UC Global Health Day
April 22, 2018

Committing to a healthier world
Dear colleagues and friends,

We are delighted to welcome you to UC Global Health Day 2018. Today faculty, students, fellows, staff and visiting scholars from all 10 University of California campuses gather around critical issues in global health. This year’s theme, *Committing to a healthier world*, reflects our collective commitment to addressing challenges that threaten human health, as well as the health of animals and ecosystems.

UC Global Health Day is the signature event of the UC Global Health Institute (UCGHI). UCGHI mobilizes people across UC to advance global health research, education and collaboration. As such, UC Global Health Day is intended to be a platform for learning and engagement. We hope that attendees are inspired by the cross-campus and multidisciplinary work presented at today’s plenaries, breakout sessions and poster presentations.

This year, UCGHI partnered with UC San Diego to host UC Global Health Day. With robust, internationally recognized global health programs, UC San Diego has shared knowledge and resources that will undoubtedly make UC Global Health Day 2018 a success.

Once again, we welcome you and hope that this year’s conference will challenge and inspire you, and result in new knowledge, collaborations and friendships.

Sincerely,

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Director, UC Global Health Institute  
Director, Center for World Health, UCLA

Thomas J Csordas, PhD  
Planning Chair, UC Global Health Day 2018  
Director, Global Health Program, UC San Diego
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Plenary I
Universal mental health coverage: Realizing the Sustainable Development Goal aspiration

Keynote speaker, Vikram Patel will synthesize key lessons from global innovations in both high and low-middle income countries and address the barriers to access to quality mental health care and the implications for the inclusion of mental health in universal health coverage. Commentators Janis H Jenkins and Bruce Link will connect these concepts to UC research and programs that are addressing global mental health.

*Keynote speaker:* Vikram Patel  
*Commentators*  
Janis H Jenkins  
Bruce Link

Plenary II
The UCGHI Advocacy Initiative: Catalyzing student advocacy into action

This session will discuss the UCGHI Advocacy Initiative, designed to train UC students and faculty in political advocacy for global health issues. The panel will begin with an overview of the initiative and its strategic aims and then pivot to real-world cases of students’ participation from multiple UC campuses through various types of advocacy activities. These activities include letter writing campaigns, community outreach, social media campaigns, educational outreach and use of digital publishing tools.

*Speakers*  
Anshal Gupta  
Mariati Messinger  
Mili Patel  
*Moderator:* Tim K Mackey

Plenary III
Refugee and immigrant health: From research to policy and practice

This panel will feature researchers and practitioners from across UC who are working to apply clinical, social science, and public health principles to improve the health of refugees, asylum seekers and immigrants in the US. We will hear how their efforts are increasing knowledge of immigration and health issues and leading to innovative strategies to better serve these vulnerable populations.

*Speakers*  
Fatima Karaki  
Liliana Osorio  
Adam Richards  
Michael Rodriguez  
*Moderator:* Kathi Anderson
Speakers

Kathi Anderson, MA, NCC
Executive Director, Board President, Survivors of Torture, International

Anshal Gupta
Masters of Translational Medicine candidate, UCSF

Janis H Jenkins, PhD
Professor of Anthropology and Psychiatry Director, Center for Global Mental Health, UC San Diego

Fatima Karaki, MD
Assistant Professor, Division of Hospital Medicine, Director, Refugee and Asylum Seeker Health Initiative, UCSF

Speaker bios can be found online at bit.ly/UCGHDspeakers
Bruce Link, PhD  
Distinguished Professor of Public Policy and Sociology, UC Riverside

Tim K Mackey, MAS, PhD  
Associate Professor, School of Medicine, UC San Diego

Mariati Messinger  
Biology BS, UC Santa Cruz

Liliana Osorio, MPH  
Deputy Director, Health Initiatives of the Americas, UC Berkeley
Mili Patel  
Human Biology and Society major, UCLA

Vikram Patel, MBBS, PhD  
Pershing Square Professor of Global Health and Wellcome Trust Principal Research Fellow, Department of Global Health and Social Medicine, Harvard Medical School

Adam Richards, PhD, MPH  
Assistant Professor at the UCLA Division of General Internal Medicine & Health Services Research, UCLA

Michael Rodriguez, MD, MPH  
Faculty Associate, Center for Health Policy Research; Vice Chair, Department of Family Medicine, David Geffen School of Medicine; Director, Blum Center on Poverty and Health in Latin America, UCLA
## Breakout sessions

