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ANNOUNCEMENTS



Fiscal Year 2017

Occupational Health Grant

Work Group Meeting

Host: UCONN Health Center, Division of Occupational and Environmental Medicine

Topic: *To-Be-Determined*

Start Time: 8:30am

Date: October 5, 2016

Location: Outpatient Pavilion Building (more details to follow)

Direction and Parking: For directions go to <http://www.uchc.edu/directions/index.html>

To RSVP for this event please email: Miriam Muniz— muniz@uchc.edu

*** (light breakfast will be served)*

As always, these meetings are open to all staff members that deal with occupationally related injury/ illnesses or are affiliated with your occupational health program.

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UPCOMING TALKS



Our next Colloquium Session is scheduled for **September 7, 2016**

with **Guest Speaker:**

Elyssa Besen, PhD

Elyssa Besen is a research scientist at the Center for Disability Research at the Liberty Mutual Research Institute for Safety. Her research focuses on better understanding of the patterns and predictors of disability occurrence over time and ways to sustain successful return-to-work after disability or injury. Her research interests also include the aging workforce and its impact on worker disability. Elyssa received her Ph.D. in Applied Developmental Psychology from Boston College. Prior to that, she earned her B.A. in psychology from Brandeis University.

She will be presenting a seminar on **Wednesday, September 7, 2016**

Title of Talk: The aging workforce: Opportunities and Challenges

Time: 12:00pm-1:00pm

Location: UConn Health Outpatient Pavilion, 7th floor, EAST Conference Room

To **RSVP** for this event, please email Miriam at muniz@uchc.edu.

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PRESENTATIONS



During the 2016 APA Annual Meeting held in Atlanta, GA, **Dr. Trestman** gave a series of talks including:

- ◆ “Development and Implementation of a Correctional Skills-Based Psychotherapy: START NOW”
- ◆ “Manfred S. Guttmacher Award Lecture for outstanding contributions to the literature of forensic psychiatry as editors of the Oxford Textbook of Correctional Psychiatry”
- ◆ Symposia entitled “Effective Responses to Justice Involved Persons with Mental Illnesses”
- ◆ Presidential Symposia entitled “Correctional Psychiatry: Journey Into the Heart of Darkness”

At this meeting, **Dr. Robert Trestman**, Dr. Kenneth Appelbaum and Dr. Jeffrey Metzner received the Manfred S. Guttmacher Award for their outstanding contributions to the literature of forensic psychiatry as editors of the Oxford Textbook of Correctional Psychiatry. The Award, co-sponsored by the American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law (AAPL), and supported through a grant from Professional Risk Management Services, Inc., was presented at the AAPL business meeting during the 2016 Annual Meeting of the American Psychiatric Association in Atlanta, Georgia. Honorees were asked to deliver an award lecture before the meeting, as well as receive a plaque. Congratulations Dr. Trestman!

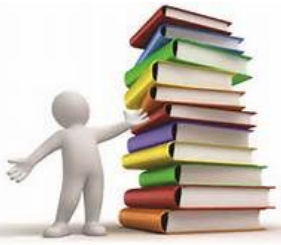
Jenn Garza, ScD, gave the following talks at the PREMUS (Prevention of Musculoskeletal Disorders) Conference, which was held in Toronto, Canada from June 20-24th of this year.

- ◆ "Reliability of using observations when assessing different posture variables"
- ◆ "Musculoskeletal symptoms and physical exposures of dental hygiene students during transition into practice: a two-year prospective cohort study"
- ◆ Variation in torso, head, neck, and shoulder postures during computer vs. non-computer interactions during office work".

Michael Erdil, MD, FACOEM gave a talk at the SEAK National Workers' Compensation and Occupational Medicine Conference, entitled: “*Low Back Pain and Return to Work: Evidence Based Recommendations*”. Hyannis, MA July 22, 2016.



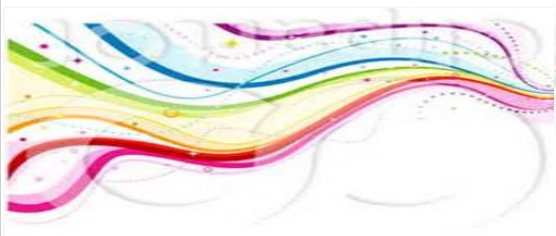
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Publications



- ◆ Cavallari, JM, Ahuja, M, Dugan, AG, Meyer, JD, Simcox, N, Wakai, S, Garza, JL. Sex differences in the prevalence of musculoskeletal symptoms among custodians. *American Journal of Industrial Medicine* (In press).
- ◆ Walker ED, Brammer A, Cherniack, MG, Laden F, Cavallari JM; Cardiovascular and Stress Responses to Short-Term Noise Exposures—A Panel Study in Healthy Males. *Environmental Research* (In press)
- ◆ **Atomoxetine for the Treatment of ADHD in Incarcerated Adolescents**
Sarah Jillani, MD, Prina Patel, MD, **Robert Trestman, MD, PhD**, and Jayesh Kamath, MD, PhD
J Am Acad Psychiatry Law 44:158 – 63, 2016
- ◆ **Correctional Management and Treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorder**
Isabella Michna, MD, and **Robert Trestman, PhD, MD** **J Am Acad Psychiatry Law 44:253–58, 2016**



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