BEYOND THE BREAKTHROUGH

National Sexual Assault Conference

August 21 - 23, 2019
Philadelphia, PA
The 2019 National Sexual Assault Conference theme, Beyond the Breakthrough, acknowledges the monumental shift in the public awareness of the need to prevent and respond to sexual harassment, abuse, and assault. The conference will focus on how we can continue to build on this momentum to open doors to real and lasting change.
We wish to acknowledge the Lenape Tribe, the traditional custodians of our meeting place, Philadelphia. Just as we work to promote respect, safety, and sovereignty for each and every body, we respect the sovereignty of the Lenape, and of the land they cared for. We cannot separate the violence against the communities who settled here long before the colonization of Philadelphia, and against the land itself, from the sexual violence we fight against every day. PCAR also acknowledges the white supremacy, exclusion, and oppression on which it was founded, and we are committed to dismantling oppression in all of its forms, including the ongoing legacy of settler colonialism.

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A LETTER FROM KAREN BAKER,  
CEO of the Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape

Dear friends and colleagues:  
I’m honored to welcome you to the 2019 National Sexual Assault Conference on behalf of the Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape, the National Sexual Violence Resource Center, and the California Coalition Against Sexual Assault.  
This is an exciting time to be here together in historic Philadelphia. We are in the midst of a new and changing era. The #MeToo movement is opening eyes to the serious and widespread problems of sexual harassment, abuse, and assault and acknowledging the leadership of women of color in this work. The attention has unlocked doors to new partnerships, allies, and opportunities to help prevent sexual violence and to respond more effectively when abuses occur. We are seeing change in laws and policies across the country and a new interest in strengthening organizations to prevent sexual harassment and abuse from happening in the first place. And yes, we’ve also seen the backlash from those who feel threatened by the thousands of survivors who have broken their silence to shine a light on the pervasive — but preventable — issues of sexual harassment, abuse, and assault. We should not be surprised. Nearly every social justice movement that swells to a size big enough to effect cultural change faces a similar headwind. What we do next to carry forward the momentum will be critical. Fittingly, our conference theme is “Beyond the Breakthrough.” And that’s why we are here — more than 1,500 strong — to continue moving forward in both our own personal education and our ability to collectively move our communities closer to the elimination of sexual harassment, abuse, and assault. I’m excited and inspired by the many educational opportunities that are available to challenge us and help us grow during the next few days. A diverse group of presenters will enlighten us on a range of topics, including community organizing, prevention, and trauma-informed services. The conference is also an opportunity to strengthen friendships and meet new colleagues attending the conference. Their knowledge, expertise, and experiences are uniquely valuable to the journey we are on here together. We’re honored to be joined at the conference by powerful keynote speakers who will share their experiences and help us see different perspectives in the work we do each day. Thank you to our plenary speakers, Tony West, Tina Tchen, Joe Shapiro, Debra Robinson, Carolyn Morgan, and dream hampton; all of our presenters; and each and every one of you attending this week for sharing your knowledge with us. I hope that you enjoy your time and this conference here in historic Philadelphia and that you will share your experiences with us in the evaluation forms. In partnership, we can push Beyond the Breakthrough to end sexual harassment, abuse, and assault and create a world filled with social justice, respect, and grace. Sincerely, Karen Baker Chief Executive Officer Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape National Sexual Violence Resource Center

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CREATING AN INCLUSIVE & RESPECTFUL CONFERENCE EXPERIENCE

The following information was adapted with permission from the great minds at Race Forward: The Center for Racial Justice Innovation. Race Forward hosts Facing Race, the largest multiracial, intergenerational conference on racial equity. Thank you for your support as we work to create as welcoming an experience as possible for everyone at the National Sexual Assault Conference.

Restrooms
One of PCAR’s core values is to “foster an environment that promotes and supports the valuing of all people.” At our conferences, we offer all-gender restrooms and wheelchair accessible restrooms. Here is where you can find restrooms:

Floor 3: gender-specific restrooms, both have wheelchair accessible stalls
Floor 4: all-gender restrooms, all have wheelchair accessible stalls
Floor 5: all-gender restrooms and gender-specific restrooms, all have wheelchair accessible stalls.

All restrooms are clearly marked and have wheelchair accessible stalls. Please use the restroom you feel most comfortable using and do not “police” or comment on which restroom others use.

Accessibility
We strive to make NSAC accessible for all attendees. Please keep in mind that some disabilities are less visible. Do not pet, offer food to, or interact with service dogs. These dogs are supporting independence and autonomy. They are working and thus it is important not to distract them. Move chairs to make room for people using wheelchairs, wherever they wish to sit. Keep the aisles clear to ensure people can move around freely. When navigating public spaces, including but not limited to elevators, leave plenty of room for people to pass and enter safely.

Our Commitment to Language Access
We are committed to creating a conference space where every voice can be heard and learning can be enriched by dialogue across languages and cultures. Language interpretation is available throughout the conference based on needs identified during registration.

In consideration of those for whom spoken English is not their first language, speak at a moderate volume and pace. When engaging with someone using an interpreter, address the person you are speaking with and not the interpreter. We ask that you support access for all participants by making sure that only one person speaks at one time and that all attendees have equal opportunity to ask questions during workshop sessions.

Fragrance-Free/Chemical Sensitivities
In consideration of those with chronic illnesses and/or multiple chemical sensitivities, think about all of the products you use daily. Please be mindful and limit the use of scented products such as shampoo, soap, hair products, perfume, essential oils, skin lotion, shaving cream, makeup, etc. or use fragrance-free alternatives.

