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SSEA2015

The 7th Conference on Emerging Adulthood

October 14-16, 2015
Miami, Florida

Welcome to SSEA 2015

The 7th Conference on Emerging Adulthood

Dear Conference Attendees,

On behalf of the SSEA 2015 Program Committee and the Governing Council of the Society for the Study of Emerging Adulthood (SSEA), welcome to Miami!

The goal of the conference is to bring together a multidisciplinary and internationally diverse network of scholars to advance the study of emerging adulthood (age range 18-29). The 2015 conference theme is *Expanding Emerging Adulthood*. This theme is reflected in the invited sessions that consider emerging adulthood in a lifespan context, emphasize the cultural context of emerging adulthood, and broaden the topics and methods of research. The theme also reflects the SSEA itself, which is now an established professional society that is continuing to expand through the launch of the Topic Networks and increased internationalization.

You need to look no further than this conference to see how the society has expanded. We received a record number of submissions, just shy of 400. There was a large increase in paper symposia, innovative sessions, and the new “discussion session” format. We are also offering a wider selection of pre-conference workshops, which proved to be quite popular. It is clear that SSEA has built and sustained the necessary networks of scholarship to facilitate the development of these types of events. Finally, the 2015 conference will be the biggest yet, with over 425 registered attendees!

Importantly, SSEA continues to make strides towards being a truly international society. Submitting authors came from 34 different countries, covering all of the world regions. In total, 30% of submitting authors came from countries other than the U.S. Even more exciting, many of the submissions involved authors from multiple countries, highlighting the evolving international network of scholars within SSEA. Due to generous support from Clark University, we were very pleased to be able to supply travel grants to 50 international scholars to ensure they could attend the conference.

Please take some time to peruse the program book to become familiar with the diverse topics and formats that are available. We are certain you will find plenty of sessions that are stimulating and enjoyable!

SSEA 2015 Program Committee

Moin Syed, Chair
Elisabetta Crocetti, Co-Chair
Alan Meca
Semira Tagliabue
Larry J. Nelson

A Note from the President

Welcome to SSEA 2015, the 7th Conference on Emerging Adulthood! This promises to be the most exciting conference we have held to date. We have more attendees and presenters, from more different places, than ever before. The Preconference Workshops have drawn a lot of interest and, for the first time, are being conducted by Topic Network members. We are continuing our tradition of providing master lectures from recognized experts in various areas of emerging adulthood research. We also have a Presidential Symposium on prevention science in emerging adulthood, as well as a Hot Seat session where emerging scholars will debate Jeffrey Arnett. Finally, we continue to provide opportunities for social interaction and networking through the Dinner and Jazz Band on Thursday evening and for Emerging Scholars Reception on Friday!

A special thanks to Moin Syed and Elisabetta Crocetti for organizing the conference. We are extremely grateful for their hard work in organizing this wonderful conference program.

Sincerely,

Seth J. Schwartz
SSEA President



Acknowledgements

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Oxford University Press

Review Panels

The review process for SSEA 2015 was a huge undertaking. We are grateful for the 182 scholars who served as reviewers!

Aging out of care

Allison Thompson
Ann Carrellas
Rolanda Ward
Haylee DeLuca
Steve Rios
Ardith Clayton-Wright

Friendships

Gerine Lodder
Durell Johnson
Meliksah Demir
Micaela Mercado
Anne Bowker
Susanne Biehle

Parents and family

Vanja Lazarevic
Madhavi Menon
Shadab Hussain
Achu Johnson Alexander
Nicolette Roman
Catherine Chou
Margherita Lanz
Melissa Kelly
Cristiano Inguglia
Louise Belgrave
Santiago Alejandro Resett
Maria Fracasso
F. Ryan Peterson
Bernice Dodor
Emily A. Waterman
Erika Bagley
Eva Yiju Chen
Laura Finan
Irene Merwin
Shao Wei
Richard Feistman
Debra Steckler
Norma Perez-Brena

Identity issues

Karin Bartoszuk
Amy Dolivo
Rimantas Vosylis
Neha Tiwari
Alan Meca
Sara K. Johnson
Matthew Nielson
Kendall Soucie
Hasan Atak
Thomas Reio
Paula Clarke
Georgios Vleioras
Geri Lotze
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Nino Skhirtladze
Nino Javakhishvili
Feylyn Lewis
Daryl Dugas
Maria Wängqvist
Jennifer Bishop
Narjes Lari
Blessing Fawole
Deeya Mitra
Rasa Erentaite
Sarah Nelson
Lisa Menard
Judith Kaufman
Tanya Sharon
Voltaire Villanueva
Ivan Jacob A. Pesigan
Giovanni Piumatti

Moral development

Nicole Nicotera
Fanli Jia
Madison Memmott
Sonia Sengsavang
Justin Laplante

Media use

Jill Buban
Marshall Cheney
Janice Stapley
Andrea Regueira
Joan Ann Swanson
Michelle Wright
Sarah Coyne
Hailey Gardner
Jillian Stile
Lance Garmon
Christina Shane-Simpson
Kevin Collier
Chia-chen Yang

Mental health

Jamie Abaied
Heather Dark
Kayla Reed
Janice Abarbanel
Sha-Lai Williams
Shannon Bennett
Erin Sheets
Michelle Kaczynski
Melissa Bessaha
Megan Weier
Raheemudheen Pk
Filomena Sabatella
Travis Pashak
Laura Murray
Justin Peer

Prevention and intervention

Shakiru Afolabi
Yao Zheng
Cassandra Sullivan
Sabrina Oesterle
Silvia Koller

Romantic relationships

Jonathon Beckmeyer
Tyler Jamison
Jonathan Mattanah
Christina Peter
Brian Willoughby
Manfred van Dulmen
Jennifer Christofferson
Lynn Corcoran
Meredith Joppa
Jacquelyn Wiersma-Mosley
Claudia Recksiedler
Jerika Norona
W. Andrew Collins
Nathan Leonhardt
Varda Konstam
Greta Stuhlsatz
Janina Buehler
Leah Lefebvre
D. Scott Sibley
Ryan Kelly
Teri Preddy

Study abroad

Giovanni Aresi
Maria Jorge Ferro

Substance use and abuse

Sera Murugiah
Kristyn Zajac
Christine Ohannessian
Allison Grant
Cathy Lau-Barraco
Jordan Davis
Judy Andrews
Geoffrey Ream
Jessica Cance
Christine Spadola
Angelo DiBello
Andrea Howard
Katherine Dooley
Martha Zapata Roblyer

Regional: Asia

Marisa Perera
Pearl Bo Wu
Kelin Li
Chie Furukawa

Sexuality

Itzel Eguiluz
Athena Ford
Meghan Gillen
Kristin Anders
Elizabeth Morgan
Michelle Thompson
Spencer Olmstead
Kyla Fletcher
Whitney Sewell
Marie-Aude Boislard

Work and career

Ursula Diamond
Tammy J. Halstead
Amelia Davis
Anne Marshall
Katja Upadyaya
Sarah Schmitt-Wilson
Caitlin Faas
Christine O'Neal
Daniela Dumulescu
Oana Negru-Subtirica
Jose Domene
Katherine Ramos
Claudia Andrade

Travel Awards

We are pleased to announce that Clark University has generously awarded \$35,000 to the Society for the Study of Emerging Adulthood to support travel for International Scholars attending SSEA 2015, the 7th Conference on Emerging Adulthood.

Byron Adams, South Africa

Shakiru Afolabi, Nigeria

Maria Claudia Andrade, Portugal

Giovanni Aresi, Italy

Hasan Atak, Turkey

Martina Benvenuti, Italy

Janina Buhler, Switzerland

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Renee Chiu, China

Josafa Moreira de Cunha, Brazil

Lavinia Damian, Romania

Liselotte den Boer, Netherlands

Radosveta Dimitrova, Sweden

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Luciana Dutra Thomé, Brazil

Daniela Dumulescu, Romania

Rasa Erentaite, Lithuania

Diana Farcas, Portugal

Olufemi Fawole, Nigeria

Jigisha Gala, India

Fanny Gyberg, Sweden

Jessica Hill, Netherlands

Cristiano Inguglia, Italy

Goda Kaniusonyte, Lithuania

Shagufa Kapadia, India

Dominika Karas, Poland

Lucia Kvitkovicova, Slovakia

Margherita Lanz, Italy

Feylyn Lewis, United Kingdom

Siobhan McDermott, Ireland

Newton Mukolwe, Kenya

Agueda Parra Jiminez, Spain

Anderson Pereira, Brazil

Ivan Pesigan, Macau

Simona Picariello, Italy

Giovanni Piumatti, Italy

Mette Ranta, Finland

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Nino Skhirtladze, Georgia

Angela Sorente, Italy

Semira Tagliabue, Italy

Robert Thomson, New Zealand

Neha Tiwari, India

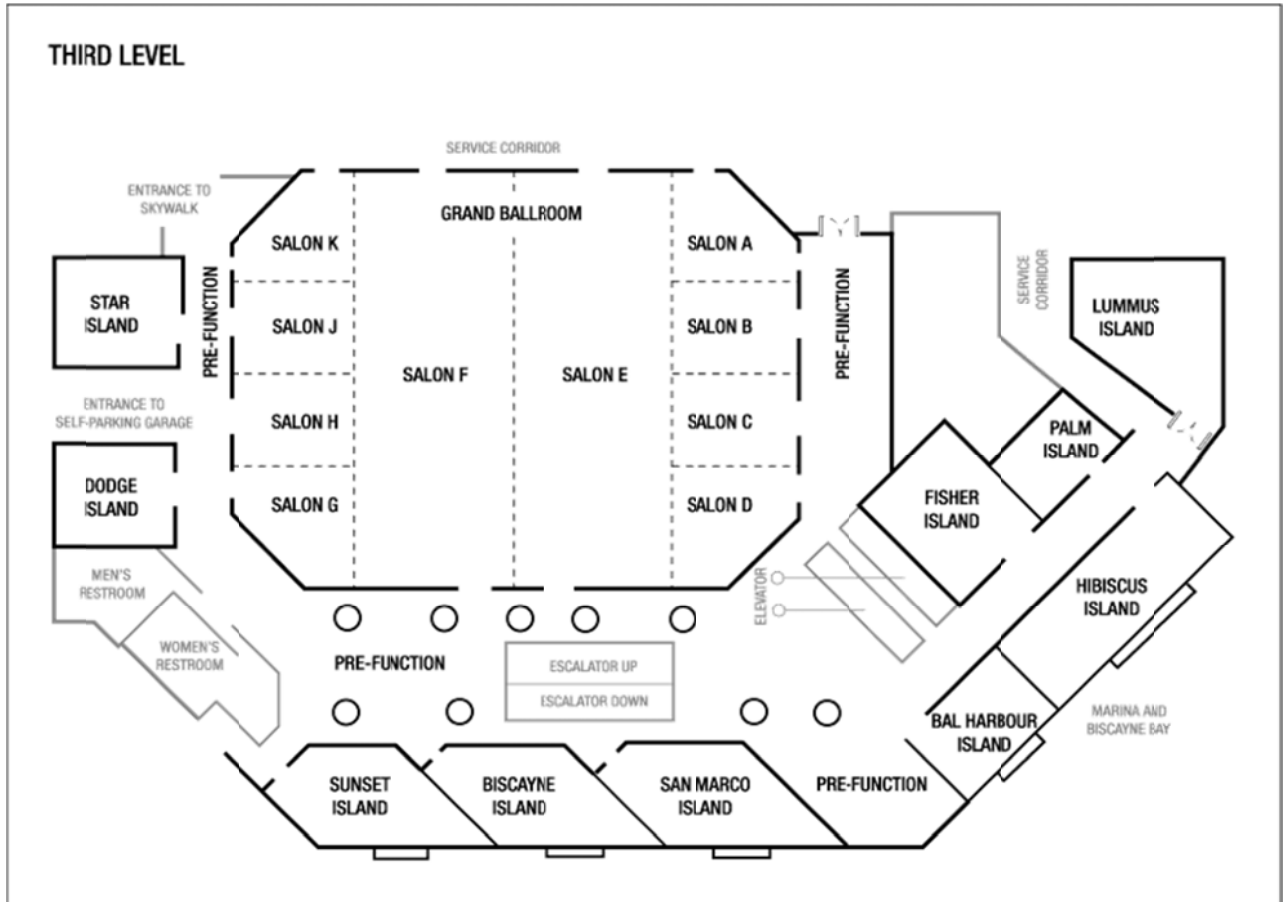
Rimantas Vosylis, Lithuania

Megan Weier, Australia

Rongqin Yu, Netherlands

Rita Zukaskiene, Lithuania

Floor Plan – Marriott Miami Biscayne Bay



All conference events will be held in meeting rooms on the third level of the hotel.

Registration

The registration desk and exhibitor tables will also be located on the third level, in the pre-function space outside Salons A-D. Registration table hours are as follows:

Wednesday October 14:	10am-2pm, 3:30-7pm (closed between 2-3:30pm)
Thursday October 15:	7am-6pm
Friday October 16:	7:30am-5:15pm

Informal Meeting Space

Apart from a few scheduled events, Salon JK and Salon GH will be available for groups of individuals who would like to meet and engage in discussions, or even for individuals looking for a quiet place to sit. No need to sign up or reserve space--if there are no events currently in the room, just grab a table!

