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Curriculum vitae

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My scholarship advances social and critical gerontology through innovative examination of how paid and unpaid carers make sense of experiences and negotiate normative ideals, emotions and identities. I elucidate how these processes engage broader discourses surrounding age, care and responsibility. As Principal Investigator, I have led three SSHRC-funded teams, and as a coinvestigator, I have participated on numerous Tri-Council grants addressing topics and issues related to aging, home care, long-term residential care, palliative care, and family care work.

AFFILIATIONS and PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

2020-present Research Affiliate, Centre for Social Science Research and Policy,
University of Manitoba
2020-present North American Network of Aging Studies
2018-present National Initiative for the Care of the Elderly
2018-present International Sociological Association
2011-present Research Affiliate, Centre on Aging, University of Manitoba
2011-present Research Affiliate, Riverview Health Centre
2011-present Qualitative Research Group, University of Manitoba
2018-present Canadian Sociological Association (former member 2004-2007)
2011-2020 Research Affiliate, Centre on Aging, University of Victoria
2018-2019 Member Scholar Academic, International Institute of Qualitative
Methodology
2017-2019 Expert Advisor, Evidence Network (no longer in operation)
2009-2011 Member Scholar, International Institute of Qualitative Methodology

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Mar 2021 Professor (Sociology), Department of Sociology and Criminology,
University of Manitoba
Mar 2015 Associate Professor (Sociology), Department of Sociology and Criminology,
University of Manitoba (Parental Leave Aug 2015-Jan 2016)
July 2011 Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Manitoba
(Parental Leave Sept 2013-May 2014)

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

2011 Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Canadian Institutes of Health Research (2009-
2011), Centre on Aging, University of Victoria, Canada
2008 PhD, Sociology, University of Victoria, Canada

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- 2002 MA, Sociology, University of Victoria, Canada
2000 Post-Baccalaureate Diploma, Gerontology, Simon Fraser University,
Vancouver, Canada
1997 BA (Honours), Sociology, University of British Columbia, Canada

RESEARCH GRANT FUNDING

- 2021** Funk, L. (PI), Armstrong, P., Aubrecht, K., Ceci, C.M., Cherba, M., Fridell, M., Klostermann, J., Symonds-Brown, H., & Sawchuk, D.M. Strengthening care mobilization in Canada's social welfare state (2021-2025). SSHRC (Insight Grant), \$187,853.
- 2020** Herron, R. (PI), Aubrecht, K., Brownridge, D., Funk, L., Kelly, C., Spencer, D., & Weeks, L. Safe places for aging and care? A site-specific analysis of features influencing violence in care for older adults (2020-2025). CIHR (Project Grant). \$340,000.
- 2019** Young, J.E. (PI), Funk, L., Reynolds, K., Moussavi, Z, & Kelly, D. Emotional-support robot prototype for persons living with depression. (2019-20). Manitoba Aging, Rehabilitation and Technology Institute Demonstration Project Grant. \$6,000.
- 2019** Stajduhar, K.I. (co-PI), Contandriopoulos, D. (co-PI), Bourgeault, I., Carrier, A., Dordunoo, D., Duncan, S., Funk, L., & Roberts, D. (2019-24). Tackling the home care challenge: A mixed methods study of publicly funded home care services in 4 Canadian cities. CIHR (Project Grant). \$856,800.
- 2019** Thompson, G. (PI), Doupe, M., Funk, L., Lengyel, C., Luo, H., Penner, J., Roger, K., Smith, M., St. John, P. & Webber, S. (2019-21). Perceptions of nursing homes. University of Manitoba Collaborative Research Project Grant (Internal). \$25,000.
- 2018** Young, J. (PI), Bunt, A., & Funk, L. (2018-19). Technology in care homes: Engaging stakeholders to inform technological design. Faculty of Science Interdisciplinary Grant (Internal). \$9,957.
- 2018** Funk, L. (PI), Rounce, A., Mackenzie, C., Stajduhar, K., Cohen, R., Cherba, M., & Krawczyk, M. (2018-21; extended to 2022). A mixed methods policy research study of dying at home in Canada. SSHRC (Insight Grant), \$130,967.
- 2018** Funk, L. (PI), & Rounce, A. (2018-19). Engaging older adults and their carers in democratic governance processes. University of Manitoba Explore Grant (Internal), \$6,683.
- 2018** Keefe, J. (co-PI), Stevens, S (co-PI), Lobchuk, M.M. (co-PI), Donaldson, J., Funk, L., Graves, K., Macdonald, M.J., Macdonald, M. Macdonald, M.L., Mitchell, L.M, & Warner, G. (2018-22). How approaches to care shape the pathways of older adult home care clients. CIHR (Project Grant), \$865,980.
- 2016** Funk, L. (PI), Herron, R., & Spencer, D. An interpretive microsociology of violence, victimization and older adults (2016-18). SSHRC (Insight Development Grant), \$67,139.
- 2016** Porter, M. (PI), Funk, L., Guse, L., Kelly, C., Kuo, I.F., Lengyel, C., Mallory-Hill, S., & Roger, K. The impact of renovations in long term care living spaces on residents with dementia, their families and the staff that care for them. (2016-19, extended to 2020). Riverview Health Centre and Mitacs \$294,164.