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| Challenges and opportunities for agriculture in the 21st century in the face of climate extremes | Jennifer Vanos, UC San Diego  
Woutrina Smith, UC Davis  
Federico Castillo, UC Berkeley | Ballroom West  
2nd floor               |
| Teaching ethics in global health                                      | Madhavi Dandu, UCSF  
Alden Blair, UCSF                                                        | Bear Room  
2nd floor                        |
| Developing international partnerships for collaborative gender equity research and policymaking in India | Amruta Trivedi, UC San Diego  
Anvita Dixit, UC San Diego  
Jennifer Yore, UC San Diego | Earl Warren College Room  
3rd floor                        |
| Adapting the Addressing Reproductive Coercion in Health Settings (ARCHES) intervention from the US context to Bangladesh, Kenya and Mexico | Ruvani W Fonseka, UC San Diego  
Jasmine Uysal, UC San Diego  
Argentina E Servin, UC San Diego | Eleanor Roosevelt College Room  
2nd floor                        |
| Local and international research on neurotoxicity of pesticides in children and adults living in rural populations: Pedro Moncayo County, Ecuador and Imperial County, CA | Jose Ricardo Suarez, UC San Diego  
Harvey Checkoway, UC San Diego | Governance Chambers  
4th floor                        |
| Complications and contradictions in community-based participatory research: An interactive panel discussion | Morgen A Chalmers, UC San Diego  
Griffin A Tyree, UC San Diego  
Naeemah Munir, UC San Diego | Green Table Room  
2nd floor                        |
| Immigration policy as a social determinant of health: From national policy to local implications for immigrant health | Brittany N Morey, UC Riverside  
Andrea Lopez, UC Merced  
Dinorah Lillie Sanchez, UC San Diego | John Muir Room  
2nd floor                        |
| Real world challenges of health programs incorporating women's empowerment or masculinities components | Paula Tavrow, UCLA  
Dallas Swendeman, UCLA  
Ndola Prata, UC Berkeley | Red Shoe Room  
2nd floor                        |
| Promoting mental health for global youth                              | Jyoti Mishra, UC San Diego  
Janis H Jenkins, UC San Diego  
David Grelotti, UC San Diego | Thurgood Marshall College Room  
2nd floor                        |

Breakout session descriptions can be found at [bit.ly/UCGHDbreakouts](bit.ly/UCGHDbreakouts)
Get inspired at the poster viewing session taking place in Ballroom East.

From health policy to nutrition, to mental health and technology, UC Global Health Day poster presentations showcase the work of students and faculty working on finding solutions to the world’s most pressing global health challenges.

UC San Diego global health majors will present their senior capstone projects during the poster session. Come see what these Global Health majors have been up to!

For poster session details visit bit.ly/UCGHDposters

Field experience and career expo

12:30–2:00

We’re pleased to welcome the following exhibitors available in the Price Center Forum Hallway.

- AIFS Study Abroad
- CISabroad
- SIT Study Abroad
- Survivors of Torture International
- UC Berkeley Center for Global Public Health
- UC San Diego Center on Gender Equity and Health
- UC San Diego Center on Global Mental Health
- UC San Diego Study Abroad Office
- UCSF Masters in Global Health Program
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| The global public health importance of preventing campus-based sexual assault and dating violence | Jennifer Wagman, UC San Diego  
Rebecca Fielding-Miller, UC San Diego  
Nancy Wahlig, UC San Diego | Ballroom West  
2nd floor |
| Rapid population growth and climate change in the Sahel:  
What is the role of women’s empowerment? What can be done to lessen the impacts on health? | Alisha Graves, UC Berkeley  
David Lopez-Carr, UC Santa Barbara | Bear Room  
2nd floor |
| Building and maintaining global research networks for physical activity: Lessons learned and opportunities for collaboration | Michael Pratt, UC San Diego  
Jim Sallis, UC San Diego  
Elva Arredondo, UC San Diego | Earl Warren College Room  
3rd floor |
| Adolescent pregnancy and healthcare in context: a bi-national case study | Mara J Decker, UCSF  
Felipe Rodriguez, UCSF  
Noelle Pineda, UC Berkeley | Eleanor Roosevelt College Room  
2nd floor |
| Of two worlds: How can non-research trainees work with research faculty to advance global health? | Bibhav Acharya, UCSF  
Pragya Rimal, UCSF  
Viet Nguyen, UCSF | Governance Chambers  
4th floor |
| One health in action: The global health security agenda | David Wolking, UC Davis  
Jennifer Lane, UC Davis  
Brian Bird, UC Davis | Green Table Room  
2nd floor |
| Collaborating for health equity in the Americas | Michael Rodriguez, UCLA  
Jody Heymann, UCLA | John Muir Room  
2nd floor |
| Building health justice in underserved communities: Local answers to global questions | Sarah Wikle, UC Santa Cruz  
Theresa Atanona, UC Santa Cruz  
Cierra Sherman, UC Santa Cruz | Red Shoe Room  
2nd floor |
| Exploring improvements to the health-related United Nations 2030 Sustainable Development Goals: An interactive workshop | Tim K Mackey, UC San Diego  
William Tuon, UC San Diego  
Alexis Burnstan, UC San Diego | Thurgood Marshall College Room  
2nd floor |

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