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Conference Program
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Saturday, June 2

- 8:00 – 9:00 a.m. REGISTRATION
- 9:00 – 9:10 a.m. OPENING REMARKS
Heather A. Turner, University of New Hampshire
- 9:10 – 10:00 a.m. KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Michael Hughes, Virginia Tech
“The Racial Paradox in Mental Health”
- 10:10 – 11:30 a.m. SESSION A: Race, Ethnicity, and Social Stress
Session Presider: Courtney Thomas, UCLA
- “Racial Inequality in Health: The Role of SES, Stressors, and Physiological Dysregulation,” Tyson Brown, Duke University, and Taylor Hargrove, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- “Physically Vulnerable, but Psychologically Resilient?: Exploring the Psychosocial Determinants of Black Women’s Physical and Mental Health,” Christy L. Erving, Vanderbilt University, Lacey Satcher, Vanderbilt University, and Yvonne Chen, Vanderbilt University
- “Does Religion Lessen the Dampening Effect of Financial Stress on Subjective Well-Being for African Americans and Afro-Caribbeans?” Hans Momplaisir, Virginia Tech
- “Socioeconomic Status (SES) and Unequal Access to Psychosocial Resources among Black and White Adults,” Courtney S. Thomas, UCLA, Christy L. Erving, Vanderbilt University, and Apurva Barve, UCLA
- 11:40 – 12:40 p.m. SESSION B: A Commemoration of the Life and Work of R. Jay Turner
- 12:40 – 2:00 p.m. LUNCH BREAK

2:00 – 3:20 p.m.

SESSION C: Stress and Linkages between Physical and Mental Health
Session Presider: Catherine L. Moran, University of New Hampshire

“Stress and Sugar: An Analysis of the Empirical Support for Stress as a Cause of Type 2 Diabetes, and its Implications for the Lack of Social Disparities in Depression in the U.S.,” Briana Mezuk, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

“A Social Stress Perspective on Adversarial Growth in Mental and Physical Illness Experiences,” Hannah Sophie Klaas, University of Lausanne, Davide Morselli, University of Lausanne, Stéphanie Pin, CHUV University Hospital, Robin Tillman, Swiss National Centre of Competence in Research LIVES, and Dario Spini, University of Lausanne

“A Longitudinal Study on Teenagers’ Salivary Cortisol and Psychological Health in a Swedish County,” Carl-Johan Törnåge, University of Gothenburg, and Peter Währborg, University of Gothenburg

“The Role of Behavioral, Psychological, and Biological Risk Factors in the Association between Psychosocial Stress and All-Cause Mortality among Mid-Life Adults in the U.S.,” Justin Rodgers, Harvard University

3:30 – 4:50 p.m.

SESSION D: Gender, Sexual Orientation, and Social Relationships
Session Presider: Heather A. Turner, University of New Hampshire

“Family Formation, Couple-Level Minority Stress and Mental Health among Same-Sex Couples,” Allen LeBlanc, San Francisco State University, David M. Frost, University College, London, Melissa Milkie, University of Toronto, and Heather Hargraves, San Francisco State University

“Emotion Work and Psychological Well-Being: Gendered Dynamics in Same-Sex and Different-Sex Marital Dyads,” Debra Umberson, University of Texas at Austin, Amanda Pollitt, University of Texas at Austin, Sara Mernitz, University of Texas at Austin, and Mieke Thomeer, University of Alabama, Birmingham

“Eating Your Worries Away? Daily Stress and Eating Behavior in Same-Sex and Different-Sex Marriages,” Michael Alexis Garcia, University of Texas at Austin

“Embodied Disruption: ‘Sorting Out’ Gender and Nonconformity in the Doctor’s Office,” Emily Allen Paine, University of Texas at Austin

5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

RECEPTION

Sunday, June 3

8:30 – 9:50 a.m.

