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**INTERESSI DI RICERCA**

Sono interessato a come i processi cognitivi e affettivi/emotivi interagiscono nella percezione e nei giudizi. Studio i processi coinvolti nei giudizi sia espliciti che impliciti su stimoli rilevanti per l'individuo come membri di altri gruppi sociali (gruppi etnici, nazionalità etc.) e investigo come l'elaborazione delle informazioni emotive veicolate attraverso il linguaggio o le espressioni facciali influenzino i suddetti giudizi e i comportamenti conseguenti.

Recentemente ho anche intrapreso una linea di ricerca che studia come i processi cognitivi e affettivi/emotivi interagiscono durante l'elaborazione di informazione e i giudizi sul cibo sia in popolazione sana che in campioni clinici.

Nella mia ricerca combino paradigmi tradizionali della psicologia quali misurazioni comportamentali con questionari e scale di valutazioni, con metodi della psicologia cognitiva e con misurazioni fisiologiche (es. elettromiografia facciale etc.). Attualmente ho diversi progetti che includono tecniche di imaging come l' EEG e fMRI.

In generale nel mio approccio sono interconnessi metodi e letterature delle psicologia sociale cognitiva e delle neuroscienze. Considero uno dei miei punti di forza avere un approccio interdisciplinare permettendo la sinergia tra diversi ambiti e diverse comunità scientifiche.

*Parole chiave:* Percezione e categorizzazione; processi affettivi/emozioni; Percezione del cibo, Neuroscienze sociali cognitive

**INTERESSI DI DIDATTICA E SUPERVISIONE**

Nella mia carriera sono riuscito a fare un buona esperienza sia didattica che di supervisione in inglese ed in italiano. Fin dall'inizio della mia carriera, anche se non richiesto od obbligatorio, ho cercato attivamente le opportunità di poter insegnare insieme ad altri istruttori ma anche e soprattutto da solo perchè valorizzo molto l'aspetto della formazione congiuntamente con la ricerca. La didattica che ho svolto (sia in italia che all'estero) comprende sia corsi introduttivi che corsi avanzati (con meno di 20 studenti) e corsi del curriculum di dottorato. Allo stesso modo valorizzo molto anche la funzione di formazione di giovani scienziati e a tale scopo mi sono impegnato nella supervisione di studenti di vari livelli seguendo studenti laureandi e di dottorato.

## FORMAZIONE ACCADEMICA E QUALIFICHE

**Abilitazione Nazionale Italiana** (Professore di Seconda fascia): Psicologia Generale, Psicobiologia e Psicometria (11/E1: 25-02-2014); Psicologia Sociale, del Lavoro e delle Organizzazioni (11/E3: 18-12-2013)

**Abilitazione Nazionale Spagnola** (Associate Professor Level), Gennaio 2012.

**Ph.D. in Social Psychology**, Giugno 2005, University of Oregon, USA.

*Titolo Tesi:* Labeling and categorization: evidence for a mere labeling effect, its modulating factors, and characteristics

*Supervisore di Tesi:* Myron Rothbart

**Master in Science (Msc.) Psychology**, Dicembre 2001, University of Oregon, USA

*Titolo Tesi:* Where normality ends and obesity starts: Effect of verbal labels on the between and within category similarity

*Supervisore di Tesi:* Myron Rothbart

**Laurea Quinquennale in Psicologia** (110/110, summa cum laude), Giugno 1998, Università di Padova

## PASSATI INCARICHI RILEVANTI

2012–presente	Research Fellow (Assegnista), SISSA - Trieste, Italia
2011–2012	Lecturer and Researcher, Utrecht University, Paesi Bassi
2010–2011	Post-Doctoral Fellow, Utrecht University, Paesi Bassi
2005–2010	Post-Doctoral Fellow, VU University Amsterdam, Paesi Bassi
2001–2005	Ph.D. student in Social Psychology; University of Oregon, USA
2000–2005	Research Fellow (PI: Myron Rothbart), University of Oregon, USA
1999–2000	Visiting Research Fellow, University of Oregon, USA

## ATTIVITA' DIDATTICA UFFICIALE A LIVELLO UNIVERSITARIO

2014-2015	<b>Statistical Analyses</b> (Co-Instructor, PhD curriculum), SISSA - Trieste
2014	<b>Emotion processing and Embodiment theories</b> (Guest Lecturer, intro level), University of Trieste
2013	<b>Social Cognitive Neuroscience</b> (Co-Instructor, PhD curriculum), SISSA - TS
2013	<b>Embodied Cognition</b> (Guest Lecturer, intro level), University of Trieste
2011	<b>Social Psychology</b> , (Instructor, upper level), University College Utrecht. The Netherlands: <i>Section A Spring Term; Section B Spring Term; Section A Fall Term</i>
2009	<b>Social Cognition</b> (Co-Instructor, upper level), VU University Amsterdam
2008	<b>Social Cognition</b> (Co-Instructor, upper level), VU University Amsterdam
2005	<b>Social Psychology</b> (Co-Instructor, upper level), University of Oregon, USA
2004	<b>Social Psychology</b> (Instructor, upper level), University of Oregon, USA
2003	<b>Attitude &amp; Social Behavior</b> (Instructor, upper level), University of Oregon
1999	<b>Statistica Psicometrica</b> (Guest Lecturer, intro level), Università di Padova

