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*Research interests:* Cultural Psychology, (Embodied) Cognition, Language, Emotion

## *Educational Background*

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- 2008 – 2009**      **Utrecht University, The Netherlands**  
Ph. D. Studentship in Social Psychology: Culturally Situated Cognition  
Advisors: Prof. Dr. Gün R. Semin & Dr. Dov Cohen
- 2007**              **Royal Academy of the Dutch Sciences, Amsterdam**  
9<sup>th</sup> Hendrik Muller Seminar: The Future of Religion in the Netherlands
- 2004 – 2006**      **VU University, Amsterdam**  
Honor's Research M. Sc. in Social Psychology (cum laude, GPA: 8.6)
- 2006**              **University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, US**  
Visiting Research Scholar  
Advisor: Dr. Dov Cohen
- 2000 – 2003**      **Saint Vincent College, Latrobe, PA, US**  
Liberal Arts B. Sc. in Psychology (cum laude, GPA 3.67)  
College Scholar of the Honor's Program  
Minors Spanish & French, Credits 147/124

## *Representative Publications and Current Research*

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- Ijzerman, H. & Cohen, D. (in preparation). The hard embodiment of culture: The body as physical interface for honor.
- Ijzerman, & Semin, G. R. (in preparation). The primary nature of the warmth-affection metaphor.
- Schubert, T. W., & Ijzerman, H. (in preparation). When being right is not-so-good. Moral valence in spatial representation.
- Ijzerman, H., & Semin, G. R. (under review). The thermometer of social relations: Mapping social proximity on temperature. *Under review with Psychological Science*.
- Ijzerman, H., & Van Prooijen (2008). A just world and the emotional defense of self. *Social Psychology*, 39, 117 - 120
- Ijzerman, H., Van Dijk, W. W., & Gallucci, M. (2007). A bumpy train ride: A field experiment on insult, honor, and emotional responses. *Emotion*, 7, 869 - 875.

## *Presentations and Conference Proceedings*

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- Ijzerman, H., & Semin, G. R. (September, 2008). The thermometer of social relations: Mapping social proximity on temperature. Presentation at the Transfer of Knowledge Conference of the European Social Cognition Network.\*

Ijzerman, H., & Cohen. D. (July, 2008). Embodiment in honor cultures. Invited Presentation at the Embodiment Symposium at the International Conference of Psychology, Berlin.

Ijzerman, H., & Cohen. D. (June, 2008). The hard embodiment of culture: The body as physical interface for honor. Symposium Presentation at the General Meeting of the European Association for Experimental Social Psychology, Opatija, Croatia.

Ijzerman, H. (June, 2007). How can psychological research and practice benefit from one another? Invited Speaker at Applied Psychology Symposium at VU University, Amsterdam.

Cohen, D., Leung, A. K.-y., & Ijzerman, H. (December, 2006). The embodiment of moral systems. International Conference on Cultural Influences on Behavior. Hong Kong University of Science and Technology.

Ijzerman, H. (April, 2006). *Short Stories in Culture and Emotion*. Lecture presented at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Ijzerman, H., Van Dijk, W. W., & Gallucci, M. (2005). Toen wij uit Rotterdam vertrokken ... : Een veldexperiment naar de relatie tussen belediging, emotionele reacties en eercultuur. [How we departed from Rotterdam: A field experiment after the relation between insult, emotional responses, and culture of honor]. Presented at the ASPO Congress, Groningen, 2005. Published in Dutch Yearbook of Social Psychology, 2005.

*\*This paper was elected runner-up in the European Social Cognition Network's Best Paper Award.*

### *Reviewing and Editing Experience*

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2006 - current	Founder and Editor-in-chief In-Mind Magazine
2008	Ad-hoc Reviewer Dutch Association for Social Psychological Researchers
2008	Ad-hoc Reviewer Personality and Individual Differences
2007	Ad-hoc Reviewer Asian Journal of Social Psychology

### *Professional Memberships*

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2008	Kurt Lewin Institute
2007	Society for Personality and Social Psychology
2007	European Association for Experimental Social Psychology
2005	Associatie voor Sociaal Psychologische Onderzoekers
2001	Psi Chi

### *Prior Research Employment Experience*

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<b>2007</b>	<b>VU University, Amsterdam</b> Research Assistant to Prof. Dr. Gün Semin (Social Cognition, EMG)
<b>2005 – 2007</b>	<b>Nederlands Onderzoekscentrum Arbeidsmarkt &amp; Allochtonen</b> Freelance Junior Psychologist
<b>2003</b>	<b>Adelphoi Village, Latrobe, PA, US</b> Research Intern on Effectiveness PTSD Treatment

### *Prior Teaching Employment History*

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<b>2007</b>	<b>VU University, Amsterdam</b> Lecturer, Developmental Psychology Writing Course
<b>2007</b>	<b>IMC Weekendschool, Amsterdam</b> Social Psychology for Underprivileged High School Children
<b>2006 – 2007</b>	<b>VU University, Amsterdam</b> Lecturer, Introduction to Psychological Research
<b>2006</b>	<b>University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign</b> Supervisor for Psych 290 – Research Experience in Psychology
<b>2004</b>	<b>Fisk, Santos, SP, Brazil</b> English Teacher
<b>2000 – 2003</b>	<b>St. Vincent College, Dpt. of Modern Languages, Latrobe, PA, US</b> French, German, and Spanish Tutor
<b>2000</b>	<b>St. Vincent College, Athletics Department, Latrobe, PA, US</b> Camp Coordinator

### *Grants and Honors*

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2008	Runner-up European Social Cognition Network's Best Paper Award
2006	VU University, Amsterdam, Departmental Research Travel Grant
2006	VU University, Amsterdam, General Research Travel Grant
2003	Nominated for All-USA Academic Team
2002 – 2003	St. Vincent College, Academic Scholarship
2002	Named Collegiate All-American
2001	Nominated for National Collegiate Education Award
2001, 2002, 2003	Selected for Who's Who Among American Colleges & Universities
2000 – 2003	St. Vincent College, International Student Grant
2000, 2001, 2002	Selected for Freshmen, Educational, & Psychology Honor Societies
2000 – 2002	St. Vincent College, Athletic Grant
2000 – 2003	Named to St. Vincent College Dean's List (7/8 semesters)

### *Abbreviated Academic Service*

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2004 – 2006	Author and Editor for Graduate Psychology Magazine <i>The Free Mind</i>
2003	Honor's Program Committee for Community Service
2002 – 2003	St. Vincent College Board of Directors, Student Representative
2002 – 2003	Author and Editor-in-chief ISU Newspaper <i>Le Communiqué</i>
2000 – 2003	Co-founder, President, and Vice-President of St. Vincent College International Student Union
2000, 2002	Freshman & Junior Representative Psychology Club

### *Other Relevant Skills and Interests*

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<b>Languages</b>	Dutch: <i>Native</i> English: <i>Native</i> Portuguese: <i>Excellent Speaking, Average Writing</i> Spanish: <i>Average Speaking and Writing</i> German: <i>Average Speaking and Writing</i> French: <i>Intermediate Speaking and Writing</i>
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**Computer Skills**

SPSS: *Excellent*

Microsoft Office: *Excellent*

Research Tools (Authorware/Examine): *Good*

**Miscellaneous**

Advanced salsa dancer, former collegiate and national youth team basketball player, served as mediator for American professional basketball players, etc.