SESSION E: Family-Related Strains and Outcomes

Session Presider: Karen T. Van Gundy, University of New Hampshire

“Self-Care and Positive Coping Strategies Used by Family Members of Violent Persons with Mental Illness,” Lisa Speropolous, Southern New Hampshire University, and Karyn Sporer, University of Maine

“The Stressful Effects of Being Phubbed by Friends and Family,” Travis Kadylak, Michigan State University, and Shelia R. Cotten, Michigan State University

“Identity Stability Predicting Perceived Stress Change in Widowhood and Divorce,” Charikleia Lampraki, University of Lausanne, Dario Spini, University of Lausanne, and Daniela S. Jopp, University of Lausanne

“Childhood Adversity, Early and Nonmarital Fertility, and Women’s Health at Midlife,” Kristi Williams, The Ohio State University, and Brian Karl Finch, University of Southern California

10:00 – 11:30 a.m.

SESSION F: Work-Related Stress, Status, and Social Ties

Session Presider: Scott Schieman, University of Toronto

“The Social Antecedents and Consequences of the Sense of Personal Control: Comparative Findings from Japan and the United States,” Atsushi Narisada, University of Toronto

“Social Capital or Social Cost? Accessed Status, Tie Strength, and Depression in the U.S., Urban China, and Taiwan,” Lijun Song, Vanderbilt University

“Controlling or Channeling Demands? Schedule Control and the Effects of Job Pressure on the Work-Family Interface,” Philip Badawy, University of Toronto, and Scott Schieman, University of Toronto

“The Long Haul: How Does Commuting Distance Impact the Work-Family Interface?” Shirin Montazer, Wayne State University, and Marisa Young, McMaster University

“Precarious Employment Contributes to Poor Health among Midlife Workers in the U.S.,” Rachel Donnelly, University of Texas at Austin

11:40 – 12:40 p.m.

SESSION G: Physical, Emotional, and Behavioral Health in Adolescence

Session Presider: Lisa Speropolous, Southern New Hampshire University

“Downward Trends for Adolescent Externalizing Problems and Increasing Trends of Internalizing Problems—A Descriptive Analysis Proposing Hypotheses,” Curt Hagquist, Karlstad University, Brittany Evans, Karlstad University, and Yunhwan Kim, Karlstad University

“Perceived Classroom Climate: Toward Explaining the Increasing Trend in Internalizing Problems in Swedish Adolescents,” Brittany Evans, Karlstad University, Yunhwan Kim, Karlstad University, and Curt Hagquist, Karlstad University

“Mental Health Problems among Native and Immigrant Adolescents in Sweden: Difference in Levels and Trends from 1995 to 2011,” Yunhwan Kim, Karlstad University, Brittany Evans, Karlstad University, and Curt Hagquist, Karlstad University

12:40 – 2:00 p.m. LUNCH BREAK

2:00 – 3:20 p.m. SESSION H: Lived Experiences with Physical and Mental Illness
Session Presider: Robyn Lewis Brown, University of Kentucky

“Intersectionality, Work, and Well-Being: The Effects of Gender and Disability,” Robyn Lewis Brown, University of Kentucky, and Mairead Easton Maloney, University of Kentucky

“‘Health Means Not Being Asked about my Health’: Life Post-Stroke for Older Adults Living in the Community,” Allison B. Brenner, University of Michigan, Lesli Skolarus, University of Michigan, Julia Aspelund, University of Michigan, Philippa Clarke, University of Michigan, and James Burke, University of Michigan

“Pressure, Pesticides, and Perms: How Black Breast Cancer Survivors Interpret Causes of Disease” Kanetha Wilson, Vanderbilt University

“Accounts from Working Professionals Living with Serious Mental Illnesses,” Marta Elliott, University of Nevada, Reno

3:30 – 4:50 p.m. SESSION I: Inequality, Financial Stressors, and Well-Being
Session Presider: Karyn Sporer, University of Maine

“Residentializing Social Comparisons and Subjective Well-Being: The Role of Relative Housing Quality and Neighborhood Social Integration,” Markus H. Schafer, University of Toronto

