

# The Child & Adolescent Anxiety SIG Newsletter

Advancing the Science and Practice of Youth Anxiety

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## Letter from the SIG Leader and Newsletter Editors

Hello SIG members:

We are pleased to bring you our annual ABCT pre-conference issue of the Newsletter highlighting all of the exciting Child & Adolescent Anxiety events planned for this year's meeting, including the CAASIG Pre-Conference Meeting on Thursday, November 18<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00am - 5:00pm. Dr. Bruce Chorpita will be delivering the meeting's keynote address from 9:00 -10:00am titled, "*Designing for Change by Changing Design: Repackaging Knowledge about EBTs for Childhood Anxiety (and Everything Else)*." You will find a complete pre-conference agenda on Page 2. Even if you are unavailable to attend the entire pre-conference meeting we hope you will stop by during the "Networking Break" from 3-3:30pm to say hello to old friends and meet new colleagues.

The annual CAASIG meeting will be held on Saturday, November 20<sup>th</sup> from 3:30pm to 5:00pm. Dr. Jeffrey Wood will be delivering a much anticipated keynote address, "*Exploring the Function and Treatment of Anxiety in the Autism Spectrum*". In addition, this year's Student Travel Award Winner, Andrea Letamendi, will present preliminary findings from her winning study titled, "*A Family Study of PTSD: Predictors of Anxiety in Children of OIF/OEF Soldiers with Posttraumatic Stress Disorder*". The winner of the SIG Student Poster Award will be announced, and both Ms. Letamendi and our poster award will be presented with their awards at the meeting. We hope to see you there as well!

Also in this issue is a helpful ABCT Itinerary Planner including information about workshops, symposia and other events related to anxiety in children and adolescents, a "Fun Things to do in San Francisco" section put together by our student representatives, and an update on our popular new website [www.childanxietysig.com](http://www.childanxietysig.com).

As always, we thank everyone for their continued support and look forward to seeing you in San Francisco!

Sincerely,

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# Preconference Meeting Agenda

## Recent Advances in Child Anxiety Treatment Dissemination and Implementation

2ND ANNUAL CHILD ANXIETY SIG PRE-CONFERENCE MEETING

SAN FRANCISCO, CA, NOVEMBER 18, 2010

9AM – 5:00PM, UNION SQUARE 23/24

### Keynote Address: Dr. Bruce Chorpita, UCLA

*Designing for Change by Changing Design: Repackaging Knowledge  
about EBTs for Childhood Anxiety (and Everything Else)*

#### AM Session: Research Presentations

Lynn Miller, Ph.D., University of British Columbia  
Bryce McLeod, Ph.D., Virginia Commonwealth University  
Jon Comer, Ph.D., Boston University

Brian Chu, Ph.D., Rutgers University  
Bridget Biggs, Ph.D., L.P., Mayo Clinic

Stephanie Fung & Valerie Noel, Memorial University

Katharina Manassis, Ph.D., University of Toronto

CBT in Aboriginal Students  
Development and Validation of Child Therapy Integrity Measures, VCU  
Recent National Trends in the Outpatient Treatment of Childhood Mental Disorders  
Multi-level study of anxiety and depression treatment and dissemination  
Are Social Difficulties Specific to Social Anxiety in Adolescence? A Multi-Informant Study  
Identifying and assessing factors associated with child anxiety: The role of parental and familial influences  
MAAC: An animated feelings assessment measure for young anxious children

#### PM Session: SIG Member Research Updates

Michelle Rozenman & Shelly Gonzales, SDSU/UCSD  
Matthew Jarrett, Ph.D., University of Alabama  
Anthony Puliafico, Ph.D., Columbia University  
Aubrey Edson, University of Pennsylvania  
Annette LaGreca, Ph.D., University of Miami  
Maria Cowart, Virginia Tech Child Study Center  
Jennie Hudson, Ph.D., Macquarie University  
Shirley Reynolds, Ph.D., University of East Anglia  
Alexander Queen, University of Miami  
Bridget Biggs, Ph.D., L.P., Mayo Clinic  
Adam Weissman, Ph.D., Harvard Medical School

Current research at SDSU ChAAMP (Director: Robin Weersing)  
Treatment of Comorbid ADHD and Anxiety in Children  
EX/RP with D-Cycloserine Augmentation for Hard-to-Treat OCD in Adolescents  
Treatment of Pediatric OCD, Tics, and Trichotillomania  
TBA  
Augmented Treatment of Childhood Phobias (with Tom Ollendick)  
Research update: Centre for Emotional Health  
The effect of maternal reassurance on child anxiety  
Current Research on Adolescent Panic Disorder Assessment and Treatment  
Anxiety symptoms, social interaction, and peer relations in an early adolescent  
Update on Child STEPs Project, Judge Baker's Children's Center

#### Networking Break (3:00 – 3:30pm): All SIG Members are invited to attend

An opportunity to informally meet and discuss with colleagues while enjoying refreshments.

