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OFFER eNews

A weekly roundup of research news and opportunities for the social work community

Highlighted News

Congratulations to **Megan Moore** and team! They have received a \$1.022 million dollar research grant from National Institute of Justice for Access to Justice for Adolescents and Young Adults Experiencing Intimate Partner Violence: Effectiveness and Accessibility of Civil Protection Orders

A brief overview is provided here: <https://nij.ojp.gov/funding/awards/2020-va-cx-0001>

Important information for all with federal grants!!! Executive Order on Combating Race and Sex

The implications of this EO are potentially very concerning and consequential, and OFFER and the Dean's office are following this closely. We have reached out to several professional associations, and have queries into the UW admin, NIH, and other organizations. Below is a link that SW has signed on with other organizations in partial response to the EO.

<https://www.aera.net/Newsroom/Statement-in-Support-of-Anti-Racist-Education>

The UW Board of Deans will be discussing this issue at their next meeting in early October to see what actions UW can take. We suggest you carry on with your projects as usual and we will keep you informed with any new information we receive and, if necessary, what collective action we might take.

"By the authority vested in me as President by the Constitution and the laws of the United States of America, including the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act, 40 U.S.C. 101 et seq., and in order to promote economy and efficiency in Federal contracting, to promote unity in the Federal workforce, and to combat offensive and anti-American race and sex stereotyping and scapegoating, it is hereby ordered as follows.....Therefore, it shall be the policy of the United States not to promote race or sex stereotyping or scapegoating in the Federal workforce or in the Uniformed Services, and not to allow grant funds to be used for these purposes. In addition, Federal contractors will not be permitted to inculcate such views in their employees....

Sec. 5. Requirements for Federal Grants. The heads of all agencies shall review their respective grant programs and identify programs for which the agency may, as a condition

of receiving such a grant, require the recipient to certify that it will not use Federal funds to promote the concepts that (a) one race or sex is inherently superior to another race or sex; (b) an individual, by virtue of his or her race or sex, is inherently racist, sexist, or oppressive, whether consciously or unconsciously...

Speaker Series: Leaders in Prevention Science

The Social Development Research Group (SDRG) at the UW School of Social Work is pleased to present a Leaders in Prevention Science speaker series to share the work of leading scholars with our colleagues.

Save the Dates:

October 1, 12:00pm	Will Aldridge, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
October 7, 1:00pm	Nadine Finigan-Carr, Washington State University
October 14, 1:00pm	Brittany Cooper, Washington State University
October 21, 1:00pm	W. Alex Mason, University of Tennessee Health Science Center
October 29, 1:00pm	Jennifer Bailey, University of Washington
November 4, 1:00pm	Stephanie Lanza, Penn State University
November 12, 1:00pm	Denise Walker, University of Washington
December 3, 12:30pm	Debra Furr-Holden, Michigan State University
December 9, 2:00pm	Guillermo (Willy) Prado, University of Miami
January 6, 1:00pm	Margaret Kuklinski, University of Washington

Dates and time vary depending on the speaker's availability. Each event is schedule to last no more than 1.5 hours. A Zoom invitation will be sent for each event.

Current Research Funding Opportunities

[List of all active NIH grant opportunities](#)

Selected Grant Opportunities

[Scott and Paul Pearsall Grant](#)

Deadline: October 1, 2020

\$10,000. The Scott and Paul Pearsall Grant supports graduate and early career work that seeks to increase the public's understanding of the psychological pain and stigma experienced by adults living with visible physical disabilities, such as cerebral palsy.

[Provost Bridge Funding Program](#)

Deadline: November 1, 2020

The Provost's Office provides bridge funding to support faculty to span the gap in critical research programs. Awards are a maximum of \$50,000 for one year (from the Provost), and a 1:1 matching commitment is required from the department. - but please note, the School doesn't always have this matching money to provide. The priority is to support individuals who have clear funding in the near future (e.g. a JIT initiated by NIH) and need to tide over until that funding comes through. We do not provide funding when individual grants have expired and there is no competing continuation or funding already in the pipeline that is on the way.

[Roy Scrivner Memorial Research Grants](#)

Deadline: November 1, 2020

\$10,000 grant for empirical and applied research focused on lesbian, gay and bisexual family psychology and lesbian, gay and bisexual and transgender family therapy.

[APF Queen-Nellie Evans Scholarship](#)

Deadline: November 15, 2020

The Queen-Nellie Evans Scholarship will recognize outstanding minority graduate students who have a demonstrated commitment to improving the conditions of marginalized communities. Preference is given to those who are preparing for a career in academia, clinical service delivery, or public policy and see their work as helping to improve the condition of marginalized communities after the completion of their graduate studies. Both master's and doctorate students are welcome to apply.

[Competitive and Administrative Supplements for Community Interventions to Reduce the Impact of COVID-19 on Health Disparity and Other Vulnerable Populations”](#)

Deadline: December 30, 2020

Research is needed to test community interventions focused on the prevention (or slowing) of COVID-19 transmission, evaluate local and state policies and programs intended to mitigate COVID-19 exposure and improve adherence, and reduce the negative impact of the multifaceted consequences on the health of populations who experience health disparities and other vulnerable groups.