“Only the Financially Vulnerable are Affected in their Health by Contexts of Income Inequality,” Dario Spini, University of Lausanne, Nicolas Sommet, University of Lausanne, and David Morselli, University of Lausanne

“Is Financial Transparency a Stress Reliever: Money, Inequality, Security, Identity, or Relationship?” Hui Zheng, The Ohio State University, Jacob Tarrence, The Ohio State University, and Vincent Roscigno, The Ohio State University

“Indicators of Hardship and Mental Health among Older Adults: What We Know from the HRS,” Gillian L. Marshall, University of Washington, Tacoma, Eva Kahana, Case Western Reserve University, William T. Gallo, City University of New York, Kim Stansbury, North Carolina State University, and Stephen Theilke, University of Washington, Veteran’s Affairs.

Monday, June 4

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.

SESSION J: Stress, Coping, and Behavioral Health

Session Presider: Karen Van Gundy, University of New Hampshire

“Coping with Stress in the Irish Police Service,” Chris Gibbons, Dublin Business School

“Stress, Situational Motivations, and Symptoms of Prescription Drug Dependence: An Examination of Mediating and Moderating Processes,” Brian C. Kelly, Purdue University, and Mike Vuolo, The Ohio State University

“Help Wanted: Social Stressors, Substance Use, and Mental Health among Latino Day Laborers,” India J. Ornelas, University of Washington, Clara M. Hill, University of Washington, and Emily C. Williams, University of Washington

9:40 – 11:00 a.m.

SESSION K: Legal Issues, Stress, and Emotional Health

Session Presider: Catherine L. Moran, University of New Hampshire

“Expanding the Family Stress Model: The Consequences of Parental Arrest for Family Life,” Kristin Turney, University of California, Irvine, and Naomi F. Sugie, University of California, Irvine

“The Emotional Cost of Arrest: The Impact of Discrimination, Stigma, and Social Stress on Depression,” Robert J. Johnson, University of Miami

“Racialized Parallels of Incarceration and Deportations: Implications for Mental Health,” San Juanita García, University of California, Riverside, and Susila Gurusami, University of Toronto

“Stress, Embodiment, and Abortion Access,” Danielle Bessett, University of Cincinnati, Kathryn LaRoche, University of Ottawa, and Angel M. Foster, University of Ottawa

11:10 – 12:40 p.m.

SESSION L: Aging, Stress, and Health

Session Presider: Heather A. Turner, University of New Hampshire

“Life Course Risks, Resources, and Health Hazards: Indelible Effect of Early Exposures?” Patricia M. Morton, Wayne State University, and Kenneth F. Ferraro, Purdue University

“A Longitudinal Examination of the Impact of Major Life Events on Physical Activity,” Elizabeth A. Richards, Purdue University, Patricia A. Thomas, Purdue University, Anna K. Forster, Purdue University, and Zachary Hass, Purdue University

“Dangerous Masculinity: The Impact of Health and Wealth Decline on Aging Men’s Mental Health,” Dena T. Smith, University of Maryland, Baltimore County, Dawne Mouzon, Rutgers University, and Marta Elliot, University of Nevada, Reno.

“Pain and Hardship among Older Men: Examining the Buffering Effect of Medicare Coverage,” Gillian L. Marshall, University of Washington, Tacoma, Tamara Baker, University of Kansas, Chiho Song, University of Washington, and David Miller, Case Western Reserve University

“Disentangling the Stress Process: Race/Ethnic Differences in the Exposure and Appraisal of Chronic Stressors among Older Adults,” Lauren Brown, University of Southern California, Uchechi Mitchell, University of Illinois at Chicago, and Jennifer Ailshire, University of Southern California

12:50 – 1:40 p.m.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Deborah Carr, Boston University

“Love Hurts? Rethinking Social Support and Older Adults’ Mental Health.”

1:40 – 1:45 p.m.

CLOSING REMARKS

Heather A. Turner, University of New Hampshire

