

Research Workshop
Population Health for Sexual and Gender Minorities

Leonard and Gretchan Broom Center for Demography
University of California Santa Barbara

Organizers:
Susan Cassels, Geography, UCSB
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Date: Thursday May 12th & Friday May 13th

Time: Thursday 3:00 – 5:00pm; Friday 8:00am – 5:00pm

Mosher Alumni Hall, UCSB campus

Register here: <https://forms.gle/chkSFmpbFdsGxt7VA>

Invited Speakers

Keynote Speaker: Bethany Everett, University of Utah

Alison Cerezo, UCSB

Gary Gates, UCLA Emeritus

Mark Hatzenbuehler, Harvard

Tania Israel, UCSB

Danya Lagos, UC Berkeley

Bruce Link, UC Riverside

Allen Mallory, Ohio State University

Terrell Winder, UCSB

About the Workshop

The goal of this workshop is to examine social, environmental, structural, and policy drivers of health disparities for sexual and gender minorities (SGM). Research on health for SGM is underrepresented in the literature, yet the health disparities suffered by these groups is large. Improving the health of sexual and gender minorities is a pressing national health concern. The aim of our Broom-sponsored workshop is to amass experts to discuss new and forthcoming research in the field, and identify needs for future research. A second aim is to support graduate students who would like to pursue research in this field, by offering support on data availability, methods, and funding opportunities.

Preliminary Program

Thursday May 12th

- 3:00 - 3:15: Welcome and Opening Remarks
- 3:30 - 4:45: Keynote presentation

Bethany Everett, Associate Professor, University of Utah: “Using Heteropatriarchy as a Framework to Bridge the Gap Between “Women’s Health” and LGBT Health Research”

Friday May 13th

- 8:00 - 9:00: Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 - 9:50: Panel – Thinking About Counting

Danya Lagos, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, UC Berkeley: “Has There Been a Transgender Tipping Point? Gender Identification Differences in U.S. Cohorts Born Between 1935 and 2001”

Gary Gates, retired Distinguished Scholar and Research Director, Williams Institute, UCLA: “LGBTQ+ Demography: New findings and methodological challenges”

- 10:00 - 10:50: Panel – Population Health Disparities (Part 1)

Allen Mallory, Presidential Postdoctoral Scholar, The Ohio State University: “Intersectionality and Population Health Among Sexual Minorities”

Tania Israel, Professor, Department of Counseling, Clinical and School Psychology, UCSB: “Bisexual Health Disparities: Challenges and Change”

- 11:00 - 11:30: Coffee Break
- 11:30 - 12:20: Panel – Population Health Disparities (Part 2)

Terrell Winder, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, UCSB: “Mental Health and HIV Disparities Among Black Gay Men in Los Angeles and New Orleans”

Alison Cerezo, Assistant Professor, Department of Counseling, Clinical and School Psychology, UCSB: “When You Can’t Go Home: Exploring the Link between Loss of Ethnic-Racial Community and Mental Health Distress among Black and Latina Sexual and Gender Diverse Women”

- 12:30 - 2:00: Lunch

- 2:00 - 2:50: Panel – Stigma and Population Health

Bruce Link, Distinguished Professor of Public Policy and Sociology, UC Riverside: “On the Consequences of Stigma's Hidden Mechanisms”

Mark Hatzenbuehler, John L. Loeb Associate Professor of the Social Sciences, Department of Psychology, Harvard University: “Structural Stigma and LGBT Health”

- 3:00 - 3:15: Coffee Break
- 3:15 - 4:15: Flash Talks + Roundtable – Early Career Scholars in Sexual and Gender Minorities Research

Jason Budge, Graduate Student, Department of Sociology, Does Medicaid Expansion Reduced HIV/AIDS Rates? A Difference-in-Differences Analysis

Sean Reid, Graduate student, Department of Geography, UCSB: "Migration and Health of Sexual and Gender Minorities: Scale, Resolution, and Data Needs"

Roundtable Panel: Bethany Everett (moderator), Allen Mallory, Danya Lagos, Jason Budge, Sean Reid

- 4:15 – 5:00 Wine reception, hosted by Dr. Gary Gates and [Timbre Winery](#)