fear of childbirth

## Schedule for oral presentations and symposiums (continued)

THURSDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – MORNING SESSION, 11:20 – 12:20

### ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 5

#### Influences of the COVID-19 pandemic

Chair: *Zoe Darwin*

**Sergio Silverio** | The development of a maternity shock index: Psychometric evaluation and validation

**Sergio Silverio** | Oscillating autonomy: Having a COVID-19 positive diagnosis during pregnancy, labour and birth, and the early postnatal period

**Tiago Miguel Pinto** | Positive coparenting previous to the COVID-19 pandemic can buffer regulatory problems in infants facing the COVID-19 pandemic

**Linzi Williamson** | Changes in reproductive intentions during COVID-19

### ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 6

#### Bonding and the parent-infant relationship

Chair: *Sandra Nakic-Rados*

**Franciska Rehberg** | Perinatal PTSD and the Mother-Infant-Bond: A systematic review and meta-analysis

**Jonathan Handelzalts** | Attachment orientations, parent-infant bonding and family-work conflict- a longitudinal study of mothers and fathers

**Lydia Munns** | The effects of pregnancy bodily experience on mother-infant outcomes

### SYMPOSIUM – SESSION 3

#### Suicide in the Perinatal Period: Improving identification, assessment, and support for women who are suicidal during pregnancy or the postnatal period

Chair: *Abigail Easter*

**Abigail Easter** | Factors surrounding acute medical admissions for self-harm during the perinatal period: A mixed methods study of linked electronic healthcare records

**Rose Coates** | Considerations regarding suicide research in a large cohort of perinatal women

**Elizabeth Dudeney** | Perinatal women's views and experiences of suicidality screening: A qualitative study exploring the acceptability of measures

**Alexandra Pali** | Attempted Suicide in the PErinatal period (ASPEN-study) – a qualitative study into women's experiences of support

THURSDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – AFTERNOON SESSION, 16:55 – 18:10

## ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 7

### Birth Trauma

Chair: *Kayleigh Sheen*

**Ursula Nagle** | A survey of perceived traumatic birth experiences: Prevalence, risk factors and follow up

**Yeela Tomsis** | Using machine learning for the early detection of post-partum post-traumatic symptoms: A pilot study

**Rotem Kahalon** | Does oxytocin administration during delivery increase risk for postpartum post-traumatic stress symptoms?

**Rosie Attard** | An interpretative phenomenological analysis of the experience of couples' recovery from the psychological symptoms of trauma following traumatic childbirth

**Rebecca Hunter** | Traumatic childbirth experience, post-traumatic stress disorder symptoms, and the parent-infant relationship in birth partners in a co-parenting role

## ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 8

### Relationships and social support

Chair: *Fiona Alderdice*

**Dingcui Cai** | Postpartum cultural practices and social support among Chinese mothers in Switzerland

**Lalita Sah.** Maternal mental health, levels of social support and confounding factors during pregnancy in Eastern Nepal: findings from a mixed methods exploratory study

**Raquel Costa** | Emotional support at maternal and neonatal Portuguese healthcare facilities around the time of childbirth: Results from the IMAGiNE EURO study

**Serena Cox** | Exploring women's experiences in online support communities following traumatic birth: motivation, participation and changes over time

## Schedule for oral presentations and symposiums (continued)

FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – MORNING SESSION, 9:50 – 10:50

### ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 9

#### Maternal mental health and wellbeing during pregnancy and the postpartum

*Chair: Rafael Caparros-Gonzalez*

- Rose Coates** | Diagnostic accuracy and psychometric properties of measures of affective disorders in pregnancy and postpartum
- Colin Martin** | Empirical appraisal of the appropriateness of using sub-scales within the EPDS for screening for anxiety disorders
- Rose Coates** | Women's experiences of management of perinatal anxiety: Qualitative findings from the MAP Alliance study.
- Isabel Jaramillo** | The role of objective and subjective birth experience as predictors of hair glucocorticoid levels and postpartum depressive symptoms

### ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 10

#### Perceptions and experiences of healthcare provision

*Chair: Caroline Lafarge*

- Elisabeth Schobinger** | First-time parents' perception of healthcare professionals' support behaviours: a qualitative study
- Valerie Avignon** | What do mothers think about their antenatal classes? A mixed method study
- Helena Moreira** | Evaluating women's experiences of childbirth: The Portuguese version of the Birth Satisfaction Scale – Revised
- Zsafia Nagy** | Factors predicting birth satisfaction in Hungary