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- 2016** Min, J. (PI), Keating, N., Fast, J., Strohschein, L., Parmar, J., Swindle, J., **Funk, L.**, Wu, Z., & Spinks, N. Health, Wealth, and Happiness: Dynamics of Families and a Good Old Age? (2016-18). Kule Institute for Advanced Study, University of Alberta (Cluster Grant), \$99,765.
- 2014** Thompson, G. (PI), Chochinov, H., **Funk, L.**, Hack, T., Harlos, M., Labun, N., McClement, S., & Pereira, A. Excellence in delivering person-centered intimate care: What makes the difference. (2014-17). CIHR (Operating Grant), \$519,912.
- 2014** Stajduhar, K. (co-PI), Sawatzky, R. (co-PI), Aoun, S., Cohen, R., Ewing, G., **Funk, L.**, Grande, G., Toye, C., & Votova, K. Supporting family caregivers of palliative patients at home: The Carer Support Needs Assessment Intervention. Canadian Cancer Society Research Institute, \$299,722 (2014-18), and Technology Evaluation in the Elderly Network, \$533,925 (2014-18).
- 2013** **Funk, L.** (PI). Exploring policy opportunities for supporting the well-being of caregivers of older Manitobans (2013-17). Manitoba Health Research Council (Establishment Grant). \$95,950.
- 2013** Busby, K. (PI), Elias, B., Gaucher, D., Dupont, D.P., Vorauer, J.D., Starzyk, K.B., **Funk, L.**, Bonnycastle, C.R., Craft, A.E., Ten Fingers, K., Hotain, M.Y., Gunn, B.L., O’Gorman, M.S., & Karst, A. The right to clean water in First Nations: The most precious gift (2013-16). SSHRC Partnership Development Grant. \$200,000.
- 2012** **Funk, L.** (PI), & Hilash, L. Emotional labour in residential care for chronically and terminally ill persons and their families (2012-13). Riverview Health Centre Research Grant, Winnipeg, Manitoba. \$11,564.
- 2012** **Funk, L.** (PI). Volunteers and paid companions: Supporting older adults in in-patient and residential settings (2012-13). Centre on Aging, University of Manitoba (Research Fellowship). \$9,605.
- 2012** Penning, M.J. (co-PI), Taylor, D.C. (co-PI), Cloutier Fisher, D.S. (co-PI), **Funk, L.**, Gill, R., Golightly, S., Lau, F., & Macdonald, S. Transitions and trajectories in late life care: patterns and predictors (2012-15). CIHR (Operating Grant), \$333,225 and Michael Smith Foundation for Health Research (\$99,000).
- 2012** **Funk, L.** (PI) & Kobayashi, K. Loving together, living apart: Exploring commitment in long distance couples (2012-13). University of Manitoba (Internal SSHRC Research Grant). \$7,050.
- 2011** Kobayashi, K. (PI), & **Funk, L.** (Co-I). Loving the distance between: Exploring the nature of Living Apart Together (LAT) relationships (2011-12). University of Victoria (Internal SSHRC Research Grant). \$3,980.
- 2009** Stajduhar, K. (PI), Cloutier-Fisher, D.S., **Funk, L.**, Purkis, M.E., Crooks, A., Williams, D., Roberts, D., & MacLeod, B. The interpretation and practice of family empowerment in home care nursing: Palliative and chronic illness contexts. (2009-11). CIHR (Operating Grant and Bridge Funding). \$221,978.
- 2011** Stajduhar, K. (PI), Baxter, S., Porterfield, P., Tayler, C., Aoun, S., Bryan, S., Cohen, R., Crooks, V., Dumont, S., **Funk, L.**, Grande, G., Kelley, M.L., Lau, F., Longo, C., Pereira, J., Pesut, B, Reimer-Kirkham, S., Sawatzky, R., Thorne, S., Todd, C., & Toye, C. Community-based Primary Healthcare for People with Chronic Life-Limiting Conditions (2011). CIHR (Meetings/Planning Grant). \$25,000.
- 2008** Stajduhar, K. (PI), Grande, G., Aoun, S., Toye, C., & **Funk, L.** International collaboration on palliative family caregiving. (2008). CIHR (Meetings/Planning Grant). \$15,046.

