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# Who Am I?

Interdisciplinary

Qualitative methods

Medicalisation and diagnosis

Disability

Performativity

# Work Experience

## Postgraduate lecturer

September 2015 – May 2018

School of Geography and Planning, Cardiff University

Courses:   
Undergraduate: Introducing Research Methods, Border Spaces: Identities, Cultures and Politics in a Globalising World, Making Knowledge, Geographical Ideas.   
Postgraduate: Research Methods Part A

## Research Assistant

July 2017 – August 2017

School of Geography and Planning, Cardiff University

Project: AHRC funded project ‘Literary Atlas of Wales and its Borderlands’

## Research Assistant

March 2012 – October 2012

Alterra Research Institute and Science Shop, Wageningen University and Research Centre

Projects: ‘Redesigning Rotterdam school yards’ and ‘To a Village Heart for Spijk’

# Education

Cardiff University

PhD

2018

School of Geography and Planning

Utrecht University

MSc (by Research)

2012

Department of Human Geography and Planning

Wageningen University

BSc

2009

Department of Landscape architecture and Spatial Planning

# Publications

## Papers

Beljaars, D. & Anderson, J. (forthcoming) “Tourette syndrome through the eye of the beholder” *GeoHumanities* Special Issue ‘Medical-Health-Humanities: New Spaces of Theory and Practice’.

Beljaars, D. (in review) “Towards Compulsive Geographies” *Transactions of the Institute of British Geographers.*

Beljaars, D., Drozynski, C. & Nahmad-Vazquez, A. (contracted for publication in September 2019) *Civic Spaces and Desire*. Routledge.