## RESPONSABILITA' DI SUPERVISIONE A LIVELLO UNIVERSITARIO

- 2014-present *Supervisor for Research Internship*, SISSA - Trieste (Sebastian H. Gerlini)  
2012-presente *Co-Supervisore di Ph.D.*, University of Trieste (Valentina Piccoli)  
2012-presente *Co-Supervisore di Ph.D.*, SISSA - Trieste (Jenny-C Baumeister, Carol Coricelli, Nora Chen)  
2012-2013 *Co-Supervisore di Laurea*, University of Trieste (Tiziano Suran, Laura Facchin)  
2008-presente *Supervisore di più di 15 ricerche di studenti*, Utrecht University e University of Trieste  
2008 *Supervisore di Tirocinio di Ricerca* (Valentina Bianchi)  
2005-2008 *Supervisore secondario di Ph.D.*, VU University Amsterdam (Daniel Lakens)

## DIREZIONE E PARTECIPAZIONE A PROGETTI FINANZIATI

- 2014-present *City of Trieste Research Grant*. 'Project 100s: Food perception in centenarians'. Team member.  
2012-presente *Neural correlates of ethnic prejudice* (SISSA: Young Scientist Research Grant). Principal Investigator.  
2012-presente *Neural correlate of food categorization and judgments* (Regione Lombardia: Foodcast Project). Team member.  
2009-2011 *Socially Situated Cognition* (Portugase National Science Foundation: PTDC/PSI-PSO/099346/2008). Team member.  
2009 *Intercultural Communication and Social Cognition* (European Social Cognition Network). Team member.  
2005-2010 *Project of research* (Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences: Project ISK/4583/PAH). Post-doctoral Fellow.  
2000-2004 *Labels, Categories, and Stereotypic Beliefs* (National Institute of Mental Health: MH40662). Research Associate.

## FINANZIAMENTI, PREMI E RICONOSCIMENTI

- 2014-present *City of Trieste Research Grant* (Team member). 'Project 100s: Food perception in centenarians'.  
2014 *Workshop Grant* (City of Trieste): 'SISSA Social Cognitive Neuroscience Summer School' (Co-Organizer).  
2013 *IBRO-WERC' Workshop-Conference Grant* (International Brain Research Organization Western Europe Regional Committee): 'SISSA Social Cognitive Neuroscience Summer School' (Co-Organizer).  
2013 *Philips Medica System Conference Grant*: 'SISSA Social Cognitive Neuroscience Summer School' (Co-Organizer).  
2012-presente *Young SISSA Scientist Research Grant* (Principal Investigator).  
2012-2013 *Marie Curie Mobility* Research Grant (Principal Investigator). Selected for funding (not funded for insufficient resources).

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- 2010 **Rita Levi Montalcini Young Researcher Grant (PI)**. Selected for funding (not founded for insufficient resources)
- 2009-2011 **Portuguese Science Foundation Grant**: ‘Socially Situated Cognition’ (Team member)
- 2009 **European Social Cognition Network (ESCON) Experts Workshop Grant**: ‘Intercultural Communication and Social Cognition’ (Team member)
- 2005 **Memorable mention**, Graduate Poster Award from SPSP: Foroni, F., & Bahar, T. (2005). *Picture-IAT vs. Word-IAT: Why are they different?*
- 2003 **Graduate School Research Grant**, University of Oregon, USA
- 1999 **Research Fellowship**, Università di Padova
- 1996–1997 **Erasmus Fellowship**, European Community
- 1996 **Excellence Fellowship**, Università di Padova

#### ATTIVITA' EDITORIALE, DI COORDINAMENTO ED ISTITUZIONALI

**Consulting Editor** per ‘*European Journal of Social Psychology*’ (2012-presente)

**Reviewer per Grant Agencies**: European Science Foundation

**Reviewer per Riviste Scientifici**: *Acta Psychologica*, *Behavior Research Methods*, *British J. of Social Psychology*, *Cognition & Emotion*, *Emotion*, *European J. of Social Psychology*, *Experimental Psychology*, *Giornale Italiano di Psicologia*, *Group Processes and Inter-Group Relations*, *J. of Experimental Social Psychology*, *J. of Language and Social Psychology*, *J. of Non-verbal Behavior*, *J. of Personality and Social Psychology*, *Social Psychological and Personality Science*, *Social Cognition*, *Social and Personality Compass*, *Social Psychology*.