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Search for posts using #SSEA2015 on Facebook, Twitter, and Google!*

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DISCUSS US!

To discuss the 7th Conference on Emerging Adulthood (e.g., events, trends, topics, etc.) use #SSEA2015

We look forward to your status updates, pictures, and tweets throughout the conference!

Conference Schedule – Wednesday, October 14, 2015

Pre-Conference Workshops

Identity Topic Network

Co-Chairs: Kate C. McLean & Johanna Carlsson
Wednesday, October 14, 12:30-5pm
Fisher Island

Sex and Romance Topic Network: Does the Relationship Matter?

Co-Chairs: Eva Lefkowitz, Jennifer Connolly, Shannon Claxton, and Rongqin Yu
Wednesday, October 14, 1-5pm
Lummus Island

Methods: Applying Person-Centered Approaches to Emerging Adult Research: An Introduction to LCA and LTA Models

Chair and Presenter: Michael John Cleveland
Wednesday, October 14, 1-4pm
Dodge Island

Poster Session I and Welcome Reception

Join us to kick-off the official beginning of SSEA 2015 with complimentary hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar as you explore the exciting research presented in the poster session.

Wednesday, October 14, 5-7pm
Salon ABCDEF

Poster Session I and Welcome Reception

Wednesday, October 14, 2015, 5:00-7:00pm

Salon ABCDEF

W1: Individual and Relational Role Balance in Emerging Adulthood: A Preliminary Scale Validation Study

Jennifer Bishop, Deborah Welsh, John Lounsbury, Jerika Norona

W2: Craving Mediates the Relationship between Impulsivity and Alcohol Consumption

Amy Stamates, Cathy Lau-Barraco, Kacy Amory

W3: Differentiating between Types of Hooking Up among Emerging Adults

Jonathon Beckmeyer, Ellen Than

W4: Succeeding in College: A Comparison of Students and Student-Athletes

John Hagen, Raymond Cleveland

W5: Transition to College: Challenges and Opportunities for Emerging Adulthood

Elena Cucco, Judith Kaufman, Peter Avery

W6: Feeling out of Place in Academia: The Influence of Gender Stereotypes on the Imposter Phenomenon

Cecilia Jorgenson, Nick Schubert, Anne Bowker

W7: Adulthood's Openness to Changes Values Becoming: Cross-cultural Comparison

Lyudmyla Romanyuk

W8: Facebook Use, Adult Attachment Orientations, Authenticity, and Academic/Career Adjustment in Emerging Adults

Katherine Ramos, Jordie Poncy, Mijin Kim

W9: The Experiences of Postgraduate Psychology Students Regarding the Development of Multicultural Competence

Lenate Bodenstein, Luzelle Naude

W10: Identity and Personality Maturation during the Transition to Working Life: An Empirical Test of the Social Investment Principle

Liselotte den Boer, Theo Klimstra, Marloes Van Dijk, Jaap Denissen, Susan Branje, Wim Meeus

W11: Subjective Well-being in Emerging Adulthood and Proactive and Preventive Coping: Moderator Role of Finishing Education, Leaving Parental Home, and Job Security

Angela Sorgente, Margherita Lanz, Semira Tagliabue

W12: Just Like Your Father? The Role of Communication and Parent Drinking During Adolescence in Predicting Substance use during Emerging Adulthood

Emily Simpson, Kaitlin Flannery, Anne Thompson Heller, Beth Russell, Christine Ohannessian

W13: Profiles of Risk for Mental Health Problems in Emerging Adulthood

Sarah Newcomb-Anjo, Erin Barker

W14: Youth-led Social Change: Topics, Engagement Types, Organizational Types, Strategies and Impacts

Elaine Ho, Amelia Clarke, Ilona Dougherty

W15: Quality of Life among Canadian Emerging Adults: The Role of Temperament, Values and Social Support

Rosanne Menna, Julie Hakim-Larson, Shawna Scott, Emily Johnson, Emily Kear, Cassandra Pasiak

W16: Longitudinal Analyses of Psychological Outcomes as a Function of Religiosity

Julie E. Yonker, Lauren Bender

W17: The Association of Academic and Financial Stressors on Condom use among US College Students

Whitney Sewell

W18: Trajectories of Number of Sexual Partners from 16 to 22 and Their Effects in Emerging Adulthood

Erika Rossi, François Poulin

W19: Listening to the Voices of Emerging Adults: The Experience of Living with Perinatally Acquired HIV (Phiv)

Constance Hill- Williams

W20: Promoting Thriving through Civil Society Contribution: Developmental Outcomes of Youth Civic Participation Trajectories

Marie-Pier Vézina, François Poulin

W21: Autistic Adults' Feelings of Loneliness and Well-being after High School

Jessica Rast, Kristy Anderson, Paul Shattuck

W22: The Role of Motivation and Presence of Stress and Anxiety in Emerging Adults' Career and Romantic Exploration

Kyra Speegle, Rosemary V. Barnett, Larry Forthun, Jeanna Mastrodicasa

W23: Love at the Heart of Youth Culture: A Content Analysis of Popular Song Lyrics from 1980 to 2014

Audrey Renaud-da Costa, Dave Miranda, Camille Blais-Rochette

W24: The Associations between Transformational Parenting and Identity Formation in Emerging Adulthood

Rita Zukauskienė, Goda Kaniusonyte

W25: Future Plans & Life Changes: Satisfaction of the Need for Autonomy in Context of Important Life Events and Future Goals in Czech Emerging Adults

Jan Širůček

W26: Validation of Three-Dimensional Identity Process Model and its Links to Aspects of Emerging Adulthood in a Sample of Lithuanian 20, 25, and 30-year Olds

Rasa Erentaite, Rimantas Vosylis, Elisabetta Crocetti

W27: Social Responsibilities in the Lives of Immigrant-Origin College Students

Dalal Katsiaficas

W28: Understand Leftover Women - are they in Emerging Adulthood?

Xinxing Duan, Jing Liu

W29: Theorizing their Stories: Lived Experiences of Emerging Adults

Megan Weier, Christina Lee

W30: The Associations of Social Skills with Protective and Risk Factors in Brazilian Emerging Adults

Anderson Pereira, Luciana Dutra-Thomé, Silvia Koller

W31: This too Shall Pass: Non-Associations between Childhood Shaming and Adjustment During Emerging Adulthood

Brittney Fraumeni

W32: Parenting, Romantic Relationship Competence and Satisfaction, and College Student Functioning: Exploring a Mediation Model

Jonathan Mattanah, Jennifer Daks, Shaina Kumar

W33: Understanding Study Abroad Students' Drinking and Drug Taking Behavior: A Qualitative Study

Giovanni Aresi, Elena Marta, Simon Moore

W34: Self Perceived Employability in Spain: Preliminary Results

Inmaculada Sánchez-Queija, Reyes Vargas, Águeda Parra, Marta Díez

W35: The Legacy of Loss: The Early Death of a Parent and the Long-term Impact in Emerging Adulthood

Diane Teixeira, Natalee Popadiuk

W36: The Role of Parenting on Risk-Taking among Urban Indian College Students

Pooja Brar, Jodi Dworkin

W37: Defining and Achieving Permanency among Youth Transitioning out of Foster Care

Amy Salazar, Kathryn Monahan, Jamie Amemiya

W38: Understanding the Links between Self-Views, Paternal Relationships, and Gender Identity in Emerging Adulthood

Madhavi Menon, Shannon Dugan

W39: Mexican American Romantic Relationships and Telenovela Viewing in Emerging Adulthood

Lilia Juarez Kim, Jeffrey Arnett

W40: Making My Faith My Own: Church Attendance and First-Year College Student Religious and Spiritual Development

Neil Rowe, Nancy Franz, Kere Hughes-Belding

W41: “Well, See Ya Later!” Media Influences on the Parent-Child Relationship after Emerging Adults Leave Home

Kevin Collier, Sarah Coyne, Laura Walker

W42: The Influence of Low Father Involvement and Harsh Parenting During Adolescence on Substance Use in Emerging Adulthood

Olivia Diggs, Shinyoung Jeon, Tricia Neppel

W43: “I’ll Be There for You”: How Relationship Quality Influences Prosocial Behavior in Emerging Adulthood

Madison Memmott-Elison, Laura Padilla-Walker

W44: Transition in Perceived Parenting from Adolescence to Adulthood

Deeya Mitra, Tissya Mariam

W45: Emerging Adults’ Attitudes towards Committed Relationships

Neslihan James-Kangal, Eliza M. Weitbrecht, Sarah W. Whitton

W46: References to Emerging Adulthood in Popular Music 1955-2010

Debra Steckler, Frances Ellmo, Kima Nieves, Jacob Hargis, Nicole Erickson, Janie Hayden

W47: Expectancy of Significant Progress Toward Counseling Goals: An All-Purpose Measure of Client Expectancy

Geoffrey Ream, Carol Lucas

W48: Topics of Expected Worries in Emerging Adults Transitioning to College

Alyson Bright, Emily Hellmann, Susanne Biehle

W49: What Experiences Lead to Differing Expression of Mortality Salience in Emerging Adulthood?

Victoria De Hoyos, Lance Garmon, Meredith Patterson

W50: Parenting Self-Efficacy in Early Adulthood: Warmth in Family of Origin and Individual Self-Regulation

Mark Benson, Caitlin Faas

W51: Self-Reported Quality of Life among Emerging Adults on the Autism Spectrum

Kristy Anderson, Jessica Rast, Paul Shattuck

W52: Subjective Social Status and Positive Indicators of Well-Being

Jennifer Zorotovich, Elizabeth Johnson

W53: Alcohol-Related Negative Consequences and Safekeeping Strategies among New Zealand Freshmen

Sera Murugiah

W54: The Missing Voice: Discovering the Alternative Faith Practice of Christian Emerging Adults in Canada

Jennifer Garbin

W55: Neighborhood Effects as Predictors of Latino Emerging Adult Outcomes

Benjamin Smith, Jacquelyn Wiersma-Mosley

W56: Repeat Adolescent Births: Does Pre-Adolescent Biological Father Presence Matter for Black Females?

Marquitta Dorsey

W57: Memeing of Romantic Love in Shahrukh Khan (SRK) Stared Movies and its Influence on Emerging Adults

Bhoomi Sorathiya, Jigisha Gala

W58: Roles and Goals in Identity Development: How Emerging Adult Community College Students Compare to Adolescent and Adult Community College Students

Jiffy Lansing, Claudia Zapata-Gietl

W59: An Exploration of the Relationship of Identity Formation and Agency with Respect to the Acceptance and use of Pornography in Christian Undergraduate Emerging Adults

Rob Rhea, Klaus Issler

W60: Comparisons of Married to Single Emerging Adult University Students

Jackie Hobson, Esther Wynder, Ron Hammond, Alisa Hammond

W61: Learning and Teaching Community-Engaged Research for Emerging Adult Populations: A Mixed Methods Study

Breanna Lawrence, Anne Marshall

W62: Will Emerging Adult Women Change Their Intentions to Tan? The Effects of an Appearance-based Intervention

Suzanne Prior, Jaime McKenzie-Mohr

W63: Psychometric Properties of the Brief COPE Inventory

Jihan Mahmoud, Lynne Hall, Ruth "Topsy" Staten

W64: Narrative Vocational Identity of Italian Young Adults: How both Parent and Child Construct Child's Career Stories

Laura Aleni Sestito, Luigia Simona Sica, Tiziana Di Palma

W65: Differences in Emerging Adulthood Features between Single-Substance and Poly-Substance Users

Cathy Lau-Barraco, Ashley Linden-Carmichael, Amy Stamates

W66: Educational Outcomes of Youth in Child Protective Services: A Systematic Review

Kojo Mintah, Jennifer Connolly

W67: Racial Discrimination and Students' Satisfaction in Brazilian Schools

Josafá Cunha, Patrick Holtz

W68: Conflict Talk as a Method for Pursuing Identity and Intimacy among Emerging Adult Romantic Couples

Neill Korobov

W69: Processes and Correlates of Identity Development Across Cultures: Taiwan and the United States

Tanya Sharon

W70: Sexually Transmitted Infection Health Literacy among Urban Emerging Adults

Athena Ford, Constance Hill

W71: Flourishing and Social Relationships During Emerging Adulthood in Spain

Agueda Parra, Rocío De la Fuente, Inmaculada Sánchez-Queija, Marta Díez

W72: Risky Electronic Communication Behaviors and Cyberbullying Victimization among College Students

Ashley Doane, Matthew Pearson, Michelle Kelley

W73: Perceived Adult Status, Critical Life Events, and Features of Emerging Adulthood

Viola Meckelmann, Sophia Kugler

W74: Conflict Resolution Training Programs and Black Youth in Urban Settings

Chaundra Whitehead

W75: Does Substance Use Mediate the Relationship between Adolescent Depression and Emerging Adult Antisocial Behavior?

