Diverse conversations in the field of domestic violence

While centering primarily on men’s violence against women, the Conference will also provide the opportunity to highlight conversations that are often on the margins of the domestic violence field:

• violence in same-sex relationships,
• violence with people with disabilities,
• in aboriginal relationships,
• first generation immigrant relationships,
• and straight women’s perpetration of abuse.

We’re proud to offer presentations by:

• women’s shelters,
• Partner Abuse Response (PAR) programs,
• probation offices,
• victim services offices,
• counselling centres,
• private practice,
• academics and government agencies

Come for stimulating discussions on:

The important distinctions being made among cases based on the level of risk and nature of the abuse – including high risk, moderate and low risk cases of domestic violence

And, in the context of men’s violence against women, conversations with:

• women who want to leave
• women who are ambivalent about their relationships
• and women who know they want to stay.

This broad range of conversations includes individual, couple, family and group conversations.

Let’s move the field of domestic violence response forward by highlighting and sharing the innovative approaches that are developing in the various communities across Canada!

Faculty

Rina Arseneault  
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Susan Strega  
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and many more

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Conference Workshops
Thursday, February 28, 2013

Keynote  9:00 am – 10:00 am
Looking back to see our way forward: Recognizing accomplishments and facing challenges in domestic violence prevention – Myrna Dawson

AM Workshops  10:30 am – 12:00 pm
1.0 Violence in South Asian Families – Doris Rajan, Meccana Ali, RSW, MSW, Poonam Jit
1.1 Increasing collaboration with women: Survivor Voices Inclusion Project – Susan Young, Nisha Bansal, Dawn DeSouza, Sue J., and Eva Kratochvil
1.2 Distinguishing Among Types of Intimate Partner Violence: Implications for Policy and Practice – Michael Johnson, Ph.D.
1.3 Creating Safety for Children: “Islands of Safety” Program – Cathy Richardson
1.4 Facilitating Change in Family Violence Through a Collaborative Model – Joanne Ginter, MA
1.5 Trance-forming Abuse and Aggression: Exploring How Clinical Hypnosis Can Facilitate Compassionate Interventions that Invite Change – Dr. Harry Stefanakis
1.6 Genetic Vulnerability or Genetic Responsiveness? Implications for Social Responses to Violence – Brenda Adams, M.D., RCC
1.7 Failure to Protect: Issues for Racial and Ethnic Families – Sarah Malter
1.8 Safe and Sustainable Housing for Women and Children Leaving Domestic Violence Using a “Housing First” Model (Part A) – Leslie Hill
Women’s Empowerment in a Rural Community: The Survivor to Thriver Model (Part B) – Lauren Power
1.9 “It Freaks Me Out a Lot Being Called High Risk”: An Exploration of the High Risk Case Coordination Program (Part A) – Verona Singer
Victimized and Criminalized: Racialized Women’s Experience of Intimate Partner Abuse (Part B) – Patrina Duhaney
1.10 The Influence of Trauma, Shame and Language Processing on Men in IPV Groups (Part A) – David Delay
The 4 R’s of Domestic Violence and Disability – Susan Wheeler, BSW, NGH
1.11 Requisites for a Non-Violent Society – Diane Delay

Lunch  12:00 pm – 1:30 pm

PM Workshops  1:30 pm – 3:00 pm
1.12 Breaking the Silence Around Violence in African Nova Scotian Communities – Wanda Bernard and Rajean Boudreau
1.13 Gender Violence, Substance Use and Mental Health: Identifying Risks and Resources – Angela MacDougall
1.14 Couples in Groups: Ending IPV – Cindy King and Dan Beckett
1.15 Conversation about Women’s Abuse with Men Who Abused – Tod Augusta-Scott
1.16 Developing Provincial Standards: Alberta’s Provincial Family Violence Treatment Program – Aggy King-Smith, Deanna Frey, Sheila Mellon, and Jay Buhrer
1.17 Challenges in Family Law in Cases of Intimate Domestic Violence – Allan Wade, Shelly Bonnah, and Linda Coates
1.18 Enhancing Victim and Child Safety Through Supervised Access Services (Part A) – Judy Newman and Valya Roberts
Domestic Violence, Custody Access: An Office of the Children’s Lawyer Perspective (Part B) – Carolyn Leach and Silvia Novak
1.19 Risks and Strengths Among Religious Immigrant Women: An Analysis of the Maritimes (Part A) – Cathy Holtmann
Exploring the Influence of Religious and Spiritual Beliefs in the Context of Intimate Partner Violence (Part B) – Leland Maerz
1.20 Parental Alienation: Helping Alienated Families and Dispelling Misunderstandings (Part A) – Kathleen Reay
The Journey Away From Abuse: Conversations With Men and Women About Domestic Abuse and Violence (Part B) – Marilee Burwash-Brennan and Jane Donovan
1.21 Mothering and Woman Abuse: A Group Program (Part A) – Debbie Zweep and Katreena Scott
New Technology to Challenge Violence (Part B) – Andrea Gunraj
1.22 Understanding the Impact of IPV: Training Programs for Professionals – Carmen Gill and RinaArsenault
1.23 Responding to Non-Status, Refugee and Immigrant Women (NSRIW) Who Experience IPV: From Settlement to Empowerment – Rosa Arteaga