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- 2007** Penning MJ, Tuokko H, Liu G, Funk L, Crossley M, Simard M, Chou B. CLSA BCNAR Joint Psychology and Social Theme Working Group Pilot Study Proposal - Taking Part: Social Participation and Coping in Later Life (2007-08). BC Network on Aging with funding from Michael Smith Foundation for Health Research, \$16,100.
- 2007** Chappell, N. (PI), **Funk, L.** & Chou, K.L. Filial responsibility across cultures: A comparison of filial attitudes and behaviours in caregiving to older adults (2007-09). SSHRC Operating Grant. \$79,000.

HONOURS, AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS (2004-on)

- 2019** Canadian Association of Gerontology Recognition Award for Excellence in Research on Unpaid Caregiving (October)
- 2019** University of Manitoba Merit Award (Research/Scholarly Work)
- 2015** Rh Institute of Winnipeg - Outstanding Contributions to Scholarship and Research in the Social Sciences (\$12,000)
- 2012** University of Manitoba Faculty of Arts Celebrated Faculty Award
- 2010** CIHR Institute of Aging's Age+ Prize (Excellence in research on aging carried out by emerging Canadian scholars)
- 2010** National Council on Family Relations, Anselm Strauss Award (outstanding qualitative family research published in 2009)
- 2009** Canadian Institutes of Health Research Postdoctoral Fellowship (\$135,000)
- 2009** Canadian Health Services Research Foundation Postdoctoral Award: Capacity for Applied and Developmental Research and Evaluation in Health Services and Nursing (\$100,000: declined)
- 2007** Dr. David C. Lai Scholarship, Centre on Aging, University of Victoria (\$600)
- 2004** Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, Canada Graduate Scholarship (Doctoral: \$105,000)

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

Books

Funk, L. (2016). *Sociological Perspectives on Aging (Themes in Canadian Sociology Series)*. P. Albanese & L. Tepperman, Series Editors. Don Mills, ON: Oxford University Press.

Refereed Journal Articles

1. Saj, D., **Funk, L.**, Gerbrandt, E., Spencer, D., & Herron, R. (in press). "Uncivilized children" or "victims of dementia": interpretations of aggression in older assisted living tenants. *Canadian Review of Sociology*.
2. Contandriopoulos, D., Stajduhar, K., Sanders, T., Carrier, A., Bitschy, A., & **Funk, L.** (2021). A realist review of the home care literature and its blind spots. *Journal of Evaluation in Clinical Practice*. Online first at: <https://doi.org/10.1111/jep.13627> Preprint available at Authorea: <https://doi.org/10.22541/au.162661494.45724041/v1>

