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**SHORT CV:**

Anne-Lise Christensen, Ph.D. Professor em, Neuropsychological Rehabilitation, University of Copenhagen, Denmark  
Dr, honoris causa, University of Lund, Sweden  
In 1985 founded the first postacute rehabilitation center in Europe, Center for Rehabilitation of Brain Injury (CRBI) at the University of Copenhagen.

**Main Publication:**

Christensen, A-L.(1975), LURIA'S NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL INVESTIGATION, MANUAL AND TEST MATERIAL. Fourth edition, 1990, Munksgaard, Copenhagen, Spectrum Publications Inc., N .Y. USA

**EDUCATION AND CAREER OUTLINE:**

1954-55	Visiting research fellow at Radcliffe
1956	Master of Arts in Psychology University of Copenhagen, Denmark
1959-81	University Hospital of Aarhus Psychiatric Department (1959-61) Neurosurgical Department (1962-68) Head of Clinical Psychological Department, Psychiatric University Hospital (1969-81)
1981-85	Research Neuropsychologist, Department of Psychiatry,

Rigshospitalet (State University Hospital), Copenhagen

1985-1998 Director of Center for Rehabilitation of Brain Injury  
University of Copenhagen (1985-1998)

1992 Professor of Neuropsychological Rehabilitation (1992-1998)  
University of Copenhagen

1985- External Lecturer in Neuropsychological Assessment and Rehabilitation, University of Lund, Sweden

**PROFESSIONAL TITLES AND AWARDS:**

Philosophia doctor honoris causa (1994) - University of Lund, Sweden  
Lady of the Dannebrog Order (1987)  
Neuropsychologist (1961)  
PhD (1957) - University of Copenhagen  
Honorary Member of the Danish Psychological Association, 1997  
Sheldon Berrol, MD Senior Lecturer Award, Philadelphia, 1997  
Distinguished Lecturer in Neuropsychology: Diploma from the Swedish Neuropsychological Society (1997)  
Honorary Member of Danish Neuropsychological Society, 2001  
Honorary Member of the Sarah Network Hospitals International Faculty, 1998  
Honorary Member of the Finnish Neuropsychological Society, 1999  
Member of the Board of the International Brain Injury Association, 1999  
Honorary Member of the Euroacademia Multidisciplinaria Neurotraumatologia, Germany  
Founding Member of the World Academia Multidisciplinaria Neurotraumatologia

**SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES:**

Member of the Danish Psychological Association  
Member of the International Neuropsychological Society, USA,  
Governing Board 1982-85  
Member of the National committee of Psychology for the Royal Danish Academy of Sciences  
and Letters  
Member of the Danish Neuropsychological Society  
Member of the International Union of Psychological Science  
Member of the Advisory Board, National Head Injury Foundation,  
Pennsylvania, USA  
Member of the management group of the European Cooperation  
Research Project, Europe  
Member of E.B.I.S., European Brain Injury Society, Belgium  
Member of the Advisory Board of the Society for Cognitive  
Rehabilitation, Inc., USA  
Vice President of Euroacademia Multidisciplinaria Neurotraumatologica, Germany, 2001

**INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES ARRANGED BY THE CENTER FOR REHABILITATION OF BRAIN INJURY:**

International Neuropsychological Society: European Conference, Copenhagen, Denmark, 1985

Conference on Rehabilitation of Brain Damaged People: Current Knowledge and Future Directions. Copenhagen, Denmark, 1987

Luria Lectures with participation of seven Russian guest lecturers. Copenhagen, Denmark, 1990

Second Conference: Progress in Neuropsychological Rehabilitation. Copenhagen, Denmark, 1992