Keynote  3:30 pm – 4:30 pm
Distinguishing Among Types of Intimate Partner Violence: Research Evidence – Michael P. Johnson, Ph.D.
Friday March 1, 2013

Keynote  9:00 am – 10:00 am
Changing the topic: New ways of thinking about men, women and “failure to protect” when children witness intimate partner abuse – Julia Krane, Simon LaPierre, Sarah Malter, Susan Strega

AM Workshops  10:30 am – 12:00 pm
2.0 Encouraging Positive Outcomes: The Needs ABC Treatment Model for Difficult Clients – Tom Caplan
2.1 Contempt for Men: In Search of Good Masculine – Dale Trimble
2.2 Exploring the Intersection of Substance Use and Violence Against Women – Stephanie Baker
2.3 Trauma Informed Approaches to Care: A Workshop for Clinicians and Consumers Dealing with IPV – Lisebeth Gatkowski, Mary-Lou Martin, Fran Zyypula, and Linda Carey
2.4 Working With Parents and Children in Groups: The Caring Families Program – Raghida Mazzawi and Rosanne Nunn
2.5 “Take a Risk, Take a Chance, Make a Change and Break Away”: Protection Practices with Mothers in Situations of Child Sexual Abuse – Julia Krane and Rosemary Carlton
2.6 Together for Justice: Improving RCMP Responses to Indigenous Families in the Yukon – Allan Wade, Ann Maje-Raider, Barb McInerney, Kelly MacQuarrie and Cathy Richardson
2.7 Moving Orthopaedic Surgeons to Action! Building Bridges in IPV Awareness Through Collaboration – Mohit Bhandari, Emil Schemitsch and Douglas Thomson
2.8 Understanding the Impact of IPV: Training Programs for Professionals (en français) – Carmen Gill and Rina Arsenault
2.9 Calgary Domestic Violence Collective: Key Factors in Community Collaboration and Coordination (Part A) – Andrea Silverstone, Brigitte Baradoy and Corrine Ofsie
Storming Our Own Castle: Interrupting Violence Against Women across Ideological Divides (Part B) – Lisa Moy, Robert Lee and Erin McMurren
2.10 Abortion and Domestic Violence: Decision-Making Process and the Influence of the Perpetrator (Part A) – Isabelle Côté
Talk Around the Kitchen Table: How Do We Keep It Shameless? (Part B) – Flora Marcelo
2.11 What’s Religion Got to Do with It? The Use of Religious Commitment and Spirituality in Interventions with Intimate Partner Violence Perpetrators and Victims – Claire M. Renzetti, Ph.D.

Lunch  12:00 pm – 1:30 pm

PM Workshops  1:30 pm – 3:00 pm
2.12 Developing Response-Based emergency Protection Order Hearings: A Study of the NWT – Allan Wade, Linda Coates and Rebecca Latour
2.13 The Earliest Warning Signs of Intimate Partner Violence – Stephanie Lang
2.14 Evaluating IPV Community Responses: The Niagara Region DV Report Card – Ian DeGeer and Anne Armstrong
2.15 How Technology Impacts Women's Safety – Rhiannon Wong
2.16 Helping Employers, Supervisors, Union Reps and Workers Respond to IPV – Barb MacQuarrie
2.17 Who’s Failing? Child Protection Work with Abused Women – Simon LaPierre and Isabelle Côté
2.18 Beyond Batterers: Exploring Roles for Men in Preventing and Reducing Violence Against Women and Girls – Todd Minerson
2.19 The Intersection of IPV and Child Protection: The Safer Families Program – LaRee Walters-Boadway, Barbara Lee and Janet MacLean
2.20 One Stop for Whom? Questioning a Globalized “One-Stop Shopping: Service Model for Addressing Family Violence (Part A) – Nicole Peitsch
Stories of Change in Men: A Collaborative Narrative Inquiry (Part B) – Yoshiyuki Takano and Ishu Ishiyama
2.21 Making Connections: When Domestic Violence, Mental Health and Substance Use Problems Co-Occur (Part A) – Robin Mason and Susan O’Rinn
The Impact of Domestic Violence on Infants and Young Children (Part B) – Chaya Kulkarni and Angelique Jenney
2.22 Engaging Domestically Violent Men in Child Welfare – Susan Strega
2.23 Media’s Horrification and Pornification of Rural Culture – Walter DeKeseredy

Keynote  3:30 pm – 4:30 pm
Blessed are the Peacemakers: Religiosity, Religious Self-control, and Perpetration of Intimate Partner Violence – Claire M. Renzetti, Ph.D.
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