**Reviewer per Conferenze Scientifiche**: Embodied & Situated Language Processing Conference

**Membro della Faculty del PhD in Cognitive Neuroscience**: Sissa – Trieste (2013-presente)

**Co-Organizzatore della ‘SISSA Science Colloquia Series’** (2013-presente)

**Co-Organizzatore dell’annuale ‘SISSA Social Cognitive Neuroscience (SCoNe) International Summer School’** (2013-presente)

**Membro del Comitato Scientifico dell’annuale ‘SISSA Social Cognitive Neuroscience (SCoNe) International Summer School’** (2012-presente)

**Membro della ‘Psychology Graduate Admission Committee’**: University of Oregon (2002 & 2003)

#### RELAZIONI NAZIONALI ED INTERNAZIONALI

Giuseppe di Pellegrino e Monica Rubini (Università di Bologna); Giulio Pergola (Università di Bari); Luciano Arcuri, Mara Cadinu, Luigi Castelli, Anne Maass, e Jeff Kiesner (Università di Padova); Vincenzo Crupi (Università di Torino); Paola Paladino (Università di Trento), Simona Sacchi (Università Milano-Bicocca), Andrea Carnaghi (Università di Trieste).

David Amodio (New York University, USA), Corrado Corradi-Dell'Acqua (NCCR Affective Sciences, Svizzera), Andreas Gloeckner (Max Planck Institute Bonn, Germania), Hans IJzerman (Tilburg University, Olanda), Daniel Lakens (Eindhoven University of Technology, Olanda), Micha M. Murray (Centre Hospitalier Universitaire Vaudois, Svizzera), Myron Rothbart e Ulrich Mayr (University of Oregon, USA), Charo Rueda (University of Granada, Spagna), Gun R. Semin (Utrecht University, Olanda), Piotr Winkielman (University of California–San Diego, USA), Thomas Schubert (University of Oslo).

## PUBBLICAZIONI SCIENTIFICHE

- Baumeister, J.-C., Rumiati, R.E., & **Foroni, F.** (2015). When the mask 'falls': the role of facial muscle resonance in memory for emotional language. *Acta Psychologica*, 155, 29-36.
- Mengotti, P., & **Foroni, F.** (*in press*). 'Food' as desire and the cognitive control mechanisms. [original italian title: Il cibo come desiderio e i meccanismi di controllo cognitivo]. *Italian Journal of Addictions*.
- Ambron, E., & **Foroni, F.** (2014). The attraction of a smile: Emotional information moderates motor action. *Psychonomic Bulletin and Review*.
- Foroni, F.**, Pergola, G., Argiris, G., & Rumiati, R.I. (2013). The FoodCast Research Image Database (FRIDa). *Frontiers in Human Neuroscience*, 7:51.
- Foroni, F.**, & Rothbart, M. (2013). Abandoning a label doesn't make it disappear: The perseverance of labeling effects. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 49, 126-131.
- Foroni, F.**, & Semin, G.R. (2013). Comprehension of Action Negation Involves Inhibitory Simulation. *Frontiers in Human Neuroscience*, 7:209.
- Piccoli, V., **Foroni, F.**, & Carnaghi, A. (2013). Comparing group dehumanization and intra-sexual competition among pill-users and non pill-users. *Personality and Social Psychological Bulletin*, 39, 1600-1609.
- Carnaghi, A., **Foroni, F.**, & Rumiati, R.I. (2012). Le categorie sociali e l'organizzazione lessicale-semantiche delle conoscenze. *Reti Saperi e Linguaggi*, 2, 19-21.
- Foroni, F.**, & Semin, G.R. (2012). Not all Implicit Measures of Attitudes are created equal: Evidence from an embodiment perspective. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology*, 48(1), 424-427.
- IJzerman, H., & **Foroni, F.** (2012). Not by thoughts alone: How language supersedes the cognitive toolkit. *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, 35(4), 24-25.
- Lakens, D., Semin, G.R., **Foroni, F.** (2012). But for the Bad, There Would not be Good: Grounding Valence in Brightness through Shared Relational Structures. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General*, 141(3), 584-594.
- Quené, H., Semin, G.R., & **Foroni, F.**, (2012). Audible smiles and frowns affect speech comprehension. *Speech Communication*, 54, 917-922
- Foroni, F.** & Rothbart, M. (2011). Category Boundaries and Category Labels: When does a category name influence the perceived similarity of category members? *Social Cognition*, 29(5), 547-577.
- Foroni, F.** & Rothbart, M. (2011). Abandoning a label doesn't make it disappear: The perseverance of labeling effects. In Cadinu, M., Galdi, S., Maass, A. "Social Perception Cognition and Language in honor of Arcuri" conference - Cleup University of Padova.
- Foroni, F.** & Semin, G.R. (2011). When does Mimicry affect Evaluative Judgment? *Emotion*, 11(3), 687-690.