Laura Finan, Mellissa Gordon, Christine McCauley Ohannessian, Kaitlin Flannery

W76: The Relationship between Perceived Discrimination, Economic Pressure, Depressive Symptoms, and Educational Attainment of Ethnic Minority Emerging Adults: The Moderating Role of School Connectedness During Adolescence

Yuk Pang, Brenda Lohman

W77: Single Item and Scale Correlates of Flourishing and Floundering among University Students

Esther Wynder, Jackie Hobson, Ron Hammond, Alisa Hammond

W78: Becoming Interculturally Competent Emerging Adults: Voices from Central South Africa

Luzelle Naude

W79: Perceived Stress and Psychological Distress During Emerging Adulthood: Mediating Role of Social Support, Self-Esteem, and Self-Efficacy

Jacqueline Bible, Victoria Illnick, Chih-Yuan Lee

W80: Friendsickness, Disliking the University and Happiness among Emerging Adults

Jacki Fitzpatrick, Meliksah Demir, Andrew Haynes

W81: Goals and Plans for Big Five Personality Trait Change in Young Adults

Oliver Robinson, Erik Nofhle, Jen Guo, Samaneh Asadi, Xiaozhou Zhang

W82: What Does She have that I don't? The Effects of Sexual Activity on Social Comparisons and Body Dissatisfaction in College Women

Erin Koterba, Cynthia Gangi

W83: Multiculturalism and Swedish Immigration

Sarah Nelson, Lauren Mitchell, Mariel Carlson, Moin Syed, Ann Frisé, Maria Wängqvist, Ylva Svensson, Fanny Gyberg

W84: Crime Alerts and Campus Culture: What We Can Learn from the University of Minnesota

Lauren Mitchell, Moin Syed

W85: Predicting Intergroup Attitudes: Ethnic-Racial Socialization, Colorblindness, and Multiculturalism

Alex Ajayi, Moin Syed

W86: "Media Overload, it's about Time": A Longitudinal Look at Normative Media use in the Transition from Adolescence to Emerging Adulthood

Hailey Gardner, Sarah Coyne

W87: Divorce and Emerging Adult and Young Women: Building Foundations for Self-Development

Teyana Curran, Samantha Karwin, Varda Konstam

W88: Assessing the Ability of Romantic Attachment Style, Fear of Intimacy, and Empathy to Predict Physical Health

Haley Keglovits, Kevin Kelley

W89: The Relationship between Ego Identity Status and Perceived Parenting Style in Black Adolescents and Emerging Adults from Different Family Structures

Lucie Grove, Luzelle Naude

W90: Social Withdrawal and Internalizing Problems in Emerging Adulthood: Does Parenting Matter?

Stephanie Luster, Larry Nelson

W91: Parental Psychological Control, Autonomy Support, and Psychosocial Well-being in Italian Emerging Adults: A Cluster-Analytic Approach

Cristiano Inguglia, Francesca Liga, Sonia Inguglia, Alida Lo Coco, Maria Grazia Lo Cricchio, Pasquale Musso

W92: XXXBox: A Longitudinal Study on the Effects of Sexual Content in Videogames

Emilie Davis, Sarah Coyne

W93: Impact of Peer Victimization on Well-being and Adjustment in University

Melanie Kaczur, Carie Buchanan

W94: The Role of Shared, Witnessed, and Hearsay Events in Close and Distant Relationships on the Centrality of Identity

Kendall Soucie, Ty Partridge, Joseph Fitzgerald, Gabriella Velasquez, Brittnei Charge, Allison King, Catherine Zettner

W95: Perceptions of Barriers to Educational and Occupational Goal Attainment among African American and Latino(a) Emerging Adults

Ravina Wadhvani

W96: Self-esteem Mediates the Link between Age and the Impostor Phenomenon among Emerging Adult Undergraduates

Nick Schubert, Anne Bowker, Cecilia Jorgenson

W97: More than a Commute: The Commuter Student Experience in Community College

Monique Corral

W98: Parental Psychological Control and Identity Development during Emerging Adulthood: The Moderating Roles of Parental Warmth, Ethnicity, and Family Income

Katelyn Romm, Carolyn Barry, Theresa DiDonato, Beth Kotchick, Jeffrey Barrett

W99: Exploring Racial Identity in 1st and 2nd Generation Black College Students

Miray Seward, Makeba Wilbourn, Vrinda Kalia, Eleanor Seaton

W100: Friendship Experiences and Happiness: Does Self-Classification as an Adult Matter?

Isabella Vento, Chris Cade, Meliksah Demir

W101: Understanding Parental Rejection of LGB Youth in a Diverse Sample: The Indirect Effects of Traditional Beliefs and Homonegativity

Kristin Lindahl, Neena Malik

Conference Schedule – Thursday, October 15, 2015

Keynote Address: Brent W. Roberts

The Highs and Lows of Personality Development in the Transition to Adulthood

Thursday, October 15, 8:00-9:30am

Salon ABCDEF

The last two decades have seen a rapid acceleration of research on personality development focusing on the periods of late adolescence and young adulthood. The findings paint a picture of surprising quiescence in adolescence followed by period of tremendous growth and change in personality traits in young adulthood. I will discuss these findings, their relation to ideas of maturity, the putative mechanisms thought to guide these changes, and how these patterns relate to the idea of emerging adulthood.



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member-at-large and Executive Officer for the Association for Research in Personality and serves on the Editorial Board of the Journal of Personality and Social Psychology, International Journal of Selection and Assessment, Personality and Social Psychology Review, and Perspectives on Psychological Science.

Wake up with us: Complimentary coffee and tea will be available outside Salon ABCDEF beginning at 7:30am!

Invited Discussion Session

Acculturation around the World

Thursday, October 15, 2015, 9:45-11:15am

Salon ABCDEF

Migration and globalization are at an all-time high (United Nations, 2013). As a result, more emerging adults than ever before now have contact with different cultures both in their immediate environment and in the global milieu (Ferguson, 2013; Jensen et al., 2011). This has given way to unprecedented levels of proximal acculturation (traditional immigration-based) and remote acculturation (distal, non-migrant). This panel discussion will highlight the universals and context specifics of modern acculturation and adaptation processes of emerging adults around the world, with special focus on the United States and three understudied world regions – Eastern Europe, Sub-Saharan Africa, and the Caribbean. Invited panelists are experts in acculturation within each world region and are authors of chapters in the forthcoming 2016 2nd Edition of the Cambridge Handbook of Acculturation Psychology (Editors: David Sam & John Berry). The following general questions will guide the discussion among panelists and the audience in regard to each region:

1. What is the state of the research and theory on acculturation?
2. How are acculturating individuals adjusting and adapting and what are the key moderators?
3. What should the future research agenda entail?
4. What are the practice and policy implications of the current body of work?



Chair:

Gail M. Ferguson, *University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA*

Panelists:

Byron G. Adams, *Tilburg University, The Netherlands*

Dina Birman, *University of Miami, USA*

Radosveta Dimitrova, *Stockholm University, Sweden*

Session Block 1
Thursday, October 15, 2015
9:45-11:15am

Discussion Session: Utilizing Qualitative Methods in Emerging Adulthood Research
San Marco Island, 9:45-11:15am

Moderator: Natalee Popadiuk
Panelists: Richard Young, Anne Marshall, Suzanne Stewart

Symposium: Identity Formation and Self-Development in Emerging Adulthood: New Insights from Longitudinal Studies
Fisher Island, 9:45-11:15am

Chair: Elisabetta Crocetti
Discussant: Harold Grotevant

Academic and Romantic Highs and Lows: A Contextualized Narrative Approach to Identity Development and Well-being in the Transition to College
Jennifer Lilgendahl, Kate C. McLean

Emerging Adults' Need of Identity Integration: A Three-Wave Longitudinal Study
Elisabeth Schubach, Wim Meeus, Franz J. Neyer

Being Moral is Good for the Self! A Four-Wave Longitudinal Study on the Interplay of Self and Prosocial Development in Emerging Adulthood
Elisabetta Crocetti, Silvia Moscatelli, Susan Branje, Jolien van der Graaff, Hans Koot, Monica Rubini, Wim Meeus

Symposium: The Role of Culture and Parenting in Emerging Adults' Lives
Lummus Island, 9:45-11:15am

Chair: Carolyn Barry

Influence of Parenting Style on the Development of Emerging Adulthood: A Study of Former Male Inmates of Juvenile Institution in Nigeria
Olufemi Fawole, Taofeek M. Ibrahim, Bayode Agboola

Do Emerging Adults Learn what they Live?: The Frequency and Importance of Faith Activities in Home on Emerging Adults' Prosocial Behavior towards Family, Friends, and Strangers
Carolyn Barry, Jason M. Prenoveau

Indian American Emerging Adults: A Qualitative Exploration of their Self-Construction in-family and Endorsement of Adulthood Markers
Achu Alexander, Jeffrey Jensen Arnett

Upward Transmission of Cultural Values: Emerging Adults as Agents of Parents' Interest in Heritage Tourism
Janet Aronson

Symposium: Hispanic College Students and Intimate Partner Violence
Star Island, 9:45-11:15am

Chair: Dionne Stephens

Discussant: Asia Eaton

The Roles of Family of Origin Psychological Aggression and Gender Role Beliefs in Hispanic College Women's Victimization of Psychological Aggression

Laura Oramas

An Examination of Within-Group Differences Among Hispanic College Women's Experiences of Verbal Intimate Partner Violence

Shannon Quintana

Hispanic College Men's Perceptions of Female Initiated Sexual Coercion

Dionne Stephens, Asia Eaton

Symposium: Motivators and Predictors of Social Behaviors on Social Networking Sites
Biscayne Island, 9:45-11:15am

Chair: Christina Shane-Simpson

Discussant: Christina Shane-Simpson

Exploring Gendered Facebook Behaviors: Women Maintaining Networks and Men Reaching Out
Christina Shane-Simpson, Naomi Gaggi, Kristen Gillespie-Lynch, Patricia J. Brooks

The "Facebook Revolution": How Arab Young People used Social Media for Political Engagement
Natalia Waechter

Online and Offline Life: A New Framework to Understand Risks and Benefits of Being Online in Emerging Adulthood

Martina Benvenuti, Elvis Mazzoni, Lucia Baiocco, Davide Cannata

Paper Session: Education and College Adjustment
Dodge Island, 9:45-11:15am

Chair: Jacqueline Nguyen

Life Goals for STEM College Students: Developmental and Gender Differences
Yang Yang, Joan Barth

A Longitudinal Study of Life Goals, Masculinity and Femininity in College STEM Majors
Joan Barth, Yang (Lydia) Yang

Cultural, Social, and Academic Belongingness and Identity Development in the College Adjustment Process

Jacqueline Nguyen, Alyssa Dahmer, Chelsea Kieler, Sonia Rivas

A Study of Latino Student Persistence in Emerging Adulthood: A Grounded Theory Study
Voltaire Villanueva

Science Learning in Emerging Adulthood: A Golden Opportunity for Museums?
Nina Hido

Paper Session: Substance Use and Abuse
Sunset Island, 9:45-11:15am

Chair: Sherry Stewart

Parental Oversight and Social Connectedness: Factors Associated with Emerging Adult Substance Use
Jodi Dworkin, Heather Hessel, Pooja Brar, Juyoung Jang

The Second-Hand Effects of Undergraduates' Drinking: Prevalence, Predictors and Consequences of Harm from Other Students' Drinking in Post-Secondary Settings
Sherry Stewart, Parnell DavisMacNevin, Kara Thompson, The Caring Campus Project Team

Advancing our Understanding of Use and Non-use of "Molly" among College Student Emerging Adults
Jacqueline Alfonso Barry, Jacqueline Smith

Perceptions of and Expectations for Involvement in the College Drinking Culture
Spencer Olmstead, Kristin Anders, Delia Clemmons

The Relationship between Interpersonal Difficulties, Emotion Dysregulation, and Alcohol Use and Problems in Emerging Adulthood: Findings from a Daily Diary Study
Abby Goldstein, Sherry Stewart, Sean MacKinnon, Natalie Vilhena-Churchill

Invited Discussion Session

Personality Development in Young Adulthood from a Lifespan Perspective

Thursday, October 15, 2015, 11:30am-1pm

Salon ABCDEF

This discussion session will focus on personality development in young adulthood. Recent longitudinal studies have shown that personality matures systematically during young adulthood: young adults tend to become more agreeable, more conscientious, and less neurotic. Bringing together four experts in the field of personality development, we will focus on the cross-cultural evidence for personality development and the theoretical explanations for this development. There are two dominant theoretical explanations for these developmental patterns: The five-factor theory proposes that personality maturation is largely determined by intrinsic, biological factors, and is relatively impervious to environmental influences. In contrast, the social-investment theory proposes that personality maturation is largely the result of normative role changes across the life course that are in part historically and culturally determined, such as work, marriage and parenthood. Young adults go through many role changes like the formation of a long-lasting intimate relationship and the transition to tertiary education and work, and these salient transitions may go hand in hand with changes in personality in early adulthood life. We will discuss the evidence for these explanations, thereby also focusing on personality development in social context, and the relation of personality development to psychopathology. Questions that will be addressed are: How universal is the development of personality across the lifespan and in young adulthood in particular? How much evidence is there for the five-factor theory and the social investment theory? How does personality development relate to personality disorders and psychopathology?



