



Prevention Research Center

FOR THE PROMOTION OF HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

Spring 2012 Seminars

Wednesdays, S209 Henderson Building, 4-5 p.m. (unless otherwise noted)

- January 11** **Michael Hecht, Ph.D.**, Distinguished Professor of Communication Arts & Sciences, & Crime, Law, & Justice, and **Michelle Miller-Day, Ph.D.**, Associate Professor of Communication Arts & Sciences, Penn State, "Adaptation Process in School-based Substance Use Prevention"
- January 18** **Lisa Bailey-Davis**, Senior Instructor, Department of Public Health Sciences, Penn State College of Medicine, "Evaluating the Impact of State-wide BMI Screening in Elementary Schools"
- January 25** **Shannon Wanless, Ph.D.**, Assistant Professor, Applied Developmental Psychology Program, Department of Psychology in Education, School of Education, University of Pittsburgh, "Assessing Readiness to Implement Social-Emotional Learning Interventions"
- February 1** **Andrew Mowen, Ph.D.**, Associate Professor of Recreation, Parks, and Tourism Management, Penn State, "Parks and Recreation: Your Partner in Public Health"
- February 8** **Kristin Buss, Ph.D.**, Associate Professor of Psychology, Penn State, "Biopsychosocial Trajectories of Children with Dysregulated Fear"
- February 15** **Brian Bumbarger**, Director of the EPISCenter and Policy Research & Outreach Coordinator, Prevention Research Center, Penn State, "Challenges to Scaling-Up Effective Prevention Programs: Getting from 'Lists' to Public Health Impact"
- February 22** **No Seminar**
- February 29** **Ian Paul, M.D.**, Professor of Pediatrics, Penn State College of Medicine, "Primary Prevention of Obesity Through Infancy-based Interventions"
- March 7** **No Seminar—Spring Break**
- March 14** **Elizabeth M. Z. "Betsy" Farmer, Ph.D.**, Professor of Health Policy and Administration, Penn State

- March 21 Nirbhay N. Singh, Ph.D., American Health and Wellness Institute, Raleigh, NC, "Applications of Mindfulness-based Interventions with People with Developmental Disabilities and Their Caregivers"
- March 28 Stephanie Lanza, Ph.D., Scientific Director, Methodology Center, Penn State
- April 4 Joshua Brown, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Psychology, Fordham University
- April 11 Alysia Blandon, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Psychology, Penn State
- April 18 Type II Translation Poster Session
- April 25 Rena Repetti, Ph.D., Professor of Psychology, University of California, Los Angeles
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