16th Biennial Violence & Aggression Symposium 2016

Program at a Glance

Sunday, May 15

2:00 p.m.  Regional Psychiatric Centre Tour – Pre-registration and security clearance required. Transportation provided from Park Town Hotel departing at 1:00 p.m.  * TOUR FULL *

6:30 p.m.  Reception and Registration
Marquis Hall, 2nd Floor, University of Saskatchewan

Welcome: J. Stephen Wormith, Ph.D.
Chair, 16th Biennial Violence and Aggression Symposium
Director, Centre for Forensic Behavioural Science and Justice Studies
Professor, Dept. of Psychology, University of Saskatchewan

Guest Speaker: Peter Linkletter, M. Pl., M.B.A.  | Deputy Commissioner, Prairie Region, Correctional Service Canada
Harpist: Heidi Derksen
Monday, May 16

7:30 a.m.   Continental Breakfast, Marquis Hall
            Registration, Neatby-Timlin Theatre, Arts 241

8:15 a.m.   Welcome and Opening Remarks: J. Stephen Wormith, Ph.D.
            Prayer: Elder Peter Bunnie, Saskatoon Provincial Correctional Centre
            Neatby-Timlin Theatre, Arts 241

8:30 a.m.   Plenary Session: Psychopathy and Criminal Justice

            Robert D. Hare, Ph.D.
            Emeritus Professor of Psychology, University of British Columbia

            Chair: Mark Olver, Ph.D., University of Saskatchewan

            Neatby-Timlin Theatre, Arts 241

10:00 a.m.  Break
            Book Signing with Dr. Hare
            Arts 241

10:30 a.m.  Workshop Sessions

            Youth Psychopathy and Violence: Myths and Realities
            Adelle Forth, Ph.D., Carleton University
            Chair: Ross Keele, M.Ed., R. Psych., Chief Clinical Director,
            Saskatchewan Ministry of Justice
            Location: Arts 241

            Mainstreaming Mental Health Courts: Consent and Coercion – There is
            need for a better rationale for entry into Mental Health Court processes -
            A call for legislative change to s. 720 of the Criminal Code
            Glen Luther, LLM, LLB, and Dr. Mansfield Mela, University of Saskatchewan
            Chair: Heather Heavin, B.Sc. (Hons.), LLB, LLM, Associate Dean
            Research and Graduate Studies, College of Law, University of
            Saskatchewan
            Location: Law 64
Prevention, Not Prediction: The Regina Police Service’s Response to Honour-Based Violence
Heather Shepard, B.A., Regina Police Services
Chair: Brian Rector, Ph.D. Executive Director, Research and Evidence Based Excellence, Saskatchewan Ministry of Justice, Corrections and Policing
Location: Law 150

12:00 p.m. Lunch, Marquis Hall

1:00 p.m. Poster Session, Arts 241

1:30 p.m. Plenary Session: Are Mental Health Courts a Good Idea?

Henry J. Steadman, Ph.D.
President, Policy Research Associates

Chair: Steve Wormith, Ph.D.

Neatby-Timlin Theatre, Arts 241

3:00 p.m. Break

3:30 p.m. Workshop Sessions:

A Historical Look at the Entire Not Criminally Responsible Population of Alberta: Recidivism and the Influence of the Swain & Winko Supreme Court Decisions | Dr. Andrew Haag, Alberta Health Services
Chair: Natalie Polvi, Ph.D., Chief Psychologist, Regional Psychiatric Centre
Location: Law 64

Treatment of Psychopathic Offenders: Evidence, Issues, Controversies | Mark Olver, Ph.D., University of Saskatchewan
Chair: Terry Nicholaichuk, Ph.D., Adjunct Professor, University of Saskatchewan
Location: Arts 241
5:30 p.m.  **Cash Bar Opens**

6:30 p.m.  **Banquet, Marquis Hall**  
*Guest Speaker:* Chief Richard Bourassa  
*Pianist:* Anya Pogorelova

**Tuesday, May 17**

7:30 a.m.  **Continental Breakfast, Marquis Hall**  
**Registration, Arts 241**

8:30 a.m.  **Plenary Session: Online Child Sexual Exploitation: Learning from the Past, Preparing for the Future**

*Dr. Roberta Sinclair*  
*Manager, Program Research and Development, Canadian Police Centre for Missing and Exploited Children, Behavioural Science Branch, RCMP*

*Chair: John Weekes, Ph.D. Senior Research Manager, Partnerships and Knowledge Mobilization, Research Branch, Correctional Service Canada*

**Neatby-Timlin Theatre, Arts 241**

10:00 a.m.  **Break**

10:30 a.m.  **Workshop Sessions**

*The Intersection of Mental Illness and Violence: CSC’s Multi-Pronged Approach*  
*Kelley Blanchette, Ph.D., Correctional Service Canada*

*Chair: Arlene Kent-Wilkinson, Ph.D., Professor, University of Saskatchewan*

**Location: Law 150**
An Indigenous Holistic Approach to Trauma, Aggression, and Violence
Utilizing the Medicine Wheel | Holly Graham, R.N., Ph.D., R.D.
Psychologist (Provisional), University of Saskatchewan
Chair: Cindy Peternelj-Taylor, M.Sc., Professor, University of Saskatchewan
Location: Law 64

Internet Child Exploitation Investigations | Det. Sgt. Darren Parisien and Cpl. Jared Clarke, Saskatchewan Internet Child Exploitation (ICE) Unit
Chair: Delphine Gossner, M.Ed., Director, Research and Excellence in Policing, Saskatchewan Ministry of Justice, Corrections and Policing
Location: Arts 241

12:00 p.m. Lunch, Marquis Hall

1:30 p.m. Plenary Session: Lighting Up Violence

Sgt. (Ret.) Ernie Louttit
Author

Chair: Keira Stockdale, Ph.D., R.D. Psych., Clinical Psychologist of Policing, Saskatoon Police Service

Neatby-Timlin Theatre, Arts 241

3:00 p.m. Break

Book Signing with Sgt. (Ret.) Louttit
Arts 241

3:30 p.m. Workshop Sessions

PAWSitive Impacts: St. John Ambulance Therapy Dogs and Prisoner Health
Colleen Dell, Ph.D., University of Saskatchewan
Chair: Sue Delanoy Executive Director, Elizabeth Fry Society of Saskatchewan
Location: Law 64
The Use of a Brief Mental Health Screener to Enhance the Ability of Police Officers to Identify Persons with Serious Mental Disorders

**Dr. Ron Hoffman, Nipissing University**

Chair: Krista Mathias, Ph.D., Postdoctoral Fellow, Centre for Forensic Behavioural Science and Justice Studies, University of Saskatchewan

Location: Law 150

Managing High Risk Offenders in the Community: A Multiagency, Multidisciplinary Approach

**Dr. Debra Jellicoe, Alberta Health Services, and Det. Chris Hayduk, Edmonton Police Service**

Chair: Brea Lowenberger, J.D., Access to Justice Coordinator, University of Saskatchewan

Location: Arts 241

5:00 p.m.  Symposium Close

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**V&A 2016 Book Sale**

For the duration of V&A, the University of Saskatchewan Bookstore will host a book sale featuring Dr. Hare and Sgt. (Ret.) Lottit’s monographs and dedicated to topics related to the Symposium. The Bookstore is found in Marquis Hall below the banquet room. The sale table will be found near the Bookstore entrance. Bookstore hours are 8-4:30 Monday, May 16 and Tuesday, May 17.