[Digital Healthcare Interventions to Address the Secondary Health Effects Related to Social, Behavioral, and Economic Impact of COVID-19](#)

Deadline: December 30, 2020

In order to significantly improve near term impact of treatment and identification of individuals at risk for, or experiencing worsening health secondary to the COVID-19 pandemic across the full lifespan, supplements will focus particularly on NIH-designated health disparity (racial/ethnic minorities, less privileged socioeconomic status, rural residents and sexual and gender minorities) and other populations with medical or social vulnerabilities.

Fellowships, Internships and Job Opportunities

[ITHS KL2 Multidisciplinary Clinical Research Career Development Program Request for Applications](#)

Deadline: October 30, 2020

KL2 Scholars are appointed for up to three years of support. The program encourages all types of clinical research, including patient-oriented research, translational research, small- and large-scale clinical investigation and trials, epidemiologic and natural history studies, health services research, and health behavior research.

[The South Florida Cancer Control Training in Disparities and Equity \(C-TIDE\)](#)

This is an interdisciplinary training program that provides training in multilevel determinants (e.g., biological, medical, social, psychosocial) of cancer etiology, prevention, risk, progression, adjustment, health-related quality of life (HRQOL), and other health- and patient-reported outcomes (PROs). A total of three trainees will be appointed each year for a five-year period. Fellows will have the opportunity to focus their training in one of two focus areas: (A) determinants of cancer etiology, prevention and control; or (B) design and implement cancer prevention and control interventions. Training across both areas is acceptable.

Conferences, Trainings and Workshops

[Health Equity in Prevention Part 2: An Overview of a Health Equity Toolkit for Rural and Remote Communities](#)

October 1, 2020, 1pm-2:30pm – online

The Health Equity Toolkit for Rural and Remote Communities was developed to support public health departments and other organizations doing health-related work to expand their internal capacity and institutionalize equity in their work. This session will explore the purpose of the toolkit, provide an overview of the content and approach, and will include an experience-based activity from the Toolkit.

[Register here](#)

[Stopping Suicide: A Population Health Approach to Preventing Suicide](#)

October 1, 8, 15 2020 – online

This series of panels will address the daunting public health challenge of suicide prevention. Experts will discuss the causes and potential ways to prevent suicide, to improve the health of populations.

Panel 1: Understanding Suicide, October 1, 4:30pm-6pm, [Register here](#)

Panel 2: Keynotes, October 8, 1pm-2:30pm, [Register here](#)

Panel 3: Addressing Suicide, October 15, 4:30pm-6pm, [Register here](#)

[Addiction Health Services Virtual Research Conference](#)

October 14th-16th, 2020 – online

Addiction Health Services Research (AHSR) will host virtual plenary speakers and virtual poster sessions for this year's conference. We will also have a virtual poster slam featuring Early Career Researchers.

Abstracts are due June 1 to the AHSR conference. The conference has switched to an all-virtual format and there are no registration fees this year and award opportunities for junior scientists.

[Research and Evaluation Conference on Self-Sufficiency \(RECS\)](#)

October 13-15 & 19-20, 2020 – online

The Virtual RECS 2020 will provide an opportunity to hear the latest findings from evaluations of human services and employment programs and policies, discuss ways to incorporate findings into the design and implementation of programs, and identify future evaluation needs.

[Data for Black Lives Conference](#)

December 11-13, 2020 Cambridge, MA

Data for Black Lives is a movement of activists, organizers, and mathematicians committed to the mission of using data science to create concrete and measurable change in the lives of Black people. But history tells a different story, one in which data is too often wielded as an instrument of oppression, reinforcing inequality and perpetuating injustice. Redlining was a data-driven enterprise that resulted in the systematic exclusion of Black communities from key financial services.

Call for Papers

[Social Work Practice in the Era of the COVID-19 Pandemic: Challenges and Innovations](#)

Deadline: October 15, 2020

The impact of the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) has and will continue to have tremendous impact on the health and social well-being for populations across the world. Social workers, like many other professions, are addressing these needs in direct service provision and planning efforts to ameliorate unprecedented disruption across health, social, and economic systems.

[Pandemics, Economics, Systems, and the Future of Social Work](#)

Deadline: November 1, 2020

The COVID-19 pandemic and resultant concatenated economic crises have changed the world dramatically. This special issue will seek to explore what social work should look like in the future—how can it be relevant, proactive, ethical, and play a role in creating a better future?

[The Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Sciences: The Social and Political Impact of COVID-19 in the United States](#)

Deadline: November 3, 2020

We invite theoretical and empirical papers which enhance our initial understanding of the social and political impacts of the COVID-19 outbreak. Our aim is to highlight outstanding early research on: (1) how social and political dynamics shape responses to the pandemic; and (2) how the pandemic itself alters social and political dynamics for individuals, communities and institutions.

COVID-19

For general COVID-19 information and resources, go to The Huddle: UW Medicine and [School of Social Work COVID-19 Information & Resources](#)

UW Research Resources

[Library:Data Management Tools](#)

[Research Services](#)

[SSW Research](#)

[Forms & Templates](#)

[Human Subjects Division](#)

Grant Opportunities

[SWRnet](#)

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[UW Funding](#)

[NIH Guide to Grants & Contracts](#)

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