Nursing and Pumping
We are committed to supporting parents as they nourish the next generation of activists during NSAC. Parents who need a private place to use their breast pump or feed their baby can use the lactation rooms located on the 3rd and 4th floors. Stop by the information table on the 5th floor for access to the lactation rooms.

We’re proud to host such a vibrantly diverse community at the National Sexual Assault Conference, and we’re fully committed to creating an inclusive and respectful space. We ask each attendee to help make this aspiration a reality. Here are some helpful tips:

Be mindful of our wonderful diversity: Speak at a slower pace to help reduce language barriers. Accommodate people with different physical abilities. Let people decide for themselves which bathroom they belong in. Be aware of your privilege and share the verbal space. Listen well and be open-minded: We come to this gathering at different points in our journeys — same as first-timers, others as seasoned social justice veterans.

Be willing to learn — and to teach — with compassion, humility, and patience. When someone makes a mistake, strive to be forthright, forgiving, and open rather than defensive.

Engage rather than avoid: Our commonalities and our differences are an asset. Rather than avoid difficult conversations, engage in them. Remember the power of using “I” statements and sharing stories from your own life experience.

Always allow people to self-identify: If you’re unsure how someone wants to be identified, simply ask them rather than make assumptions based on appearance. You can ask, “How do you identify?” or “What gender pronoun/racial identity do you prefer?” “People of color” or “queer” can be positive unifying terms, but people may still prefer their specific and chosen identities to be named. No term works for everyone, and language and meaning are continually changing.

Here are a few of the linguistic habits we’re encouraging to give you a sense of how to navigate some specific situations:

We use the term people of color. Wenever use the word “minority.” People of color is a politicized term of self-identification. It has a long, rich history of building solidarity in our communities, and we value its ability to speak to our experiences.

We use both Black and African American, and we use Indigenous as well as both American Indian and Native American. We also use Latinx rather than Hispanic, and note that South Asians (from India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, and Sri Lanka) are often confused with South East Asians (from Cambodia, Vietnam, Laos, and Thailand).

We use LGBT for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender, and sometimes we also use queer. The word transgender does not have ‘ed’ at the end.

We don’t use the i-word. The word “illegal” dehumanizes immigrants by turning their immigration status into a permanent status, even though the word itself is flawed in terms of accuracy. For more information, visit Race Forward’s Drop the I-Word campaign site at www.droptheiword.com.
CODE OF CONDUCT

We are committed to creating a safe place where everyone feels welcome, respected, and valued. We know that people have different boundaries, different levels of comfort, different senses of humor, etc. We also realize that there are many survivors of sexual harassment, misconduct, and abuse in every group. In an effort to ensure a safe environment for all participants, please pay special attention to your words and actions and follow these rules at all event venues and event-related social activities.

Unacceptable behaviors may or may not include:

- Foul or obscene language or gestures, including slurs or jokes;
- Derogatory written or electronic statements, pictures, or drawings; inappropriate use of nudity and/or sexual images in public spaces (including presentation slides);
- Sustained disruption of sessions, talks, or other events;
- Unwanted leering or staring;
- Violating personal space by impeding or blocking another person’s movement or otherwise physically interfering with them;
- Deliberate intimidation, stalking, or following;
- Harassing photography or recording;
- Unwanted or inappropriate touching;
- Unwanted sexual attention;
- Physical and/or sexual assault;
- Advocating for, or encouraging, any of the above behavior.

Prejudicial actions or comments related to gender, gender identity and expression, sexual orientation, differing physical or mental abilities, physical appearance, socioeconomic status, body size, race, ethnicity, nationality, age, or religion.

Exhibitors in the expo hall and sponsors are also subject to this policy. In particular, exhibitors should not use sexualized images, activities, or other material. Booth staff including volunteers should not use sexualized clothing/uniforms/costumes, or otherwise create a sexualized environment.

If you witness or experience unacceptable behavior:

If you witness potential harm to a conference participant, be proactive in helping to mitigate or avoid that harm. Remind peers of these guidelines, and take responsibility for interrupting potentially problematic situations, e.g. asking people if they are ok or need help. This is usually easier (and safer) if you don’t act alone — e.g. “Let’s say something to them so they stop.”

If you are subjected to unacceptable behavior, notice that someone else is being subjected to unacceptable behavior, or have any other concerns, please notify a conference staff person as soon as possible. You may request that your report remain completely confidential.

Remember:

- ‘No’ means no.
- ‘Stop’ means stop.
- ‘Go away’ means go away.
- Silence does not mean consent.

If a participant engages in unacceptable behavior, event organizers retain the right to take any actions including warning the offender or expulsion from the conference with no refund.

Consequences of Code of Conduct Violation:

In the case of non-compliance, an offender will be removed with no refund.
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David Fowers
2019 Gail Burns-Smith Award Winner

The National Sexual Violence Resource Center (NSVRC) and the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) are pleased to honor David Fowers with the 2019 Gail Burns Smith Award. David is a licensed clinical social worker whose work to make communities safer focuses both on treating people who sexually offend and helping survivors heal.

Early in his career, David was assigned treatment of his first juvenile who had sexually offended and found that there were no guidelines or resources available to assist him. Once David identified the need for education and training, he worked diligently to fill it by developing standards for treating juveniles who offend sexually, both in Utah and nationally.

In the following decades, David helped create the Network on Juveniles Offending Sexually and was instrumental in developing an assessment tool for offenders who are juveniles. He also helped organize a first-of-its-kind statewide training conference for sexual assault treatment providers in order to ensure that those providing services for victims and offenders can work and train together.

David continues to share his expertise with the sexual violence prevention field by volunteering extensively. He provides training for Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners in Utah and participates as a board member for various organizations.