### SYMPOSIUM – SESSION 4

#### New Frontiers in childbirth related trauma: A symposium presented on behalf of the DEVOTION cost action, dedicated to minimising birth trauma and optimising birth experiences

*Chair: Susan Garthus-Niegel & Jonathan Handelzalts*

- Joan Lalor** | A woman-centred, inclusive definition of traumatic childbirth experiences
- Susan Garthus-Niegel** | Childbirth-related posttraumatic stress among mothers and fathers: A comparative systematic review and meta-analysis
- Joan Lalor** | Maternity Traumatic Events (MATES): An international survey of healthcare professionals
- Susan Ayers** | Traumatic birth and childbirth-related post-traumatic stress disorder : Recommendations for research, policy and practice

FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – MORNING SESSION, 10:55 – 12:10

### ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 11

## International perspectives on birth trauma

Chair: *Sandra Nakić Rados*

**Sandra Nakić** | Maternity care and traumatic birth in Croatia

**Lara Seefeld** | Maternity care and traumatic birth in Germany

**Jonathan Handelzalts** | Maternity care and traumatic birth in Israel

**Gabjja Jarašiūnaite-Fedosejeva** | Predictors of posttraumatic stress disorder symptoms among post-partum Lithuanian women

**Gracia Fellmeth and Zoe Daskalopoulou** | Prevalence of perinatal post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) low- and middle- income countries: a systematic review and meta-analysis

### ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 12

## Health and mental health care

Chair: *Nicola Carone*

**Tisha Dasgupta** | Care-seeking behaviour of pregnant women from under-served groups in high-income countries: A systematic review

**Devendra Raj Singh** | Psychosocial factors influencing decision-making concerning utilisation of free maternal and newborn health services in Nepal

**Asmaa Habib** | Postpartum care in Morocco: women's and healthcare professional's experience

**Paulne Slade** | Exposure to Trauma at work and Post traumatic Stress Disorder in Maternity Support Workers

**Manju Karmacharya** | Factors influencing mother's autonomy in decision-making about place of birth and their birth experiences in Mahottari District in Nepal: A qualitative study

### SYMPOSIUM – SESSION 5

## Improving access and engagement with mental health support during the perinatal period

Chair: *Abigail Easter*

**Heather A O'Mahen** | Obstetric and neonatal outcomes in pregnant women with and without a history of specialist mental healthcare: a national population-based cohort study using linked routinely collected data in England

**Louise Fisher** | Women's engagement with Community Perinatal Mental Health Services: a realist evaluation

**Abigail Easter** | Barriers and facilitators to implementing maternal mental health services for women experiencing traumatic births, perinatal loss and bereavement

**Claire Mason** | Giving HOPE and minimising trauma when the state intervenes at birth due to safeguarding concerns

# Schedule for oral presentations and symposiums (continued)

FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – AFTERNOON SESSION, 13:05 – 13:35

## ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 13

### Fathers' experiences

*Chair: Maggie Redshaw*

**Ashleigh Watkins** | Exploration of fathers' mental health and well-being concerns within the transition to fatherhood; a scoping review.

**Jessica Hughes** | Nobody puts daddy in the corner: A reflexive thematic analysis of interviews with new fathers exploring expectations of men in the transition to fatherhood.

## ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 14

### Transition to parenthood

*Chair: Lara Seefeld*

**Agne Raneberg** | 'Living in two worlds': A qualitative analysis of first-time mothers' experiences of maternal ambivalence

**Mirjam Raudasoja** | Transition to motherhood: Childbirth experiences, psychological well-being, and discourses of childbirth and mothering



FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER – AFTERNOON SESSION, 15:40 – 18:00

## ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 15

### Interventions and services

Chair: *Nicola Carone*

**Josie Dickerson** | Born in Bradford's Better Start (BiBBS) interventional birth cohort study

**Antje Horsch** | Brief behavioural intervention for mothers at risk of childbirth-related posttraumatic stress disorder: a multicentre double-blind randomised controlled trial

**Zoe Darwin** | Service evaluation of a pilot service for birthing women/people with mental health needs relating to birth trauma, pregnancy or baby loss, or tokophobia

**Fabiana Monteiro** | A mobile-based psychological intervention for the management of postpartum depressive symptoms: Proof of concept study