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3. Herron, R., Novek, S., Kruth, M., Spencer, D., **Funk, L.**, Aubrecht, K., Kelly, C., Weeks, L., & Brownridge, D. (2021). A team-based comparative case study of violence across care settings for older adults in two Canadian provinces. *International Journal of Qualitative Methods*, 20, Advance online at <https://doi.org/10.1177/16094069211044895>
 4. **Funk, L.**, Rounce, A., & Cherpako, D. (2021). Older adults' and carers' engagement in democratic governance in the context of system and government change. *Journal of Aging and Social Change*, 11(1), 81-97. <https://doi.org/10.18848/2576-5310/CGP/v11i01/81-97>
 5. El-Bialy, R., **Funk, L.**, Thompson, G., Smith, M., St. John, P., Roger, K., Penner, J. & Luo, H. (2021). Imperfect solutions to the neoliberal problem of public aging: A critical discourse analysis of public narratives of long-term residential care. *Canadian Journal on Aging*, Advance online at <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0714980821000325>
 6. Thompson, G.N., McClement, S.E., Peters, S., Hack, T.F., **Funk, L.**, & Chochinov, H. (2021). More than just a task: intimate care delivery in the nursing home. *International Journal of Qualitative Studies on Health and Well-being*, 16(1), online first at <https://doi.org/10.1080/17482631.2021.1943123>
 7. Beatie, B.E., Mackenzie, C.S., **Funk, L.**, Davidson, D., Koven, L., & Reynolds, K.A. (2021). Caregiver identity in care partners of persons with mild cognitive impairment. *Dementia*. Advance online publication at: <https://doi.org/10.1177/1471301221994317>
 8. Chan, W.S., & **Funk, L.** (2021). Cultivating mutuality: a qualitative study of community end of life care in Hong Kong. *Health and Social Care in the Community*. Advance online publication at: <https://doi.org/10.1111/hsc.13391>
 9. **Funk, L.**, Spencer, D., & Herron, R. (2021). Making sense of workplace violence and victimization in health care work: the emotional labour of 'not taking it personally.' *International Review of Victimology*. 27(1), 94-110. <https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/10.1177/0269758020953760> [Mspace link <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/35075>]
 10. Herron, R., **Funk, L.**, & Spencer, D. (2021). Stories of violence and dementia in mainstream news media: applying a citizenship perspective. *Dementia*, 20(6), 2077-2090. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1471301220981232>
 11. **Funk, L.**, Herron, R., Spencer, D., & Thomas, S.L. (2021). Aggression and older adults: news media coverage across care settings and relationships. *Canadian Journal on Aging*. 40(3), 500-511 <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0714980820000197> [Mspace link <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/34854>]
 12. **Funk, L.**, & Hounslow, W. (2021). How do daughters interpret care work as a public issue? Exploring identity, emotion and discourse in the narratives of activist-inclined carers of older parents. *Community, Work and Family*, 24(4), 455-70. <https://doi.org/10.1080/13668803.2019.1681939>
 13. **Funk, L.**, & Outcalt, L. (2020). Maintaining the 'caring self' and working relationships: a critically informed analysis of meaning-construction among paid companions in long-term residential care. *Ageing and Society*, 40(7), 1511-28. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0144686X19000138> [Mspace link <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/34856>]
 14. Keefe, J., **Funk, L.**, Knight, L. Lobchuk, M., Macdonald, M. Mitchell, L., Rempel, J., Warner, G., & Stevens, S. (2020). Home care clients: A research protocol for