David’s colleagues have described him as “a pioneer,” “a tremendous leader,” and the “ultimate champion” for creating systems that both help survivors heal and protect communities. Those who know David know that he has never sought any recognition for his accomplishments, which have made a difference on many levels.

While it’s impossible to fully measure the incredible impact of David’s work in the state of Utah and on a national scale, it is clear that his efforts have dramatically improved the lives and safety of countless individuals. His focus on those who offend and on survivors exemplifies the spirit of the Gail Burns-Smith Award, and ATSA and NSVRC are proud to have the honor of awarding him with this recognition.
PLENARY SPEAKERS

Wednesday – Building Corporate Courage

This plenary will identify strategies for building corporate courage as well as examples of lessons learned from working directly with nonprofit organizations to address public accountability, increase transparency, and lean into organizational values. Insights will be offered on how nonprofits can be better prepared to work with private sector businesses.

**Monika Johnson Hostler** is a founding Managing Partner of RALIANCE. She has served as the Executive Director of the North Carolina Coalition Against Sexual Assault (NCCASA) since 2003. In addition to working on behalf of 90 rape crisis centers in North Carolina, Monika is a pivotal asset to the national sexual assault movement. She serves as the president of the National Alliance to End Sexual Violence (NAESV). She received her master’s degree in public administration from NC Central University. Her leadership in the anti-sexual violence movement and the public education field are examples of her commitment to social justice and equality.

**Tony West** is Senior Vice President, Chief Legal Officer, and Corporate Secretary at Uber, where he leads a global team of more than 600 in the company’s Legal, Compliance and Ethics, and Security functions. Previously, Tony was Corporate Secretary and Executive Vice President of Public Policy and Government Affairs of PepsiCo and twice confirmed by the Senate to serve as a senior official in the Obama administration. From 2012 to 2014, Tony was the Associate Attorney General of the United States, the US Department of Justice’s third ranking official. From 2009 to 2012, Tony was the Assistant Attorney General of the Civil Division, the largest litigating division of the Justice Department.

**Tina Tchen** is the former Chief of Staff to Michelle Obama and former Executive Director of the White House Council on Women and Girls who co-founded the “Time’s Up” Legal Defense Fund. During her eight years at the White House, Tina served as chief of staff to First Lady Michelle Obama, assistant to President Barack Obama, and executive director of the White House Council on Women and Girls, leading the first-ever White House Summit on Working Families and the first-ever United State of Women Summit. A high-powered lawyer, Tina’s career accomplishments have established her as a powerful advocate for gender equality. Tina is actively involved with the Time’s Up initiative, where 300 prominent women in the entertainment world have banded together to create a legal defense fund which aims to support women dealing with sexual harassment across all industries. Ms. Tchen co-founded the Time’s Up Legal Defense Fund, which is administered by the National Women’s Law Center, and has raised over $22 million to connect victims of workplace sexual harassment and sexual assault. She co-founded the Women’s Legal Defense Fund, which represents women across the country who are victims of workplace sexual harassment and sexual assault.

**Debra Robinson** is a communications strategist, subject-matter expert, and speaker focused on workplace sexual harassment, sexual assault, rising workplace violence, and workplace pay equity. She is the Executive Director of Speaking for Ourselves (SFO, Inc.) a national 501c3 non-profit dedicated to the education, awareness, and support of people with disabilities. Debra was the first person with a disability to receive the Victim Service Award in 2010 by Attorney General Eric Holder in Washington, D.C., for being an outspoken advocate for people with disabilities, particularly those who have been victimized of crime. Carolyn has worked with individuals and groups on both the local and state level to build awareness, educate, and foster collaborations with first responders. Debra was appointed to the National Council of Disabilities and Self Advocates Becoming Empowered (SABE) and has represented the disability community at the United Nations and the World Health Organization. Debra has been a speaker at numerous State and National Conventions and she has been a guest speaker on Federal and State Television. Debra has been an active member of community organizations and she has worked to build awareness and foster collaborations with first responders. Debra is the author of “NO PITY: People with Disabilities – At the Interface of Disability, Race, Class, Gender, and Poverty” which tells the story of her life and her struggle for equality. Debra’s book has been translated into a number of languages and has been the basis for the film “Debra Robinson: An American Story.”

**Carolyn Morgan** is the mother of a 50-year-old son named Calvin, who loves to work with people with disabilities. Debra served as the Executive Director of Speaking for Ourselves (SFO) to become a nationally recognized organization. Before joining SFO, Debra was active in the disability movement in New York. She was also present at the signing of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) in 1990. She was appointed to the National Council of Disabilities by President Clinton in 1995 and has served with the American Association of People with Disabilities, Self Advocates Becoming Empowered (SABE), and has represented the disability community and SFO on many other committees and organizations. Representing the disability community, Debra works tirelessly to advocate for others and to help others advocate for themselves. She resides in Philadelphia.

