23. Sara Graber, Global Health & General Biology Double Major
Beyond Pills into Bodies: Perceptions, Pitfalls and Promises of Pre Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) in HIV Prevention amongst San Diego MSM

Health Care Reform as an Intervention for Equity

25. Sophie Michel, Global Health Major
Understanding Relationships in Healthcare as Reflections of Context and Circumstance

26. Courtney Pham, Global Health Major
Oral Health in Nigeria and Sweden: A Prevention of Oral Disease

27. Meghan Yap, Global Health Major
Analysis of Campus Sexual Assault Policies and Services at UC San Diego

28. Kimberly Ye, Global Health & Management Science Double Major
The Best of Both Worlds—The Synergy between Eastern and Western Medicine

Community Empowerment

29. Joleen Chen, Global Health Major
Betel Nut Chewing Practices and Increased Risks of Oral Cancer in Papua New Guinea

30. Brianna Egan, Human Biology Major, Global Health Double Minor
Compost Tea as an Organic Fertilizer: Investigating the Effect of Compost Tea on Plant Growth

31. Yajaira Grande, Human Biology & Global Health Double Major
Food Insecurities Lead to Adverse Health Outcomes, a Comparison Between various United States Populations

32. Nielah Mckee, Global Health Double Major
Contaminated Waters

33. Sydney Parham, Global Health & Human Development Double Major
Inadequate Sanitation and Hygiene in Rural Nicaragua: A Study of Perpetuating Sociopolitical and Structural Violence

34. Taikuk Takeuchi, Global Health Major
Evaluation on the Use of Community Health Workers in the Philippines

35. Meghan Yap, Global Health Major
A Call to Support Male Survivors of Sexual Assault

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KEYNOTE SPEAKER
BRANDON KOHRT
Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, Global Health, and Cultural Anthropology
at Duke Global Health Institute

Global Mental Health is a growing concern in the United States and internationally.

Brandon Kohrt, Assistant Professor of Psychiatry, Global Health and Cultural Anthropology at Duke Global Health Institute, conducts global mental health research focusing on populations affected by war-related trauma and chronic stressors of poverty, discrimination, and lack of access to healthcare and education.

Dr. Kohrt will speak on New Horizons in Global Mental Health. Kohrt designed and evaluated psychosocial reintegration programs for child soldiers in Nepal with the Transcultural Psychosocial Organization Nepal. Additionally, Kohrt works with The Carter Center Mental Health Liberia Program and he currently directs the anti-stigma program of the Mental Health Beyond Facilities program in Liberia, Uganda, and Nepal. Other areas of notoriety are Khort co-founding the Atlanta Asylum Network for Torture Survivors and starting a mental health clinic for Bhutanese refugees.

FACULTY JUDGES

Dr. Eileen Pitpitan, Ph.D
Adjunct Professor, Global Health Division of Global Public Health

Dr. Saiba Varma, Ph.D
Assistant Professor of Anthropology

ABSTRACT TITLES

Immigrant & Refugee Health
1. Stephen Barker, Global Health Major
   Deparation Policy and its Effect on Global Health; Focus - Tijuana, Mexico
2. Hye Young Choi, Global Health & Biochemistry and Cell Biology Double Major
   Crossing and Passing: Recontextualizing the Violence of Borders
3. Serena Dunham, Global Health & Public Health Double Major
   Adapting ACE Scores to the Experiences of Syrian Refugee Children
4. Megan Ludington, Public Health Major, Global Health Minor
   Farah Rahman, Human Biology & Global Health Double Major
   Ruby Parra, Biochemistry and Cell Biology Major
   Does a Family History of COPD Decrease the Rate of Indoor Smoking among Palestinian Refugees in Amman, Jordan: A Cross Sectional Study
5. Priscilla Naseery, Global Health Major
   Health Barriers and Morbidity of Afghan Refugees
6. Alisa Ochoa, Global Health Major
   Obesity: An Examination on How Acculturation and Sociocultural Influences have Dissolved the Traditional Cooking practices and Dietary Intake of Immigrant Latina’s to Mirror a Western Diet
7. Erica Settlecoski, Global Health Major
   Varying Dynamics of Health Outcomes in Low-income Latinos within Free Clinics
8. Juan Trenado, Global Health Major
   Mexican Immigrants, Deportation, and Mental Health
   Mental Health & Substance Abuse
9. Safinah Chau, Global Health Major
   Re-contextualizing ChAmerican Mental Health Reform
10. Lydia Fong, Human Development & Global Health Double Major
    An Analytic Approach to Mental Health in Asian Adolescents
11. Sam Gurevich, Global Health Major
    Correlates of Stigma among Patients Attending a Free Clinic in Tijuana
12. Briana Kusuma, Global Health Major
    How Culture Affects Mental Health Treatment-Seeking Behavior among Chinese Americans
13. John Nichols, Human Biology & Global Health Double Major
14. Areana Park, Global Health Major
    Cultural Competency of Drug Rehabilitation Programs for Native Populations in the U.S.
15. Karla Verdesoto, Global Health Minor
    Mental Health and Homelessness

Women & Children’s Health
16. Serena Dunham, Global Health & Public Health Double Major
17. Emma Jackson, Global Health Major
   Describing Girl Child Marriage: A Systematic Review of Literature
18. Jamie Katuna, Global Health Major
    Mobilizing For Women’s Rights: Lessons Learned from Chile and Beyond
19. Rabia Mehanni, Global Health Major
    Testing a USA Breast Cancer Program in Pakistan
20. Christal L. Quick, Global Health Major
    Birth Abuse and Disrespect as a Global Phenomenon: Incorporating Traditional Practices to Reduce the Abuse of Birthing Women
21. Clarissa Wentworth, Global Health & Human Biology Double Major
    Increasing Cervical Cancer Screening Rates in India by Reducing Barriers to Care

Health Communication & Education
22. Rozhon Badizamani, Global Health Major
    Global Health Field Experience