We had a terrific response to our preconference meeting and expect to have over 50 attendees. Unfortunately space is limited and we must close registration. If you are not able to join us for the preconference meeting, please plan to join us at the **Child Anxiety SIG Annual Meeting on November 20, 3:30pm – 5:00pm, Union Square 1 & 2**

## ITINERARY PLANNER

### SIG EVENTS AT THE 2010 ABCT CONVENTION

#### **CHILD & ADOLESCENT ANXIETY SIG PRE-CONFERENCE MEETING**

**9AM – 5PM (REGISTRATION REQUIRED), UNION SQUARE 23/24**

Recent Advances in Child Anxiety Treatment Dissemination and Implementation

**Keynote Address: Bruce Chorpita, Ph.D., UCLA**

*Designing for Change by Changing Design: Repackaging Knowledge about EBTs for Childhood Anxiety (and Everything Else)*

**AM Session:**

Maximizing Dissemination of EBP for Child Anxiety

Research Methods: Evaluating Feasibility, Adherence, and Sustainability in Community Settings

**PM Session:**

SIG Member Research Updates

**Networking Break (3:00 – 3:30pm):**

An opportunity to network with fellow SIG members and invited guests while enjoying refreshments.

#### **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19**

#### **FRIDAY NIGHT WELCOMING COCKTAIL PARTY/SIG POSTER EXPOSITION**

**6:30PM – 8:30PM**

#### **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20**

#### **CHILD AND ADOLESCENT ANXIETY SIG ANNUAL MEETING**

**3:30PM – 5:00PM, UNION SQUARE 1 & 2**

**Keynote Address: Jeffrey Wood, Ph.D., UCLA**

*Exploring the Function and Treatment of Anxiety in the Autism Spectrum*

**Presentation by SIG Student Travel Award Winner: Andrea Letamendi, UCSD/SDSU**

*A Family Study of PTSD: Predictors of Anxiety in Children of OIF/OEF Soldiers with Posttraumatic Stress Disorder*

**Award presentation for CAA SIG Student Travel and Student Poster Award Winners**

**PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS. THESE EVENTS MAY NOT APPEAR IN  
YOUR ABCT ONLINE ITINERARY PLANNER**

# 2010 ABCT Itinerary Planner

This year's conference is filled with symposia, workshops, posters and events that include a focus on *Anxiety in Children and Adolescents*. We hope that the following guide will be helpful to CAASIG members in navigating the full ABCT program of events.

8:30a -10:00a (Continental Parlor 2)  
Clinical Roundtable: **Managing Treatment-Resistant OCD Spectrum Conditions in Adults and Children**  
 Chair: Cheryl Carmin

9:45a -10:45a (Franciscan A & B)  
Poster Session: **Child & Adolescent Anxiety**

12:00p -1:30p (Continental Parlor 3)  
Symposium: **OCD in Youth and Its Comorbidities: Implications for Treatment**  
 Chairs: K. Canavera & T. Ollendick  
 Discussant: J. Piacentini

12:30p -2:00p (Mason A & B)  
Symposium: **The Neural Mechanisms underlying Emotion Regulation and Psychopathology: Bridging Cognitive Affective Neuroscience and Clinical Research**  
 Chairs: J. Richards & S. Daughters  
 Discussant: M. Ernst

1:45p -3:15p (Continental Parlor 1)  
Symposium: **New Directions in the Study of Attentional Biases to Threat in Anxious Youth and Adults**  
 Chair: K. Benoit  
 Discussant: R. McNally

2:15p-3:45p (Continental Ballroom 5)  
Symposium: **Evidence-Based Assessment in Research and Practice: What's a Clinician to do about Diagnostic Interviews?**  
 Chairs: S. Anderson & T. Ollendick  
 Discussant: P. Jensen

