GPHAP News - January 4, 2024

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Happy 2024!

Here's wishing you all in the GPHAP community a very Happy New Year and welcome back to a fantastic winter quarter!

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Upcoming Events

Friday, January 5 & 19 | 10:30 - 12 PM CST | Committee on Quantitative Methods in Social, Behavioral, and Health Sciences, 2nd floor Room 289B, 1155 E. 60th | Register Here |

Workshop on Quantitative Research Methods in Education, Health, and Social Sciences (QMEHSS): for building an intellectual community of colleagues who share methodological interests. Workshop participants meet biweekly to discuss working papers and brainstorm solutions to methodological problems encountered in ongoing research.

January 5: Soojin Park, Assistant Professor of Quantitative Methods, UC Riverside presents: "Causal Decomposition Analysis with Time-Varying Mediation and Outcomes: Designing Individualized Interventions to Reduce Social Disparities." Please note: In-Person workshops have resumed for Winter Quarter (except for the January 5th workshop which is REMOTE ONLY)

Wednesday, January 10 | 8:30 - 9:30 AM CST | CHeSS & Healthcare Delivery Science and Innovation (HDSI) | Register Here |

Ethical Considerations in an Era of Engaged Patients: The (delicate) balance of patient autonomy and physician expertise in medical decisions. Presented by Alex Tate, PhD, Research Director, Hospital Medicine; Lecturer, Department of Comparative Human Development

Wednesday, January 10 | 2 - 3 PM CST | MATTER and Alzheimer's Association | Register Here |

Access to Care for Alzheimer's Disease (virtual event): Join leaders from the Deloitte Center for Health Solutions and the Deloitte Health Equity Institute and the Kelsey Research Foundation for a panel discussion on increasing access to quality, person-centered care for people living with Alzheimer's disease in all communities, especially those historically underserved.

Friday, January 19 | 12 - 1 PM CST | CHeSS & Healthcare Delivery Science and Innovation (HDSI) | Register Here |

Using Human Centered Design in Healthcare. Presented by Kim Erwin, MDes, Associate Professor of Practice, Illinois Institute of Design, HDSI Visiting Scholar ; Cheng-Kai Kao, MD, Chief Clinical Informatics Innovation Officer, Associate Professor of Medicine & Sharon Markman, MHA, Exec Director, Clinical Excellence Innovation & Engagement Director, HDSI

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Recorded Events

Pursuing Health Equity Goals Despite Adverse Environments: Perspectives from the Field

This webinar highlighted key strategies to advance health equity planning and implementation efforts despite restrictive environments and other obstacles. Four health equity champions joined a panel to share their experiences approaches for moving health equity projects forward.To watch, click here.

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News You Can Use

A new program for West Side families wants to help in the tough first year of babies' lives

December 26: This article highlights a new program for West Side families hopes to improve their health and add years to their lives by focusing on the needs of babies and their parents. West Side Healthy Parents & Babies connect mothers from the time they're pregnant to one year postpartum with a variety of services they might need that already exist. They can range from needing a lactation consultant to help with breastfeeding, or finding an apartment.

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Recorded Lectures

Many of the lectures listed in the GPHAP Weekly Digest are recorded and archived for later listening. You can look back to see if there are recent lectures that interest you, and they can count as GPHAP co-curriculars. Here are links to archived lectures.

CHAS Michael Davis Lectures

https://chas.uchicago.edu/events/mdl/
MacLean Center for Clinical Medical Ethics lectures
https://www.youtube.com/user/MacLeanCenter
Harvard School of Public Health Forum lectures
https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/
Bowman Society Lectures
https://pritzker.uchicago.edu/resources/bowman-society
MATTER Health Events
https://matter.health/events
Health Affairs Podcasts - an hour's worth of content
https://www.healthaffairs.org/podcasts
KHN's 'What the Health'? - an hour's worth of content
https://play.acast.com/s/khns-what-the-health
Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health: The Forums and Voices in Leadership
https://theforum.sph.harvard.edu/events/covid-19-women-and-health/

GPHAP Social Media

GPHAP has a Facebook Group for Current Students and Alumni. Go to Facebook and search for The UChicago Graduate Program in Health Administration & Policy or click on: https://www.facebook.com/groups/gphap/

There is a LinkedIn Group for GPHAP **Alumni**, and **current students are welcome to join**. Click on this link or go to LinkedIn and search for "GPHAP" and Request to Join. The site is a great source for updates on GPHAP Alumni. **Job Opportunities** also are posted there by the GPHAP Office and by GPHAP Alumni.

GPHAP has a **Twitter** feed @UCgphap.

GPHAP's **Website** is: https://gphap.uchicago.edu

Join the **WhatsApp GPHAP Social Group**. Students can reach out to see who is going to GPHAP events or to provide info about other activities. Contact Laura Botwinick for the link to join.