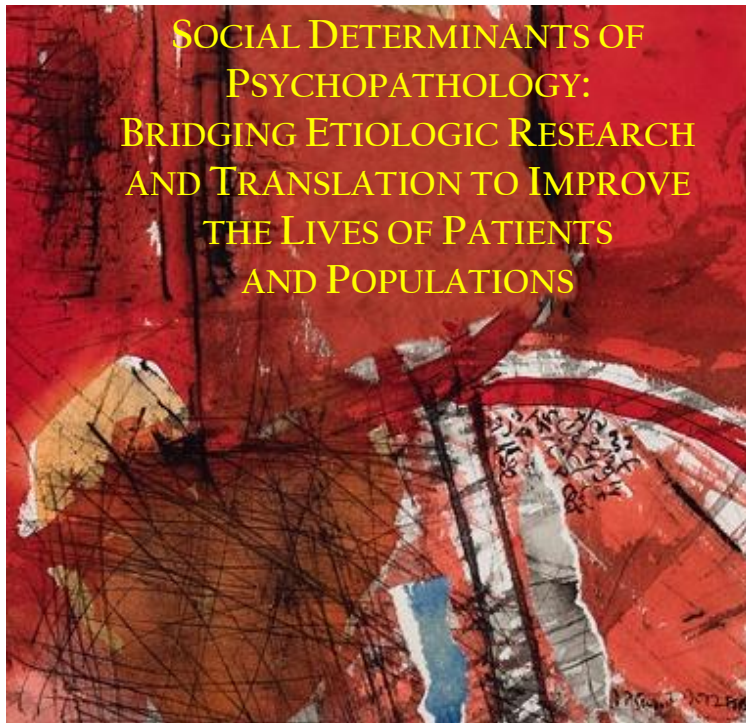


TRAINEE WORKSHOP FOR THE 115TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
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Psychiatric Epidemiology Training (PET)
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Harvard Training Program in Psychiatric
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Training in Comparative Effectiveness
Research for Suicide Prevention, Harvard
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Drug Abuse Epidemiology Training
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TRAINEE WORKSHOP PROGRAM

History and objectives of APPA's Trainee Workshop. Training programs in the fields of psychopathology – funded historically by NIMH, NIDA, and NIAAA – have been connected to the APPA for decades. The workshop started out informally in the early 1990's, when Johns Hopkins University Professor Bill Eaton convened program directors and trainees on the afternoon before the APPA conference to network, introduce the programs and available trainee fellowship positions, share work in progress, and introduce trainees to leading scholars in the disciplines concerned about the mental illnesses. There was an implicit agreement that understanding of “mental illnesses” depends on the intersection of a wide range of disciplines: population sciences including epidemiology and biostatistics, clinical psychology and psychiatry, social and behavioral sciences, and biological psychiatry including neuroscience and genomics. The APPA provided the ideal venue for training programs to meet, as it also served as an intellectual gathering point for many pioneers in psychopathological research, treatment, and prevention. In recent years, the APPA has formalized its connections with psychopathology-focused pre-doctoral and post-doctoral training programs by providing the venue and administrative infrastructure for the workshop. And to expand the impact of the workshop, APPA has invited to attend all trainees who are registered for the APPA Annual Meeting.

The trainee workshop has multiple objectives, namely: to provide a forum for trainees to present and receive feedback on their research, for faculty and trainees across programs to interact and to “network” with one another, to offer programming that is intellectually stimulating, and finally, to welcome and integrate the next generation of psychopathology scholars into the APPA.

12:30 – 12:40pm

WELCOMING REMARKS

Stephen E. Gilman, ScD, APPA President
Maria Kovacs, PhD, APPA President-Elect

12:40 – 1:30pm

KEYNOTE PRESENTATION

ADOLESCENT DEPRESSION: IS SOCIAL MEDIA A CAUSE OR A RED HERRING OF THE RISE IN YOUTH?

Katherine Keyes, PhD, *Columbia University*
Discussant: Linda Cottler, PhD, *University of Florida*

PRESENTATIONS FROM TRAINING PROGRAMS IN PSYCHOPATHOLOGY RESEARCH

1:30 – 1:55pm

NIDA T32 Substance Abuse Training Center in Public Health,
University of Florida
Linda Cottler, PhD, Program Director
**SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF PSYCHOPATHOLOGY AND CANNABIS
USE AMONG MIDDLE-AGED AND OLDER ADULTS: FINDINGS FROM
THE ALL OF US RESEARCH PROGRAM**
Vijaya Seegulam, Predoctoral Fellow

- 1:55 – 2:20pm Psychiatric Epidemiology Training (PET) program, Columbia University
Katherine Keyes, PhD, Program Director
ADVANCING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COLLABORATIVE CARE MODELS FOR COMMON MENTAL ILLNESSES IN LOW- AND MIDDLE-INCOME COUNTRIES: A SYSTEMS THINKING APPROACH IN RURAL GUATEMALA
Alejandra Paniagua-Avila, MD, PhD, Postdoctoral Fellow
- 2:20 – 2:45pm Harvard Training Program in Psychiatric Epidemiology and Biostatistics
Karestan Koenen, PhD; Alex Tsai, MD; and JP Onnela, PhD, Program Directors
ASSOCIATIONS BETWEEN PTSD AND PHYSICAL HEALTH USING OBSERVATIONAL AND GENETIC INSTRUMENTS
Andrew Ratanatharathorn, PhD, Postdoctoral Fellow
- 2:45 – 3:15pm **BREAK**
- 3:15 – 3:40pm Training in Comparative Effectiveness Research for Suicide Prevention, Harvard TH Chan School of Public Health
Miguel Hernán, MD, DrPH; Matthew Nock, PhD, and Philip Wang, MD, DrPH, Program Directors
EVALUATING THE EFFECT OF LITHIUM DISCONTINUATION ON SUICIDE RISK IN MOOD DISORDERS: A TARGET TRIAL EMULATION USING POOLED RANDOMIZED CONTROLLED TRIAL DATA
Chelsea Boccagno, PhD, Postdoctoral Fellow
- 3:40 – 4:05pm Drug Abuse Epidemiology Training Program, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
Brion Maher, PhD, Program Director
ASSOCIATIONS BETWEEN CANNABIS LIBERALIZATION POLICIES AND CANNABIS-RELATED SCHOOL DISCIPLINE AMONG SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS IN MASSACHUSETTS, 2005-2021
Faith English, PhD, Postdoctoral Fellow
- SOCIETY FOR BIOLOGICAL PSYCHIATRY SPECIAL PRESENTATION**
- 4:05 – 4:25pm **UNDERSTANDING SOCIAL DETERMINANTS THROUGH BIOLOGICAL PSYCHIATRY**
Nate Harnett, PhD, *McLean Hospital and Harvard Medical School*
- 4:25 – 4:45pm **BREAK**

PANEL DISCUSSION AND Q&A

4:45 – 5:30pm

THE PUBLISHING LANDSCAPE IN PSYCHIATRY: ASK THE EDITORS ANYTHING

Alex Tsai, MD, *SSM Mental Health*

Dost Öngür, MD, *Jama Psychiatry*

Kerry Keyes, PhD, *Drug & Alcohol Dependence*

Linda Cottler, PhD, *Addiction*

Paulo Lizano, MD, *Harvard Review of Psychiatry*

5:30 – 6:30pm

Closing remarks

Networking reception