Chair:

Susan Branje, *Utrecht University, The Netherlands*

Panelists:

M. Brent Donnellan, *Texas A & M University, USA*

Theo Klimstra, *Tilburg University, The Netherlands*

Brent W. Roberts, *University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, USA*

Session Block 2
Thursday, October 15, 2015
11:30am-1:00pm

**Symposium: Love, Work, and the Self: Role Trajectories and Balance in Emerging Adulthood
Star Island, 11:30am-1:00pm**

Chair: Jerika Norona
Discussant: Marla Reese-Weber

Developmental Trajectories among Emerging Adult Men and Women
Jennifer Zorotovich, Patricia Roberson, Jerika Norona

The Coordination of Career and Romantic Relationships in Emerging Adulthood: An Eleven Year Longitudinal study

Shmuel Shulman, Yossi Michaeli, Maor Kalfon Hakhmigari, Daniel J. Dickson

Balancing Your Life and Relationship Outcomes: Moving Beyond Main Effect Model
Elizabeth Baker, Manfred van Dulmen, Shannon Claxton, Chong Man Chow, Logan Stigall

**Symposium: The Masculinity, Affect, Neighborhoods, Health Outcomes and Opportunities for Development Study (M.A.N.H.O.O.D.S.): Exploring Factors Associated with Risk-taking and Mental Health among African American Emerging Adult Males
Fisher Island, 11:30am-1:00pm**

Chair: Wizdom Powell
Discussant: Laura Kohn-Wood

They Can't Breathe: Framing Investigations of Neighborhood and Stress Impacts on African American Emerging Adult Male Substance Use and Mental Health Outcomes

Wizdom Powell, Tamara Taggart, Leslie Adams, Jennifer Richmond, Tainayah Thomas, Andre Brown

Beyond Census Data: Integrating Observational and Real-Time Data Capture Methodologies to Assess Neighborhood Conditions and Health Outcomes among African American Emerging Adult Males

Andre Brown, Leslie Adams, Tamara Taggart, Jennifer Richmond, Tainayah Thomas, Wizdom Powell

Neighborhoods, Masculinity norms, and Depressive symptomatology among African American Emerging Adult Males: Examining mediating and moderating effects

Wizdom Powell, Tamara Taggart, Andre Brown, Jennifer Richmond, Tainayah Thomas, Leslie Adams

Symposium: All about the Money: Negotiation of Financial Socialization in Emerging Adults and their Parents

Lummus Island, 11:30am-1:00pm

Chair: Oana Negru-Subtirica

Discussant: Jeffrey Arnett

What does it Take to be Financially Successful? Views of Emerging Adults Versus their Parents

Oana Negru-Subtirica, Lavinia Damian, Mihaela Friedlmeier

Financial Knowledge, Control, and Behaviors in Emerging Adults: The Role of Parents

Lavinia Damian, Oana Negru-Subtirica, Mihaela Friedlmeier

Are Parents The Best Financial Advisors for their Children? The Contribution of Parenting Quality

Mihaela Friedlmeier, Sarah Dahlstrom

Paper Session: Identity Issues 1

Dodge Island, 11:30am-1:00pm

Chair: Petr Macek

From Adolescence to Young Adulthood: Change and Stability in Global and Domain-Specific Self-Evaluations in Argentinean Emerging Adults

Alicia Facio, Santiago Resett

A View Across the Domains of Identity: Four Classes of Czech Emerging Adults

Petr Macek, Stanislav Ježek

The Identity Labels and Life Contexts Questionnaire (ILLCQ): Assessing Identity Intersectionality

Simona Picariello, Seth J. Schwartz, Colleen M. Farrelly, Anna Lisa Amodeo

Identity Commitment in Emerging Adulthood – Is it Always a Positive Process?

Dominika Karaś

Identity Centrality and Psychosocial Functioning: A Person-Centered Approach

Alan Meca, Cynthia Benitez, Rachel Ritchie, Wim Beyers, Seth J. Schwartz, Simona Picariello, Byron L. Zamboanga, Sam Hardy, Koen Luyckx, Su Yeong Kim, Susan K. Whitbourne, Elissa

Paper Session: Media Use

San Marco Island, 11:30am-1:00pm

Chair: Renee Dennison

Sleep Problems in College Students: Does Cellular Phone use Help or Hinder Physical and Mental Health Outcomes

Sue Adams, Murdock Karla, Alyssa Francis, Rachel Feragne

The Role of Facebook in Shaping Intimacy Development and Social Support in Emerging Adults

Renee Dennison

Do I Dare Unplug? Exploring the Digital Lives of Emerging Adults

Virginia Thomas

Technology as Skin

Joan Swanson

Paper Session: Romantic Relationships and Sexuality

Biscayne Island, 11:30am-1:00pm

Chair: Christina Peter

What Really Matters to Emerging Adults in Romantic Relationships: Partner and Relationship Characteristics as Predictors of Satisfaction and Commitment

Christina Peter

“We’re Just Talking”: Constructing a New Trend in Emerging Adulthood Romantic Relationship Formation

D. Scott Sibley, Darin Knapp, Cameron Brown, Allen Mallory, Paul Busk, Jonathan Kimmes, Michelle Busk, Amber Vennum

Promoting Psychological and Physical Well-being in Emerging Adults through Relationship Education

Laura Holt, Jonathan Mattanah, Christa Schmidt, Jennifer Daks, Erin Brophy, Katherine Rorer, Ashley Delguercio,

The Role of the Internality of Sexual Motivation in the Development of Self-Determination Autonomy in Emerging Adulthood

Stanislav Jezek, Lenka Lacinova

The Influence of Sexuality Conversations in Haitian Households on HPV Vaccine Discussion between Parents and College-aged Females

Dudith Pierre-Victor, Dionne Stephens, Kemesha Gabbidon, Rachel Clarke, Angela Omondi

Paper Session: Incarceration, Delinquency, and Exposure to Violence

Sunset Island, 11:30am-1:00pm

Chair: Jessica Hill

Role Instability and Delinquent Behavior in Emerging Adulthood

Jessica Hill, Stacey Bosick

Desisting from Crime in Emerging Adulthood: Adult Role Transitions and the Maturity Gap

Arjan Blokland, Jessica Hill, Victor van der Geest

Understanding Supports for Emerging Adults who Recently Experienced an Incarceration

Dani McMay, Rolanda Ward

Injury and Violence Prevention Information: Are College Students Receiving this Information?

Robert Motley

Planning for the future: Does it Happen for Emerging Adults who Experienced an Incarceration?

Rolanda L. Ward, Dani McMay

Topic Network Lunch

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2015, 1:00pm-2:00pm

Salon GH and Salon JK

The purpose of the Topic Network Lunch is to provide attendees affiliated with the newly established Topic Networks time to meet and discuss goals and plans for the activities of the Topic Network.

Preregistration is required.

Salon GH

Africa

Europe, UK, Ireland, Australia, and New Zealand

Latin America

Aging out of Care

Friendship

Health Promotion

Identity Issues

Media

Mental Health

Study Abroad

Substance Use and Abuse

Salon JK

Parents and Family

Prevention and Intervention

Religiousness and Spirituality

Sexuality

Student Affairs/College Student Development

Work and Career

Invited Discussion Session

Publishing Emerging Adulthood Research: A Conversation with the Editors

Thursday, October 15, 2015, 2:15-3:45pm

Salon ABCDEF

What types of manuscripts are editors looking for? What can you do improve your chances of having your manuscript accepted for publication? Come engage in a discussion on these—and many other—issues with editors from leading journals that publish scholarship on emerging adulthood.



Chair:

Elisabetta Crocetti, *Utrecht University, The Netherlands*

Panelists:

Carolyn Barry, Editorial Board, *Adolescent Research Review*

Larry J. Nelson, Editor, *Emerging Adulthood Book Series (Oxford University Press)*

Laura Padilla-Walker, Associate Editor, *Emerging Adulthood*

Katariina Salmela-Aro, Consulting Editor, *Developmental Psychology*

Carola Suarez-Orozco, Editor, *Journal of Adolescent Research*

Presidential Symposium

Prevention and Intervention in Emerging Adulthood: Using Epidemiology to Improve the Lives of Emerging Adults

Friday, October 15, 2015, 2:15-3:45pm
Lummus Island

Introduced by Seth Schwartz, SSEA President

Chair: Richard F. Catalano, University of Washington and President, Society for Prevention Research

Over the past three decades, prevention science has emerged as a discipline built on the integration of life-course development research, community epidemiology, and preventive intervention trials. Prevention science is based on a framework that identifies empirically verifiable precursors, often called risk and protective factors, which affect the likelihood of undesired health outcomes. Risk and protective factors emerge at particular periods of development. Some factors are problem specific and some are more general, predicting multiple outcomes, including substance misuse, adolescent pregnancy, violence, delinquency, school dropout, and mental health disorders. The commonality in risk factors across problem behaviors means that interventions that address a risk factor will probably affect many problems, suggesting that such preventive interventions are an efficient approach to reduction of problems. Further, exposure to several risk factors, and lack of exposure to protective factors, strengthens the likelihood of problem outcomes, but preventive interventions that effectively reduce risk and enhance protective factors can have the reverse effect, and make healthy development more probable.

This presidential panel will open with a brief overview of prevention science, an illustration of the developmental salience of the risk factors for young adult substance use from a recent review, and three presentations of prevention approaches aimed at affecting young adult behavioral outcomes are being studied in controlled trials.

Parent-Based Interventions in Sensitive Phases of Life: Late Adolescence and Emerging Adulthood
Rob Turrisi, Penn State University

The Safer California Universities Intervention to Reduce Alcohol-Related Harm among Young Adults
Robert F. Saltz, Pacific Institute for Research & Evaluation

Effects of the Communities that Care Prevention System on Young Adult Men and Women's Health-Risk Behaviors 9 Years after Baseline in a Community-Randomized Trial
Margaret R. Kuklinski, University of Washington

Session Block 3
Thursday, October 15, 2015
2:15pm-3:45pm

Symposium: “A Feeling of Being at Home in One’s Body”: Bringing the Body into Research on Identity Development

Star Island, 2:15-3:45pm

Chair: Maria Wängqvist

Discussant: Kate McLean

Emerging Adults’ Body Image and Identity Formation: The Role of Gender and Self-Esteem

Maria Wängqvist, Johanna Kling, Ann Frisé

Identity Processes and Statures and Non-Suicidal Self Injury

Koen Luyckx, Laurence Claes

Narrating the Distressed Body: Physicality Language and Physiological Arousal Across Adolescence and Emergent Adulthood

Kristina Oldroyd, Monisha Pasupathi, Jacob Billitteri, Cecilia Wainryb,

Symposium: Navigating Sexual Messages from Peers, Partners, and Media: The Role of Emerging Adults’ own Sexual Values, Communication, and Behaviors

Fisher Island, 2:15-3:45pm

Chair: Emily A. Waterman

Conversations among Emerging Adults while Watching Sexual Content on Television

Rocio Rivadeneyra, Christopher Marosi

Behaviors that Mark Heterosexuality as Motivated by and Maintaining Heterosexism

Elizabeth Morgan, Laurel Davis-Delano

Between- and Within-Person Correlates of Quality of Sexual Communication with Closest Friend

Emily Waterman, Rose Wesche, Eva S. Lefkowitz

Sexual Motivations for Intimacy and Pleasure

Chelom Leavitt, Eva S. Lefkowitz

Paper Session: Parental Relationships

San Marco Island, 2:15-3:45pm

Chair: Kazumi Sugimura

Israeli Jewish Single National Religious Women Emerging Adults, who Live with their Parents: Mothers' and Daughters' Perspectives

Asnat Dor

Radical and Moderate Separation from Parents in Japanese Emerging Adults: The Relationship with Autonomy, Identity, and Well-being

Kazumi Sugimura, Reiko Nakama, Shinichi Mizokami, Kai Hatano, Manabu Tsuzuki,

A Generational Study of Gender Roles in Bhopal (India)

Neha Tiwari

Autonomy Supportive Parenting and Emerging Adult Self-Efficacy: Implications for Mental and Physical Health

Kayla Reed, Mallory Lucier-Greer, Courtney Fixelle, Anthony Ferraro, James Duncan

Nonresidential Father-Child Relationship Processes during Emerging Adulthood

Richard Feistman, Tyler Jamison, Marilyn Coleman, Lawrence Ganong

Paper Session: The Meaning of Emerging Adulthood

Biscayne Island, 2:15-3:45pm

Chair: Megan Weier

Measuring Emerging Adulthood: Rethinking the IDEA and the Markers of Adulthood Questionnaire

Joseph Schwab, Angela de Dios

Adolescent or Adult? The Challenges of Emerging Adulthood in Contemporary Hong Kong

Petrus Ng, Renee Chiu

You Reap what You Sow: Master Narratives of Irish Emerging Adults during the Economic Recession

Seamus Power

The Emerging Adulthood Key Features in Brazilians from Differing Socioeconomic Status: A Thematic Analysis

Luciana Dutra-Thomé, Silvia Helena Koller

How do Australian University Students Understand Adulthood?

