The Third Annual Center for Healthy Aging in Multicultural Populations (CHAMP) Conference on Health and Aging

Opportunities and Challenges: Evidence-Based Practice in Multicultural Communities

9:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Friday, April 18th, 2014
Spartan Complex (SPX), San José State University

2014 CHAMP CONFERENCE PROGRAM

This event is co-sponsored by Dean Charles Bullock, College of Applied Sciences and Arts, SJSU and MidPen Resident Services Corp.

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## Conference Program

### 9:00 – 9:45 AM – REGISTRATION & POSTER SESSION (SPX 89)

Poster Session Judges:
- Megan Chang, PhD, OTR/L, Dept. of Occupational Therapy, San José State University
- Colette LaSalle, PhD, RD, Dept. of Nutrition, Food Science, & Packaging, San José State University
- Kathleen Matthews, MS Candidate, Dept. of Occupational Therapy, San José State University

### 9:45 – 10:00 AM – WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS (SPX 89)

CASA Dean: Charles Bullock, PhD, San José State University
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### 10:00 – 10:45 AM - CONCURRENT SESSIONS

#### Session I: Long-Term Care (SPX 75)

Session Chair: Elizabeth Weiss, PhD, Dept. of Anthropology, San José State University

**Panel Discussion: Multi-Dimensional Aspects of Aging and Long-Term Care**
- Darlene Yee-Melichar, EdD, CHES, Gerontology Program, San Francisco State University
- Courtney J. Donovan, PhD, Dept. of Geography and Environment, San Francisco State University
- Andrea Renwanz Boyle, DNSc, RN, BC, School of Nursing, San Francisco State University
- Christopher Cherney, MA, LNHA, Kaiser Post-Acute Care Center and SFSU Gerontology Program
- Nancy Dudley, MA, RN, PhD Candidate, University of California San Francisco and SFSU Gerontology Program

#### Session II: Daily Activities and Engagement (SPX 89)

Session Chair: Van Ta, PhD, Dept. of Health Science, San José State University

**The Occupational Needs of Frail Chinese Elder Immigrants for Aging in Place**
- Sheama Krishnagiri, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA, Dept. of Occupational Therapy, San José State University

**Using Photovoice to Explore Older Adults' Strategies to Establish and Maintain Social Participation**
- Lynne Andonian, PhD, Dept. of Occupational Therapy, San José State University

#### Session III: Training Future Professionals (SPX 77)

Session Chair: Jack Wall, PhD, Director of School of Social Work, San José State University

**Teaching Students How to Develop Multicultural Competencies in Coaching Older Adults to Improve their Self Health Care Skills**
- Michelle Kelly, DNP, FNP, PHN, Dept. of Nursing, Sonoma State University

**Enhancing Nursing Courses with Realistic Geriatric Content**
- Colleen O’Leary-Kelley, PhD, RN, CNE, Dept. of Nursing, San José State University
- Karen Bawel-Brinkley, PhD, RN, CNE, Dept. of Nursing, San José State University
- Deborah Nelson, MS, RN, Dept. of Nursing, San José State University

### 10:45 – 11:00 AM – BREAK
11:00 – 11:45 AM - CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Session IV: LGBT Elders (SPX 75)
Session Chair: Sheama Krishnagiri, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA, Dept. of Occupational Therapy, San José State University

From Dialogue to Action: Stories of LGBT Elders
Mitzi Lowe, MSW, PhD, Dept. of Social Work Education, California State University, Fresno
Patt Boersma, MSW Candidate, California State University, Fresno

Session V: Bone Health (SPX 77)
Session Chair: Kasuen Mauldin, PhD, RD, Dept. of Nutrition, Food Science and Packaging, San José State University

Is Seventy the New Forty? Paleopathology and Aging
Elizabeth Weiss, PhD, Dept. of Anthropology, San José State University

Exo-Arm: Assistive Device for Those with Functional Disabilities at the Elbow
Maleeha Nagvi, Dept. of Biomedical Engineering, San José State University
Mike Passaglia, Dept. of Biomedical Engineering, San José State University
Kyle Tang, Dept. of Biomedical Engineering, San José State University
Guna Selvaduray, PhD, Dept. of Biomedical Engineering, San José State University

Session VI: Wellness in Senior Housing (SPX 89)
Session Chair: Megan C. Chang, PhD, OTR/L, Dept. of Occupational Therapy, San José State University

Prospects and Challenges of Implementing Multidisciplinary Healthy Aging Programs in Multicultural, Subsidized Senior Housing
Sadhana Diwan, PhD, Professor, School of Social Work, SJSU
Megan Chang, PhD, OTR/L, Assistant Professor, Department of Occupational Therapy, SJSU
Daryl Canham, PhD, Professor, Valley Foundation School of Nursing, SJSU
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Kasuen Mauldin, PhD, RD, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Nutrition & Food Sciences, SJSU
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Swamini Bajpai, MS, Program Director, Senior Services, MidPen Resident Services Corp.
David Lee, BA, Services Manager, MidPen Resident Services Corp.

Implementation of a Recreation Therapy Intervention in a Multicultural, Subsidized Senior Housing Facility
Susan Ross, PhD, Lecturer, Department of Health Science & Recreation, SJSU
Hope Garcia, Undergraduate student, Department of Health Science & Recreation, SJSU

11:45 – 12:00 – BREAK
12:00 – 1:00 PM – STUDENT POSTER AWARDS & LUNCH (SPX 89, open to faculty, professionals, and student presenters only)
Sadhna Diwan, PhD, Director, Center for Healthy Aging in Multicultural Populations (CHAMP)
Kasuen Mauldin, PhD, RD, Chair, Conference Program Committee, CHAMP

1:00 – 2:50 PM - PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SESSION* (SPX 89, open to faculty, professionals, and student presenters only)

*Co-sponsored by the Stanford Geriatric Education Center (SGEC). SGEC is accredited as a provider of continuing education for LCSW and MFT by California Board of Behavioral Sciences (Provider #4379) and designates this event for 1.5 CE credits. $15 will be charged for CEUs and a check (which is the only payment method) should be made payable to: Stanford Geriatric Education Center.

Making Evidence Based Practices Work in Community Settings: What Goes and What Stays

Presenters:
Dolores Gallagher Thompson, Ph.D., ABPP: Professor of Research, Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences & Director, Stanford Geriatric Education Center; Board Certified in Clinical Psychology
Swamini Bajpai, MS, Program Director, Senior Services, MidPen Resident Services Corp.

This interactive session will provide a brief overview: of the concept of evidence-based practice; the process of developing and testing an NIH-funded evidence-based program (EBP) for improving wellness among caregivers; translating the program for use by a community agency; and the elements of an EBP that can or cannot be altered when making it relevant for use in community settings. Perspectives and needs of community service providers will also be addressed in the discussion.

Q & A
Moderator: Amy D’Andrade, MSW, PhD, Associate Professor, School of Social Work, Director of Center for Applied Research on Human Services (CARHS) and Associate Dean for Research, College of Applied Sciences & Arts, San José State University

2:50 – 3:00 PM – CLOSING & EVALUATIONS

Note: The program, including presenters, topics & times, is subject to change.

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