

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

**Gartlehner Gerald**

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Date of birth: March 30, 1969

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## EDUCATION

2001-2002 **Master of Public Health**; University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, School of Public Health, USA

1987-1994 **Doctor of Medicine**; University of Vienna, School of Medicine, Vienna, Austria

## CURRENT POSITION(S)

2008-present **Department Chair and Professor**; Department for Evidence-based Medicine and Evaluation, University for Continuing Education Krems, Austria

2010-present **Director Cochrane Austria**; WHO Collaborating Centre for Evidence-based Medicine

2011-present **Associate Director**; Research Triangle Institute – University of North Carolina, Evidence-based Practice Center, USA

## PREVIOUS POSITIONS

2007-2008 Senior Researcher; Ludwig Boltzmann Institute for Health Technology Assessments, Vienna, Austria

2003-2007 Associate Director of the RTI-UNC Evidence-based Practice Center; University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA - Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research

2002-2003 Research Associate; Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research, Chapel Hill, USA

1995-2001 Hospital training and work as an emergency physician; City of Vienna Hospitals, St. John's Medical Emergency Service, Vienna, Austria

## FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS

2023, 2022, 2021, 2020 Top 1% Highly Cited Researcher Award by Clarivate Web of Science

2021 Leopold Award for Health Communication

2008-present Research Fellow: Sheps Center for Health Services Research, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA

2011-present Venia Docendi: Medical University of Vienna, Austria

2014, 2015, 2017, 2018 RTI Fellow Program: Awards as Career Author, Highly Published Author, Highly Cited Author, Outstanding Paper

2007, 2009 Health Technology Assessment International, Journal prize for best paper

## **TEACHING ACTIVITIES**

### University Courses

- 2015-present Evidence-based Medicine and Clinical Epidemiology, Landsteiner University for Health Sciences, Austria
- 2015-present Comparative Effectiveness Case Studies, Paris Descartes University, France
- 2003-2007 Critical Appraisal of the Medical Literature, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

### Workshops at Universities

- 2008-present Cochrane workshops: Critical appraisal of the medical literature, author workshop
- 2010-present Introductory GRADE workshop, World Health Organization, Geneva
- 2017 Risk of Bias of Randomized Controlled Trials, Kazan University, Russia

## **ORGANISATION OF SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS**

- 2020 Scientific board of the 22nd Annual Conference of the German-speaking Network for Evidence-based Medicine, Berlin, Germany
- 2011, 2013, 2017, 2019 European Forum for Evidence-Based Prevention, Austria
- 2015 23rd Cochrane Colloquium, Vienna, Austria
- 2011 AHRQ Annual Research Conference, Rockville, USA

## **INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Since 2022 Member of Cochrane Editorial Board
- 2015-present Member of Faculty, Karl Landsteiner University for Health Sciences, Austria
- 2015-present Co-convenor of the Cochrane Rapid Reviews Working Group
- 2008-present Professor, Danube University Krems, Austria
- 2017-2018 Elected member of Cochrane Governing Board
- 2017-2018 Board member of Cochrane Innovations
- 2006-2009 Assistant Professor, School of Public Health, University of North Carolina, USA
- 2005-2010 Scientific Consultant for Best Buy Drugs, U.S. Consumers Union, Washington, USA

## **INVITED POSITIONS and DISTINCTIONS**

- Since 2024 Member of methods group of the Standing Committee on Vaccination, Robert Koch Institute, Germany
- 2021-present Co-Chair of the Austrian Cancer Screening Committee
- 2018-present Scientific Advisory Board Austrian Institute of Public Health, Vienna, Austria
- 2015-present Highest Advisory Board of the Austrian Ministry of Health
- 2015-2023 Scientific Advisory Board German Institute for Quality and Efficiency in Healthcare, Cologne Germany
- 2017-2020 Review panel member, systematic review funding program, German Ministry of Health
- 2017-2018 Advisory Board of Cochrane Germany, University of Freiburg, Germany
- 2017-2018 Panel member for evidence-based recommendations for screening in infants and children, Austrian Ministry of Health

