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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH
A302, 5:30—8:00 PM
INTERNSHIP SEMINAR W/FORMAN & SCHNEIDER

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH
DISSERTATION DEFENSE—EBONY EVANS
A302, 1:00 PM
“AN EXPLORATORY STUDY OF FAMILY OF ORIGIN INFLUENCES ON AFRICAN-AMERICAN WOMEN’S EXPERIENCES IN THE WORKPLACE”
COMMITTEE CHAIRS: NANCY BOYD-FRANKLIN AND KAREN RIGGS SKEAN

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH
DISSERTATION DEFENSE—KARLA E. BAILEY
A302, 12:00 Noon
“AN EXPLORATORY STUDY OF CHILD OBESITY CONCERNS AMONG AFRICAN-AMERICAN CHILDREN AND PARENTS”
COMMITTEE CHAIRS: DAN FISHMAN AND NANCY BOYD-FRANKLIN

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1ST
DISSERTATION DEFENSE—MATTHEW STROBEL
A302, 10:00 AM
“CIVICS EDUCATION AT THE HIGH SCHOOL LEVEL: AN INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACH TO EDUCATIONG DIVERSE POPULATIONS THROUGH THE UTILIZATION OF SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGY TO BETTER A POLITICAL SCIENCE PROJECT”
COMMITTEE CHAIRS: LEWIS GANTWERK, SUSAN FORMAN

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2ND
DISSERTATION DEFENSE—KRISTIN CARBONE
A302, 11:00 AM
“EVALUATION OF A LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM: INVESTIGATING THE IMPACT AND KEY FACTORS FACILITATING OR IMPEDING SUCCESS”

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28TH
COLLOQUIUM BY MARY BETH GIBBONS, PH.D.
A317, 12:10—1:30 PM
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF PSYCHOLOGY IN PSYCHIATRY
UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, DEPT OF PSYCHIATRY
“UNIQUE AND COMMON MECHANISMS OF CHANGE ACROSS DIVERSE PSYCHOTHERAPIES”

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OCTOBER 16TH CULTURAL CONFERENCE
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UMDNJ-RWJMS—Dept of Psychiatry—Grand Rounds—Oct 1 & Oct 8

***October 1, 2009***

**Time/Location:**
9:00—10:30, 671 Hoes Lane, Piscataway, NJ
Conference Room D203

**Title of Presentation:**
“First Episode Psychosis—A Clinical Update”

**Speaker:** Oliver Freudenreich, M.D.
Director, MGH First Episode and Early Psychosis Program
Freedom Trail Clinic
Assistant Professor, Harvard Medical School
Instructor, Boston University School of Medicine
Boston, Massachusetts

***October 8, 2009***

**Time/Location:**
9:00—10:30, 671 Hoes Lane, Piscataway, NJ
Conference Room D203

**Title of Presentation:**
“Culturally Sensitive Assessment and Intervention with African American Patients”

**Speaker:** Paulette Hines, Ph.D.
Chief psychologist
Clinical Assistant Professor
Executive Director, Center for Healthy School, families and Communities
Director of Prevention Services & Research
University Behavioral HealthCare/University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey
Piscataway, New Jersey
JOB OPPORTUNITY

School Psychologist/School Social Worker
Perth Amboy Public Schools, Perth Amboy, NJ

Perth Amboy Public Schools is seeking a masters or doctoral level school psychologist or licensed clinical social worker for a full-time (10 month) position working with a small population of high-risk students. Applicants must be eligible for New Jersey Department of Education certification as a School Psychologist or School Social Worker. Responsibilities include assessment and treatment planning, goal-driven individual therapy, facilitating group therapy focusing on anger management/self-regulation, problem-solving skills, and coping skills, and coordination of community services for students and their families. Candidates must have experience working in clinical settings and be knowledgeable in the assessment, intervention and treatment planning of common child and adolescent psychological disorders. Applicants knowledgeable in behavior modification and developing behavior intervention plans are encouraged to apply. Experience working with culturally diverse populations is preferred.

Interested applicants can apply online at www.apitrack.com/paps/onlineapp

NEW ARRIVALS

Rebecca J. Finley and husband mark are the proud parents of a baby girl. Amelia Mikayla Finley came into the world on June 10th.

Alumni Edward Altwies and Claire Haiman on the birth of their daughter Agatha on June 27th.

Jason Mayer and wife Kim became the proud parents of a son, Max Perry Mayer, on July 21st. Max weighed in at 7lbs., 15 ozs., 20 inches long, with a strong set of lungs (according to dad)

CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES TO THE PROUD PARENTS FROM ALL AT GSAPP

AWARDS FOR STUDY IN SCANDINAVIA 2010-2011

Grants and fellowships for study in the five Scandinavian countries are available through The American-Scandinavian Foundation. These are for U.S. citizens and permanent residents. Applicants should have some knowledge of the home country language and should make arrangements well in advance for a sponsoring individual or institution. Preference is given for students working on their dissertations. Forms and information are available at www.amscan.org

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Diversity Recruitment Night

Graduate School of Applied and Professional Psychology

Thursday October 1, 2009

Rutgers University

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4:45 – 7:00 pm

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♦ Paid Practica During Graduate School
♦ What Are Graduate Schools Looking For?
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