

## Curriculum Vitae

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Cecilie Rask Buskbjerg

PhD, psychologist

I am a licensed clinical psychologist in Denmark (Danish: psykolog med praksisuddannelse (klinisk psykolog)) and currently hold postdoctoral positions at the Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University, and the Department of Oncology, Aarhus University Hospital. My research expertise and interests lie within rehabilitation psychology, particularly neuropsychological rehabilitation, and extend to the broader domains of clinical psychology, health psychology, and neuropsychology.

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### Publication Metrics

Peer-reviewed publications: 25 (First author: 10)

Non-peer-reviewed publications: 2

Impact: H-index= 10; citations = 589 (*Link*: [Cecilie Rask Buskbjerg - Google Scholar](#))

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### Education

2024: Authorization as Clinical Psychologist, (Danish: psykolog med praksisuddannelse (klinisk psykolog))

2017-2020: PhD in Psychology, Department of Psychology & Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University

2015-2017: MSc in Psychology, Department of Psychology & Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University

*Internship*: The Brain Injury Centre, Aarhus Municipality (Specialized Rehabilitation for Individuals with Brain Injury)

2012-2015: BSc in Psychology, Department of Psychology & Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University

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### Positions

2026-: Postdoctoral fellow, Department of Psychology & Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (1/3 appointment)

2022-present: Psychologist (researcher), Department of Oncology, Aarhus University Hospital (50% appointment from 2022-2025, 100% appointment 2025-2026, 1/3 appointment since February 2026)

2020-2025: Postdoctoral fellow, Department of Psychology & Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (100% appointment from 2020-2022, 50% appointment from 2022-2025)

2014-2017: Research assistant, Department of Nuclear Medicine & PET-Centre, Aarhus University Hospital

2013-2017: Research assistant, Unit for Psychooncology & Health Psychology, Department of Psychology & Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University: 10 different research projects. Chair of the Research Assistant Group 2015-2017.

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### Parental Leave

2024-2025: Maternity leave, second child (April-January: 9 months)

2021-2022: Maternity leave, first child (June-May: 11 months)

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### Supervision

PhD co-supervisor: 3 current students (2023–present)

Research interns supervised: 2 completed, 1 ongoing (2022–present)

Master's theses: 3 completed, 2 ongoing (2019–present)

Bachelor's theses: 3 completed, 6 ongoing (2023–present)

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### International Collaboration

2024–present: Professor Samuel Smith, School of Medicine, Leeds University, United Kingdom

2023–present: Assistant Professor Kate Guastaferrro, School of Global Public Health, New York University, USA

2022–present: Associate Professor Lisa Maria Wu, Department of Psychology, Reykjavik University, Iceland

2020–present: Professor Sanne Schagen, Netherlands Cancer Institute, The Netherlands

2020–present: Professor Anne Speckens, Mindfulness Research Centre, Radboud University, The Netherlands

## Research Management Experience

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2024-present: Coordinator, *A brief Psychological Intervention for Caregivers with Fear of Cancer Progression and Recurrence – a Feasibility Study*.

Sponsor: Erik & Jytte Ryefelts Fond. PI: Robert Zachariae.

2022-present: Coordinator, *Contextualized Neuropsychological Rehabilitation of CNS Cancer Survivors: ImpACT Program*.

Sponsor: Danish Cancer Society (KB). PI: Lisa Wu.

2020-present: PI, *Online Testing of Cognitive Impairment after Cancer - A Danish Version of the Amsterdam Cognition Scan (ACS-DK)*.

Sponsors: Danish Cancer Society; Health Research Foundation of Central Region Denmark; Netherlands Cancer Institute; Einar Willumsens Mindelegat.

2020-present: Coordinator, *Optimizing Psychological Treatment for Pain after Breast Cancer*.

Sponsor: Independent Research Foundation, Denmark (DFF). PI: Robert Zachariae.

2017-2020: Coordinator (PhD project), *Cognitive Impairment in Testicular and Prostate Cancer Patients*.

Sponsors: AP Møller Foundation; Einar Willumsens Mindelegat; Aase & Ejnar Danielsens Foundation. Primary supervisor: Robert Zachariae.