3:30p -5:00p (Continental Parlor 7)  
Symposium: **Detection and Early Intervention of Child Anxiety Disorders: Exploring CBT Treatment Modalities**  
 Chair: C. Yu  
 Discussant: L. Miller

3:30p -5:00p (Continental Parlor 8)  
Symposium: **Recent Advances in Pediatric OCD Research**  
 Chair: N. Caporino  
 Discussant: D. McKay

3:45p -5:15p (Lombard)  
Symposium: **OCD Research Collaborative Association (ORCA): Evaluating the Effectiveness of Residential and Intensive Outpatient Treatment Programs in Adolescents and Adults**  
 Chair: C. Wetterneck  
 Discussant: T. Bjorgvinsson

6:30p -8:30p (Grand Ballroom A)  
**SIG Poster Expo and Welcome Party**



8:15a -10:15a (Goldren Gate 5)

**Master Clinician Seminar: Conducting Therapeutic Exposures with Anxious Adolescents: Practicalities, Pitfalls and Ultimately, Progress**

A.M. Albano & S. Pimentel

8:30a- 10:00a (Golden Gate 8)

**Symposium: Sleep and Internalizing Disorders in Children and Adolescents**

Chairs: C. Weiner & D. Pincus

Discussant: R. Dahl

10:15a -11:45a (Golden Gate 8)

**Symposium: Understanding Behavioral Health Services as Usual for Children and Adolescents: Diverse Practitioner and Treatment Characteristics**

Chair: C. Higa McMillan

Discussant: A. Garland

10:15a -11:45a (Continental Parlor 7)

**Symposium: Anxiety Disorders and Quality of Life: Functioning and Well-Being Across a Broad Array of Naturalistic and Treatment Samples of Adults and Children**

Chair: R. Weisberg

Discussant: J. Abramowitz

10:15a -11:45a (Union Square 22)

**Symposium: Risk Factors for Mood Disorders in Children and Adolescents: Integrating Psychological and Biological Perspectives**

Chairs: I. Gotlib & J. Joormann

Discussant: I. Gotlib

10:45a -12:15a (Imperial A)

**Symposium: All in the Family: Exploration of Parenting Practices and their Relation to Internalizing Symptoms in Children and Adolescents across Cultures**

Chairs: K. Lewis & T. Ollendick

Discussant: D. Beidel

12:00p -1:00p (Union Square 5 & 6)

**Symposium: New Advances in the Treatment of Anxiety Disorders in Young Children: Adapting Parent-Child Interaction Therapy for an Overlooked Population**

Chair: J. Comer

Discussant: S. Eyberg

12:00p -1:30p (Continental Parlors 1-3)

**Symposium: Dissemination and Implementation of Computerized CBT**

Chairs: R. McHugh & L. Santucci

Discussant: D. Barlow

12:00p -1:30p (Union Square 15 & 16)

**Symposium: Innovative Ways of Enhancing the Effectiveness of Evidence-Based Treatments for Children**

Chair: E. Coles

Discussant: G. Massetti

12:00p -1:30p (Union Square 22)

**Symposium: Behavioral Activation for Teenagers with Mood or Anxiety Disorders**

Chairs: W. Craighead & E. McCauley

Discussant: S. Dimidjian

12:15p - 2:00p (Franciscan A & B)

**Poster Session: Child Anxiety & Maltreatment**

1:30p - 4:30p (Golden Gate 6)

**Workshop: Selective Mutism in Children: Characteristics, Assessment, and Treatment**

C. Kearney, H. Kaur & R. Schafer

1:45p - 3:15p (Golden Gate 8)

**Symposium: Innovative Formats of CBT for Child Anxiety: Efficacy, Feasibility, and Acceptability**

Chairs: K. Gallo & D. Pincus

Discussant: B. Chu

1:45p - 3:15p (Union Square 22)  
**Symposium: Attentional Bias in Anxious Youth: Bridging Neurocognitive Theory and Clinical Practice**