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- Lakens, D., Semin, G.R., & **Foroni, F.** (2011). Why Your Highness Needs the People: Comparing the Absolute and Relative Representation of Power in Vertical Space. *Social Psychology*, 42(3), 205-213.
- Foroni, F.**, & Bel-Bahar, T.S. (2010). Picture-IAT vs. Word-IAT: Level of stimulus representation influences on the IAT. *European Journal of Social Psychology*, 40, 321-337.
- Foroni, F.**, Pong, V., Rothbart, M., & Pearce, G.E. (2010). Does the correlation between self and ingroup/outgroup depend on group favorability? *Group Processes and Intergroup Relations*, 13(4), 515-524.
- Foroni, F.**, & Semin, G.R. (2009). Language that puts you in touch with your bodily feelings: The Multimodal Responsiveness of Affective Expressions. *Psychological Science*, 20(8), 974-980.
- Foroni, F.** (2006). Labeling and categorization: evidence for a mere labeling effect, its modulating factors, and characteristics. *D.A.I.: Section B: The Sciences and Engineering*, 66 (7-B), 3997.
- Foroni, F.**, & Mayr, U. (2005). The power of a story: New, automatic associations from a single reading of a short scenario. *Psychonomic Bulletin and Review*, 12(1), 139-144.

#### MANOSCRITTI ATTUALMENTE CONSIDERATI PER LA PUBBLICAZIONE

- Ambrosini, E., Rumiati, R.I., & **Foroni, F.** (2014). Do emotions or gender drive our actions? A study of motor distractibility. *Manuscript under review*
- Carnaghi, A., **Foroni, F.**, Piccoli, V., & Sacchi, S. (2013). The Big names' signatures: How status-as-size metaphor impacts motor actions. Invited Revision in *Acta Psychologica*.
- Pergola, G., **Foroni, F.**, Argiris, G., & Rumiati, R.I. (2014). Visual recognition of natural and transformed food is modulated by sensory and functional properties: an ERP study. *Manuscript under review*.
- Foroni, F.** (2014). The Second Language Disadvantage: Evidence for the 'partial' simulation during processing of a second language. *Manuscript under review*.
- Foroni, F.**, & Carnaghi, A. (2013). Prejudice reduction: embodied theory at work. Invited revision in *Personality and Psychological Sciences*.
- Semin, G.R., & **Foroni, F.** (2014). When Facial Muscle Activation meets Rapid Evaluation Processes. *Manuscript under review*.

#### MANOSCRITTI ATTUALMENTE IN PREPARAZIONE

- Baumeister, J-C., Winkielman, P., Conrad, M., Rumiati, I.R. & **Foroni, F.** *The role of facial muscle resonance in memory for emotional language in L1 and L2.*
- Carnaghi, A., **Foroni, F.**, Piccoli, V., & Sacchi, S. *Cancel my guilt away: How physically canceling a memory reduces guilty feelings.*
- Foroni, F.** *Inductive-Deductive asymmetry in valence processing.*
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- Foroni, F.,** Corricelli, C., & Rumiati, R.I. *Doctor 'Natural food' and Mister 'Transformed': Explicit and implicit evaluation of different foods.*
- Foroni, F.,** Piccoli, V., & Carnaghi, A. *We don't really perceive sexual orientation from facial cues..do we?*
- Pergola, G., **Foroni, F.,** & Rumiati, R.I. *Savour is in the eye of the beholder.*
- Rumiati, R.I., & **Foroni, F.** Lexical-semantic organization of knowledge about food: A Review.
- Rumiati, R.I., Silveri, M.C., Rossi, P., Pergola, G. & **Foroni, F.** *Food processing in patients with Primary Dementia.*
- Semin, G.R. & **Foroni, F.** *Time to smile! The timeline of affective synchronization.*
- Semin, G.R., **Foroni, F.,** & Bianchi, V. *The relation between color, space and valence.*

## **LINEE DI RICERCA IN CORSO**

### ***Meccanismi neurocognitivi associati alla percezione e alle decisioni alimentari***

In questi studi individui sani e popolazioni speciali (centenari) eseguono compiti di presa di decisione e di misurazione delle preferenze implicite ed esplicite e vengono anche utilizzate diverse metodologie quali la risonanza magnetica funzionale e l'elettroencefalografia. Le basi neurocognitive del comportamento alimentare vengono studiate anche in pazienti con disturbi dell'alimentazione, in pazienti con demenze e con Morbo di Parkinson.