**Joseph Shapiro** is a correspondent on NPR’s Investigations Unit. His 2018 series, “Abused and Betrayed,” exposed the epidemic of sexual assault of people with intellectual disabilities. He was the correspondent for NPR’s 2010 series “Seeking Justice For Campus Rapes”: Those stories — a collaboration with the Center for Public Integrity and reporter Kristen Lombardi — helped spur the Obama Administration’s 2011 “Dear Colleague” letter to schools and Congress to pass the Campus SaVe Act in 2012. Other investigations exposed how很高 the courts fines and fees charged to impoverished defendants led to the rise of “modern day debtors’ prisons,” how女人在监狱中得确切是多少，这些人对刑事判决中的违法行为和受害者有比德自己或家人支持，法律和治疗者的风险。Thursday – Building Community Courage

Two Philadelphia disability rights activists and an NPR investigative reporter will talk about why women with intellectual disabilities face some of the highest rates of sexual assault of any group in the country. Debra Robinson and Carolyn Morgan will address what makes women with intellectual disabilities, like themselves, vulnerable. They will share insights about their personal histories of assault. The conversation will be moderated by NPR Investigative Correspondent Joe Shapiro. He will play one of the stories in his prize-winning series “Abused and Betrayed.” In that audio, self-advocates — including Robinson and Morgan — explain why people with disabilities are at heightened risk. The session will help attendees understand a population that often gets ignored, what makes them more vulnerable, why they often don’t get the support of families, law enforcement, and therapists, and what professionals can do.

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**Friday – Beyond the Breakthrough with dream hampton**

Surviving R. Kelly producer dream hampton will discuss storytelling, (re)framing narrative, and giving voice to the feelings and experiences of black women and girls — and what is needed next to end sexual assault and violence.

**dream hampton** is an award-winning filmmaker and writer from Detroit. Her most recent works include the Frameline feature documentary Treasure (2015), the HBO feature documentary It’s A Hard Truth Ain’t It (2019), the BET docuseries Finding Justice (2019), and Lifetime’s Surviving R. Kelly (2019), which broke ratings records and had wide and far-reaching impact. hampton is the 2019 recipient of Ms. Foundation’s “Gloria” award and was named one of 2019 TIME’s 100 most influential people in the world.
SELF-CARE & WELLNESS

Safe Room
The content of a conference workshop could trigger unexpected or overwhelming emotional responses for participants. If you want to talk with someone, there are volunteers available to meet with you privately and confidentially. The volunteers are trained sexual assault crisis workers and are available on-site throughout the day. Please see a PCAR/NSVRC staff person (those wearing green badges) to assist you. The safe room will be located in Meeting Room 410 on the fourth floor.

Wellness Room
Our wellness room will offer a place for quiet thought, meditation, reflection, spiritual practices, and a place to unwind from conference events. Resources and materials for self-care, simple art projects, and tactile materials will also be available in the space. The wellness room will be located in meeting room 403 on the fourth floor.

Medical Emergencies
Please travel with medical and health insurance identification at all times. In the event of an emergency, dial 911. For additional help, notify the registration desk or the front desk.

Local Hospitals
- Thomas Jefferson University Hospital
  111 S 11th St, Philadelphia, PA 19107
  hospitals.jefferson.edu
  (215) 955-6000
- Pennsylvania Hospital
  800 Spruce Street
  Philadelphia, PA 19107
  https://www.pennmedicine.org
  (215) 829-3000

Emergency Information
- Philadelphia Police Department 6th District
  235 N 11th St, Philadelphia, PA 19107
  phillypolice.com
  (215) 686-3060
- Philadelphia Fire & EMS
  240 Spring Garden St.
  Philadelphia, PA 19123
  https://www.phila.gov
  (215) 686-1300

Local Help & Hotlines
- WOAR - Philadelphia Center Against Sexual Violence
  1617 John F Kennedy Blvd Suite #800
  Philadelphia, PA 19103
  woar.org
  Phone: (215) 985-3315
  Hotline: (215) 985-3333

“I HAVE COME TO BELIEVE THAT CARING FOR MYSELF IS NOT SELF INDULGENT. CARING FOR MYSELF IS AN ACT OF SURVIVAL.”

- AUDRE LORDE
LEADERSHIP ROUNDTABLES

Sponsored by the Office on Violence Against Women, Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice

The purpose of the Leadership Roundtables is to provide an opportunity for affinity groups to focus on leadership priorities necessary to end sexual violence in their respective communities. Through open, honest, and challenging conversations, participants will determine strategies and outcomes for positive change, facilitated by persons who self-identify with the respective affinity group.

The 2019 NSAC Leadership Roundtables will focus on:

• Developing culturally specific leadership strategies as a means toward advancing leadership roles within the movement.
• Developing skills necessary for building solidarity within and across affinity groups.
• Reaffirm commitments to actions aimed at reducing and responding to sexual violence. Leadership Roundtables, an NSAC tradition since 2010, provide conference attendees the space and time to address issues of sexual violence in culturally specific ways. Attendees will connect with one another in self-identified affinity groups to learn from each other’s professional successes and reduce workplace isolation. Because these are self-identified affinity groups, expectations for the Leadership Roundtables are that participants respect the intent and purpose of this space. Finally, the Roundtables seek to promote personal and professional leadership among attendees to boldly address sexual violence innovations within their respective communities and develop solidarity across different communities.

We recognize that within the affinity community, people bring many identities, experiences, and histories. Rather than having to choose a single identity, the NSAC leadership roundtable sessions provide an access point to begin a dialogue that is enriched by our many facets of identity.