IBIA: The First World Conference on Brain Injury, Copenhagen, Denmark, 1995

Third Neuropsychological Rehabilitation Conference. Copenhagen, Denmark, 1997

**PUBLICATIONS:**

Papers (peer-reviewed): 65

(Acta Medica Scandinavica, Acta Psychiatrica Scandinavica, Acta Neurologica Scandinavica, British Journal of Psychiatry, Psychological Medicine, Journal of Clinical Neuropsychology, Cortex, Neuropsychology, International Journal of Rehabilitation Research, Journal of Neuro-linguistics, Journal of Head Trauma Rehabilitation, Brain Injury, Scandinavian Journal of Rehabilitation Medicine, Aphasiology, Neuropsychological Rehabilitation)

Books: 2

Co-Editor: 5

Chapters in books and journals: 103

Key note and Oral presentations (since 1989-): 84

(Japan, Brazil, USA, Russia, Europe and Scandinavia)

## **RECENT PUBLICATIONS:**

Christensen, A-L. (2002) LIFELINES. In: A. Stringer (ed.) Pathways to Prominence: Reflections of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century Neuropsychologists. Psychology Press.

Christensen, A-L. (2000) NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL POSTACUTE REHABILITATION. In: A-L. Christensen & B.P. Uzzell (eds) International Handbook of Neuropsychological Rehabilitation, New York: Plenum Publishing Corporation, pp. 151- 163

Christensen, A-L. (2000) *Apolipoprotein E and subjective symptomatology following brain injury rehabilitation*. Neuropsychological Rehabilitation, vol. 10; 2 pp. 151-166

Christensen, A-L. & Caetano, C (1999) *Luria's Neuropsychological Evaluation in the Nordic Countries*. Neuropsychological Review, vol. 9, no. 2.

Christensen, A-L. & Caetano, C. (1999) THE CRBI AT THE UNIVERSITY OF COPENHAGEN. A-L. Christensen & B.P. Uzzell (eds) International Handbook of Neuropsychological Rehabilitation. New York: Plenum Publishing Corporation, pp. 265-277.

Christensen, A-L. & Caetano, C. (1999). COGNITIVE NEUROREHABILITATION: A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH. In: D.T. Stuss, G. Winour, I.H. Robertson (eds) Neuropsychological rehabilitation in the interdisciplinary team: the post-acute stage. Cambridge University Press, pp. 188-199

Deloche, G., Dellatollas, G. & Christensen, A-L (2000) The European Brain Injury Questionnaire: Patients' and Families' Subjective Evaluation of Brain-Injured Patients' Current and Prior to Injury Difficulties. In: A-L. Christensen & B.P. Uzzell (eds) International Handbook of Neuropsychological Rehabilitation, New York: Plenum Publishing Corporation, pp. 81-92.

Teasdale, T.W., Christensen, A-L., Willmes, K., Deloche, G., Braga, L., Stachowiak, F., Vendrell, J.M., Castro-Caldas, A., Laaksonen, R. & Leclercq, M. (1997) SUBJECTIVE EXPERIENCE IN BRAIN-INJURED PATIENTS AND THEIR CLOSE RELATIVES: A EUROPEAN BRAIN INJURY QUESTIONNAIRE STUDY. Brain Injury, vol. 11, no. 8, 543-563.

Christensen, A-L., Caetano, C. ALEXANDER ROMANOVITSCH LURIA (1902-1977): CONTRIBUTIONS TO NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL REHABILITATION. (1997). Neuropsychological Rehabilitation, Special Issue.vol. 6 no.4: pp. 279-303.

## **Special links:**

Close collaboration with neuropsychological societies in Scandinavia. Conferences and courses

Collaboration with rehabilitation centres in the USA (NY: Yehuda Ben-Yishay, Phoenix: George P. Prigatano).

Collaboration with rehabilitation centres in Europe (Schaufing: Peter Frommelt, Oliver Zangwill Centre: Barbara Wilson, The Amsterdam Rehabilitation Centre, Holland, The Käpyla Centre, Finland)

EU-projects: EBIS, ESCAPE, HELIOS,

Member of the Consultant Board of The SARAH Network of Hospitals, Brazil

Senior Consultant The Institute of Neuropsychology and Cognitive Performance, New York