### ***Percezione delle emozioni***

Questa linea di ricerca coinvolge principalmente campioni normali ed è volta a spiegare come i processi affettivi indirizzino e influenzino la percezione e i giudizi. In questi studi si utilizzano i metodi tradizionali della psicologia cognitiva (per es. compiti percettivi, priming affettivi e compiti di memoria) associati a metodi della neuroscienze (es. elettroencefalografia, elettromiografia facciale).

### ***Percezione sociale e pregiudizio***

In queste ricerche mi prefiggo di identificare le componenti (es. affettiva e cognitiva) che interagiscono durante la percezione e i giudizi sociali misurando le risposte fisiologiche (es. elettromiografia facciale), utilizzando l'imaging (es. elettroencefalografia) e i metodi derivati dalla psicologia sociale cognitiva (es. priming, compiti di categorizzazione ecc.). A questi studi prendono parte sia individui sani che popolazioni speciali (gemelli monozigoti ed eterozigoti) che permettono di individuare il contributo biologico e quello culturale al pregiudizio.

### ***Sviluppo di metodologie e metodologie a confronto***

Un comune denominatore alle tre aree di ricerca sopra descritte è il costante interesse per lo sviluppo di nuovi strumenti e per il perfezionamento e comprensione di strumenti di ricerca e valutazione. Infatti queste ricerche hanno anche come scopo quello di realizzare e validare database di stimoli molto utili per la ricerca e batterie di test neuropsicologici (es. batteria di conoscenze semantico lessicali relative al cibo).

## LEZIONI E PRESENTAZIONI SU INVITO

- Foroni, F.**, (2014, July 23<sup>rd</sup>). *Emotion Perception*. Invited Lecture to be given at SISSA International Summer School in 'Social Cognitive Neuroscience'. SISSA - Trieste, Italy.
- Foroni, F.**, & Mengotti, P. (2014, September 25<sup>th</sup>). *Neurotica e Sperimentazione*. . Invited Lecture to be given at SISSA Summer 'Scuola di Neuroetica'. SISSA - Trieste, Italy
- Foroni, F.**, (2013, November 20<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>). *Embodied Cognition*. Invited Lecture Series. University of Trieste, Italy.
- Carnaghi, A. & **Foroni, F.** (2012, September 20<sup>th</sup>). *What to write? To whom to write? How to write? With whom to write?* Invited speakers at Socialmente Workshop 'Come si pubblica su riviste ad alto impatto' sponsored by the Italian Association of Psychology. Chieti (Italy).
- Foroni, F.** (2013, May 24<sup>th</sup>). *When colors meet valence: the vertical grounding of multiple metaphores*. Invited Talk at 'Spatial asymmetries: Implications for social and cognitive processes' workshop, Rovereto, Italy.
- Foroni, F.** (2012, September 20<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>). Nuove direzioni nello studio delle relazioni intergruppo: dal cervello alla cognizione sociale. Symposium organized at the National Conference of the Italian Association of Psychology, Chieti, Italy.
- Foroni, F.** (2011, September 15<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>). *All comes down to a muscle! The grounding of evaluative processes*. Paper presented at the Small Group Meeting on Situated Cognition, Lisbon, Portugal.
- Foroni, F.**, (2011, April 20<sup>th</sup>). *Embodied processes in Evaluative Processes*. Invited Talk at the Department of Psychology, University of Kologne, Germany.
- Foroni, F.**, (2010, November 30<sup>th</sup>). *The role of embodied processes during affective stimuli processing and social judgment*. Invited Talk at the Department of Psychology, University of Muenster, Germany.
- Foroni, F.**, & Semin, G.R. (2010, February 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>). *Embodied Grounding of Emotion Language & Intercultural Communication*. Invited Talk at the European Social Cognition Network Expert Meeting 'Toward a social psychology of intercultural communication: Processes, barriers, interventions', Canterbury, UK.
- Foroni, F.**, (2010, January 11<sup>th</sup>). *From a Smile to an Immigrant: evidence of embodied grounding of evaluative processes*. Invited Talk at 'Specola Institute', Department of Psychology, University of Padua, Italy.
- Foroni, F.**, (2009, November 24<sup>th</sup>). *The Embodied Grounding of Emotion Language*. Invited Lecture for 'Motivation & Emotion' (Research Master Course). VU University Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- Foroni, F.**, (2009, February 4<sup>th</sup>). *When 'to smile' means a smile...Evidence for the embodied grounding of emotion language*. Invited Talk at Department of Psychology, Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands.