Megan Weier, Christina Lee

Paper Session: Physical and Mental Health
Sunset Island, 2:15-3:45pm

Chair: Siobhan MacDermott

Merging the Person and the Illness: The Lived Experience of Emerging Adults with Childhood Onset Chronic Illness

Siobhan MacDermott, Pamela Hussey

Attachment Style, Attachment Figure and Intimate Relationship among Emerging Adults with Anxiety and Depression

Raheemudheen Pk, Vibha Sharma, C B Tripathi

"There's Something you Should Know about me": A Grounded Theory of Psychiatric Disability Disclosure among Emerging Adult College Students

Laura Murray

Emerging Adults: Age as a Risk Factor for Mental Distress Among Unemployed

Filomena Sabatella, Agnes von Wyl

Early Childhood Predictors of Emerging Adulthood Depressive Symptoms in an Inner-City Sample

Christina Mondì, Suh-Ruu Ou, Arthur Reynolds

Paper Session: Sexual Relationships
Dodge Island, 2:15-3:45pm

Chair: Scott Hall

Ghosts of Partners Past: The Relationship between Sexual History and the New Sexual Relationships of Emerging Adults

Dallin Belt, Brian Willoughby

The Sexual Possible Selves and Strategies of First Semester College Men and Women

Kristin M. Anders, Spencer B. Olmstead, Elizabeth I. Johnson

First Sexual Experiences and Hooking-Up during Adolescence: Links to Risky Sexual Behaviors in Emerging Adulthood

Greta L Stuhlsatz, Brenda J Lohman

I Have, I Would, I Won't: Hooking up among Diverse Groups of College Students

Scott Hall, Kelsey Shapiro, David Knox

Investigating the Casual Sexual Encounters of Emerging Adults: Motivations, Expectations, and Desired and Actual Outcomes of "Hook Ups"

Eliza Weitbrecht, Sarah Whitton

Invited Master Lecture: Carolyn Barry

Religiousness and Spirituality

Thursday, October 15, 2015, 4:00-5:30pm

Salon ABCDEF

The process by which emerging adults make meaning of their lives is complex. Dr. Carolyn Barry maps the landscape of this multifaceted field of emerging adults' religiousness and spirituality. After providing an overview to differentiate the concepts within the psychology of religion and spirituality field, she summarizes national trends in religious affiliation, as well as religious and spiritual beliefs and practices. Further, she discusses the unique developmental factors that undergird why meaning-making is such a central task for emerging adults. Thereafter, she notes key theoretical perspectives on religious and spiritual development, and reviews research on the benefits and detriments of religiousness and spirituality. Building upon her training as a developmental psychologist, she then addresses key socializing context to support meaning-making from the family to peers, media, universities, and religious communities. Also, she explains variations in religious and spiritual development as a function of gender, sexual identity, culture, and religious affiliation (v. none). Lastly, she articulates the implications of what is known about emerging adults' meaning-making for emerging adults, their parents, as well as other adults (faculty, practitioners) who work with emerging adults.



Dr. Carolyn Barry, earned her B.S. in Psychology with minors in Sociology, Spanish, and Secondary Education from Ursinus College, where she earned departmental honors in Psychology and was inducted into Phi Beta Kappa. Carolyn earned her Ph.D. in Human Development from the University of Maryland, College Park in 2001. Since that time she has been on the psychology faculty at Loyola University Maryland, receiving a promotion to the rank of full professor in 2014. She teaches developmental psychology courses to undergraduate, masters and doctoral students, and in March 2011 was recognized for her use of service-learning in such courses with the Award for Excellence in Engaged Scholarship and Service-Learning at Loyola University Maryland.

Session Block 4
Thursday, October 15, 2015
4:00pm-5:30pm

Discussion Session: Sexualization and Media in Emerging Adulthood in the 21st Century
San Marco Island, 4:00-5:30pm

Moderator: Rocio Rivadeneyra
Panelists: Adriana Manago, L. Monique Ward, Elizabeth Daniels

Symposium: The Social and Cultural Context of Narrative Identity
Lummus Island, 4:00-5:30pm

Chair: Moin Syed

Intergenerational Narratives: Identity Connections and Relations to Well-being
Natalie Merrill, Robyn Fivush

The Importance of Shared Events for Identity Development: The Moderating Role of Age and Gender
Kendall Soucie, Joseph M. Fitzgerald, Brittini D. Charge, Gabriela C. Velasquez, Catherine C. Zettner, Allison R. King, Ty Partridge

"Another Kind of Swede" - Ethnic Identity in Contemporary Sweden
Fanny Gyberg, Ann Frisén, Moin Syed, Maria Wängqvist, Ylva Svensson

The Wandering Emerging Adult: Identity Development and Positive Adaptation in the Context of Migration
Oana Negru-Subtirica

Symposium: Complex Models of the Role of Parents in Emerging Adulthood: Antecedents, Consequences, and Moderators
Fisher Island, 4:00-5:30pm

Chair: Jamie Abaied

Longitudinal Cross-Lagged Models of Parenting and Child Disclosure during Emerging Adulthood
Laura Padilla-Walker, Larry J. Nelson

Are Parenting Style and Relationship Quality Associated with Academic Engagement in Emerging Adulthood?
Emily Waterman, Eva Lefkowitz

Moderators of Parental Regulation Beliefs and Parental Control in Emerging Adulthood
Michael Brown, Brandon Clifford, Larry J. Nelson, Laura Padilla-Walker

Vulnerability to Depressive Symptoms in Emerging Adulthood: Moderation by Physiological Stress Reactivity
Jamie Abaied

Symposium: Integrating Neurobiological, Developmental and Psychodynamic Perspectives in the Treatment of an Emerging Adult
Star Island, 4:00-5:30pm

Chair: David Daskovsky
Discussant: Dale Monroe-Cook

Speakers: Jesse Viner, Marc Sandrolini, David Daskovsky

Paper Session: Work and Career Development
Biscayne Island, 4:00-5:30pm

Chair: Mette Ranta

Emerging between Two Worlds: A Longitudinal Study of Career Identity in Students from Asian American Immigrant Families

Elena Polenova, Amie Vedral, Leanna Brisson

The Role of Personality in the Link between Personal Goals and Achievement of Developmental Tasks during Emerging Adulthood

Mette Ranta, Rongqin Yu

Emerging Adulthood and Adoption: Adoptive Identity, Career Achievement, and Psychological Functioning

Yesel Yoon, Harold Grotevant

Emerging Adults' Perspective on Working During College: Work-to-School Conflict and Work-to-School Enrichment

Claudia Andrade

Developmental Trajectories of Energy, Absorption, and Dedication in Studies/Work Parallel with Study/Work Satisfaction: An 8-Year Longitudinal Study

Katja Upadyaya, Katariina Salmela-Aro

Paper Session: Search for Meaning and Life Satisfaction
Dodge Island, 4:00-5:30pm

Chair: Giovanni Piumatti

The Five-Factor Model of Personality in Emerging Adulthood and Young Adulthood: Progressing to Maturity?

Alicia Facio, Maria Eugenia Prestofelippo, Maria Cecilia Sireix

Perceived Spiritual Identity in Emerging Adulthood: A Qualitative Study of Iranian Muslim Students

Narjes Lari, Elahe Hejazi

Authenticity and Meaning in Life: Comparing Emerging Adults and Midlifers

Dionne Reece, Oliver Robinson

A Meaningful Detour: Understanding Students' Gap Years from an Interpretive Approach

Kathrina Mazurik, Michel Desjardins

Trajectories of Life Satisfaction among Emerging Adults University Students and their Relations with Motivation and Achievement Strategies in Academic Context

Giovanni Piumatti

Paper Session: Prevention and Intervention
Sunset Island, 4:00-5:30pm

Chair: Amudha Poobalan

Counselling Emerging Adults for Childhood Bereavement Issues

Natalee Popadiuk, Diane Teixeira

Prevention of Obesity: Exploration of Lifestyle Behaviors in 18 - 25 Year Olds

Amudha Poobalan, Lorna Aucott, Amanda Clarke, Cairns W. Smith

Probability of Experiencing a Sexually Transmitted Infection in Adolescence and Emerging Adulthood: A Discrete-Time Survival Analysis

Cassandra Sullivan, Bonnie Leadbeater

Community Prevention in Small and Rural Towns: A Comparison of Young Adult Movers and Stayer One Year after High School

Sabrina Oesterle, Margaret Kuklinski

Session Block 5: Innovative Sessions

Thursday, October 15, 2015

5:45pm-6:45pm

Innovative Session 1

Lummus Island, 5:45-6:45pm

Treating the Suicidal Emerging Adult: Creating Collaboration

Flynn O'Malley

Pecha Kucha: Selfie: Imagery of Emerging Adult Development

Joan Swanson

Pecha Kucha: 10 Mentees, 10 Years, 20 Slides, 3 Lessons

Steve Rios

Innovative Session 2

Fisher Island, 5:45-6:45pm

TEDxSSEA Talk: Communication in Emerging Adulthood: Patterns, Discoveries, Challenges, and Directions

Michaela D.E. Meyer

TEDxSSEA Talk: Mirrored in the Loving Eyes of Others: Building Resilience in the At-Risk, Failure-to-Launch Young Adult Population

Richard Silver

Innovative Session 3

Dodge Island, 5:45-6:45pm

TEDxSSEA Talk: Purpose and the Emergence into Adulthood

Jenni Mariano

TEDxSSEA Talk: Koru Mindfulness: A Developmental Aide for Emerging Adults

Holly Rogers

Dinner and Jazz Band

Thursday, October 15, 7:00pm-9:30pm

Salon GH

Featuring the Stamps Jazz Quintet from The Frost School of Music

Advanced registration is required, and **this event is sold out!**

Conference Schedule – Friday, October 16, 2015

Presidential Address: Seth Schwartz

Unanswered Questions about Emerging Adulthood: An Agenda for Moving the Field Forward

**Friday, October 16, 2015, 8am-9am
Salon ABCDEF**

My goal in this address is to highlight emerging adulthood as the time when life either “goes good” or “goes bad.” Although emerging adulthood is a time of increased well-being and life satisfaction, it is also characterized by the highest levels of risk taking (hazardous drinking, illicit drug use, sexual promiscuity, and dangerous driving). Many psychiatric disorders, such as schizophrenia, anxiety problems, and major depression, also have their onset during emerging adulthood for many people. Because emerging adulthood represents a time when young people often have the least guidance from society in terms of what to do with their lives, the role of personal agency is of primary importance in increasing the likelihood of a successful transition to adult roles, of resilient outcomes in the face of childhood adversity, and in using the emerging adult years as a time of personal exploration rather than aimlessness. I conclude with suggestions for intervening at various levels to increase success and resilience during emerging adulthood.



Dr. Seth J. Schwartz is Professor of Public Health Sciences at the University of Miami Leonard M. Miller School of Medicine. He is a Founding Member and President-Elect for SSEA. He has a master’s degree in family and child sciences from Florida State University and a Ph.D. in developmental psychology from Florida International University. His research interests include personal and cultural identity, immigration and acculturation, health risk behavior, well-being, and parenting and family functioning. He has 185 scholarly publications and has been principal investigator of three grant awards from the National Institutes of Health.

***Wake up with us: Complimentary coffee and tea will be available outside
Salon ABCDEF beginning at 7:30am!***

Invited Master Lecture: Oliver Robinson

Quarterlife Crisis: An Overview of Research and Theory

Friday, October 16, 2015, 9:15-10:45am
Salon ABCDEF

This talk will provide an overview of research and theory on the topic of early adult crisis, also known as quarterlife crisis. Firstly, I will introduce two types of quarterlife crisis: the 'locked-in' and 'locked-out' types. I will describe the typical experiences and defining emotions of these two forms of crisis. They will be conceptually related to the theory of emerging adulthood, and to Erikson's theory of early adulthood, to locate them in relation to broad stages. I will discuss data on the prevalence of quarterlife crisis as gleaned from large-scale surveys that have gained data from individuals of varying ages on the presence of past and present crisis. Data on the nature and extent of post-crisis growth will be presented, which show quarterlife crisis to be a double-edged sword; an opportunity for developmental progress and regress. Finally I will look at crisis and curiosity: My data suggests that during crisis, people are more curious about themselves, other people and the world, suggesting that during the unstable and transitional period of a crisis, individuals are in an existential 'search' mode, looking for new answers to old questions about how to best live life.



Dr. Robinson has been at the University of Greenwich since 2006 and is Programme Leader for the BSc Hons Psychology with Counseling Degree. His special area is adult development and has recently published a textbook on the topic. His particular research interests are in how personality and mental health are affected by major life transitions during adulthood. He runs a third year undergraduate option entitled Adult Development and Mental Health, co-ordinates the Introduction to Psychology course for first year undergraduates, as well as contributing to methods teaching at undergraduate and postgraduate level. In 2012, he won the Early Career Researcher Communicator of the Year award for his extensive interaction with media regarding his research. Dr Robinson employs a diverse range of research methodologies, including quantitative, qualitative, case study and mixed-methods

approaches. His research has gained interest from the media, including the New Scientist, the Guardian, BBC Radio 4, the Telegraph and the Times.