Workshop Session: Asian and Pacific Islander Communities

Thursday, August 22, 10:45 AM - 12:15 PM Facilitators: Patima Kolamiti, Thi Synavone

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Workshop Session: Pan African Communities

Wednesday, August 21, 1:00 PM - 2:30 PM Facilitators: Nnenna Minimah, Leah Aldridge

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Workshop Session: Latinx Communities

Thursday, August 22, 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM Facilitators: Alva Moreno, Agueda Morgan

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Workshop Session: LGBT+/Queer Communities

Wednesday, August 21, 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM Facilitators: Diana Mancera, Bamby Salcedo

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Workshop Session: Native American/First Nation Communities

Wednesday, August 21, 2:45 PM - 4:15 PM Facilitators: Strong Oak Lefebvre, Keely Linton

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Workshop Session: Immigrants & Refugees

Friday, August 23, 9:15 AM - 10:45 AM Facilitators: Manna Teclamarian, Bamby Salcedo

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Workshop Session: Persons with Disabilities Communities

Thursday, August 22, 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM Facilitators: Ana Price, Vanessa Sapien

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Workshop Session: Seniors

Friday, August 23, 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM Facilitators: Alva Moreno, Imelda Talamanes

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Workshop Session: Women, Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice

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Workshop Session: Persons with Disabilities Communities

Thursday, August 22, 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM Facilitators: Ana Price, Vanessa Sapien

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2019 EXHIBITS

About the Exhibits
Exhibit booths are located in Franklin Hall A. Please stop by the exhibits between workshops and during lunch and breaks to visit exhibitors who are excited to share information and resources on preventing and responding to sexual violence.

Exhibitor Drawing
Exhibitors have donated prizes that will be displayed in the exhibit hall. Each participant will be given raffle tickets that they can use to enter to win one of the prizes. Winners will be drawn after 5:30 PM Thursday, August 22, 2019. Winners will be announced on the conference website with instructions on how to claim their prize. Winners must be present on Friday, August 23, 2019 and show their matching ticket to claim their prize.

Exhibit Booths
1. Afaxys
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18. National Resource Center on Domestic Violence
19. National Sexual Violence Resource Center
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23. PCAR/NSVRC Store
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26. Prevent Child Abuse Vermont
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28. RALIANCE
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Filming and Photography

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Conference Handouts

Most workshop handouts will be available for download online after NSAC concludes. To download, visit www.nsvrc.org/nsac2019/handouts. If you do not see a specific handout, it is because it was not provided by the presenter.

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Evaluations

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This workshop will highlight the major (proposed) changes and focus on the impact these changes might have on survivors’ privacy and access to confidential services. Participants will leave with a firm grasp on the privacy implications of the proposed rules, and will be better prepared to devise trauma-informed privacy protections in response. 

Presenters: Quin Quinn, Marissa Korbek Track: Everfi Campus Franklin Hall B-7

From Grounding Exercises to BDSM: Sex After Sexual Violence

In this workshop, we will facilitate a space to have nuanced conversations about navigating sex as a survivor. We will discuss the diverse and non-linear ways that people grow and heal after experiencing trauma. We will discuss strategies for staying grounded during sex as well as ways to make the implicit power dynamics in sex explicit with the aim to give agency back to the survivor.

Presenters: Quinn Pellerito, Radha Prabakaran Track: Healthy Sexuality Franklin Hall B-6

Forotten No More: Victim Services for Formerly Incarcerated Survivors

Former prisoners face numerous barriers to getting support services — including from rape crisis centers. This workshop will challenge the notion that some victims are less deserving of help. It also will highlight how victim services and reentry programs can collaborate to promote access to victim services for all survivors.

Presenters: Tara Graham, Allison Hastings Track: Just Detention International: PREA Conf. Room 303/304

The Philadelphia Model: Advocate Review of Police Sex Crime Files

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Presenters: Elizabeth Stahler, Alexandra Lenzen, Marcella A. Maggio Track: Children & Youth Salon J

Healthy Relationship & Sexuality Education for Youth with Intellectual Disabilities

People with intellectual disabilities are seven times more likely to experience sexual abuse, yet sexuality and relationship education is often missing from special education classrooms. This workshop will describe the IMPACT: Ability program’s collaboration with Boston Public Schools, which offers leadership development and sexuality education to young adults with disabilities.

Presenters: Presenters: Track: Franklin Hall B-11

Sponsored by the National Sexual Violence Resource Center, with funding from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Tune In & Watch Out: Recognize & Reshape Trauma in Media

Trauma in media has drastically contributed to youth anxiety, depression, suicide, and homicide by glorifying sexual violence through movies, music, and advertising. Not only through images shown, but through messaging via product placement. Normalize conversations with youth using the 3 Cs of Consumerism, which encourages media literacy and healthier relationships.

Presenters: Marcella A. Maggio Track: Children & Youth Salon J

An Oral Symposium on Men’s Accountability Around #MeToo: What We Learned

Hearing and sharing personal stories and life lessons from men and women who choose to confront and challenge the power and privilege that supports men’s violence against women and other men can be incredibly impactful. The creator and host of the symposium will share the framework and outcomes of convening a national conversation on men’s leadership and accountability around the #MeToo movement.

Presenters: Alan Heisterkamp, Michael Fleming Track: Community Organizing Franklin Hall B-12

Missing Nuance: How Dehumanizing Perpetrators Can Cause More Harm Than Good

Prevailing research highlights the dangerousness of serial perpetrators, leading to assumptions that “good guys” don’t rape and “bad guys” need to be punished with extreme measures and eradicated from our communities. It’s important to unpack the implications of this dominant narrative including how it disservices survivors and reinforces systemic injustice.