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- Foroni, F.**, (2008, September 25<sup>th</sup>). *Language that puts you in touch with your bodily feelings: The Multimodal Responsiveness of Affective Expressions*. Invited Talk at Utrecht Institute of Linguistics OTS, The Netherlands.
- Foroni, F.**, (2006, August 17<sup>th</sup>). *Picture-LAT vs. Word-LAT: Why are they different?* Invited Plenary Lecture at the EAESP Summer School, Padova, Italy.
- Foroni, F.**, (2006, January 26<sup>th</sup>). *Career after the PhD: How to get a Post-Doc position*. Invited panelist at the 3rd SPSP GSC Career Pre-conference of the annual meeting of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, Palm Springs, CA.
- Foroni, F.**, (2005, December 3<sup>rd</sup>). *Verbal Labels and Perception*. Invited Talk at Psycholinguistics and Cognition workshop, Padova, Italy.

### ATTIVITA' DI FORMAZIONE E QUALIFICA

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| 2013      | <i>Workshop</i> "Spatial asymmetries: Implications for social and cognitive processes", Rovereto, Italy |
| 2012      | <i>Workshop</i> "Homophobia and related issue", Padua, Italy  |
| 2011      | <i>Workshop</i> "International Small group Meeting on Socially Situated Cognition", Lisbon, Portugal    |
| 2011      | <i>Workshop</i> "Masterclass on Social Neuroscience and Psychophysiology", Amsterdam, NL                |
| 2010      | <i>Workshop</i> "Intercultural Communication & Social Cognition", Canterbury                            |
| 2005      | <i>Workshop</i> "Psycholinguistics and Cognition", Padua, Italy   |
| 2002      | <i>Workshop</i> "Power Issues in Inter-Group Relations", Brussels, Belgium                              |
| 1999      | <i>Summer School of Methodology</i> by Italian Association of Psychology, Abano Terme, Italy            |
| 1999      | <i>Internship: Organizational Psychology</i> , Padua, Italy   |
| 1998–1999 | <i>Internship Social psychology research</i> , (with Prof. Anne Maass), Padua, Italy                    |
| 1996–1997 | <i>Study-Research Exchange</i> , University of Heidelberg, Germany                                      |

### ALTRE PUBBLICAZIONI

#### PRESENTAZIONI A CONFERENZE SCIENTIFICHE

- Foroni, F.** & Carnaghi, A. (2014, July 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>). *Prejudice reduction: embodied theories at work*. Paper to be presented at the 17<sup>th</sup> European Association of Social Psychology (EASP) General meeting, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- Foroni, F.** & Carnaghi, A. (2012, September 20<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>). *Prejudice and prejudice reduction from embodiment perspective* (Original Title: Il pregiudizio e come ridurlo visti dalla prospettiva dell'embodiment). Symposium conducted at the National Conference of the Italian Association of Psychology. Chieti, Italy

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- Piccoli, V., & **Foroni, F.** (2012, September 20<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>). *The social effects of hormonal contraception: how the pill inhibits competition and dehumanization among women* (Original Title: Gli effetti sociali dei contraccettivi ormonali: come la pillola sopprime la competizione e la dehumanizzazione tra le donne). Symposium conducted at the National Conference of the Italian Association of Psychology. Chieti, Italy.
- Piccoli, V., & **Foroni, F.** (2012, September 20<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup>). *The social effects of hormonal contraception: how the pill inhibits competition and dehumanization among women* (Original Title: Gli effetti sociali dei contraccettivi ormonali: come la pillola sopprime la competizione e la dehumanizzazione tra le donne). Symposium conducted at the National Conference of the Italian Association of Psychology. Chieti, Italy.
- Foroni, F.**, & Semin, G.R. (2011, July 12<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>). *Differences between IAT and PRIMING: gaining insights from an embodiment perspective*. Paper presented at the 16<sup>th</sup> European Association of Social Psychology (EASP) General meeting, Stockholm, Sweden.
- Foroni, F.**, (2010, September 14<sup>th</sup>). *The embodiment of emotion language and its potential effects for social interaction*. Symposium conducted at the National Conference of the Italian Association of Psychology, Turin, Italy.
- Foroni, F.** (2009, August 8<sup>th</sup>). *The Embodied Grounding of Emotion Language*. Paper presented at Annual Conference of the International Society for Research on Emotion (ISRE), Leuven, Belgium.
- Foroni, F.**, & Semin, G.R. (2009, July 29<sup>th</sup>). *'To smile' means a smile: embodied grounding of emotion language processing*. Paper presented at the Embodied and situated Language Processing Conference (ESLP), Rotterdam, The Netherlands.
- Lakens, D., Semin, G.R., & **Foroni, F.** (2009, July 28<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>). *Why Your Highness needs the people: Differences in Power are represented in Space*. Paper presented at the Embodied and situated Language Processing Conference (ESLP), Rotterdam, The Netherlands.
- Foroni, F.**, & Semin, G.R. (2008, April 24<sup>th</sup>-25<sup>th</sup>). *Is a 'Smile' The Same as 'To Smile'? Somatic Commensurability of Visual and Verbal Stimuli*. Symposium conducted at the Kurt Lewin Institute Conference 2008, Zeist, The Netherlands.
- Foroni, F.**, & Semin, G.R. (2008, 10-14 June). *Is a 'Smile' the same as 'To Smile'? Somatic Commensurability of Visual and Verbal Stimuli*. Paper presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> European Association of Social Psychology (EASP) General meeting, Opatija, Croatia.
- Foroni, F.**, & Semin, G.R. (2008, 3-7 September). *A picture is worth 1000 adjectives but only 1 verb! Somatic commensurability of visual and verbal stimuli*. Paper presented at the European Social Cognition Network (ESCON) Transfer of Knowledge Conference, Volterra, Italy.
- Lakens, D., Semin, G.R., & **Foroni, F.** (2008, 10-14 June). *Good guys only wear white when bad guys wear black*. Paper presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> European Association of Social Psychology (EASP) General meeting, Opatija, Croatia.
- Foroni, F.**, & Rothbart, M. (2005, 1-4 September). *The Effects of Verbal Labels on Perception*. Paper presented at the European Social Cognition Network (ESCON) Transfer of Knowledge Conference, Vitznau, Switzerland.
- Foroni, F.**, & Maass, A. (1999, 14-16 October). *Harassing in the lab: The computer harassment paradigm*. Symposium conducted at the meeting of the Society for Experimental Social Psychology, St. Louis, MO, USA.