Chair: A. Weissman  
Discussant: R. McNally

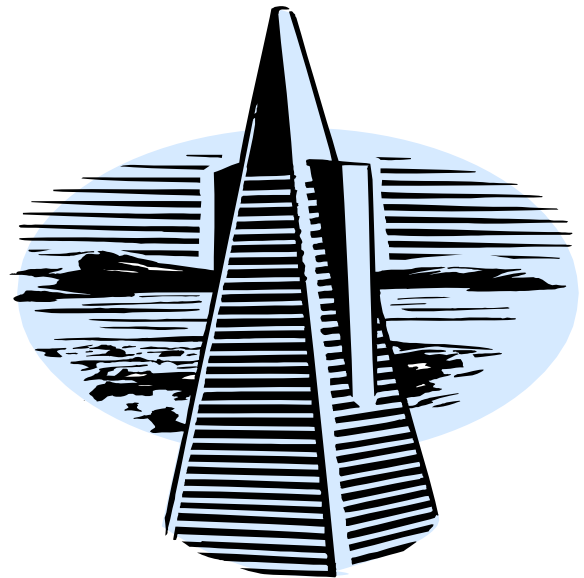
3:30p -4:30p (Union Square 19 & 20)  
**Symposium: From Clinics to Classrooms: Innovative Clinician-Teacher-Parent Collaborations to Deliver CBT Treatments in School Settings**

Chairs: H. Taylor & A. Chiu  
Discussant: A. Garland

3:30p -5:00p Continental Parlor 1-3  
**Symposium: Providing Evidence-based Interventions in Secondary Schools**

Chair: S. Evans

3:30p -5:00p (Union Square 1-2)  
**Child and Adolescent Anxiety SIG Annual Meeting**



## SUNDAY NOVEMBER 21<sup>st</sup>

8:30a – 10:00a (Golden Gate 8)  
**Symposium: Innovative Applications of CBT to Diverse Traumatized Youth and Young Adult Populations**

Chairs: C. Danielson & M. McCart  
Discussant: D. Kolko

9:00a -10:30a (Golden Gate 7)  
**Symposium: Individual Differences in Fear Learning: From the Laboratory to the Real World**

Chair: J. Prenoveau  
Discussant: D. Hermans

10:15a -11:45a (Golden Gate 8)  
**Symposium: Emotion and Psychopathology: Conceptual Foundations and Clinical Applications**

Chair: C. Suveg  
Discussant: M. Goldfried

# SIG POSTER EXPO AND COCKTAIL RECEPTION

Friday November 19th, 6:30 – 8:30pm, Grand Ballroom A

## LIST OF CAASIG POSTERS

1. Noel, V., Francis, S.  
*A Meta-analytic Review of the Role of Child Anxiety Sensitivity in Child Anxiety*
2. Regan, J., Ebesutani, C., Smith, A., Tung, I., Reise, S., Chorpita, B.F., Higa-McMillan, C.  
*Application of item response theory to the Positive and Negative Affect Schedule for Children, child and parent versions: A 5-item PA scale for efficient assessment of anxious and depressed youth*
3. Hitchcock, C.A., Chavira, D.A., Letamendi, A.M., Sung, S.C., Sullivan, S., Shipon-Blum, E., Stein, M.B.  
*Selective Mutism: Relationship with Sensory Integration Problems*
4. Waechtler, V.E. Miller, L.D.,  
*Promoting Resiliency in Children by Fostering Emotional Intelligence*
5. Chan, P.T., Leyfer, O., Pincus, D.B.  
*Family and Clinical Characteristics of Children and Youth Diagnosed with Generalized Anxiety Disorder*
6. Hayes, L.P., Allen, L.B., Tsao, J.C.I., Zeltzer, L.K.  
*Correlates of Anxiety and Depression in a Pediatric Chronic Pain Sample*
7. Letamendi, A.M., Hitchcock, C.A., Ball, T.M., Chavira, D.A., Stein, M.B.  
*A Family Study of PTSD: Predictors of Anxiety in Children of OIF/OEF Soldiers with Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (Preliminary Findings)*
8. Sweeney, C., Ochner, E., Lerner, A.B., Reitman, E., Kim, R.E., Ludwig, K., Ryan, J.L., & Masia Warner, C.  
*Effects of a Group CBT Intervention for Parents of Preschool-Aged Children with Anxiety: An Open Pilot of Strengthening Early Emotional Development (SEED)*
9. Rowley, A.M., Simpson, G.R., Laugeson, E., Wood, J.J., Ehrenreich-May, J.  
*A Multiple Baseline, Pilot Study of a Cognitive Behavioral Treatment for Anxiety in Older Adolescents and Young Adults with High-Functioning Autism*
10. Dunbeck, K.M., Lewis, K.M., & Ollendick, T.H.  
*Does Anxiety Sensitivity Moderate the Relationship Between Maternal Overprotection and Child Levels of Fear and Anxiety in Clinically Anxious Children?*
11. Madden, M.M., Lewis, K.M., & Ollendick, T.H.  
*Do Parent-Child Interaction Styles affect Child Anxiety and Approach Behavior during the Behavioral Approach Task (BAT)?*
12. Ebesutani, C., Regan, J., Smith, A., Kim, H., Reise, S., Chorpita, B.F., Higa-McMillan, C.  
*Comparison of the Revised Child Anxiety and Depression Scale (RCADS) Anxiety Total scale and Generalized Anxiety scale in measuring the general factor of anxiety in youth: Are both scales really necessary?*