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The SANE/Advocate Discipline

Advocates and nurses have critical roles in the response and treatment of sexual assault survivors. These roles shape both the victims’ recovery and the success of investigations. The SANE nurse brings a level of expertise to the collection of forensic evidence and histories that is documented to result in successful prosecution of cases (Department of Justice). Advocates provide the emotional support and resources needed to make survivors good victim witnesses for prosecution and to begin the journey of healing. As both professions have grown and financial resources have become scarce, there have been challenges regarding these roles. This workshop will provide tools to be more effective adult allies, with a focus on healthy sexuality. **Presenter:** Kristen Pritchard **Track:** Prevention Franklin Hall B-8

Research Beyond Bystander Intervention: The Good, Bad, and the Ugly

Bystander intervention is complicated! Behaviors vary by action, recipients, context, and time. This session presents research from 2016-2019 on bystander intervention, focusing on effectiveness, outcomes/consequences of intervening, and best practices in measurement. Discussion will critique the literature and provide recommendations to take findings beyond research and into practice. **Presenter:** Rose Hennessy **Track:** Prevention Salon C

"Yes" is Not Enough: Moving Beyond Consent to Great Sex

Coercing a person into sex is legal in many situations. Sometimes sex that is legal still feels bad. So why are we teaching students about the law regarding sexual consent, when we could be teaching them how to have healthy sexual experiences that are agreed upon, wanted, ethical, and joyful? **Presenter:** Breony McGuire **Track:** Prevention/Franklin Hall B-5

This is America: Using an Anti-Oppression Framework for Sexual Violence Prevention

Examining the hierarchy of marginalized groups in America, we can better understand how oppression has been, and continues to be, used as a tool to cause harm like sexual violence. In order to truly prevent sexual violence, we need to use an anti-oppression framework that works to end all forms of oppression in our communities and society. By analyzing messages from popular culture, participants will better understand the ongoing call for action to dismantle oppression in all of its forms, and how we can do that in our sexual violence prevention work. **Presenter:** LaQuisha S. Anthony **Track:** Racial Justice Salon B

Breaking Through Employee Trauma and Burnout

Organizations providing treatment for sexual victimization are also challenged to commit to the care of their professionals who may experience vicarious trauma, potentially affecting individual health, job performance, and turnover. This workshop seeks to provide support to identifiers in their own vicarious trauma and learning goals to promote resilience. **Presenters:** Irene D. Gallegos, Kwynn González-Pons **Track:** Self-Care Salon A

Care, Compassion, and Creativity: Trans Survivors and Forensic Exams

Forensic exams are difficult for anyone. Trans survivors face additional social, legal, and medical barriers to pursuing justice. This workshop will explore how forensic nurse examiners and advocates can help trans survivors pursue evidence collection by minimizing barriers and increasing both physical and emotional comfort. **Presenters:** Diane Daiber, Christina Presents, Loree Cook-Daniels, MS **Track:** Transgender Conf. Room 408/409

Understanding, Preventing & Responding to People Who Commit Sexual Abuse: A Life Course Issue

In this presentation we are going to look at the life course trajectory of people who have committed sexual abuse, focusing on why they committed the abuse that they did, how they are managed by the system post conviction, and how they can be helped to stop offending again in the future. The presentation will draw from the international evidence base on aetiology of sexual abuse, adverse childhood experiences, trauma-informed care, treatment, reintegration, and desistance to highlight how sexual abuse is a life course issue for those who commit abuse. The session will close with some reflections and comments on what this means for the prevention of sexual abuse, both in terms of first-time and repeat offending. **Presenter:** Kieran McCarten **Track:** Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers Franklin Hall B-11

College Campus Sexual Assault: Creating a Team of Trauma-Informed, Culturally Competent Sexual Violence Professionals

This workshop offers a template for creating a college counseling center team of multidisciplinary clinicians to provide client-centered, trauma-informed, and culturally competent therapeutic support to victim-survivors of sexual violence. The workshop will cover team training goals and address creation of a team structure to meet the needs of seasoned clinicians and clinicians seeking professional development and support in working with victims of sexual trauma. Workshop will also address integration between the counseling center and community partners. **Presenters:** Deborah O’Neill, Laura Collins **Track:** Campus Franklin Hall B-6

Disciplined Too Young & Too Often: Understanding School Pushout

Across the country, schools are funneling our most marginalized children into the juvenile and criminal justice systems by using harsh discipline practices to address misbehavior. This training will provide a brief overview of the pipeline epidemic and the various intersections of vulnerability that increase a child’s risk of victimization in order to create innovative and relevant ways of engaging with targeted youth. **Presenter:** Nubia Peta **Track:** Children & Youth Franklin Hall B-8

We Choose All of Us: Community of Purpose + Practice

We Choose All of Us reconnects us to us through practices of self-reflection, storytelling, and embodied action in community; generates a culture that interrupts violence, and generates life-affirming ways of being that increase the interconnectedness between issues and people and cultivates a way of being toward collective liberation. **Presenters:** Jennifer Martinez, Jeff Matsushita **Track:** Community Organizing Salon C

Organizational Transformation: Addressing the Effects of Race, Intersectionality, and Oppression

Not recognizing the effects of race, intersectionality, and oppression is to be complicit in the continued marginalization and traumatization of underrepresented communities. This workshop will unpack the internal work of leaders and staff in addressing the related impacts and challenges to better serve victims and survivors of sexual violence. **Presenters:** Angel M. Douglas **Track:** Racial Justice Franklin Hall B-10

Send Nudes: Supporting Youth Resilience Through Technology

Youth use technology to connect with others. In this training, we will explore both the strengths in these practices as well as talk about ways we can support the safety of young people. This training will provide tools to be more effective adult allies, with a focus on healthy sexuality. **Presenter:** Carol Tracy, Terry Fromson **Track:** Legal/Policy Salon I
What’s New in Trauma Research and Recovery

In December 2012, Dr. Rebecca Campbell blew us away when she introduced the Neurobiology of Sexual Assault. This workshop will update what we have learned about trauma response and recovery since that time so that we can enhance our guidelines and day-to-day practices with survivors. **Presenter: Jo Johnson**