Session Block 6
Friday, October 16, 2015
9:15-10:45am

Discussion Session: Addressing the Full Range of Human Potential: The Role of Meaning-Making in Emerging Adults' Lives and Work
San Marco Island, 9:15-10:45am

Moderator: Carolyn Barry
Panelists: Patricia Herzog, Ofra Mayseseless, Daniel Harris

Symposium: Multifaceted Identity and Acculturation Process of American, Turkish-Bulgarian and South African Emerging Adults
Fisher Island, 9:15-10:45am

Chair: Radosveta Dimitrova
Discussant: Elisabetta Crocetti

Acculturation Orientations and Outcomes of Bicultural Turkish-Bulgarian Emerging Adults
Radosveta Dimitrova

Cultural Variability As a Dynamic Marker of Acculturation among Emerging Adults in the United States
Gail Ferguson, Jacqueline Nguyen, Maria Iturbide

In Lieu of Clear Dominance: Identity and Intergroup Orientation of Emerging Adults in Four South African Ethnocultural Groups
Byron Adams

Symposium: Exploring Family and Community Contexts for Undocumented Immigrants during Emerging Adulthood
Star Island, 9:15-10:45am

Chair: Dalal Katsiaficas
Discussant: Carola Suarez-Orozco

Complications of Legal Status and the Mental Health of Undocumented Emerging Adults
Yuliana Garcia

Crossing the Border to Find Home: A Gendered Perspective on the Reunification Experiences of Undocumented Immigrants during Emerging Adulthood
Kristina Lovato-Hermann

Understanding the Role of Family and Community Contribution in the Lives of Undocumented Emerging Adults
Dalal Katsiaficas, Cynthia M. Alcantar, Edwin Hernandez, Maria Nava Gutierrez, Erick Samayoa, Oscar Rodriguez Taxis, Zyshia Williams

Symposium: Advancing Knowledge on the Role of Romantic Partners: Multi-Method Findings from North America and Europe
Lummus Island, 9:15-10:45am

Chair: Shannon Claxton

Discussant: Marla Reese-Weber

Communication Withdrawal and Adjustment in Adolescent and Young Adulthood Romantic Relationships

Gary Glick, Amanda Rose

Madness and Happiness: Cross-sectional and Longitudinal Actor and Partner Effects of Explosiveness on Romantic Relationship Satisfaction

Rongqin Yu, Susan Branje, Eva-Verena Wendt, Sabine Walper

Cumulative Effects of Partner and Self Internalizing Behavior Problems on Risk for Intimate Partner Violence

Shannon Claxton, Chong-Man Chow, Manfred van Dulmen

Symposium: The Different Pathways toward Adulthood: Resources and Values
Biscayne Island, 9:15-10:45am

Chair: Angela Sorgente

Discussant: Jeffrey Arnett

The Impact of Familial Financial and Psychological Support on the Emerging Adult's Psychological Well-being during the Process of Coming of Age

José Egidio Oliveira, Anne Marie Fontaine

Predictors of Psychological and Financial Well-being in Emerging Adulthood: Differences between Students, Workers and Student-Workers

Semira Tagliabue, Angela Sorgente, Margherita Lanz

Value of Work and Perception of Extra-Vocational Training

Monique Landberg, Peter Noack

Symposium: Emerging Adults in Substance Use Disorder Treatment
Sunset Island, 9:15-10:45am

Chair: Douglas Smith

Three and Six Month Outcomes for a Peer-Enhanced Community Reinforcement Approach Treatment for Heavy-Drinking Emerging Adults

Douglas Smith, Jordan Davis, Tara Dumas, Daniel Ureche

Identification with Emerging Adulthood: Trends and Associations Across Alcohol-Use Treatment

Tara Dumas, Jordan Davis, Douglas Smith

Examining Gender Differences in Victimization and Social Risk on Cannabis Use among Emerging Adults in Substance Use Treatment

Jordan Davis, Joe Merrin, Dan Berry, Tara Dumas, Jun Hong, Douglas Smith

Symposium: Social Media and Social Development in Emerging Adulthood
Dodge Island, 9:15-10:45am

Chair: Adriana Manago

Discussant: Laura Padilla-Walker

College Students' Bridging Social Capital on Facebook: The Role of Self-Promotion and Online Social Grooming Behaviors in Network Diversity and Breadth

Adriana Manago, Chelsea Melton

Too Much Time Online: Pathological Use of Social Networking Sites and Cell Phones in Emerging Adulthood

Sarah Coyne

More than a Peer Space: Emerging Adults Encountering Parents on Facebook

Chia-Chen Yang

Invited Discussion Session

Globalization, Media, and Identity in Emerging Adulthood

Friday, October 16, 2015, 11:00am-12:30pm

Salon ABCDEF

Emerging adults around the world are developing a sense of self in the midst of profound changes in cultural practices of communication. The proliferation of the Internet and mobile devices offer the potential for “perpetual” human contact and increased interdependence; however, these technologies can also promote fleeting social connections in expansive social networks and a preoccupation with cultivating a self-image to large online audiences. Moreover, although the Internet transmits values of a global youth culture largely dominated by commercialism and consumption, social media also provide space for young people to express their own unique voices and cultural perspectives as they co-construct their own media environments. New media likely have consequences for the balance between autonomy and relatedness in identity development and the formation of a coherent and meaningful purpose in life. An international panel of researchers studying communication, cultural change, and identity development will discuss new challenges and opportunities on the horizon for healthy relationships and identity development during emerging adulthood. An important theme will be how youth in various places around the world engage with new media differently depending on their own values and identity concerns.



Chair:

Adriana Manago, *Western Washington University, USA*

Panelists:

Michaela D.E. Meyer, *Christopher Newport University, USA*

Robert Thomson, *Hokkaido University, Japan*

Natalia Waechter, *University of Graz, Austria*

Maria Wängqvist, *University of Gothenburg, Sweden*

Session Block 7
Friday, October 16, 2015
11:00am-12:30pm

**Discussion Session: Theoretical and Methodological Issues in “Whole-Person” Research
San Marco Island, 11:00am-12:30pm**

Moderator: Moin Syed
Panelists: Monisha Pasupathi, Jen Pals Lilgendahl, Will Dunlop

**Symposium: The Road to Happiness? Diverse School to Work Transitions in Finland and England
Fisher Island, 11:00am-12:30pm**

Chair: Jennifer Symonds
Discussant: Anne Marshall

The Longitudinal Associations between Young Adults’ Study/Work Engagement and Life Satisfaction
Katja Upadyaya, Katariina Salmela-Aro

I Wish I Had (Not) Taken a Gap-Year? The Psychological and Attainment Outcomes of Different Post-School Pathways During Emerging Adulthood
Katariina Salmela-Aro, Philip Parker

Mental Health Improves after Transition from Comprehensive School to Vocational Education or Employment in England: A National Cohort Study
Jennifer Symonds, Julia Dietrich, Angela Chow

**Symposium: Preventing Onset Of Substance Use during Emerging Adulthood: Findings From College and Non-College-Attending Samples
Star Island, 11:00am-12:30pm**

Chair: Michael Cleveland
Discussant: Judy Andrews

Preventing and Reducing Non-Medical Prescription Stimulant Use: Effects of a Group Motivational Interview Intervention
Laura Holt, Alison Looby, Dana Engle, Austen Ballard, Alek Haugen, Brenna Heppner

Straight to Work (STW) Emerging Adults who Vape and Smoke
Marshall Cheney, Taylor Wann, Mary Gowin

Using Latent Transition Analysis to Assess Differential Treatment Effects: Preventing Onset of High-Risk Drinking among First-Year College Students
Michael Cleveland, Rob Turrisi, Kimberly Mallett

Symposium: Cultivating Well-being and Civic Engagement in Emerging Adulthood
Lummus Island, 11:00am-12:30pm

Chair: Duhita Mahatmya

Discussant: Nance Lucas

Exploring Emerging Adulthood: A Latent Profile Analysis

Duhita Mahatmya, Ariel Smith

They All Want to Change the World: Contributors to Social Change Behaviors in College Students

Julie Owen, Duhita Mahatmya

Practices to Support Student Well-being

Mary Elizabeth Lynch, Mark Thurston

Paper Session: Identity Issues 2

Biscayne Island, 11:00am-12:30pm

Chair: Angela de Dios

The Influence of Social Context on Identity Development during Emerging Adulthood

Lisa Menard, Anne Bowker

Life-Stories Reveal Processes of Personal Identity Formation

Nino Skhirtladze, Nino Javakhishvili, Seth J. Schwartz, Koen Luyckx

What does Being Filipino American mean? The Influences of Cultural Identity on Well-being

Angela de Dios

Awareness, Boredom, and Challenge: The Perception of Free Time among College-Attending Emerging Adults with Distinctive Identity Statuses

Cindy Hartman, Denise Anderson

Examining the Factor Structure and Measurement Invariance of the Filipino and English Versions of the Utrecht-Management of Identity Commitments Scale among Filipino Emerging Adults

Ivan Jacob Pesigan, Lia Banzon-Librojo, Elisabetta Crocetti

Paper Session: Moral and Positive Development

Sunset Island, 11:00am-12:30pm

Chair: Sarah E. Brewer

High-Strung Helpers: Longitudinal Relations between Prosocial Behavior and Anxiety

Matthew Nielson, Laura Padilla-Walker

Predictors of Participation and Civic engagement among Emerging Adults in Turkey

Tulin Sener

Can the Short Form of the Positive Youth Development Measure be used with Young Adults? Evidence from Three Samples

Sara K Johnson, Elise M. Harris

Exploring Free Time and Leisure in Emerging Adulthood

Eric Layland, Brian Hill, Larry J. Nelson

Paper Session: Interpersonal Relationships

Dodge Island, 11:00am-12:30pm

Chair: Megan Ames

Role of Sources of Social Support in Stress and Health among Emerging Adults

Chih-Yuan Lee, Bryan Dik, Victoria Illnick, Jacqueline Bible

Overweight and Isolated: The Interpersonal Problems of Women from Adolescence into Emerging Adulthood

Megan Ames, Bonnie Leadbeater, Clea Sturgess

“She knows a lot about what we’re going through”: Peer Mentorship in the Transition to College

Claudia Recksiedler, Terese Jones, Katherine MacTavish

Assault Victims on College Campuses: Receiving Injury and Violence Prevention Information

Robert Motley

Attachment, Social Support, and Loneliness among Taiwanese Emerging Adults

Chih-Yuan Lee, Chuchu Wu, Jacqueline Bible, Victoria Illnick

Poster Session II

Friday, October 16, 2015, 12:40-1:40pm

Salon ABCDEF

Complimentary light finger foods will be served. Come, have a bite and check out the posters!

F1: The Impact of Significant Romantic Relationships on One's Closeness to God

Sasha Odom, Tomoko Lahee, Megan Baker, Shawna Lane, Chelsey Smith, Ashton Henderson, Emily Salmon, Brandy Bell, Karen Bacher, Roudi Nazarinia Roy, and Anthony Walker

F2: Online Self-Presentation During Emerging Adulthood: Identity Exploration Via Profile Picture Cycling

Samantha Gray, Bradford Schroeder, Deborah Welsh, Christi Culpepper

F3: Best Reasons to Take Risks across Adulthood: A Developmental Tasks Perspective

Russell Ravert, Lindsey Murphy, M. Brent Donnellan

F4: Emerging Adults and Work-Life Experiences

Sunny Munn, Tonette Rocco, Lori Gionti, Jay Abdullah

F5: Identity Constructed by Emerging Adults who Neither Study nor Work

Raúl Gutiérrez, Kalina Martínez, Aymé Pacheco, Corina Benjet

F6: Bridges between Identity, Agency and Eudaimonic Well-Being: Coping with Future Plans at the University Beginning

Luigia Simona Sica, Laura Aleni Sestito, Tiziana Di Palma, Giancarlo Ragozini

F7: Daily Routines, Boredom, Life Goals, and Life Satisfaction: Lived Realities of Emerging Adults in Urban India

Jigisha Gala, Shagufa Kapadia, Sumana Sri, Zoya Shamshi

F8: Parental Messages and Body Objectification among Latino Emerging Adults: Exploring the Role of Drive for Thinness

Efren Velazquez, Jennifer Barinas, Mayra Parada, Rosalie Corona

F9: Emotional Autonomy, Parent Involvement and Flourishing during Emerging Adulthood in Spain

Agueda Parra, Maria del Carmen Garcia, Inmaculada Sánchez-Queija, Marta Díez

F10: Ethnic Identity, Social Support, and Life Satisfaction in Immigrant and Non-Immigrant Canadian Emerging Adults

Julie Hakim-Larson, Rosanne Menna, Shawna Scott, Emily Kear, Emily Johnson, Cassandra Pasiak

F11: Crippling Prejudice: Emerging Adults' Views on Disability and Diversity

Virginia Mackintosh, Julia Gattuso, Daniel Lipscomb, Meliza Rubinos

F12: What Long-Term Mentoring Relationships Mean to Emerging Adults: An Interpretive Phenomenological Analysis

Kevin Jones

F13: High School Work Experience and Financial Education: Contributions to Emerging Adults' Financial Self-Efficacy

Heather Thompke, Shelby Herpst, Diane Belcher, Mihaela Friedlmeier

F14: Relationship Status Predicts Associations between Attachment Dimensions and Empathy among Emerging Adults

Tashina Khabbaz, Kevin Kelley

F15: Self-Forgiveness among Emerging Adults: Potential Affective and Motivational Antecedents

Fiorella Carlos, Gregory Seibert, Ross May, Elena Daugherty, Victoria Rosas, Frank Fincham

F16: Social Competence as a Predictor of Internalizing Symptoms in Early Adulthood

Mary Saczawa, Julia Graber

F17: Helicopter Parenting and Self-Efficacy: Moderating Role of Perceived Social Status

Erika Bagley, Dayna Kline, Dominic Mangino, Rebecca Levin

F18: What Motivates the Consumption of Popular Culture Media in Emerging Adulthood? An Examination of Arnett's (1995) Five Self-Socialization Uses of Media

Lance Garmon, Rebecca Glover, Elizabeth Vozzola

F19: College Student Suicide Screening: Interpersonal Theory of Suicide vs. Existing Measures

Geoffrey Ream

F20: Empathy is Bad for Your Health: Results from Four Studies

Carla Ledva, Mikayla Clark, Kevin Kelley

21: Five Dimensions of Emerging Adulthood: A Comparison between Students, Nonstudents, and College Graduates

Jennifer Zorotovich

F22: Investigation of Relationships between Emerging Adults' Death Anxiety and Demographic Factors

Michelle Hodges, Kari Lahar, Mallory Metzger, Brittany Burns, Travis J. Pashak

F23: Relationships Come in Many Forms: Sexual Concurrent Partnerships among Formally Incarcerated Young Black men

Scyatta Wallace, Kathryn Rhindress, Y. Marcia Glasgow, Kerri LoPuzzo, Robert Fullilove, Samantha Williams

F24: Profiles of Nonstudent Emerging Adults' Marijuana and Alcohol Use: Differences in Substance Use Expectancies

Ashley N. Linden-Carmichael, Cathy Lau-Barraco, Amy Stamates, Kacy Amory, Nicole Ricketts

F25: An Examination of Developmental Experiences among University and Non-University Emerging Adults

Chassidy Puchala, Patricia McDougall

F26: Predicting the Occurrence of Dating Violence in Initial Romantic Relationships

Elaine Murphy

F27: Intersectional Identities: Coping as a Moderator of the Association between Race/Gender Profiles and Depressive Symptoms among African American Women.