## Congratulations to all of our Presenters!

Poster guidelines can be found at <http://www.abct.org/Conv2010>

The winner of the 2010 CAASIG Student Poster Award will be announced at the CAASIG annual meeting on November 20<sup>th</sup> from 3:30-5pm, in Union Square 1 & 2.

This year's winner will receive a certificate and a check for \$50

# Students' Corner

by Laura Skiner, B.A., Emily Laird, B.A., & Shelly Gonzales, M.S.

Now that your conference program has arrived in the mail you may be too busy sifting through its (many) pages and planning your conference itinerary to explore other local activities. Have no fear. We've done the work for you! Here is a brief list of ideas for fun, things to see and places to eat and drink in San Francisco. We threw in a few student-friendly conference activities as well.

# A

After Hour  
Activities...

If you aren't too exhausted after a day of exhilarating talks, make sure to check out these not-to-be-missed after hour attractions. Located at 243 O'Farrell Street, **John Foleys**, a popular dueling piano bar, is only 430 feet away from the conference hotel. Patrons say that it is frequently packed, has a great atmosphere, no cover, and attentive bartenders. If you aren't up for a duel, stop by **Shelton Theater** on Saturday at 10:00pm for a night of Improv comedy. Located at 533 Sutter St., the theater is only 0.3 miles from the conference hotel. Tickets are \$15-\$20 and reviews describe it as the best Improv around. For a more low key evening, head over to **RYE**, a cocktail bar on 688 Geary St. Described by one Yelper as "a cocktail-forward mixology bar with ample seating, zero stuffiness, a pool table, an outdoor lounge and great music." Maybe we'll see you there!

# B

Beverages  
& Dining...

Hungry before a morning symposium? Parched after your presentation? Check out some nearby watering holes and eateries heralded by locals. **Theatre Too Café** serves Middle Eastern deli food. Located on 539 Sutter St., only 0.3 miles from the conference, you can pop in for what Yelpers describe as a restaurant with "great prices, fast lunch, and amazing wraps and salad." If you're looking for a more traditional deli, **Mango's Café**, at 577 Geary receives rave reviews for "the best sandwiches in the Union Square area." With most items under \$10.00, and located only 0.2 miles from the conference hotel, this is another great option. If you're in the mood for something a little more formal, stop by **The View**. Located at on the 39<sup>th</sup> floor of the nearby (0.4 mi) Marriott hotel, many Yelpers claim that the amazing view is worth more than the cost of food and beverages.

# C

Conference  
Sessions for  
Students...

In the midst of soaking up lots of exciting and inspiring research, there are a number of presentations especially for us students that you may want to squeeze into your itinerary. These presentations are geared towards helping graduate students and early career researchers navigate the challenges of publishing, applying for internship, and getting your first job. Here are just a few highlights....

<b>Friday:</b>		
<i>Internship Training Site Overview</i>		Continental Ballroom 6
8:30 – 10:00am		
<i>Getting Published as a Student and Early Career Psychologist</i>		Continental Ballroom 4
4:00 – 5:30pm		
<b>Saturday:</b>		
<i>What Professionals Look for When They Hire New Employees</i>		Continental Ballroom 5
9:00 – 10:30pm		

# T

Tourist  
Attractions...