**Track:** Counseling | **Salon:** A

Sexual Abuse Awareness for Self Advocates***

People with disabilities — especially intellectual disabilities — are many times more likely to be victims of sexual abuse. Many are not provided any kind of sexual education. Abuse is unrecognized and unreported, and often leaves the victims without supports to understand or cope with the experience. Few rape crisis centers are equipped with staff or volunteers who understand how best to communicate with people with disabilities. Sharon and Gabriel will share curriculum written by self advocates and allies as a project of the PA Office of Developmental Disabilities, Department of Human Services. Written and presented in ways that are accessible to most people, the workshop will teach the audience how to help folks understand what abuse is and what they can do about it. Audience members will leave with valuable tools on how to provide a comfort level for the audience while ensuring supports are in place for those who may disclose. **Presenters:** Sharon Harper-Young, Oscar Drummond, Christine Breakstone, Savannah Logdon-Breakstone | **Track:** Culturally Specific | **Salon:** Room 303/304

Overcoming Challenges in Providing Victim Services for Incarcerated Survivors

This interactive session will start with brief presentations from a panel of practitioners on their efforts to expand incarcerated survivors’ access to victim services. Participants will then circulate among several roundtables, where the practitioners will provide guidance on overcoming specific service provision challenges, such as protecting confidentiality. **Presenters:** Vanessa Sapien, Dave Rini, Karel Amaranth | **Track:** | **Salon:** A

Mi Afrodescendencia: Afrolatina y Abuso Sexual en la Niñez***

In this session, we will use the power of storytelling to share our experience as Afrolatina women who are both survivors and intercessors. In this workshop, we will cover the issues of child sexual abuse, race, and gender intersection, and we will present the preliminary results of Black Latinidad: Adult Survivor Listening Circles. **Presenters:** Luz Márquez Benbow, Isa Woldegiguergis Track: Imagine a World Without Child Sexual Abuse | **Franklin Hall:** B-9

Privacy at the Intersections: Protecting Immigrant Survivors’ Privacy Interests

Why do privacy matter — now more than ever — for immigrant survivors across identities? In this interactive workshop we will work to deepen our collective understanding of immigrant survivors’ privacy rights, risks, and needs. Join us as we develop and apply privacy skills to advance survivor agency and safety in the current climate. **Presenters:** Jessica Mindlin, Hema Sarang-Slieminski Track: Legal/Policy | **Salon:** J

When Things Don’t Go Right: Sexual Assault Exam Billing and Payment — It’s Time for a Change

Since the 2005 VAWA reauthorization, victims were guaranteed access to free ‘rape exams’ and have those exams paid for. Today, more than a decade later, the system is broken. This workshop we will explore how to advocate for sexual assault victims, including victims being billed for exams, resulting in debt being sent to collection agencies. **Presenters:** Diane Daiber, Christina Presenti Track: Medical/Healthcare | **Salon:** K

Making Sexual Abuse Prevention a Part of Your Mission

As schools and youth organizations face increased pressure to address sexual abuse, some are enacting strict policies that can compromise the flexibility and creativity that are at the heart of positive youth development. Drawing from work in a disability-specific school, this workshop offers models for prevention driven by mission and values. **Presenter:** Meg Stone Track: Imagine a World Without Child Sexual Abuse | **Salon:** D

Understanding FGC as a Form of Sexual Assault

Keeping our bodies safe: strategies to end FGC in Iowa’s African communities **Presenter:** Hibjo Jama Track: Outreach Franklin Hall B-10

#StayWoke: Including Social Liberation in Prevention***

During this session, participants will gain a deep understanding of how social liberation and identity affiliation fit into prevention work. This will be done by taking a deep dive into the intersections of anti-oppression work and sexual violence prevention. Activities will focus on self-reflection, improving the gender box activity, and allyship. **Presenter:** Tonjie Reese Track: Prevention | Franklin Hall B-5

Engaging Your Community: Community Organizing and Primary Prevention***

This workshop will examine ways in which to incorporate community organizing in primary prevention efforts for SV/IPV agencies. It will challenge attendees to critically assess organizational supports/barriers to community-level prevention, discuss the importance of organizational identity when building community connections, and examine best practices. **Presenter:** Calvin Hall Track: Prevention | **Salon:** B

Maine’s Children’s Safety Partnership Initiative: From Policy to Implementation

This workshop will share Maine’s creation of a child sexual abuse prevention law and its implementation, a six-year process. We will review the legislative process, creation of the implementation tools and resources, and efforts in schools and communities. Participants will walk through their own planning process throughout the session. **Presenter:** Destie Hohman Sprague Track: Prevention | **Salon:** J

Radical Self-Care for Sexual Assault Advocates of Color***

This workshop addresses radical self-care as it relates to sexual assault advocates of color. We talk about how power and oppression has affected us personally and professionally. We will develop a plan to look at self-care holistically and actively sustain our work in the movement to end sexual violence. **Presenters:** Jessica Li, Fiona Oliphant Track: Self-Care | **Salon:** I

Let’s Talk Racism: In Terms of Sexual Violence

As advocates, we are easily able to talk about sexual violence but often have difficulty relating other forms of oppression into our work. During this workshop, participants will learn to use the same terminology and examples from sexual violence to speak about racial justice issues. This workshop is recommended for people seeking additional tools to have tough conversations in the workplace and with allied professionals in order to end sexual and racial violence. **Presenters:** Tatiana Piper, Jackie Strohm Track: Racial Justice | **Franklin Hall:** B-12

