



UNC Institute on Aging Seminar Series, Spring Term, 2009

The Institute on Aging Seminar Series includes the ECRA (Ethnicity, Culture, Race and Aging) seminar series. Seminars are from 3:00-4:30 on Thursdays, unless otherwise noted. Location is 720 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., 2nd floor conference room. For more information and schedule updates, visit <http://www.aging.unc.edu/events/seminars.html>.

Session no.	Date	Topic	Speaker	Remarks
1	15 Jan	Developing A Sustainable Community-Based Falls Prevention Program	Carol Giuliani, Ph.D., Dept. of Allied Health Sciences	
2	22 Jan	Research Challenges in Aging Well and Independent Living with ICT - programs and projects in the European Union	Paul Timmers, Ph.D., Head of Unit, ICT for Social Inclusion, European Commission, Brussels; Visiting Fellow at the UNC Center for European Studies and at the Institute on Aging	Dr. Timmers will describe work on aging, ICT and social inclusion at the European Commission, and his goals for his visit to UNC
3	29 Jan	Dementia Care in Diverse Populations	Peggye Dilworth-Anderson, Ph.D., Associate Director, Aging & Diversity, UNC Institute on Aging; Professor, Health Policy & Management	ECRA
4	5 Feb	Caregivers of Advanced Cancer Patients: Geographic Proximity and Bereavement Adjustment	John Cagle, Ph.D., Carolina Program in Health and Aging Research (CPHAR) Postdoctoral Fellow, IOA	
5	12 Feb	The 10-Minute Talk: Tips on How to Improve Your Scientific Presentations	Dr. David Ransohoff, Department of Medicine	

6	19 Feb	Healthcare Quality in North Carolina	Joanne Campione, Ph.D., Director, Clinical Measurement Services, NC Center for Hospital Quality and Patient Safety	Dr. Campione is a former CPHAR doctoral fellow
7	26 Feb	Frameworks and Tools for Translating Research	Mary Altpeter, Ph.D., Senior Research Scientist and Director, Healthy Aging Initiatives, IOA	
8	5 March	Gender Identity, Health Behavior, and Health Status Across the Life Course	Wizdom Powell Hammond, PhD, MPH, Assistant Professor, UNCCH Gillings School of Global Public Health; Department of Health Behavior and Health Education	
	12 March	SPRING BREAK		NO IOA SEMINAR
9	19 March	Ethnic Differences in Oral Health Among Older Americans	Bei Wu, Ph.D., Gerontology Program, School of Graduate Studies, University of North Carolina at Greensboro	
10	26 March	Pattern of Tooth Loss in Older Adults with Dementia Under Current Model of Care	Dr. Xi Chen, Department of Dental Ecology	
11	2 April	Race, Family Caregiving, and Stroke: Results from the REGARDS Study	William E. Haley, Ph.D., Professor, School of Aging Studies, University of South Florida	ECRA
12	9 April	NO SEMINAR THIS WEEK	Passover and day prior to Good Friday and Easter holiday	
13	14 April	Social Change and Socio-economic Disparity in Health Over the Life Course in China: A Cohort Analysis	Feinian Chen, Ph.D., Dept. of Sociology, N.C. State University	NOTE CHANGE OF DAY TO TUESDAY

	16-19 April	Southern Gerontological Society Confer.	30 th Anniversary – St. Petersburg FL	
14	23 April	Pain Management and Health Disparities	Carmen Green, MD University of Michigan	ECRA