In addition to the popular Golden Gate Bridge and Alcatraz, San Francisco is packed with tourist attractions both indoors and out. Need some fresh air? Take the trolley to **Fisherman's Wharf** (Pier 39), a world famous waterfront community, home to dining, specialty shops, and family-friendly entertainment including the Aquarium of the Bay. The wharf has many seafood restaurants featuring clam chowder in a sourdough bread bowl. The best part is that hanging around the wharf and enjoying the day is free! Another not-to-be-missed attraction is the **Museum of Modern Art (MOMA)** located within a few blocks of the conference hotel at 151 3<sup>rd</sup> Street ([www.sfmoma.org](http://www.sfmoma.org)). The MOMA's internationally recognized collection of modern and contemporary art includes more than 26,000 works. Plus, admission is only \$9.00 when you show your student ID.



# www.childanxietysig.com

Hopefully, you have already checked out our *New Child & Adolescent Anxiety SIG* website. If you have not, we encourage you to stop by, share your referral and/or research information and utilize the online resources for professionals. Here are just some of the website's excellent features:

Ψ **RESOURCES FOR PROFESSIONAL AND THE PUBLIC:**

Recent articles and publications on child anxiety treatment and research; links and information regarding upcoming professional development opportunities; books for clinicians, parents and kids.

Ψ **STUDENT CORNER:**

News for students including student poster and award opportunities, training-related news and resources, and articles aimed at helping students navigate the world of graduate school, etc.

Ψ **REFERRAL NETWORK:**

A valuable resource for members, professionals and the public - our referral network includes a listing of clinical services and research opportunities offered by CAASIG members.

Ψ **NEWSLETTER ARCHIVES:**

Copies of past editions of the CAASIG newsletter for download.

Ψ **MEMBERSHIP PORTAL:**

An easy, online membership option for both current and new members.

A very special thanks to our website manager, Aubrey Edson from the University of Pennsylvania in helping to create [www.childanxietysig.com](http://www.childanxietysig.com). Please send information to be posted as well as any ideas for content to: [aedson@mail.med.upenn.edu](mailto:aedson@mail.med.upenn.edu).

## CONGRATULATIONS

to this year's STUDENT TRAVEL AWARD Winner:

**Andrea M. Letamendi**

University of California at San Diego/San Diego State University

A Family Study of PTSD:

Predictors of Anxiety in Children of OIF/OEF Soldiers with  
Posttraumatic Stress Disorder - Preliminary Findings

COME SEE THE PRESENTATION AT THE ANNUAL SIG MEETING

## Job Announcements

### **TENURE-TRACK FACULTY POSITION AT THE RANK OF ASSISTANT PROFESSOR (OPEN RANK CONSIDERED),**

**DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY, LOMA LINDA UNIVERSITY.** Applicants must hold a Ph.D. or Psy.D. from an APA-accredited program and have completed an APA-accredited internship. Applicants must hold a CA psychology license or be license-eligible. Though area of specialization is open, applicants specializing in quantitative psychology or clinical child are particularly encouraged to apply. Applicants specializing in quantitative psychology would be primarily responsible for teaching all or a portion of the department's three course statistics sequence in addition to fulfilling research mentoring, clinical supervision, and other departmental responsibilities. Applicants specializing in clinical child would be primarily responsible for research mentoring, teaching (possibilities might include child psychopathology and/or developmental psychology), clinical supervision, and providing support to the department's professional concentration in this area. Ideally, all applicants will have an active research program, publication track record, and prior experience teaching/supervising graduate students. A demonstrated ability/potential to pursue extramural research funding is also desirable. Send a letter of interest, vitae, representative reprints/preprints, and names/contact information for at least three references to: Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Loma Linda University, Department of Psychology, 11130 Anderson St., Loma Linda, California 92350. Applicants may also send their materials via email to [lortiz@llu.edu](mailto:lortiz@llu.edu). Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. For more information, please visit <http://psychology.llu.edu>

**TENURE TRACK FACULTY POSITION IN INTERVENTION, PENN STATE UNIVERSITY.** The Department of Psychology at Penn State (<http://psych.la.psu.edu/>) is searching for a faculty member (rank open) to contribute to the research and training programs of the Child Study Center (<http://csc.psych.psu.edu/>). Candidates should have expertise in child clinical and/or developmental psychology, a strong record of publication and involvement with funded research, and demonstrated leadership skills. We are particularly interested in applicants who conduct prevention or intervention research – at any age ranging from infancy to adolescence. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Candidates should submit a letter of application, along with statements of research and teaching interests, a CV, at least three letters of recommendation, and selected (p)reprints to: CSC Intervention Faculty Search Committee - Box M, Department of Psychology, Penn State, University Park, PA 16802. For more information, contact Kristin Buss ([kbuss@psu.edu](mailto:kbuss@psu.edu)), search committee chair. Penn State is committed to affirmative action, equal opportunity and the diversity of its workforce.

