CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, April 30
2:00—4:00pm, School Psych Faculty meeting, A302

Wednesday, May 2
12:00-2:00pm, Clinical Dept. “Goodbye Event” for students going on Internship not able to attend on May 7, A340

Monday, May 7
10:00—11:30am, Clinical Faculty meeting, A341
10:00—11:45am, Faculty workshop, A317
12:15—1:30pm, Colloquium Series, Presenter: Bonnie Spring: “Evidence Based Practice.”, A317 See pg. 2 for more details
2:00-4:00pm, Clinical Dept. “Goodbye Event” for students going on Internship, A340
4:00—5:30pm, Faculty Council meeting, Dean’s Conference Room

Monday, May 14
9:00—12:00, Applied Faculty meeting, A302

Wednesday, May 16
1:30pm, Commencement, See pg. 2 for details

MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN

Please come by to welcome Arlene Miller who will be starting on Monday as the Administrative Assistant to the deans. She comes to us from Livingston College where she worked in the dean's office. She is an experienced administrator who is very personable and we are delighted to have her join the GSAPP staff.

The Staff would like to thank the Faculty for the terrific lunch that was provided and the beautiful flowers for Administrative Professional Day!!
COLLOQUIUM

Join us for this year's final colloquium!

Bonnie Spring, Ph.D., ABPP — Northwestern University

Evidence-Based Practice in Psychology: What it is, Why it matters, What you need to know

DATE: Monday, May 7
TIME: 12:10 - 1:15
ROOM: A317

Dr. Bonnie J. Spring is a Health Psychologist who is a Professor of Preventive Medicine at Northwestern University. Her talk will describe the history and meaning of evidence-based practice (EBP) in psychology. EBP is an important direction in the field, involving an integration of the best available research, clinical expertise, and specific client factors.

Although EBP has been the subject of controversy in APA, Dr. Spring presents EBP from an independent standpoint.

FACULTY NEWS

Congratulations to Shalonda Kelly who was nominated by the dean and endorsed by her colleagues from across the University to be honored by the President with a “Diversity Award” for her efforts to support diversity work at Rutgers.

SAVE THE DATE

Wednesday, May 16
GSAPP Commencement Reception (For PsyD Graduates and guests, staff, and faculty only)

Time: 9:30 am
Location: Life Sciences Bldg Atrium, 145 Bevier Road, Piscataway, NJ
Reception Parking: Lot 54
Commencement Parking: 1:30pm, (open to all)
Voorhees Mall, College Avenue, New Brunswick

PsyD’s, RSVP to Sylvia Krieger at kriegs@rci.rutgers., with the number of guests attending, no later than May 1.
UPCOMING EVENT

Join us for a celebration honoring
Sandra Harris and Ken Schneider’s
Retirement!!!

Sandy and Ken will be retiring from their academic positions at GSAPP on June 30. Fortunately, Sandra will continue in her role as Executive Director of the DDDC and Ken will teach a course or two at GSAPP.

To wish them well as they move into a new phase of their lives, we are inviting all faculty, staff and students to a late afternoon party in their honor. The extent of their contributions to GSAPP and Rutgers at large have been enormous.

When: May 23,
Time: 4-6pm
Where: University Inn and Conference Center
178 Ryders Lane
New Brunswick, NJ 08901

For directions, please go to http://univinn.rutgers.edu/.

Refreshments will be served.

If you would like to contribute towards a gift, please make checks payable to Veronica Reed by May 14, 2007. Cash donations are also accepted.

The event is being sponsored by the Dean’s Fund in appreciation of Ken and Sandy’s dedicated and devoted service to GSAPP over many years.

RSVP by May 14, 2007
If you have any questions, please contact Ronni at 732-445-2000 x100 or email her at vbr@rci.rutgers.edu.
The AEA/DU Graduate Education Diversity Internship Program, a partnership between The American Evaluation Association and Duquesne University School of Education, invites graduate students of color interested in evaluation to submit applications for the third cohort, beginning September, 2007, and continuing through June, 2008.

The Internship program is a non-residential opportunity for pre-doctoral students of color to learn about evaluation through working with professional colleagues in their own region while coming together in person three to four times over the course of the year with a small cohort of students in the program to learn from each other and leaders in the field. The program builds upon a student’s existing graduate study program and provides a stipend of $8,000 plus travel support.

We seek graduate students of color who are not already enrolled in an evaluation program, and who:

1) Will be enrolled this fall in either year 2 of a Master’s or year 2 or 3 of a combined masters/doctoral program,
2) Have already been exposed to research methods and substantive issues in their field of expertise,
3) Can demonstrate the relevance of evaluation training in their current work through a short essay, and
4) Have support from his/her academic advisor.

Refer to the program’s website: http://www.education.duq.edu/gedip for more information about activities, information, and application materials.

Applications are due August 1, 2007.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.
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JOB POSTINGS

The FOSTER CARE COUNSELING PROJECT, at the Center for Applied Psychology, has position(s) available for graduate student therapists for the 2006-2007 year.

This position provides an intensive training experience, through both direct clinical services and didactic training and supervision using a multisystemic approach to address the clinical needs of children in foster and relative care and their families. You will be working with children and adolescents from diverse cultural backgrounds who have experienced deprivation and trauma, including physical and sexual abuse, as well as separation and loss from birth families. We provide individual play therapy, family therapy, and parent guidance in therapeutic parenting. Consultation and collaborative work with child protective workers, school personnel and other professionals are important components of our interventions. Because this work can be very challenging, we provide a supportive environment that emphasizes professional self-care. Particularly for those students planning on seeking internships in a city-based hospital or community mental health setting, this practicum placement will provide invaluable experience.

Stipends are $3,000 for a one-day placement (3 clients) and $6,000 for a two-day placement (6 clients).

Please contact Robin Lang, Psy.D., Director of FCCP, at 732-445-7789, ext. 14, if you would like to hear more about the position.

Questions and submissions for publication in the GSAPP Gazette should be sent to Sylvia Krieger
Email: kriegs@rci.rutgers.edu by NOON on Wednesday,
FAX: 732-445-4888