## Curriculum Vitae Gerald Gartlehner

- 2014 Panel member of WHO position paper on screening for diabetes and cardiovascular risk, Geneva, World Health Organization
- 2013 Panel member of WHO position paper on mammography screening, Geneva, World Health Organization
- 2010, 2018 Panel member, Conducting Quantitative Synthesis When Comparing Medical Interventions, Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, USA

### MEMBERSHIPS OF SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

- 2010-present Cochrane
- 2007-present European Public Health Association
- 2007-present German-speaking Network for Evidence-based Medicine
- 2007-present Austrian Society for Public Health
- 2007-present GRADE Working Group

### PUBLICATIONS

Complete list of published work:

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/sites/myncbi/1riMke6kttSQO/bibliography/48589634/public/?sort=date&direction=ascending>.

Peer-reviewed publications: 280

H-Index: 72

Number of citations: more than 28,300

Number of publications cited more than 100 times: 57

### SELECTED PUBLICATIONS (2024-2018)

Dobrescu A, Constantin AM, Pinte L, Chapman A, Ratajczak P, Klerings I, Emprechtinger R, Allegranzi B, Zingg W, Grayson ML, Toledo J, **Gartlehner G**, Nussbaumer-Streit B. Effectiveness and safety of measures to prevent infections and other complications associated with peripheral intravenous catheters: A systematic review and meta-analysis. Clin Infect Dis. 2024.

Dobrescu AI, Persad E, Klerings I, **Gartlehner G**. Update Alert: Nonpharmacologic and Pharmacologic Treatments of Adult Patients With Major Depressive Disorder: A Systematic Review and Network Meta-analysis for a Clinical Guideline by the American College of Physicians. Annals of internal medicine. 2024.

Torbahn G, Jones A, Griffiths A, Matu J, Metzendorf M-I, Ells LJ, **Gartlehner G**, et al. Pharmacological interventions for the management of children and adolescents living with obesity—An update of a Cochrane systematic review with meta-analyses. Pediatric Obesity.n/a(n/a):e131113.

**Gartlehner G**, Kahwati L, Hilscher R, Thomas I, Kugley S, Crotty K, et al. Data extraction for evidence synthesis using a large language model: A proof-of-concept study. Res Synth Methods. 2024.

Garritty C, Hamel C, Trivella M, **Gartlehner G**, Nussbaumer-Streit B, Devane D, et al. Updated recommendations for the Cochrane rapid review methods guidance for rapid reviews of effectiveness. *BMJ (Clinical research ed)*. 2024;384:e076335.

Affengruber L, Nussbaumer-Streit B, Hamel C, Van der Maten M, Thomas J, Mavergames C, Spijker R, **Gartlehner G**. Rapid review methods series: Guidance on the use of supportive software. *BMJ Evid Based Med*. 2024.

Puljak L, Bala MM, Zając J, Meštrović T, Buttigieg S, Yanakouli M, Briel M, Lunny C, Lesniak W, Pokleповić Peričić T, Alonso-Coello P, Clarke M, Djulbegovic B, **Gartlehner G**, et al. Methods proposed for monitoring the implementation of evidence-based research: a cross-sectional study. *Journal of clinical epidemiology*. 2024:111247.

Crotty K, Viswanathan M, Kennedy S, Edlund MJ, Ali R, Siddiqui M, Wines R, Ratajczak P, **Gartlehner G**. Psychotherapies for the treatment of borderline personality disorder: A systematic review. *J Consult Clin Psychol*. 2023

Sommer I, Sunder-Plassmann V, Ratajczak P, Emprechtinger R, Dobrescu A, Griebler U, **Gartlehner G**. Full publication of preprint articles in prevention research: an analysis of publication proportions and result consistency. *Scientific Reports*. 2023, 13(1):17034.

Sommer I, Ledingger D, Thaler K, Dobrescu A, Persad E, Fangmeyer M, Klerings I, **Gartlehner G**. Outpatient Treatment of Confirmed COVID-19: A Living, Rapid Evidence Review for the American College of Physicians (Version 2). *Annals of internal medicine*. 2023.