### **DIRECTOR OF CLINICAL TRAINING, PROFESSOR OR ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I AT MANOA.**

The Department of Psychology at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa (Honolulu, Hawai'i) invites applications for a Professor or an Associate Professor position to assume the role of Director of Clinical Training in the department's Clinical Studies Program, a well-established, APA-accredited, scientist-practitioner Ph.D. program with concentrations in both adult and child clinical psychology. Duties: Provide academic leadership as Director of Clinical Training; conduct research; teach/mentor graduate and undergraduate students in clinical and general psychology; secure extramural funding and work with community mental health agencies. Minimum Qualifications: A Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology from an APA-accredited college, university or foreign equivalent; minimum four (4) years of full time college or university teaching at the rank of assistant professor or equivalent; evidence of scholarly achievement comparable to peers at major research universities; a productive research program; experience and skills in teaching and mentoring within a university-based clinical psychology Ph.D. program; and licensed or license eligible in clinical psychology in Hawai'i. Desirable Qualifications: One or more years of successful university administration experience (such as clinical training director, department chair); and successful experience managing training or research grants. To Apply: Send via e-mail: curriculum vitae, cover letter addressing how you satisfy the minimum and desirable qualifications, statement summarizing your teaching/research interests, up to three relevant publications, and three letters of recommendation to Ms. Vicky Keough, [vkeough@hawaii.edu](mailto:vkeough@hawaii.edu), Subject Heading: Clinical Psychology Search Committee. Inquiries: Dr. Stephen N. Haynes, [sneil@hawaii.edu](mailto:sneil@hawaii.edu), phone (808) 956-8108. More information about the Department and Program is available online at [www.psychology.hawaii.edu/pages/graduate\\_programs/clinical.html](http://www.psychology.hawaii.edu/pages/graduate_programs/clinical.html).

## Job Announcements

### POST-DOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP, University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic, Treatment Dissemination and Implementation Research with Children/Youth

David J. Kolko, Ph.D., Amy D. Herschell, Ph.D., Barbara Baumann, Ph.D., Oliver Lindhiem, Ph.D., Science and Practice for Effective Children's Services (SPECS)

In the context of a post-doctoral research fellowship in the Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry at the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine/Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic (WPIC), we seek candidates for a program that specializes in translational research at the university and community (efficacy-effectiveness) interface. The program trains clinical-researchers in the skills necessary to design and conduct treatment dissemination/implementation trials in "real-world" settings. Our portfolio includes clinical trials and projects that draw upon the application of evidence-based treatments for child/adolescent populations (e.g., behavior problems/disorders, adolescents who have perpetrated sexual abuse, child physical abuse/family violence) in community settings/systems that have become increasingly involved in the delivery of mental health services (e.g., pediatric primary care, juvenile justice, child welfare, community mental health). Some of our current effectiveness trials and dissemination/training efforts involve applications of Alternatives for Families: A Cognitive-Behavioral Therapy (AF-CBT).

Fellows are encouraged to contribute to and/or manage clinical trials, develop treatment research grant applications, and disseminate products having scientific, practice, and policy implications. In all of these venues, opportunities are provided to work with research investigators and community leaders/practitioners on projects that integrate clinical assessments, extend treatment guidelines to real-world settings, and train/collaborate with professionals in multiple service sectors.

We seek individuals with a Ph.D. in psychology (clinical/quantitative preferred) from an APA-accredited program with interests in addressing the efficacy-effectiveness continuum, potential for excellence in scholarship/academic research, and the ability to work creatively and collaboratively. A good grounding in CBT/parent training with children/adolescents and their families, community-based participatory research, and applied research in developmental psychopathology, as well as exposure to vulnerable and underserved populations, is encouraged. Candidates for this NIMH-funded, T-32 fellowship must also be U.S. citizens. Fellows have an opportunity to interact with some of the country's leading clinical treatment researchers in child/adolescent psychology and psychiatry, and adult psychiatry. There has been a high success rate among post-doctoral fellows who have sought external (federal) funding for research.