**2014**

- Aiello, M., **Foroni, F.**, Eleopra, R., Pergola, G., & Rumiati, R.I. (2014, November). *A possible role of reward sensitivity and impulsivity in weight gain after deep brain stimulation*. Poster to be presented at the 44<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Society of Neuroscience (SfN) Washington, USA.
- Argiris, G., Pergola, G., **Foroni, F.**, Mengotti, P., & Rumiati, R. (2014, May). *Visual recognition of natural and transformed food is modulated by sensory and functional properties*. Poster session presented at Rovereto Workshop on Concepts, Actions, and Objects, Rovereto, Italy.
- Baumeister J.C., Rumiati, R. I., **Foroni, F.** (2014). *When the Mask 'falls': The Role of Facial Muscle Resonance in Memory for Emotional Language*. Poster session at the Consortium of European Research on Emotion Conference (CERE), Berlin, Germany.
- Baumeister, J.C., Winkielman, P., Conrad, M., Rumiati, R.I., & **Foroni, F.** (2014, 27-28 March) *Embodiment and Emotional Memory in a Second Language - An EMG Study*. Poster session at the Consortium of European Research on Emotion Conference (CERE), Berlin, Germany.
- Foroni, F.**, Pergola, G., Mengotti, P., Argiris, G., & Rumiati, I.R. (2014, 5-8 April). *Differential brain processing of natural and transformed food*. Poster session presented at the "Cognitive Neuroscience Society CNS" Annual Meeting, Boston, USA.
- Rumiati, R.I., **Foroni, F.**, Pergola, G., Rossi, P., Liaci, E., & Silveri, M.C., (2014, 5-7 October). *Lexical-semantic knowledge about food in patients with different types of dementia*. Paper presented at the "Academy of Aphasia" Annual Meeting, Miami, USA.

**2013**

- Argiris, G., Pergola, G., **Foroni, F.**, & Rumiati, R. (2013, November). *Visual recognition of natural and transformed food is modulated by sensory and functional properties*. Poster session presented at the Trieste Symposium on Perception and Cognition, Trieste, Italy.
- Baumeister, J-C., Rumiati, R.I., & **Foroni, F.** (2013, 13-16 April). *Embodiment and memory*. Poster session presented at the "Cognitive Neuroscience Society CNS" Annual Meeting, San Francisco, USA.
- Foroni, F.**, Baumeister, J-C., Rumiati, R.I., & (2013, 13-16 April). *Emotional intensity matters! The differential effect of embodiment on the processing of moderately vs. strongly emotional material*. Poster session presented at the "Cognitive Neuroscience Society CNS" Annual Meeting, San Francisco, USA.
- Foroni, F.**, Pergola, G., Silveri, M.C., Rossi, P., Liaci, E., & Rumiati, I.R. (2013, 9-13 November). *Knowledge about food in patients with primary dementia*. Poster session presented at the "Society for Neuroscience" Annual Meeting, San Diego, USA.
- Pergola, G., **Foroni, F.**, Argiris, G., & Rumiati, I.R. (2013, 9-13 November). *Sensory-functional theory accounts for differences between natural and transformed food*. Poster session presented at the "Society for Neuroscience" Annual Meeting, San Diego, USA.