## Research Stays Abroad

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2023: New York University School of Public Health, New York, USA (one month)

2023: Center of Expertise for Mindfulness, Radboud University, Nijmegen, The Netherlands (two weeks)

2020: The Netherlands Cancer Institute, Amsterdam, The Netherlands (three months)

2017: Department of Psychiatry and Neurobehavioral Sciences, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, USA (two weeks)

## Teaching Experience

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2026: Course manager and teacher, *Psychiatry* (Elective seminar), BSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (5 ECTS)

2026: Teacher, *Neuroscientific Psychology* (Elective seminar), BSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (5 ECTS)

2025: Course manager and teacher, *Clinical Neuropsychology* (Elective seminar), MSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (15 ECTS)

2025: Teacher, *Neuroscientific Psychology* (Elective seminar), BSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (5 ECTS)

2024: Teacher, *Neuroscientific Psychology* (Elective seminar), BSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (5 ECTS)

2023: Course manager and teacher, *Clinical Neuropsychology - Assessment & Rehabilitation* (Elective seminar), MSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (15 ECTS)

2017-2022: Examiner, *Clinical Psychology*, MSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (10 ECTS)

2018: Teacher, *Research Methods 3 - Quantitative Methods*, BSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (10 ECTS)

2018: Teacher, *Research Methodology IV - Plan a Research Project*, MSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (10 ECTS)

2018-2019: Teacher, *Research Methodology I - Statistics*, BSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (10 ECTS)

2017-2018: Supervisor, *Theory practice seminar*, MSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (5 ECTS)

2014-2016: Student Instructor - I) Social & Personality Psychology, II) Cognitive Psychology, III) Developmental Psychology, IV) Research Methods II - Qualitative Research, BSc, Department of Psychology and Behavioural Sciences, Aarhus University (10-20 ECTS)

### External Funding

Year	Amount	Funder	Role; Project / activity
2025	2,500,000 DKK	Danish Cancer Society	Collaborator; "Bridging the gap"
2025	210,000 EUR	Icelandic Cancer Society	Collaborator; "ImPACT Iceland"
2024	1,690,000 DKK	Danish Cancer Society	Co-PI; "ACS-DK"
2024	750,000 DKK	Erik og Jytte Ryefelts Fond	Collaborator; "Cancer carers"
2023	568,000 DKK	Health Research Fund of Central Denmark Region	PI; "ACS-DK"
2023	50,000 DKK	Einar Willumsens Mindelegat	PI; "ACS-DK"
2021	10,000 DKK	Carl & Ellen Hertz Videnskabslegat	Postdoc; "MOST Pain"
2020	2,613,435 DKK	Independent Research Fund Denmark	Postdoc; "MOST Pain"
2020	40,000 DKK	CC Klestrup's Mindelegat	PhD student; PhD project
2020	23,500 DKK	The Danish Cancer Society	PhD student; Research stay abroad
2020	15,000 DKK	Einar Willumsens Mindelegat	PhD student; Research stay abroad
2020	18,376 DKK	The Danish Cancer Society	PI; Conference attendance
2020	80,000 DKK	Einar Willumsens Mindelegat	PhD student; PhD project
2020	8,500 DKK	William Demant Fonden	PhD student; Research stay abroad
2019	100,000 DKK	Aase & Ejnar Danielsens Fond	PhD student; PhD project
2019	15,000 DKK	Christian og Ottilia Brorsons Rejselegat	PI; Conference attendance
2019	40,000 DKK	A.P. Møller Fonden	PhD student; PhD project
2019	10,000 DKK	Helga & Peter Kornings Fond	PI; Conference attendance
2019	10,000 DKK	Wedell Wedellborgs Fond	PI; Conference attendance
2018	10,000 DKK	Helga & Peter Kornings Fond	PI; Conference attendance
2017	10,000 DKK	Wedell Wedellborgs Fond	PI; Conference attendance
2016	3,500 DKK	William Demant Fonden	PI; Conference attendance

### Editorial responsibilities

2024-present: Topic Editor for "Psychosocial Drivers & Outcomes of the Cancer-related Pain Experience", *Frontiers in Psychology*.

### Professional affiliations

Danish Society for Neurorehabilitation  
 Danish Neuropsychological Association  
 Danish Psychological Association  
 Danish Health Psychological Association  
 Danish Psycho-Oncology Cooperative Group (DPOC)  
 European Cancer and Cognition Consortium (ECCC)