## ORAL PRESENTATIONS – SESSION 16

### Parenting and the transition to parenthood

Chair: *Vicky Fallon*

**Jane Iles** | #HappyMum – An experimental study on the effect of social media on mothers' confidence and mood

**Helena Moreira** | The indirect effect of birth satisfaction on mindful parenting: The role of postpartum depression and anxiety

**Maggie Redshaw** | Two years on: parents' experience of preterm parenting, information-giving and their child's recent developmental assessment

**Benjamin Hunt** | The role of prior familiarity with cleft affected infant faces and its effect on gaze behaviour and perceived infant attractiveness

## SYMPOSIUM – SESSION 6

### It's a family affair: the crucial role of family relationship quality for parental mental health and infant development

Chair: *Anna-Lena Zietlow and Susan Garthus-Niegel*

**Anat Talmon** | "Neglected moms" - The implications of emotional neglect in childhood for the transition to motherhood

**Carmen Power** | Impacts of parents' perceived stress and psychological distress during the COVID-19 pandemic on parent-infant bonding – A DREAMCORONA study, sub-study of "Dresden Study on Parenting, Work, and Mental Health" (DREAM) (Kress et al., 2019)

**Victoria Weise** | Parental relationship satisfaction before and during the first year of the COVID-19 pandemic and the role of altered family routines: A latent growth curve analysis

**Lara Seefeld** | Dyadic associations between parents' birth experience, relationship satisfaction, and postpartum mental health

**Johanna Petzoldt** | Mothers, fathers, and excessive infant crying: The role of anxiety and depression within the family

# Flash presentations plus posters

THURSDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 13:30 – 14:00

*Chair: Zoe Darwin*

1	<b>Linda Luecken</b>   Behavioral outcomes following prenatal stress and infant cortisol dysregulation
2	<b>Emile Cote</b>   Potential of hair BDNF and cortisol concentrations as allostatic load measures in pregnancy
3	<b>Nilo Puglisi</b>   Bidirectional associations between interactive synchrony with mother and father and vagal regulation in 3-month-old infants
4	<b>Helena Moreira</b>   The indirect effect of parental psychopathology on mindful parenting: The mediating role of supportive coparenting
5	<b>Madeleine Benton</b>   The psychosocial impact of gestational diabetes mellitus in the perinatal period: A qualitative study
6	<b>Linda Luecken</b>   Infant vagal tone and maternal sense of competence
7	<b>Rosie Attard</b>   How acceptable do parents experiencing mental health challenges find e-Health interventions for mental health in the postnatal period: a systematic review
8	<b>Elizabeth Bodunde</b>   Pregnancy and birth complications and long-term adverse maternal mental health outcomes: A systematic review and meta-analysis
9	<b>Luisa Bergunde</b>   The impact of maternal traumatic experiences on child outcomes at 14 months and the role of hair glucocorticoids and endocannabinoids

# Poster only

FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 10:00 – 10:15 AND 14:45 – 15:15, 08:00 – 08:30, 09:30 – 09:45,  
13:05 – 13:35 AND 15:05 – 15:35

