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### EDUCATION:

1995-1998 - Ph.D. in Psychology (Major: Adult Development and Aging, Minor: Quantitative Methods), School of Psychology, Georgia Institute of Technology.

1993-1995 - Master of Science in Psychology (Specialized in Adult Development and Aging), School of Psychology, Georgia Institute of Technology.

1989-1992 - Master of Arts in Psychology, Department of Philosophy, Nanjing University, P. R. China.

1985-1989 - Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy, Department of Philosophy, Nanjing University, P. R. China.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2007-present Serve on **the Editorial Board of Psychology and Aging**.

2006-present Associate Professor, Department of Psychology, Bowling Green State University.

2005-2006 Visiting Scholar, Psychology Department, Stanford University

2004-2005 Associate Professor, Department of Psychology, Bowling Green State University.

1998-2004 Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, Bowling Green State University.

### RESEARCH GRANTS AND HONORS:

Research Development Award from the Center of Family and Demographic Research, Bowling Green State University, \$6,500, "Postretirement Trajectories of Psychological Well-Being," May 2007- August 2007, Principal Investigator.

Faculty Improvement Grant, Bowling Green State University, \$6,500, "Retirement Investment Decision-Making: Experts versus Novices". July 2004 – June 2005, Principal Investigator.

National Institute on Aging/ National Institute of Health Research Grant, \$50,000, "Mental Contamination in Social Judgments and Aging," August 1999 – August 2001, Principal Investigator.

Faculty Research Incentive Grant, Bowling Green State University, \$5,500, "Age Stereotypes and Intergenerational Communication". May 1999 – May 2000, Principal Investigator.

Honor Graduate Student, School of Psychology, College of Sciences, Georgia Institute of Technology, May 1997.

Winner of the Student Award in the Category of Master Thesis Proposal, Division 20 of the American Psychological Association, \$1,000, August 1995.

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:**

American Psychological Association  
Gerontological Society of America

### **PUBLICATIONS:**

Chen, Y., & Ma, X. (in press). Beyond adolescence: Introduction to Adult Developmental Psychology. In N. Zhang (Ed.), Introduction to Western Psychology. Beijing: Chinese People's University Press.

Davis, G., & Chen, Y. (in press). Age differences in weighting demographic predictors of retirement planning decision making. Educational Gerontology.

Blachard-Fields, F., Chen, Y., Horhota, M., & Wang, M. (2007). Cultural differences in the relationship between aging and the correspondence bias. Psychology and Aging, 62B, P362-P365.

Chen, Y. (2007). Age Differences in Social Judgments: Why Are Old Adults More Susceptible to Scams? In F. H. Columbus (Ed.), Advances in Psychology Research. Nova Science Publishers, Inc.

Wang, M., & Chen, Y. (2006). Age differences in attitude change: Influences of cognitive resources and motivation on responses to argument quantity. Psychology and Aging, 21, 581-589.

Chen, Y., Tisak, M., Tisak, J., & Goldstein, S. (2006). Cross-Cultural Comparisons of Perceptions and Evaluations of Adolescent Misconduct: Parents' versus Adolescent Children's Perspectives. Perspective, 7, 47-58.

Chen, Y., & Wang, M. (2005). Ageism. In N. J. Salkind (Ed.), The Encyclopedia of Human Development. New York: Sage Publications.

Wang, M., & Chen, Y. (2004). Age differences in the correction processes of context-induced biases: When correction succeeds. Psychology and Aging, 19, 536-540.

Chen, Y. (2004). Age differences in the correction of social judgments: Source monitoring and timing of accountability. Aging, Neuropsychology, and Cognition, 11, 58-67.

Wryobeck, J., & Chen, Y. (2003). Using Priming Techniques to Facilitate Health

Behaviors. Clinical Psychologist, 7, 105-108.

Chen, Y., & Sun, Y. (2003). Age differences in financial decision-making: Using simple heuristics. Educational Gerontology, 29, 627-635.

Chen, Y. (2002). Unwanted Beliefs: Age Differences in Beliefs of False Information. Aging, Neuropsychology, and Cognition, 9, 217-230.

Chen, Y., & King, B. E. (2002). Intra- and Intergenerational Communication Satisfaction as a Function of an Individual's Age and Age Stereotypes. International Journal of Behavioral Development, 26, 562-570.

Chen, Y., & Persson, A. (2002). Internet Use among Young and Older adults: Relation to Psychological Well-being. Educational Gerontology, 28, 731-744.

Chen, Y. (2001). Reconstructing the reality: Unwanted memory in the courtroom. In D. E. Eber and A. Neal (Eds.). Memory and representations: Constructed truths and competing reality (pp. 87-94). Bowling Green, Ohio: Popular Press.

Chen, Y., & Blanchard-Fields, F. (2000). Unwanted Thought: Age Differences in the Correction of Social Judgments. Psychology and Aging, 15, 475-482.

Blanchard-Field, F., Chen, Y., Schocke, M., & Hertzog, C. (1998). Evidence for content-specificity of causal attributions across the adult life span. Aging, Neuropsychology, and Cognition, 5, 241-263.

Chen, Y. (1998). Unwanted memory: Age differences in susceptibility to the influence of false information on social judgments. Doctoral Dissertation, Georgia Institute of Technology.

Chen, Y. & Blanchard-Fields, F. (1997). Age differences in stages of attributional processing. Psychology and Aging, 12, 694-703.

Blanchard-Fields, F., Chen, Y., & Norris, L. (1997). Everyday problem solving across the adult life span: The influence of domain-specificity and cognitive appraisal. Psychology and Aging, 12, 684-693.