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- studying their pathways. *BMC Health Services Research*, 20: 535.
<https://doi.org/10.1186/s12913-020-05363-7> [Open Access]
15. Reynolds, K., Medved, M., Mackenzie, C., **Funk, L.**, & Koven, L. (2020). Older adults' narratives of seeking mental health treatment: Making sense of mental health problems and 'muddling through' to care. *Qualitative Health Research*, 30(10), 1517-1528. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1049732320919094>
 16. Herron, R.V., **Funk, L.**, Spencer, D., & Wrathall, M. (2020). Assisted living facilities as sites of encounter: implications for older adults' experiences of inclusion and exclusion. *Ageing and Society*, 40(7), 1577-93.
<https://doi.org/10.1017/S0144686X19000187>
 17. **Funk, L.**, Stajduhar, K.I., Giesbrecht, M., Cloutier, D., Williams, A., & Wolse, F. (2020). Applying the concept of structural empowerment to interactions between families and home-care nurses. *Nursing Inquiry*, 27(1), e12313,
<https://doi.org/10.1111/nin.12313> [Open Access]
 18. Herron, R., **Funk, L.**, & Spencer, D. (2019). Responding the "wrong way": The emotion work of caring for a family member with dementia. *The Gerontologist*, 59, 470-78. <https://doi.org/10.1093/geront/gnz047>
 19. **Funk, L.**, & Hounslow, W. (2019). The emotional landscape of accessing and navigating formal supports for older adults in one Western Canadian city. *International Journal of Care and Caring*, 3, 531-48.
<https://doi.org/10.1332/239788219X15622471468519> [Mspace link
<http://hdl.handle.net/1993/34855>]
 20. Neufeld, K., **Funk, L.**, Starzyk, K., Gorea, M. & Dansereau, L. (2019). Barriers to and strategies for engaging non-indigenous Canadians in First Nations water rights: A qualitative inquiry. *International Indigenous Policy Journal*, 10(3).
<https://doi.org/10.18584/iipj.2019.10.3.8291> [Open Access]
 21. Meyer, D., Martin, W., & **Funk, L.** (2019). Symbiotic care between residents in service-integrated housing. *Housing, Care and Support*, 22, 141-52.
<https://doi.org/10.1108/HCS-10-2018-0029>
 22. Keating, N., Eales, J., **Funk, L.**, Fast, J. & Min, J. (2019). Life course trajectories of family care. *International Journal of Care and Caring*, 3, 147-63.
<https://doi.org/10.1332/239788219X15473079319309> [Open Access]
 23. **Funk, L.**, Herron, R., Spencer, D., Dansereau, L., & Wrathall, M. (2019). More than 'petty squabbles' – developing a contextual understanding of conflict and aggression among older women in low-income assisted living. *Journal of Aging Studies*, 48, 1-8. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jaging.2018.11.001> [Open Access]
 24. Spencer, D., **Funk, L.**, Herron, R., Gerbrandt, E., & Dansereau, L. (2019). Fear, defensive strategies and caring for cognitively impaired family members. *Journal of Gerontological Social Work*, 62, 67-85. [10.1080/01634372.2018.1505796](https://doi.org/10.1080/01634372.2018.1505796)
 25. **Funk, L.**, & Hounslow, W. (2019). How formal navigators interpret their roles supporting families. *Quality in Ageing and Older Adults*, 20, 10-9
<https://doi.org/10.1108/QAOA-04-2018-0016> [Mspace link <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/34851>]
 26. **Funk, L.**, Dansereau, L., & Novek, S. (2019). Carers as system navigators: Exploring sources, processes and outcomes of structural burden. *The Gerontologist*. 59, 426-35 <https://doi.org/10.1093/geront/gnx175> [Mspace link
<http://hdl.handle.net/1993/34852>]
 27. Herron, R., Dansereau, L., Wrathall, M., **Funk, L.**, & Spencer, D. (2019). Using a flexible diary method rigorously and sensitively with family carers. *Qualitative*