**Gartlehner G**, Persad E, Ledingger D, Chapman A, Gadinger A, Feyertag J, et al. Beyond Statistical Significance: Nuanced Interpretations of Statistically Nonsignificant Results were Rare in Cochrane Reviews - a Meta-epidemiological Study. *Journal of clinical epidemiology*. 2023.

**Gartlehner G**, Schernhammer E, Lax SF, Preusser M, Bachler H, Tietzer H, et al. Screening for colorectal cancer. *Wiener klinische Wochenschrift*. 2023.

Nussbaumer-Streit B, Sommer I, Hamel C, Devane D, Noel-Storr A, Puljak L, Trivella M, **Gartlehner G**. Rapid reviews methods series: Guidance on team considerations, study selection, data extraction and risk of bias assessment. *BMJ Evidence-Based Medicine*. 2023:bmjebm-2022-112185.

Klerings I, Robalino S, Booth A, Escobar-Liquitay CM, Sommer I, **Gartlehner G**, et al. Rapid reviews methods series: Guidance on literature search. *BMJ Evidence-Based Medicine*. 2023:bmjebm-2022-112079.

**Gartlehner G**, Nussbaumer-Streit B, Devane D, Kahwati L, Viswanathan M, King VJ, et al. Rapid reviews methods series: Guidance on assessing the certainty of evidence. *BMJ Evidence-Based Medicine*. 2023:bmjebm-2022-112111.

Glechner A, Wagner G, Mitus JW, Teufer B, Klerings I, Böck N, Grillich L, Berzaczy D, Helbich TH, **Gartlehner G**. Mammography in combination with breast ultrasonography versus

mammography for breast cancer screening in women at average risk. The Cochrane database of systematic reviews. 2023;3(3):Cd009632.

**Gartlehner G**, Dobrescu A, Chapman A, Toromanova A, Emprechtinger R, Persad E, et al. Nonpharmacologic and Pharmacologic Treatments of Adult Patients With Major Depressive Disorder: A Systematic Review and Network Meta-analysis for a Clinical Guideline by the American College of Physicians. *Annals of internal medicine*. 2023;176(2):196-211.

Dobrescu A, Chapman A, Affengruber L, Persad E, Toromanova A, Wagner G, Klerings I, Emprechtiger R, **Gartlehner G**. Cost-Effectiveness of First- and Second-Step Treatment Strategies for Major Depressive Disorder : A Rapid Review. *Annals of internal medicine*. 2023;176(2):212-6.

Affengruber L, Wagner G, Dobrescu A, Toromanova A, Chapman A, Persad E, Klerings I, **Gartlehner G**. Values and Preferences of Patients With Depressive Disorders Regarding Pharmacologic and Nonpharmacologic Treatments : A Rapid Review. *Annals of internal medicine*. 2023;176(2):217-23.

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**Gartlehner G**, Patel SV, Reddy S, Rains C, Schwimmer M, Kahwati L. Hormone Therapy for the Primary Prevention of Chronic Conditions in Postmenopausal Persons: Updated Evidence Report and Systematic Review for the US Preventive Services Task Force. *Jama*. 2022;328(17):1747-65.

Noel-Storr A, **Gartlehner G**, Dooley G, Persad E, Nussbaumer-Streit B. Crowdsourcing the identification of studies for COVID-19-related Cochrane Rapid Reviews. *Res Synth Methods*. 2022;13(5):585-94.

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**Gartlehner G**, Emprechtinger R, Hackl M, Jutz FL, Gartlehner JE, Nonninger JN, et al. Assessing the magnitude of reporting bias in trials of homeopathy: a cross-sectional study and meta-analysis. *BMJ Evid Based Med*. 2022;27(6):345-51.

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Wagner G, Moertl D, Glechner A, Mayr V, Klerings I, Zachariah C, Van den Nest M, **Gartlehner G**, et al. Paracoccidioidomycosis Diagnosed in Europe—A Systematic Literature Review. *Journal of Fungi*. 2021;7(2):157.