## 2012

- Pergola, G., **Foroni, F.**, & Rumiati, I.R. (2012, 11-15 November). *Food perception: is it living or non-living?* Poster session presented at the 'Neurobiology of Emotion' Conference. Stresa, Italy.
- Piccoli, V., Carnaghi, A., & **Foroni, F.** (2012, 10-14 July). *We look like princesses: Effect of menstrual cycle on women's benevolent sexism.* In Proceedings of "The 16<sup>th</sup> European Conference of Personality". Trieste, Italy.
- Piccoli, V., Carnaghi, A., & **Foroni, F.** (2012, 27-29 September). *Do we look like princesses or temptresses? Effect of menstrual cycle on women's benevolent and hostile sexism.* Poster session presented at the 10th Alps Adria Conference. Lignano, Italy.
- Piccoli, V., Carnaghi, A., & **Foroni, F.** (2012, 9 November). *Effects of hormonal fluctuations and hormonal contraceptive on intra-dehumanization and intra-sexual competition.* Poster session presented at the "Cognition and language: Research conference in memory of Patrizia Tabossi". Trieste, Italy.

## Precedenti al 2012

- Foroni, F.** & Rothbart, M. (2011, 20 May). *Abandoning a label doesn't make it disappear: The perseverance of labeling effects.* Poster session presented at the "Social Perception Cognition and Language in honor of Arcuri" conference. University of Padova.
- Piccoli, V., Carnaghi, A., & **Foroni, F.** (2011, 24 November). *Effects of menstrual cycle on women's accuracy in judging male sexual orientation.* Poster session presented at The Trieste Symposium on Perception and Cognition. Trieste, Italy.
- Foroni, F.**, & Semin, G.R. (2010, October). *The embodiment of linguistic negation.* Poster session presented at Workshop 'The Embodied Mind: Perspectives and Limitations', Nijmegen, The Netherlands.
- Foroni, F.**, Pearce, G., Rothbart, M., Mensik, M., Thornton, T., Flores, C. M., & O'Leary, L. (2006, January). *How affect influences perceived intragroup variability in group interaction: the unitization effect.* Poster session presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, Palm Springs, CA, USA.
- Rothbart, M. & **Foroni, F.**, (2006, January). *Perseverance in Labeling and Categorization.* Poster session presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, Palm Springs, CA, USA.
- Foroni, F.**, & Bel-Bahar, T. (2005, January). *Picture-IAT vs. Word-IAT: Why are they different?* Poster session presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA, USA.
- Mayr, U., & **Foroni, F.** (2005, January). *Personalized IAT: Is it malleable?* Poster session presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, LA, USA.
- Foroni, F.**, & Mayr, U. (2004, February). *When explicit conceptual sets manipulate implicit associations.* Poster session presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, Austin, TX, USA.
- Foroni, F.**, & Mayr, U. (2004, May). *Does working-memory play a role in changing implicit associations?* Poster session presented at the Annual Convention of the American Psychological Society, Chicago, IL, USA.

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- Foroni, F., & Rothbart, M.** (2003, February). *The effect of the category labels: How the source and the nature of the category labels affect inter- and intra-category similarity.* Poster session presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, Los Angeles, CA, USA.
- Foroni, F., & Tate, C.** (2002, February). *Distinguishing between Subtyping and Subgrouping: Insights from an inhibitory cognitive mechanism.* Poster session presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, Savannah, GA, USA.
- Rothbart, M., & **Foroni, F.** (2002, February). *Where does normality ends and anorexia/obesity begin? The effect of the category boundaries and labels on within-categories and between-category variation.* Poster session presented at the Annual Meeting of the Society of Personality and Social Psychology, Savannah, GA, USA.

#### **PRESENTAZIONI E ATTIVITA' DIVULGATIVE**

- Seminario 'La memoria dei traumi: Il XX secolo.' Memoria ed emozioni tra processi cognitive e pregiudizi (Trieste 22-23 Maggio 2014).
- Wired Next 2014 - Festival. Le emozioni e la percezione del cibo (Milano 16-18 Maggio 2014)
- 'No Science – NO Party'. Le Neuroscienze del Cibo (Trieste 19-11-2013)
- 'Terra Madre Day'. Le Neuroscienze del Cibo (Trieste 10-12-2012)

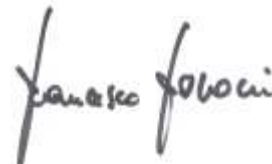
#### **APPARTENENZA A SOCIETA' SCIENTIFICHE**

- Association for Psychological Science (APS)
- Associazione Italiana di Psicologia (AIP)
- Cognitive Neuroscience Society (CNS)
- European Association for Social Psychology (EASP)
- Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP)

#### **CONOSCENZE LINGUISTICHE**

- Italiano* (lingua madre)
- Inglese* (fluente)
- Spagnolo* (base)
- Olandese* (Livello A2/B1)

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