WPIC is consistently ranked at or near the top of all federal grant recipients among university departments and departments of psychiatry based on a substantial portfolio that includes research and research training projects relevant to mental health disorders and behavioral treatments, NIH Career Development Awards (K Awards), and post-doctoral fellows. The department has a strong commitment to training, research, and clinical service.

This posting also available at: <http://www.pitt.edu/~kolko/postdoc.html>. For preliminary discussions: Please contact David J. Kolko, Ph.D., Professor of Psychiatry, Psychology, and Pediatrics (VOICE:412-246-5888; e-mail: [Kolkodj@upmc.edu](mailto:Kolkodj@upmc.edu)).

## Job Announcements

**TWO FACULTY POSITIONS - CLINICAL CHILD/ADOLESCENT AND HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY, VIRGINIA COMMONWEALTH UNIVERSITY.** VCU seeks two tenure-track faculty members, one in the area of health psychology, and one in clinical child and adolescent psychology to begin August, 2011, pending budgetary approval. All applicants must have the potential for a major research program and show evidence of success in publishing their work. Both positions are at the assistant professor level, however applications from more senior faculty with a strong publication record and major ongoing research funding will be considered. Applicants for the health psychology position must have a Ph.D. in Health Psychology or a related discipline with a major, established research program in health. The successful candidate will possess the ability to interface with colleagues at our Medical Campus. Applicants for the clinical position must have a Ph.D. in psychology and be licensed or license eligible in Virginia. Preference will be given to candidates who can interface with our applied developmental psychology program. All positions will involve teaching at both the undergraduate and graduate levels and advising graduate students in their research. High quality teaching and research are both needed to obtain tenure. Applicants should submit a statement of research interests, teaching philosophy and interests, a current curriculum vita, representative publications, and at least three letters of reference to: Chair, Search Committee for Health (or Clinical) Psychology, Department of Psychology, Virginia Commonwealth University, P.O. Box 842018, Richmond, VA 23284-2018. Additional information about the department and the program can be found at our Homepage address: <http://www.psychology.vcu.edu>.

**ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, THE UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT.** We invite applicants for a tenure-track Clinical Psychology assistant professor position to begin August 2011. We seek a productive researcher specializing in some area of clinical child and adolescent psychology or developmental psychopathology. Position responsibilities include: graduate and undergraduate teaching, academic advising, research supervision of graduate students, clinical supervision of child, adolescent, and young adult therapy and assessment cases, and the development of a productive research program. Review of applications will begin October 15, 2010. Successful candidates will be expected to obtain licensure as a psychologist in Wyoming. A Ph.D. is required for faculty rank. For detailed information about the department, see: <http://www.uwyo.edu/psychology/>. Interested candidates should submit a letter of application describing research and teaching interests, a curriculum vitae, selected reprints, and teaching evaluations, and have three letters of reference sent to: Walt Scott (wscott@uwyo.edu), Chair, Clinical Psychology Search Committee, University of Wyoming, Department of Psychology, Dept. 3415, 1000 E. University Ave., Laramie, WY 82071.

**POST DOCTORAL FELLOWSHIP, TEXAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, BAYLOR COLLEGE OF MEDICINE.** The Psychology Service at Texas Children's Hospital is accepting applications for the Child Clinical Psychology Post-doctoral Fellowship, 2011 training class. Fellowship opportunities are available in the following tracks: Anxiety Disorders (ADP), Disruptive Behavior Disorders (DBD), and Pediatric Health Psychology (PHP) programs. Baylor College of Medicine and Texas Children's Hospital are located in Houston on the grounds of the Texas Medical Center, the largest medical center in the world. The physical resources of the hospital and medical center provide enormous opportunities for training, research, and clinical experiences. Fellows will have the opportunity to participate in evaluations and therapy with children with a variety of mental health and physical disorders. Primary services in which the fellows engage include diagnostic assessment; consultation with families, schools, and referring physicians; individual, family, and group psychotherapy. Application deadline for the Pediatric/Clinical Child Fellowships: January 1, 2011. Complete applications include: letter of intent, curriculum vita, official graduate transcripts, and three letters of recommendation. On-site interviews are extended to competitive applicants. A detailed brochure of the overall fellowship, including information on the specific programs therein as well as application procedures, is available via the following email address: [PsycFellowship@texaschildrenshospital.org](mailto:PsycFellowship@texaschildrenshospital.org)

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