Blanchard-Fields, F., Chen, Y., & Herbert, C. E. (1997). Interrole conflict as a function of life stage, gender, and gender-related personality attributes. Sex Roles, 37, 155-174.

Blanchard-Fields, F., & Chen, Y. (1996). Adaptive cognition and aging. American Behavioral Scientist, 39, 231-248.

## **SELECTED PRESENTATIONS**

Ma, X., & Chen, Y. (Nov. 2007). Age Differences in Conjunction Fallacy and Information Processing Styles. Poster presented at the annual conference of Gerontological Society of American, San Francisco, California.

Chen, Y. (July 2007). Can We Change Attitudes Toward Old People by Teaching Psychology of Aging? Poster presented at the International Conference on Teaching of Psychology, Vancouver, Canada.

Chen, Y., & Wang, M. (Nov. 2006). Age Differences in Bias and Bias Correction of Social Judgment. Invited symposium at the annual conference of Gerontological Society of American, Dallas, Texas.

Chen, Y., Davis, G., & Ma, X. (Nov. 2006). Age Differences in Risk and Risk Perception. Poster presented at the annual conference of Gerontological Society of American, Dallas, Texas.

Davis, G., & Chen, Y. (May 2005). Age Differences in Retirement Investment Decision-Making. Poster presented at the 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference of the International Society for Gerontechnology, Nagoya, Japan.

Blanchard-fields, F., Chen, Y., Horhota, M., & Wang, M. (May 2004). Cross Cultural and Age Differences in the Correspondence Bias. Poster presented at the 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of American Psychological Society, Chicago, IL.

Davis, G., & Chen, Y. (April 2004). Age Differences in Weighting Demographic Predictors of Retirement Decision-Making. Poster presented at the Biennial meeting of Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Chen, Y., Wang, M., Davis, G. (August 2003). Age Differences in Correction of Context-Induced Biases: Timing of Accountability. Poster presented at the 111<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.

Wang, M., & Chen, Y. (August 2003). Age Differences in Flexible Correction Processes of Social Judgment. Poster presented at the 111<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of American Psychological Association, Toronto, Canada.

Chen, Y. (November 2002). Age differences in the correction of social judgment: Search for a new correction model. Invited talk in the Symposium "Contextual Influences in Late Life: Age Differences in Social Judgment, Sibling Relationships, and Collaboration" at the annual conference of the Gerontological Society of American, Boston, MA.

Sun, Y., & Chen, Y. (April 2002). Age differences in probabilistic decision making. Invited talk in the Symposium "Decision-making and Aging" at the Biennial Meeting of Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Chen, Y. (April 2002). Age Differences in Context-Induced Biases: A Sufficient Correction Model. Poster presented at the Biennial Meeting of Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Chen, Y., Wryobeck, J., Miller, J., Wang, M. (April 2002). Age Differences in Self-regulation: Are You Aware of Your Age Stereotypes? Poster presented at the Biennial Meeting of Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Blanchard-Fields, F., & Chen, Y. (August 2000). Cross-Cultural Differences in Causal Attributions: A Developmental Perspective. Invited symposium at the 108<sup>th</sup> annual meeting of American Psychological Association, Washington D. C.

Chen, Y. (July 2000). Mental Control and Aging. Invited symposium at the 16<sup>th</sup> biennial meeting of International Society for the Study of Behavioral Development, Beijing, China.

Chen, Y., Tisak, M., Sun, Y., & Goldstein, S. (July 2000). Developmental changes in evaluations about adolescent misconduct: A cross-cultural comparison. Poster presented at the 16<sup>th</sup> Biennial Meeting of International Society for the Study of Behavioral Development, Beijing, China.

Chen, Y., King, B. E., & Lewis, T. (April 2000). Does intergenerational communication change as a function of individual's age stereotypes? Poster presented at the Biennial Meeting of Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA.

Blanchard-Field, F., Chen, Y., Schocke, M., & Hertzog, C. (1998, July). Evidence for content-specificity of causal attributions across the adult life span. Poster presented at the 15th Biennial ISSBD Meetings, Berne, Switzerland.

Chen, Y. (1998, May). Unwanted memory: Age differences in susceptibility to the influence of false information. Poster presented at the Annual Conference of American Psychological Society at Washington DC.

Chen, Y., Blanchard-Fields, F., Chalker, J., & Schroeder, D. (1998, April). Age differences in the influence of automatic memory on social judgments: Why do we need good memory anyway when we have so much to forget? Poster presented at the Seventh Biennial Cognitive Aging Conference at Atlanta, GA.

Blanchard-Fields, F., Chen, Y., & Watson, T. (1997, April). Strategy differences in social and instrumental problem solving across the adult life span. Paper presented at the Biennial Meeting of Society for Research in Child Development, Washington, DC.

Chen, Y., & Blanchard-Fields, F. (1996, April). Age differences in stages of attributional processing. Poster presented at the Sixth Biennial Cognitive Aging Conference, Atlanta, GA.

**COURSES TAUGHT FREQUENTLY:**

PSYC 309 Psychology of Aging, Bowling Green State University.

PSYC 309H Psychology of Aging, Honor Class, Bowling Green State University.  
PSYC 310 Lifespan Developmental Psychology, Bowling Green State University.  
PSYC 736 Psychology of Adult Development and Aging, Bowling Green State University.  
PSYC 780 Graduate Seminar: Social Cognition and Aging  
PSYC 793 Developmental Forum

**AD-HOC REVIEWER:**

Aging, Neuropsychology, and Cognition  
International Sociology  
Journal of Gerontechnology  
Journal of Gerontology: Psychological and Social Sciences  
Psychology and Aging  
Psychological Bulletin  
Psychological Review  
Social Cognition