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- Health Research*, 29(7), 1004-15.
<https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/10.1177/1049732318816081>
28. **Funk, L.**, Peters, S., & Roger, K.S. (2018). Caring about dying persons and their families: Interpretation, practice and emotional labour. *Health and Social Care in the Community*, 26, 519–26. <https://doi.org/10.1111/hsc.12559> [MSpace link <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/34858>]
 29. **Funk, L.**, Peters, S., & Roger, K.S. (2017). The emotional labor of personal grief in palliative care: Balancing caring and professional identities. *Qualitative Health Research*, 27, 2211–21. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1049732317729139> [MSpace link <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/34292>]
 30. **Funk, L.**, & Roger, K.S. (2017) Implications of the shifting landscape of residential care for volunteers' lived experiences and role involvement. *Ageing International*, 42, 44–61. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12126-016-9277-z> [MSpace link <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/34859>]
 31. Kobayashi, K., **Funk, L.**, & Khan, M.M. (2017). Constructing a sense of commitment in 'Living Apart Together' (LAT) relationships: Interpretive agency and individualization. *Current Sociology*, 65, 991–1009. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0011392116653237>
 32. **Funk, L.**, & Kobayashi, K. (2016). From motivations to accounts: An interpretive analysis of 'Living Apart Together' relationships in mid- to late- life. *Journal of Family Issues*, 37, 1101–22. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0192513X14529432> [MSpace link <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/31265>]
 33. **Funk, L.**, Stajduhar, K.I., & Outcalt, L. (2015). What family caregivers learn when providing care at the end of life: A qualitative secondary analysis of multiple datasets. *Palliative and Supportive Care*, 13, 425–33. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1478951513001168>
 34. **Funk, L.** (2015). Constructing the meaning of filial responsibility: Choice and obligation in the accounts of adult children. *Families, Relationships, and Societies*, 4, 383–99. <https://dx.doi.org/10.1332/204674314X14110461145506>. [MSpace link: <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/34857>]
 35. **Funk, L.** (2013). Home health care and family responsibility: A critical discourse analysis of talk and text. *Healthcare Policy*, 9 (Special Issue), 86–97. <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4750153/> [MSpace link <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/31266>]
 36. **Funk, L.**, Waskiewich, S., & Stajduhar, K.I. (2013-2014). Meaning-making and managing difficult feelings: Providing front-line end of life care. *Omega: Journal of Death and Dying*, 68, 23–43. <https://doi.org/10.2190/OM.68.1.b> [MSpace link: <http://hdl.handle.net/1993/31267>]
 37. **Funk, L.**, Chappell, N.L., & Liu, G. (2013). Associations between filial responsibility and caregiver well-being: Are there differences by cultural group? *Research on Aging*, 35, 78–95. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0164027511422450>
 38. Stajduhar, K., **Funk, L.**, & Outcalt, L. (2013). *Family caregiver learning – how family caregivers learn to provide care at the end of life: A qualitative secondary analysis of four datasets. Palliative Medicine*, 27, 657–64. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0269216313487765>
 39. **Funk, L.**, & Stajduhar, K.I. (2013). Analysis and proposed model of family caregivers' relationships with home health providers and perceptions of the quality of formal services. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*, 23, 318–28. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0733464811408699>

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40. Waskiewich, S., **Funk, L.**, & Stajduhar, K.I. (2012). End of life in residential care from the perspective of care aides. *Canadian Journal on Aging*, 31, 411–21. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0714980812000360>
 41. Aoun, S., Bentley, B., **Funk, L.**, Toye, C., Grande, G., & Stajduhar, K. (2012). A 10-year literature review of family caregiving for motor neurone disease: Moving from caregiver burden studies to palliative care interventions. *Palliative Medicine*, 27, 437–46. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0269216312455729>
 42. **Funk, L.**, Stajduhar, K.I., Cohen, R., Heyland, D., & Williams, A. (2012). Legitimizing and rationalizing in talk about satisfaction with formal health care among bereaved family members. *Sociology of Health and Illness*, 34, 1010–24. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0269216313487765>
 43. Chappell, N., & **Funk, L.** (2012). Filial responsibility: Does it matter for caregiving behaviours? *Ageing and Society*, 32, 1128–46. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0144686X11000821>
 44. **Funk, L.** (2012). ‘Returning the love,’ not ‘balancing the books’: Talk about delayed reciprocity in supporting ageing parents. *Ageing and Society*, 32, 634–54. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0144686X11000523>
*Translated into Italian for reprinting as Funk, L. (2011) *Reciprocità differita nei rapporti di cura? Lavoro Sociale*, 11(3), 341–56.
 45. Stajduhar, K., **Funk, L.**, Cohen, S.R., Williams, A., Bidgood, D., Allan, D., Norgrove, L., & Heyland, D. (2011). Bereaved family members’ assessments of the quality of EOL care: What is important? *Journal of Palliative Care*, 27, 261–69. <https://doi.org/10.1177/082585971102700402>
 46. Chappell, N., & **Funk, L.** (2011). Filial caregivers: diasporic Chinese compared with homeland and hostland caregivers. *Journal of Cross-Cultural Gerontology*, 26, 315–29. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10823-011-9154-x>
 47. Stajduhar, K., **Funk, L.**, Wolse, F., Crooks, V., Roberts, D., Williams, A., Cloutier-Fisher, D., & McLeod, B. (2011). Core aspects of “empowering” caregivers articulated by home health leaders: palliative and chronic illness contexts. *Canadian Journal of Nursing Research (Special Issue on End of Life)*, 43, 78–94. <https://cjr.archive.mcgill.ca/article/view/2317>
 48. Chappell, N., & **Funk, L.** (2011). Social support, caregiving and aging. *Canadian Journal on Aging*, 30, 355–70. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0714980811000316>
 49. Allan, D., **Funk, L.**, Reid, R.C. & Cloutier-Fisher, D. (2011). Exploring the influence of income and geography on access to services for older adults in British Columbia: A multivariate analysis using the Canadian Community Health Survey (Cycle 3.1). *Canadian Journal on Aging*, 30(1), 69–82. <https://doi.org/10.1017/S0714980810000760>
 50. **Funk, L.**, Stajduhar, K.I., & Purkis, M.E. (2011). An exploration of empowerment discourse within home care nurses’ accounts of practice. *Nursing Inquiry*, 18, 66–76. <https://doi.org/10.1111/j.1440-1800.2010.00502.x>
 51. Stajduhar, K.I., **Funk, L.**, Roberts, D., Cloutier-Fisher, D., McLeod, B., Wilkinson, C., & Purkis, M.E. (2011). Articulating the role of “relationships” in access to home care nursing at the end of life. *Qualitative Health Research*, 21, 117–31. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1049732310379114>
 52. **Funk, L.**, Stajduhar, K., & Cloutier-Fisher, D. (2011). Exploring family caregivers’ rationales for nonuse of formal home health services when caring for a dying

