

# Qualitative Research and Social Work: Critical Explorations

April 8th, 2016

## A Conference featuring the research work of the MSW students 2015-2016

Room 200 and 223 Jack Bell Building, School of Social Work

### 8:45 am – 10:00 am - Panel 1 (Room 223)

Chair: Ricardo Chaparro, PhD Candidate School of Social Work Presenters:

Naomi Johnson. Beyond the Twelfth Step

Melissa, Brown. Factors that Trigger Violence in Individuals with Mental Illness

Yifan Zhang. Huddling Together for Warmth: Social Support Among Monolingual Chinese Seniors in Vancouver Chinatown

Andrea Carlson. Seen But Not Heard: Experiences of Weight Discrimination in the Mental Health System

### 10:00 - 10:30 - Poster viewing and coffee break (Room 200)

Posters by:

Riley David. Voices from Subsidized Housing: Single Mothers Share their Experiences

Nicole Valeriote. Young Adult Carers

Sogol Hazin. Planning for Future Health Care: The Experience of Iranians

Ali Afzali. Through their Eyes: Experience of social services providers working with youth receiving services from the Ministry of Children and Family Development

Neelgagan Dhillon. Integration of Immigrant Youth in the High School System

Trang Hoang. Trauma Informed Practice in Schools

Tania Dina. The Transition Process from the Foster Care to Independent Living

Jessica Walker. An Unseen Connection: Practitioner Experiences of Spirituality

## 10:30 - 11:45 Panel 2 (Room 223)

Chair: Kate Murray, PhD Candidate School of Social Work

### Presenters:

Shauna Kormendy. Healing through Land

Vanessa Fernando. "I had ways of convincing myself not to bring it up": Exploring Whiteness in Mentorship

Chad Walters. Claiming Gay

Alanna Mulholland. Our Community Vision for Mental Health: A Participatory Action Research Project

### 11:45 - 1:00 - Panel 3 (Room 223)

Chair: Tamara Miskovic, PhD Candidate School of Social Work Presenters:

- Danielle Hicks. The Impact of Assertive Community Treatment Teams on Non-Psychiatric Admissions to Hospital Services.
- Connor McFadden. Experiences of Spirituality in Young MSM Living with HIV
- Agata Stanielewicz. Repeated Use of Emergency Services: Highlighting Social Work Perspectives
- Karen Custodio. Relationships Matter: Health Care Planning for Homeless People

1:00 pm – Light Lunch (Room 200)

This event will be taking place on the unceded, occupied and ancestral territory of the x<sup>w</sup>məθk<sup>w</sup>əy'əm (Musqueam) First Nation.