DEPARTMENT NEWS

HIGHLIGHTED PUBLICATION

The Effects of Adult Depression on the Recollection of Adverse Childhood Experiences

Adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) have been linked to numerous negative physical and mental health outcomes across the lifespan. As such, self-report questionnaires that assess for ACEs are increasingly used in healthcare settings. However, previous research has generated some concern over the reliability of retrospective reports of childhood adversity, and it has been proposed that symptoms of depression may increase recall of negative memories. Results of this study indicate that changes in symptoms of depression do not correspond with changes in ACE scores among adults.

Read More at: https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chiabu.2018.09.006

VOLUNTEER AND JOB POSTINGS

The Brain in Motion Study (located at the Foothills campus) is looking for 1-3 research assistants who would be willing to volunteer 4-6 hours a week in the Winter 2019 semester, primarily for data entry. Students will have the opportunity to learn about psychometrics, research administration, and interdisciplinary research. I would also be willing to teach volunteers how to administer psychometric tests. Interested students should send a resume/CV and a message regarding their motivation for applying and what they hope to get out of the experience to brian.steele1@ucalgary.ca
VOLUNTEER AND JOB OPPORTUNITIES CONTINUED…

The Department of Psychology at Bishop's University (Sherbrooke, Quebec) invites applications for a tenure-track position with expertise in social psychology. The appointment will start July 1, 2019 and will be set at the Assistant Professor level. Applicants must have completed a PhD. For detailed information for this position click here. Applicants should provide a letter of intent, current curriculum vitae, a statement of research achievements and future objectives, a teaching dossier outlining their pedagogical approach, evidence of teaching excellence, and at least two letters of reference. Review of applications will begin on January 31, 2019, though the competition will remain open until the position is filled. Please submit your application electronically to:

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The University of Prince Edward Island is recruiting for a tenure-track position for Assistant Professor level in Clinical Psychology. The University is creating a new Doctorate in Psychology and will expect its first cohort in the fall of 2019. We are looking for a candidate to develop a leadership role in teaching and research supervision and support of PsyD trainee clinical psychologists. The candidate will be expected to build their research programme in a relevant applied area of their choosing and ideally to forge links with researchers across a broad range of disciplines at UPEI. The successful candidate must be eligible for registration as a psychologist within Prince Edward Island. The newly developed PsyD program will be infused with a critical lens, promote methodological pluralism, and be focused throughout on integration of theory, research, and practice across individual and cultural diversities.

For more information visit the ad: http://www.upei.ca/hr/competition/36a18

RESEARCH NOTES AND ACTIVITIES

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS


PSYCHOLOGY IN THE NEWS

Dr. Sheri Madigan did a segment on CTV News based on her Conversation Canada article regarding fostering generosity in kids. Video Article

Dr. Thomas O’Neill was featured in the Curtin University News and Events for receiving the 2019-2020 Haydn Williams Fellowship. Click here

Dr. Thomas O’Neill and Dr. Sheri Madigan are mentioned in UToday on receiving the Killiam Emerging Research Leader Awards. Click here.

EVENTS

The International Association for Relationship Research is hosting 2 mini-conferences in 2019. (Brighton July 18-21 and Ottawa June 21 – 23). Susan Boon would like to invite any colleagues (faculty or students) who do research with a relationship angle of any kind (maybe you study friends or pregnancy or depression in marriage) to consider attending one or both of them. Both have themes, but applications from researchers whose work falls outside those themes are still welcome! Note that the Ottawa conference (come support Canadian conference hosts!) also includes a New Scholar Workshop specifically intended for students and new professionals (post docs, new Assistant Profs, etc.). For more info on IARR or the minis, please contact Susan Boon at sdboon@ucalgary.ca.
Save the Date…Please mark your calendars – the Prospective Graduate Student Open House for the Clinical and Psychology Programs has been scheduled for February 8-9, 2019.

AWARDS AND HONOURABLE MENTIONS

Congratulations to Dr. Thomas O’Neill he has been awarded the 2019-2020 Haydn Williams Fellowship by Curtin University.

Congratulations to Dr. Thomas O’Neill he has been selected to receive the 2017 Killam Emerging Research Leader Award (SSHRC) and to Dr. Sheri Madigan and she has been selected to receive the 2018 Killam Emerging Research Leader Award (SSHRC).

GRADUATE CORNER

Why VCU for your Ph.D.?

The Ph.D. in Business with a concentration in Management (Organizational Behavior and Human Resource Management) is a full-time program designed to prepare students for positions in academic institutions that emphasize quality research and teaching. To that end, students work with multiple faculty members in order to produce the top tier research that will make them competitive on the academic job market.

Program Highlights

- A culturally diverse and internationally recognized faculty committed to research and teaching excellence
- Competitive salaries and funding for research and teaching responsibilities
- A small Ph.D. cohort, allowing for more personalized instruction and mentoring
- Program alumni are faculty members at high-ranked management programs e.g., Illinois State University, Indiana University, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, and West Virginia University

The City of Richmond

- Best Town Ever (2012)
- Outdoor Magazine
- J.D. Power and Associates
- Southern Living
- 17th for Travel and Food (2016)
- Best kept秘密
- 21st in Millennial Population Growth (2010-2015)
- TIME
- 1st among Cities to Fight in Summer 2017
- American Express
- Tree City USA (10 consecutive years)
- 6th best city for business
- 10th in America with Gen Y and IT workers
- Virginia Capital Trail (25+ miles dedicated multi-use trail connecting Richmond and Williamsburg)

"The survival of a folkloristic tradition that one reviews from an academic standpoint is an exercise in memory, memory of the present. If one appreciates what one reviews as a scholar, it is because one has been fortunate enough to be present at a particular moment in time."

— Dr. Ernest Olejnik, Indiana University

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Wishing everyone a safe and Happy Holiday Season and a fantastic 2019.

Happy Monday!

Congratulations to everyone included in the Monday Memo! The department recognizes your hard work and dedication. Keep it up!

Rudy & Emma”

Grace Gallo’s Dogs

Do you have something you would like to include in the Monday Memo newsletter? Please send it to ggallo@ucalgary.ca before Thursday at noon.

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