2009

**Keynote Speaker:**
Roger L. Worthington, Ph.D.
Associate Professor of Educational, School and Counseling Psychology and the Assistant Deputy Chancellor and Chief Diversity Officer at the University of Missouri

**Counseling Psychologists as Diversity Change Agents in Higher Education**

**Doctoral Student Research Presentations:**

- **Tracie L. Hitter, M.S.**
  Religiously Conservative Therapists who are LGBT-Affirming

- **Daubney M. Harper, M.A.**
  Influences of Counselor's Spirituality on Identity and the Client/Counselor Relationship

- **Roswitha Saenz, M.A.**
  Do Dysfunctional Attitudes Moderate the Relationship between Spirituality and Self Forgiveness?

- **Cynthia E. Guzmán, M.A., LMHC**
  The Guzmán Marianismo Inventory: A Scale Construction Project

- **Ricardo Torres, B.A.**
  Factors Influencing Latinos’ Attitudes and Intentions to Seek Professional Help

- **Jared Cox, M.S., LMHC**
  Self-Esteem: Mediating the Impact of Health Perceptions on Satisfaction with Life with Underserved Primary Care Patients

2008

**Keynote Speaker:**

Lydia Buki, PhD

Associate Professor in the Department of Educational Psychology, College of Medicine, and the Department of Kinesiology and Community Health at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Virginia Longoria, M.A.
Religious LGB Allies: God Knows They Exist

Ralph J. Crabbe, M.A.
The Cultural Antecedents to the Enculturation of African American Women

Sarah K. Tamminga, M.A. and Nadia M. Cano, M.A.
Predicting Type of Career Decision in a Sample of Latinas: The Role of Ethnic Identity, Feminist Identity Attitudes, Perceived Barriers, & Coping Efficacy

Diana Sanchez, M.A.
Comparing the Outcomes of Individual Psychology and Reality Therapy Among Latino and Anglo College Students

Sandy Newsome, M.S.
Differential Impact of Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction on Bi-Ethnic, Latino, and Anglo Helping Professionals in Training

2007
Keynote Speaker:
Tania Israel, PhD
Associate Professor in the Department of Counseling, Clinical, and School Psychology at the University of California, Santa Barbara
LGBT Clients' Helpful and Unhelpful Therapy Experiences

Doctoral Student Research Presentations:

Jason Vasquez, M.A.
The Relation of Racial Identity to Perceived Discrimination and Psychological Distress among Latinos

Lisa L. Houston, M.A.
Unpacking Social Oppression in the Counseling Session: Examining Gestalt Therapy as a Cross Cultural Counseling Model

Natasha M. Ali, M. Ed.
Native-, Hispanic-, and Anglo-American Reactions to Conflict Mediation Training

Michelle Edwards, MSSW
Differential Impact of Three Approaches to Anxiety Treatment for Hispanics and Anglos
Liz Schall, MSW  
Cultural Competency, Therapeutic Bond, and Counseling Outcomes

Christine P. Benitez, M.A.  
Maternal Parentification of Siblings in Families With and Without a Child With a Developmental Disability

2006  
Keynote Speaker:

Elizabeth Vera, PhD  
Professor in Counseling Psychology at Loyola University - Chicago.  
Psychologists as Agents of Social Justice

Doctoral Student Research Presentations:

Kelsie N. Foster, M.A. CRC LRC  
Sisters in the Struggle: Resiliency of African American Female Graduate Students Attending Predominantly White Institutions

Sarah A. Christensen, M.S.  
Religion and Counseling: Moderating Feelings of Social Isolation among Latina and Anglo College Women

Tamara Ulysse  
The Relation between Hostility and Somatization for Hispanic and Anglo Female College Students

Robert Joseph Longoria, MA  
Treating Hostility Differences between Anglo and Hispanic Females

Michael P. Iezzi, M.S.  
Effect of Counselor Awareness of White Privilege on White and Hispanic Students’ Counselor Preference
Marilyn Morris
There is No Translation for Counseling in the Dineh Language: The Effectiveness of Humanistic and Learning Theories with Native American College Students

2005
Keynote Speaker:

Luis Vargas, PhD
Associate professor in the Department of Psychiatry at the University of New Mexico School of Medicine in Albuquerque, New Mexico
Is Cultural Competence Really What We Want for Psychologists?

