

¡Hola, I am Carmen!

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About me



I am a Spanish Psychologist living in Sweden. My academic background is in clinical neuropsychology and cognitive neuroscience. I am at the end of the second year of my Phd studies at Örebro University. I have one-year old baby girl who is learning to walk these days. My black and white cat is from Chile where I lived and worked for four years. I like reading and once a month I gather (digitally) with my family to talk about one book in our family book club. I love eating and live music. I also enjoy a lot hiking and nature.

My current research

- The aim of my thesis is to study the mental and physical health problems of older offenders and to explore how different psychosocial, health and criminal life course variables impact the health status of older adults with criminal background.
- I am now starting with my second study where I study the risk of dementia in older offenders using longitudinal data from different Swedish National Registers.

Goals for the SPA 2021

- To acquire a strong knowledge about longitudinal methodologies, data harmonisation and pooling across national longitudinal studies.
- To learn from others who apply longitudinal approaches to their ageing research.
- To meet and network with other PhDs and researchers with similar research questions and interests.