10	<b>Rafael Caparros-Gonzalez</b>   Prenatal attachment, pregnancy-specific stress and anxiety: a cross-sectional study
11	<b>Jessica Hughes</b>   Impact of social media use on mental health in first-time fathers
12	<b>Sanne Agterberg</b>   Dutch attitudes towards gestational and traditional surrogacy in different family formations
13	<b>Shaneice Fletcher-Hildebrand</b>   Giving up on the dream: Fertility gap experiences of women and men in Saskatchewan, Canada
14	<b>Sarah Blower</b>   The integration of an Infant Mental Health service into the early years system: A systems evaluation of the Little Minds Matter service
15	<b>Tabitha Newman</b>   What are stakeholders' experiences and views of non-pharmacological interventions used by women and birthing people with symptoms of anxiety in the perinatal period? A systematic review of qualitative research
16	<b>Aliegha Dixon</b>   Environmental concerns and Canadians' reproductive intentions
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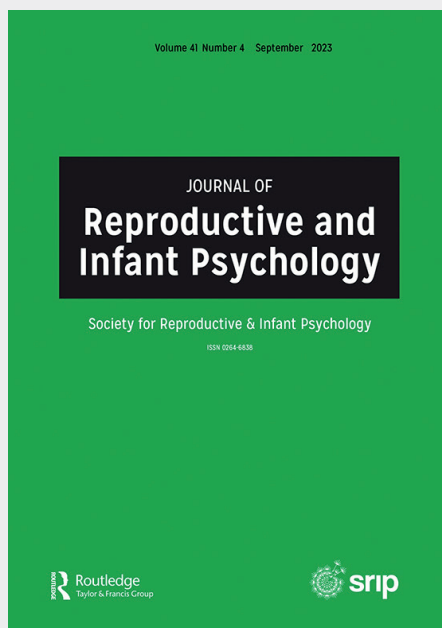
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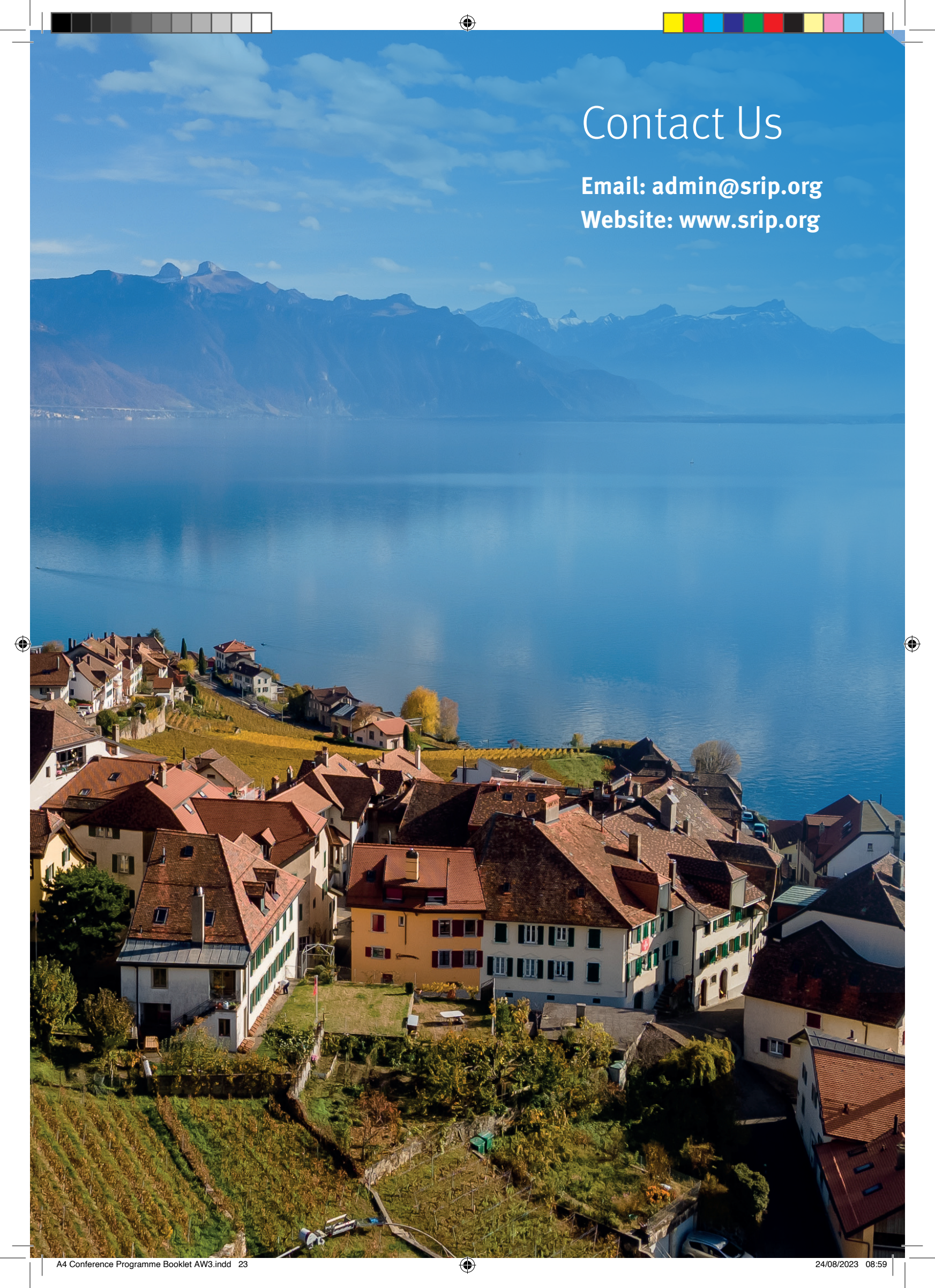


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