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- family member. *Home Health Care Management and Practice*, 23, 318–28. <https://doi.org/10.1177/1084822310384920>
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CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (PEER-REVIEWED)

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INVITED TALKS, WEBINARS/PODCASTS

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- 2021 Nov 16. Unpacking the complexity of public preferences for and beliefs about dying at home in Canada. Invited presenter, Gilbrea Centre for Studies in Aging and Department of Health, Aging and Society (McMaster), Virtual Seminar Series. Available at: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O4C_zNR8NfQ
- 2021 Oct 7. Invited presenter (remarks) at Virtual Launch of Patrick Marier’s “The Four Lenses of Population Aging,” organized by the McGill Institute for the Study of Canada. Available at:
- 2020 April 16. The structural burden of system navigation on families of older adults. (*Webinar*). *Canadian Association on Gerontology*. <https://youtu.be/dGWmKcCt21I>
- 2019 Oct 30. Relieving the burden of navigating health and social services for older adults and caregivers (*Policy Options Podcast 93, Institute for Research on Public Policy*). <https://policyoptions.irpp.org/magazines/november-2019/the-challenge-of-navigating-the-system/>
- 2019 Oct 17 (with R. Herron). Canadian news media coverage of violence and aggression in older adults. *Canadian Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse (Webinar)* <https://cnpea.ca/en/about-cnpea/cnpea-webinars/1024-in-the-news-today-exploring-newspaper-coverage-of-violence-and-aggression-in-older-adults>

STUDENT TRAINING AND SUPERVISION

Supervision and Committee Membership

I am currently supervising 4 PhD students, 2 MA students and one honours student, and have supervised 1 PhD student, 3 MA students and 6 honours students to completion in the past.

I currently serve on supervisory committees for 2 Masters-level and 5 PhD level students outside of Sociology, and 2 Sociology PhD students. Of completed students, I have sat on 3 supervisory committees for a Masters-level, 6 at the PhD-level, and for 2 Masters-

level Sociology students. I have served as External Examiner on 2 PhD dissertation (University of Technology Sydney; Carleton University) and for 1 MA student (Simon Fraser University) I also commonly serve on and Chair PhD Comprehensive Examination Committees in the Sociology department. For a full list, contact Laura.Funk@umanitoba.ca.

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Departmental and University Service

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Service to the Community

I have worked closely with various community groups, most recently including the Manitoba Health Coalition and Parents for Public Education Manitoba. In the past I have also provided unpaid expert consultation and advice for the Canadian Medical Association Foundation (2019), Virtual Hospice (2019), West Central Women's Resource Centre (2018), the Winnipeg Regional Health Authority (2014), South Osborne Urban Community Cooperative (2012), Ontario211 (2019), the International Health Workforce Collaborative Conference Canadian delegation (2018), and for individuals seeking scholarly advice on issues such as an intergenerational community initiative (2019), advocacy for family caregivers of persons with mental illness (2019). From 2016 to 2018 I served on the standing ethics review panel for the Liquor and Gaming Authority of Manitoba.

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