Daniel Birichi, Laura Kohn-Wood, Alvin Thomas, Tsoi Yi (Emily) Chung, Wizdom Powell

F28: An Investigation of Gender Differences in Parenting Style on Subjective Well-Being in Young Female and Male Adults

Maria P. Fracasso, Rebecca Rochowiak

F29: Lived Experiences Related to the Identity of Black African Adolescents and Emerging Adults

Natasha Arndt, Luzelle Naude

F30: Cultural Differences in Relationship with Peers and Parental Dependence in Emerging Adulthood

Madhavi Menon, Poonam Phogat

F31: The Prediction of Risky Electronic Communication and Cyberbullying Victimization Using the Protection Motivation Theory

Ashley Doane, Matthew Pearson, Michelle Kelley

F32: Depression in young Adults is Associated with both High and Low Co-rumination

Javier Barranco, Mariana Gutierrez, Alyssa Ames, Jamie Kennedy, Meghan Rose Donohue, Erin C. Tully

F33: The Effects of Goal Attainment/Failure on Emerging Adults' Mental Representations and Personal Goals

Guina Cohen, Golan Shahaar

F34: Context-Related Sense of Adulthood: Unveiling Peer and Adult Contexts and Developing a New Measure

Saule Raiziene, Rimantas Vosylis, Theo Klimstra

F35: Does Michelangelo Carry about Age?

Janina Buehler, Rebekka Weidmann, Alexander Grob

F36: Stigma and Divorce: A Relevant Lens for Emerging and Young Adult Women?

Samantha Karwin, Teyana Curran, Varda Konstam, Meaghan Lyons, Selda Celen-Demirtas

F37: Emerging Adults' Perceptions of Individuals with Disability in the Workplace

Julie Yonker, Danielle Polage, Josette Baar, Lanae Nesky

F38: Longitudinal Links between Maternal Warmth and Prosocial Behavior: The Moderating Role of Emerging Adult Physiology

Nathan Leonhardt, Laura Walker, Justin Dyer

F39: Why do Emerging Adult Women Tan? Appearance Reasons, Perception of Risks, and Comparative Optimism

Isabel Brun, Suzanne Prior

F40: The Time-varying Associations Among Sensation-seeking, Parental Monitoring and Heavy Drinking from Adolescence to Young Adulthood: When do they Matter?

Kara Thompson, Audra Roemer, Bonnie Leadbeater

F41: Calling, Career Adaptability and Adaptive Behaviors among Romanian Undergraduate Students

Daniela Dumulescu, Adrian Opre

F42: Cultural Influences on Latinos' Romantic Relationships during Emerging Adulthood

Lilia Juarez Kim, Jeffrey Arnett

F43: Perceived Parental Expectations and Hope in Predicting Psychological Outcomes in College Students with Siblings: Is there Evidence for an Interactive Model?

Shao Wei Chia, Daniel Keating

F44: Romantic Relationship Patterns from Adolescence to Emerging Adulthood: An Examination of their Features at Age 25

Stéphanie Boisvert, François Poulin

F45: Differences in Relational Competence by Relationship Type and Gender in Emerging Adulthood

Krystal K. Cashen, Harold D. Grotevant, Rachel H. Farr

F46: Parenting Style and Socio-Economic Background as Correlates of Personality Development of Emerging Adults in Nigeria

Blessing Fawole, Shuaib Mohammad, Emmanuel Sowunmi, Shakiru E. Afolabi

F47: Transitions in Drinking Partnerships among Adolescent and Emerging Adults

Jacquelyn Wiersma-Mosley, Benjamin Smith

F48: Constructing Adulthood: Markers of Adulthood and Well-Being in Emerging Adulthood

Tanya Sharon

F49: Shh...Just Listen: Identifying and Addressing the Needs of Emerging Adults in Community Mental Health

Michelle Kaczynski

F50: Relations between Social Support for Educational Decisions and Psychosocial Adjustment among Emerging Adult Undergraduate Students

Bethan Weeding, Chassidy Puchala, Carie Buchanan

F51: Parent-Student Data Collection: Does it Matter who Participates? Examining Perceptions of Social/Financial Support and of Family Environment

Karin Bartoszuk, James Deal

F52: The Role of Emerging Adults' Views toward their Time of Life on Romantic Relationship Quality and Duration

Carolyn Barry, Rachel Canella, Brian Willoughby, Larry J. Nelson

F53: Entrepreneurship in Emerging Adulthood: A Comparative Study between Portugal and the UK

Marina Mendonca, Clare Holdsworth

F54: The Chinese Version of the Inventory of Dimensions of Emerging Adulthood

Xiaozhou Zhang, Robert Klassen, Lia Daniels

F55: Chinese Sibling Influence: The Impact of Conflict and Warmth on Risky Behavior

Ryan Peterson, Adriatik Likcani, Jared Anderson

F56: Immigrant Origin Students Enacted Emotional Development as they Blogged Their Transition Experiences

Philip Kreniske, Katharine Labastille, Krystie Casallas

F57: Exploring Online and In-person Communication Strategies between Fathers and Children

Heather Hessel, Jodi Dworkin

F58: Continuity and Change in the Life Story from Emerging Adulthood to Young Adulthood

Sonia Sengsavang, Susan Alisat, Michael Pratt

F59: Enhancing Emerging Adults' Career Commitment through Work Experience

Lucia Kvitkovičová, Petr Macek

F60: Characteristics of Sibling Relationships during the Transition to Emerging Adulthood

Kaitlin Flannery, Christine Ohannessian, Laura Finan, Mellissa Gordon, Magdalena Owczarska

F61: Parental Attachment, Gender, and Dimensions of Emerging Adulthood

Elena Cucco, Judith Kaufman

F62: Concept Mapping of Psychosocial Issues Faced by Emerging Adults with Visual Impairment

Deeya Mitra, Viju P.D., Kishor Adhikari

F63: Anxiety and Social Anxiety in Emerging Adults Transitioning to College

Emily K Hellmann, Alyson Bright, Susanne Biehle

F64: Identity, Independence, and Information: Low-income Helicopter Parents and College Match

Kri Burkander

F65: Romantic Relationships and Well-being during Emerging Adulthood: Does Timing Matter?

Kathleen Hlavaty, Gregory S. Pettit, Jennifer E. Lansford, John E. Bates, Kenneth A. Dodge, Megan Haselschwerdt

F66: Young Adult Weight Loss Surgery Patients and Alcohol Use: A Content Analysis

Christine Spadola, Eric Wagner, Mark Padilla, Nestor De La Cruz-Munoz, Sarah Messiah

F67: School Burnout Predicts Academic Outcomes Independently of Interpersonal Rejection

Ross May, Gregory Seibert, Fiorella Carlos, Megan Sicard, Natalia Ortiz, Frank Fincham

F68: Emerging Adult Sexuality in the Context of Stayover Relationships

Tyler Jamison, Jonathon Beckmeyer

F69: Adjustment to University in the First-year: The role of Individual and Environmental Factors

Anne Bowker, Bernadette Campbell, Patrick Hill, Janet Mantler

F70: The Influence of Peers on Emerging Adults' Beliefs about Marriage

Brian Willoughby, Spencer James

F71: Parent-Child Relationships and Contribution in Emerging Adulthood: Mediating Role of Transformational Parenting

Goda Kaniušonytė, Rita Žukauskienė

F72: Romantic Relationship Involvement and Emerging Adults' Intrapersonal Well-being: The Importance of Romantic Interest

Jonathon Beckmeyer, Shannon Cromwell

F73: PTSD Symptom Clusters, Substance Use, and Depression in Disconnected Emerging Adults

Joshua Stieber, Kristen Courtney, Sloan Strike, Naama Saring, Andrea Bergman, Elissa Brown

F74: Ethnic Identity Development in Black African Adolescents and Emerging Adults

Jolandie Du Plessis, Luzelle Naude

F75: "From Conflict to Companionship": A National Study on Parents' Perception of their Emerging Adults Staying Home

Achu Johnson Alexander, Jeffrey Jensen Arnett

F76: Emerging Adulthood in the Netherlands

Jessica Hill, Arjan Blokland

F77: Never been Kissed: Correlates of Lifetime Kissing Status in Emerging Adulthood

Eva Lefkowitz, Rose Wesche, Chelom Leavitt

F78: The Impact of Cyber Dating Abuse on Self-esteem

Wendy Ellis, Kaitlin Hancock, Haley Keast

F79: “Hear me, See me”: Voices of Identity from Caregivers during Emerging Adulthood

Feylyn Lewis

F80: “Like a Virgin”: A Portrait of Virginité in Emerging Adulthood

Marie-Aude Boislard, Frederic Dussault

F81: An Examination of the Hookup Culture of Emerging Adults: Variations by Context

Molly McLeese, Marla Reese-Weber

F82: Parental Gender Stereotypes and Youth Gender-Identity Development Predict Early Adulthood STEM Career Status

Oksana Malanchuk, Stephen Peck, Jacquelynn Eccles

F83: Associations between Positive and Negative Affect and Emotion Regulation Strategies

Sarah Vogt, Alyssa Ames, Bianca Arnold, Meghan Donohue, Erin Tully

F84: Emotion Regulation Mediates the Relationship between School Burnout and Academic Underperformance

Gregory Seibert, Ross May, Fiorella Carlos, Rebecca Salisbury, Frank Fincham

F85: The Influence of Social Media on Dating Behavior among Undergraduate Students in Kenyan Public Universities

Newton Mukolwe, Jacinter Kwena, Josephine Arasa

F86: Do Emerging Adults who Tan Alter their Appearance in Other Ways? Links to Body Modification, Weight Loss Practices, and Cosmetic Procedures

Meghan Gillen, Charlotte Markey

F87: Balancing Autonomy and Connectedness in Family Relationships: Implications for Identity Synthesis among Latino and European-American College-going Emerging Adults

Kimberley Radmacher

F88: Longitudinal Effects of General Causality Orientations on Adaptive Goal Regulation Tendencies in Emerging Adulthood

Kathryn Mulvihill, Erin Barker

F89: Short Term Interventions to Promote Mental Health among Students in Post-Secondary Settings

Regina Winzer, Lene Lindberg, Karin Guldbrandsson

F90: Mental Health and Overall Well-being of Post-secondary Students Transitioning to the Labor Market: The Importance of Peer Support and Sense of Belonging

Maureen Drysdale, Margaret McBeath

F91: Exploring College Students' Use of Self-defeating Humor: The Mediating Effect of Maladaptive Humor in the Relationship between Attachment Insecurity and Depression

George Poncy III

F92: Emerging Adult Film: A New Genre for a New Conception of Youth

Andrea Regueira

F93: Brazilian Black Students Perceptions of Higher Education

Juliana Sara Domiciano, Rosa Espejo Trigo, Josafa Cunha

F94: Curiosity and Well-being during Emerging Adulthood

Thomas Reio, Joanne Sanders-Reio

F95: Health & Function of Preterm Infants at Emerging Adulthood

Suzy Winchester, Mary Sullivan

F96: How Young Adults Change the Images of their Parents

Kiyomi Oshima

F97: Incarceration and Emerging Adulthood: The Emotional Experience and Coping Efforts of Young Black Men in Jail/Prison

K. Sloan Strike, Brianna Cheney, Scyatta A. Wallace

F98: Technology Use and Substance Use

Christine Ohannessian, Kaitlin Flannery, Jessica Schulz

F99: Underrepresented Students and the Transition to College: A Culturally Informed Intervention of Social Capital and Social Support from Non-parental Adults

Stella S. Kanchewa, Sarah E.O. Schwartz, Jean E. Rhodes

100: The Long-Term Impact of Emerging Adults' College Experiences on Thinking about and Engagement in Citizenship

Christy M. Buchanan, Stephanie Gusler, Katy J. Harriger, Jill J. McMillan

F101: Barriers to Vaccination Uptake among Black College Women

Alexa Collazo, Nicolas Reyes, Dionne Stephens

F102: Sociocultural Variables Associated with Parental Rejection in Parents of LGB Youths

Brian Richter, Kristin Lindahl, Neena Malik

F103: Components of Effective Prevention Programs for Higher Education Students at Risk of Depressive and Anxiety Disorders

Jenna Shapiro, Alexandra Kirsch, Colleen Conley

Invited Master Lecture: Kate C. McLean

Narrative Identity in Emerging Adulthood

Friday, October 16, 2015, 1:45pm-3:15pm

Salon ABCDEF

This presentation will address the theoretical underpinnings of narrative identity, particularly as it is relevant to emerging adulthood, as well as contemporary issues and debates in the field. More specifically, attention will be paid to theoretical and methodological reasons for taking a narrative approach to studying identity development, such as the ubiquity of storytelling, and the capacity for narrative approaches to attend to both the processes and content of identity. The robust research on the relation between narrative identity and well-being will be discussed, including the importance of autobiographical reasoning and the emotional interpretation of past events. Attention will also be paid to the limitations of current research on narrative identity development in terms of considering the role of culture and society. A recent movement towards examining the intersection of personal experience and societal structure via an examination of personal, alternative, and master narratives will be addressed, with ample time for discussion of these topics.