Van den Nest M, Wagner G, Riesenhuber M, Dolle C, Presterl E, **Gartlehner G**, et al. Filamentous Fungal Infections in a Tertiary Care Setting: Epidemiology and Clinical Outcome. *Journal of fungi (Basel, Switzerland)*. 2021;7(1).

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**Gartlehner G**, Vander Schaaf EB, Orr C, Kennedy SM, et.al. Screening for Hypertension in Children and Adolescents: Updated Evidence Report and Systematic Review for the US Preventive Services Task Force. *Jama*. 2020;324(18):1884-95

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Nussbaumer-Streit B, Mayr V, Dobrescu AI, Wagner G, Chapman A, Pfadenhauer LM, Lohner S, Lhachimi SK, Busert LK, **Gartlehner G**. Household interventions for secondary prevention of domestic lead exposure in children. *The Cochrane database of systematic reviews*. 2020;10:Cd006047.

Akl EA, Morgan RL, Rooney AA, Beverly B, Katikireddi SV, Agarwal A, Alper BS, Alva-Diaz C, Amato L, Ansari MT, Brozek J, Chu DK, Dahm P, Darzi AJ, Falavigna M, **Gartlehner G**, et.al. Developing trustworthy recommendations as part of an urgent response (1-2 weeks): a GRADE concept paper. *Journal of clinical epidemiology*. 2020;129:1-11.

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### **SELECTED PRESENTATIONS (2024-2018)**

- Gartlehner G. AI Applications in Evidence Synthesis. Cochrane US Network Meeting. March 1, 2024, online presentation
- Gartlehner G. Data Synthesis and Rating the Certainty of Evidence in Rapid Reviews. Cochrane Training, Learning Live. Webinar January 25, 2024, online
- Gartlehner G. Automated Data Extraction from Journal Articles Using a Large Language Model. Fall Data Science Lunch and Learns. September 12, 2023, RTI-International, USA
- Gartlehner G. GRADE's Integration of Values and Preferences in Guideline Development. 18th Biennial European Conference of the Society for Medical Decision Making. May 22, 2023, Berlin
- Gartlehner G. Navigating New Normals: The Pandemic's Lessons on Healthcare and Sustainability. Illinois in Vienna Programs. May 11, 2023, Vienna University of Economics and Business.
- Gartlehner G. How evidence-based is preventive medicine in Austria? Praevenire Health Initiative 2030. May 19, 2021, online
- Gartlehner G. Quarantine and universal screening for COVID-19. Annual meeting of the Austrian Society for Epidemiology. October 21, 2020, online

- Gartlehner G. Adverse vaccine effects, vaccine damage, false facts, and conspiracy theories, Austrian Chamber of Pharmacists, November 7, 2020, online
- Gartlehner G. Cochrane Rapid Reviews - a response to COVID-19. US Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality Evidence-based Practice Center Spring Meeting, June 4, 2020, online
- Gartlehner G. The accuracy of single- vs. dual-reviewer abstract screening: a crowd-based randomized controlled trial. 21. Meeting of the German-speaking evidence-based medicine network. February 14, 2020, Basel, Switzerland
- Gartlehner G. Point-of-care ultrasonography for acute dyspnea. Meeting of the American College of Physicians Guideline Panel. January 29, 2020, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA
- Gartlehner G. "Evidence-based Medicine can harm your health" - Cochrane Austria's battle against fake health news. Update in Medical Evidence Synthesis - Autumn Seminar. Medical University of Vienna. November 11, 2019, Vienna, Austria
- Gartlehner G. Does the pill against lovesickness work? Responding to inquiries from the general public with existing evidence. Evidence Live, July 14, 2019, Oxford, UK
- Gartlehner G. Assessing the accuracy of machine-assisted abstract screening with DistillerAI. US Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality EPC V Panel Meeting. June 6, 2019, Rockville, Maryland, USA
- Gartlehner G. Conflicts of interest: How the industry influences medical decisions. Austrian Public Health Institute. February 27, 2019, Vienna, Austria.