Doctoral Student Research Presentations:
Nick Barnecllo, M.S.
“Narratives of Success among Mexican-American, First-Generation College Students.”

Joseph Bosarge
“Multicultural Competence and Burnout in School Psychologists.”

Ralph Espinoza, M.A.
Indicators of Neuropsychological Functioning in White and Latino Domestic Violence Perpetrators: A Pilot Study

Kim Horn, M.S.
“Stranger in a Strange Land: An Acculturation Model of International Students in the United States.”

Merranda Romero Marin, M.S.
"Growing Older Gracefully: Resilience and Life Satisfaction Among Mexican-Americans Aged 65 and Older"

Janette E. Mialkowski, M.A.
"Hispanic Adolescent Clients with Fearful Attachment Styles Views on the Working Alliance in Counseling".

2004
Keynote Speaker:

William Parham, Ph.D., ABPP
Associate Director of Clinical and COPE Services at the University of California, Los Angeles
Sports in a Multicultural Context

Doctoral Student Research Presentations:
Kay Ennis
“Evaluation of a School to Work Program”

Sandra Martinez

Lee Stillerman
“Relationship Between Working Alliance and Sense of Humor”

Gene Edwards
“The Influence of Black Identity Development and Cultural Mistrust on Intra-racial Prejudice Attitudes among Black College Students”

Brandon Rivera
“Using Media as an Educational and Instructional Tool to Promote Equality”

Melinda Haley
“Do Attitudes Toward Inmates Vary by Ethnicity or Gender?”

2003
Keynote Speaker:
Teresa LaFromboise, PhD
Associate Professor & Director of Training, Stanford University
The Three Village Study: American Indian Adolescents’ Resilience and the Role of Enculturation on Substance Use

Doctoral Student Research Presentations:
Deb Gardner
Resiliency and Family Protective Factors: A Multicultural Perspective
Shelly Wolfe
The Effects of Domestic Violence on Cognitive Distortions and Trauma Symptoms in Anglo and Hispanic Women

Philip Kerne
The Relationship Between Abusiveness Potential, Conflict Resolution Style, and Domestic Violence Group Counseling with Hispanic Males

Curtis Bronson
Impact of Ethnic Identity, Gender, and Therapeutic Bond on Symptom Reduction

2002

Keynote Speaker:
Gladys De Necochea, Ph.D.
Vice President of Student Services and Dean of Students at NMSU
Research Imperative for Student Services

Doctoral Student Research Presentations:
Katey Baruth
A Formal Assessment of Resilience: The Baruth Protective Factors Inventory

Jose Marquez
Group Treatment Outcome of Court Mandated Domestic and Substance Abusive Men

Julie Liska-Chaloner
Exploring the Relation of Codependency and Attachment Styles

Rob Yancey
Therapeutic Factors in a Community Men’s Group

2001

Keynote Speaker:
Donald B. Pope-Davis, Ph.D.
Professor in Counseling Psychology at the University of Notre Dame where he is also the Director of the Multicultural Research Institute.
From Diversity to Multiculturalism: Issues of Competence, Education, Training

Doctoral Student Research Presentations:
Lucy Montes-Sandoval
The color continuum: A study of the impact of skin color and perceived discrimination on academic achievement among Latino/a adolescents

Kristy Scullion
Barriers to learning for borderland middle school students
Stacy Ackerlind
The relation of gender-role beliefs and identity development attitudes to career self-efficacy

Jessica Torres-Pryor
Preventing sexual assault: Impact of an intervention on adolescent attitudes, beliefs, and sexual assault self-reporting behavior

1999
Keynote Speaker:
Patricia Arredondo, PhD
President of Empowerment Workshops, Inc.

1998
Keynote Speaker:
Ursula Delworth, PhD
Professor in the Division of Psychological & Quantitative Foundations at the University of Iowa

1997
Keynote Speaker:
Mark Leach, PhD
Associate Professor, University of Southern Mississippi
White Racial Attitudes: Implications for Psychology and Higher Education

1996
Keynote Speaker:
Amado Padilla, PhD
Professor of Psychological Studies in Education, Stanford University
Educational Resiliency Among Latino Students