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Session Block 8
Friday, October 16, 2015
1:45pm-3:15pm

Discussion Session: Crowdsourcing the Study of Emerging Adulthood
San Marco Island, 1:45-3:15pm

Moderator: Jon Grahe
Panelists: Tanya Sharon, Scott Hall, Rick Klein

Paper Session: Identity Issues 3
Star Island, 1:45-3:15pm

Chair: Anindita Das

The Effects of Bond to Father and Agentic Personality on Identity Formation and Invariance across Gender among Turkish "Forgotten-half"

Hasan Atak, Figen Çok

Reconciling Social Norms with Personal Interests: Indigenous Styles of Identity Formation among Pakistani Youth

Bushra Hassan, Vivian L. Vignoles, Seth J. Schwartz

Navigating the Black American Experience as 2nd Generation African/Afro-Caribbean Immigrants

Tiffany Francois, John Hart, BreAnna Davis, Jenni Young, Mia Smith-Bynum

The Transition Features of Emerging Adulthood and Burnout among Chinese Young People: The Moderating Role of Ego Identity

Xiaozhou Zhang, Erin Buhr, Robert Klassen, Lia Daniels

Opposition, Negotiation, and Dominance in the Identity Transformation of Second-generation Asian Indian College Students

Anindita Das

Paper Session: Negative Interpersonal Relationships
Fisher Island, 1:45-3:15pm

Chair: Monica Longmore

Dating Aggression and Sleep Problems in Emerging Adulthood

Ryan Kelly, Erika Bagley, Britt Galbraith

HIV Testing among Heterosexual Emerging Adults: The Influence of Intimate Partner Violence Victimization, Sexual Coercion, Sexual Manipulation, and Condom Resistance

Monica Longmore, Mallory Minter, Jennifer Copp, Wendy Manning, Peggy Giordano

"He Seemed Like such a Nice Guy": Emerging Adults' Understandings of Intimate Partner Violence

Lynn Corcoran

Predictors of Obsessive-Compulsive Behaviors in Young Adult Romantic Relationships

Mary Saczawa, Julia Graber, Kristen Benito, Eric Storch

Paper Session: Family and Romantic Relationships

Lummus Island, 1:45-3:15pm

Chair: Kayla Reed

Emerging Adult Parents' Coordination of Work and Family Commitments

Johanna Carlsson, Maria Wängqvist, Maria Hermansson, Ann Frisé

Exploring How Parental Divorce Provides Meaning to Personal Development and Interpersonal Experiences among Emerging Adult Women

Kayla Reed, Mallory Lucier-Greer, Trent Parker, Marsha Rehm

Rewriting Behavioral Patterns and Scripts to Incorporate Another into our Lives: Renovating Partner Interdependence in the Relational Turbulence Model

Leah LeFebvre

"I Never Would Have Known What Respect Feels Like": Using Counterfactual Trees to Explore Emerging Adults' Romantic Relationships

Tabitha Holmes, Kelly Colby, Sphoorti Pandit, Lauren Studer, Kelsi Baker

Paper Session: Emerging Adults In and Out of Foster Care

Biscayne Island, 1:45-3:15pm

Chair: Amy Salazar

Adolescent Girls Out of Care: Looking Beyond the Obvious Decrease in Antisocial Behaviors

Nadine Lanctot

Let me Picture you my Life: Using Photovoice to Elicit Identity Narratives of Foster Care Youth

Julie Marcotte, Georgia Vrakas, Arlene Laliberté, Aude Villatte

Key Leader Perspectives on Postsecondary Interventions for Young People Transitioning from Foster Care to Adulthood

Amy Salazar, Stephanie Roe, Kevin Haggerty, Jessica Ullrich, Sidney Richardson

What Works for Youth Aging Out of Foster Care

Sarah Hurley, Kristin Landers

Experiences of Emerging Adults in Supportive Housing Programs: A Qualitative Study Of Service Needs

Andrea Bergman, Kristen Courtney, Joshua Stieber, Sloan, K. Strike, Ana Stefancic

Paper Session: Predictors of Emerging Adult Adjustment
Dodge Island, 1:45-3:15pm

Chair: Patricia Snell Herzog

Life is What Happened When I Was Making Other Plans: Emerging Adults Establishing Life Trajectories
Patricia Snell Herzog

Preterm Infant Survivors at Emerging Adulthood: Evidence of Developmental Origins Theory?
Mary Sullivan, Suzy Winchester

Socio-Demographic Characteristics and Mental Health Of Emerging Adults Who Neither Study Nor Work
Raúl Gutiérrez, Corina Benjet, Enrique Mendez

A First Step to Empower Resilience in Young Adults: Studying Risk Factors and Protective Factors for Depressive Symptomatology in a Portuguese Young Adults Community Sample
Monica Sousa Mendes, Teresa Fagulha

What Influences the Cross-Cultural Adjustment of the Portuguese Emerging Adult Immigrants in the United Kingdom?
Diana Farcas, Marta Gonçalves

Paper Session: Marriage and Parenthood
Sunset Island, 1:45-3:15pm

Chair: Brian Willoughby

Identity Formation as a Marker of Marital Readiness for Emerging Adults
Dallin Belt, Spencer James, Brian Willoughby

Narratives of Parenthood in Emerging Adulthood
Michaela D.E. Meyer, Camden Childress, Emily McKnew

Becoming a Mother: Sooner or Later?
Madeleine Kerrick, Avril Thorne

Linking Partner-Parenthood Transitional Pathways with Aspects of Emerging Adulthood in a Sample of Lithuanian Emerging Adults
Rimantas Vosylis, Saule Raiziene

Marital Orientation and Relationship Well-being among Emerging Adult Cohabiting Couples
Brian Willoughby, Dallin Belt

Invited Master Lecture: Margherita Lanz

The Pivotal Role of Family Relationships in Emerging Adulthood: Variance and Invariance among Countries

Friday, October 16, 2015, 3:30-5:00pm

Salon ABCDEF

Several pathways to adulthood can be defined in different countries, according to their diverse institutions, cultures and economies. This variability has endowed the family of origin with more influence during emerging adulthood in which, in past decades, it tended to play only a minor role. The family has always supported its offspring, but the necessity of supporting their younger members in the long transition to adulthood is a new phenomenon, which is now being seen with increasing frequency in all advanced industrialized countries. Nowadays the importance of the quality of family relationships for a successful transition to adulthood is commonly seen in different cultural contexts. Moreover, recent years have seen the phenomenon of adult children still living with their parents spread across Europe and the US. Research on family relationships during emerging adulthood will be discussed to highlight how parents and children renegotiate their relationships to find a new relationship's balance taking into account cross cultural differences. Furthermore, specific attention will be dedicated to the research that have translated the relational complexities of the family to empirical research projects without oversimplifying and losing the relational specificity of the family to give some examples on how to manage the complexities of the families.



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Session Block 9
Friday, October 16, 2015
3:30-5:00pm

**Discussion Session: Social Support among Older Youth Aging out of Foster Care
San Marco Island, 3:30-5:00pm**

Moderator: Allison Thompson
Panelists: Johanna Greeson, Varda Mann-Feder

**Symposium: The Power of Personality in Young Adulthood: Predicting Objective Adjustment in
Multiple Life Domains
Fisher Island, 3:30-5:00pm**

Chair: Theo Klimstra
Discussant: Koen Luyckx

Personality Development from Age 12 To 25 and Its Links with Life Transitions

Marloes van Dijk, William W. Hale III, Quinten A. W. Raaijmakers, Skyler T. Hawk, Wim Meeus, Susan Branje

Personality Traits and Academic Behavior in College Students: The Added Value of Personality Facets
Theo Klimstra

Parental Support and Adaptation among Emerging Adults: The Mediating Role of Self Criticism
Daniel Dickson

**Symposium: Promoting Positive Youth Development during Emerging Adulthood through Promotive
Factors Identified in Brazilian Investigations: Connectedness to People, Friendship, Social Skills, and
Personal Goals
Biscayne Island, 3:30-5:00pm**

Chair: Luciana Dutra-Thomé

*Healthy Development and Promotive and Risk Factors among Brazilians in Transition to Adulthood: An
Integrative Approach*

Luciana Dutra-Thomé, Diogo DeSousa, Silvia Koller

*What Do You Really Want? The Positive and Darker Side of Different Types of Goals during Emerging
Adulthood*

Susana Núñez, Silvia Koller

*That is What Friends are For: Friendship Quality Associations to Better Self-Image and Lower Anxiety
Levels*

Diogo DeSousa, Anderson Siqueira Pereira, Silvia Koller

The Role of Social Skills as a Protective Factor in Brazilian Emerging Adults

Anderson Siqueira Pereira, Luciana Dutra-Thomé, Silvia Koller

Symposium: Casual Sex and Infidelity in Emerging Adulthood: Motivations and Reactions
Lummus Island, 3:30-5:00pm

Chair: Jerika Norona

Discussant: Eva Lefkowitz

Sexual Infidelity in Emerging Adulthood: A Developmental Perspective

Jerika Norona, Deborah Welsh

Do Partner Type and Intimacy Motives Uniquely Predict Reactions to Casual Sexual Relationships and Experiences?

Rose Wesche, Manfred van Dulmen, Shannon Claxton, Eva Lefkowitz

Daily Changes in Affect Following Casual Sexual Relationships and Experiences

Haylee DeLuca, Shannon Claxton, Manfred van Dulmen

Symposium: Social Trust, Social Ties, and Well-being in Emerging Adulthood
Star Island, 3:30-5:00pm

Chair: Monique Landberg

Discussant: Katariina Salmela-Aro

Investigating the Dynamic Relationship Between Social Trust and Integration Among US Young Adults during the Great Recession

Jack Day

The More, the Merrier? The Relationship between Social Trust and Number of Close Friends over the Great Recession Years in Germany

Claudia Recksiedler, Monique Landberg

Close Relationships and Happiness among Emerging Adults

Melikşah Demir, Rielly Boyd, Chris Cade, Erin Hanks, Andrew Haynes, Isabella Vento

Symposium: Addictive Behaviors in Emerging Adulthood
Dodge Island, 3:30-5:00pm

Chair: Judy Andrews

Discussant: Seth Schwartz

Life Stress and Substance Use in Emerging Adulthood: Findings and Implications from the Oregon Youth Substance Use Project

Erika Westling

Self-control and Sexual Behavior among Emerging Adults

Frank Fincham

Prevalence and Co-occurrence of 11 Addictive Behaviors in At-risk Emerging Adults

Steven Sussman

Symposium: Emerging Adults' Experience with Sexual Media: What are They Viewing, How do They See it, and What are the Effects?

Sunset Island, 3:30-5:00pm

Chair: Tameka Gillum

Discussant: Tameka Gillum

Objectification and Stereotypes among African American Women in Reality Television

Asia Eaton, Dionne Stephens, Adri Medina

"She Spent Time Crying, but Didn't Communicate She Wanted Him to Stop ...": Young Women's Perceptions of the Fifty Shades' Relationship

Amy Bonomi, Emily Nichols, Christin Carotta, Yuya Kiuchi, Samantha Perry

Sexting in Emerging Adulthood: Double Standards for Men and Women

Dionne Stephens

Special Event: Debate

Interrogating Emerging Adulthood: Jeffrey Arnett in the Hot Seat

Friday, October 16, 5:15-6:45pm

Salon ABCDEF

In this session three SSEA emerging scholars turn the tables and pose the questions to Jeffrey Arnett, challenging his theory of emerging adulthood! "Big picture" questions about the nature and future of emerging adulthood will be addressed, as well as more specific ones regarding the application of the theory of emerging adulthood to diverse populations around the globe. It is sure to be a lively event!



The Target:
Jeffrey Arnett
Clark University, USA



The Moderator:
Moin Syed
University of Minnesota, USA

The Examiners:



Dalal Katsiaficas
University of Illinois, Chicago
USA



Monique Landberg
University of Jena,
Germany



Maria Wängqvist
University of Gothenburg
Sweden

Emerging Scholars “After Work” Reception

Friday, October 16, 2015, 7:00-8:30pm

Salon GH

Come unwind after the conference and network with fellow emerging scholars. Complimentary hors d’oeuvres will be served and a cash bar will be available.

All are welcome to attend this free event and advanced registration is not required.

Thanks for being part of SSEA 2015

We will soon send out a post-conference survey to all attendees. We really want to hear from you about what we are doing well and where we can stand to improve.

See you in 2017!!