Federal and State Policy Responses to Sexual Assault: Beyond the Breakthrough

Policymakers want to respond to sexual assault, but “feel good” legislation doesn’t necessarily help survivors and prevent sexual violence. Examining current federal and state trends including VAWA reauthorization, we will discuss survivor- and prevention-centered policy and how we can work to develop a broader social framework as policy advocates. **Presenter:** Terri Poore Track: RALLIANCE | **Conf. Room:** Room 305/306

Breakout Session 3 2:45 PM - 4:15 PM

Gentlemen Respecting & Interacting In Truth (G.r.i.t) Healthy Black Masculinity

This presentation challenges established stereotypes of Black masculinity and social norms. Men of color do not fully benefit from the same male privileges as their white counterparts; there’s an important discussion concerning healthy Black masculinity that is needed. This is a very pivotal time to engage individuals in this discussion. **Presenter:** Corey Ingram Track: Prevention | **Conf. Room:** 418/419

#LoveWITHAccountability: Digging Up the Roots of Child Sexual Abuse

This workshop features the editor and three of the 43 contributors in the #LoveWITHAccountability anthology (AK Press, October 2019). Their presentations will highlight the need to prioritize child sexual abuse, healing, and justice in dialogues, writings, and work on racial justice and gender-based violence through the lived experiences of diasporic Black survivors and advocates. **Presenters:** Aishah Shadijah Simmons, Ignacio G. Hutia Xeiti Rivers, M.A., e nina jay, Mel Anthony Phillips Track: Imagine a World Without Child Sexual Abuse | **Franklin Hall:** B-10

Creating a Sustainable Organization Through Revenue Generation: Show Me the Money

This session will help to unlock the mystery of sustainability. The session will lay out the concrete and proven strategies by which nonprofits can position themselves to be sustainable. Participants will be able to identify the keys to unlocking sustainability by building upon the core elements. In addition, it will show participants how to get their organization from where they are to where they would like to be. **Presenter:** Destie Hohman Davenport Track: Organizational Development | **Salon:** D

Beyond the Breakthrough
Safe Harbor for All: Expanding Support of Adult Trafficking/Exploitation Survivors

The Minnesota Department of Health, in partnership with the University of Minnesota, Advocates for Human Rights, and Rainbow Research, released a groundbreaking strategic plan expanding supports for adult survivors of sex-trafficking and other persons with lived experience. Nearly 300 participants provided insights on ways to create a comprehensive response statewide.

Presenters: Caroline Palmer, Beatriz Menanteau, Lauren Martin
Track: Human Trafficking
Franklin Hall B 8-9

Healing Vulcan: Lessons Learned About Preventing Sexual Assault from the Ancient Legend of Vulcan and a Girl from Philly with 25 Years Experience Treating Sexual Abusers

August 23 is the annual festival of Vulcanalia and a befitting occasion to celebrate lessons that can be learned from tragedy. The ancient Roman legend of the Vulcan, the victimized God, has much to tell us about how the violence of today is rooted in the traumas of the past. It is also a tale of redemption for perpetrators and of healing for victims, in a world where there is often no bright line of separation. Fiery anger and pain are often at the root of interpersonal abuse, and unless transformed, the cycle will continue from perpetrator to victim. This workshop applies lessons learned from Vulcan and 25 years experience with sexual abusers in discussing the elements necessary for change to occur in the prevalence of sexual assault. Healers, witnesses, and helpers learn important strategies from the ancient legend that can help transform the isolation of pain into creativity, community action, and prevention.

Presenter: Deidre M. D’Orazio
Track: Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers
Salon L

Eliminating Barriers to Outreach in Underserved Communities

This workshop will help individuals with an introductory-level understanding of sexual assault learn the importance of multiple disciplinary meetings and how they benefit sexual assault victims. It will also address the barriers to providing outreach to underserved and vulnerable populations and how to overcome those barriers.

Presenter: Heather Ulrich
Track: Outreach
Salon A

Campus Health Center Intervention Addressing Alcohol Use and Sexual Violence

Results from a campus health center–based intervention for sexual violence and alcohol use will be presented. Attention will be paid to groups at high risk for sexual violence on campus (i.e., students reporting disabilities, minority students). Interventions will be discussed, including Giving Information For Trauma Support and Safety (GIFTSS).

Presenters: Jocelyn Anderson, Elizabeth Miller, Kelley Jones, Carla Chugani
Track: Medical/Healthcare
Salon K

End Tech Abuse Across Generations: Prevention & Response Tools for Adults Serving Youth

This workshop will focus on increasing awareness of technology–facilitated sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking cases. Participants in this session will learn how to utilize Break the Cycle and CALCASA’s eTAG website (endtechabuse.org), tools, resources, and strategies to serve youth survivors of tech–facilitated abuse.

Presenters: Jessica Moreno, Ashleigh Klein–Jimenez
Track: Children & Youth
Salon C

Strong Survivor Staff, Strong Services: Hiring Human Trafficking Survivor Staff

Staff with lived experience in human trafficking is directly linked to higher quality human trafficking and commercial sexual exploitation of children services. However, many agencies encounter barriers to employing trafficking survivors. This session will explore best practices for expanding services to human trafficking survivors and how to hire, support, and maintain survivor staff.

Presenters: Deborah Pembroke, Josephine Freemster
Track: Human Trafficking
Conf. Room 414/415

Embodied Resilience: Tools for Finding Ease Within

This holistic workshop will include: review of the neurobiology of stress and relaxation cycles, discussion of resilience strategies for stress reduction, and hands-on exploration of mindfulness and movement tools. The framework empowers participants to identify their stress physiology and confidently implement self-regulation skills to promote self-awareness and reduce burnout.

Presenter: Desiree Magombo
Track: SelfCare
Franklin Hall B 6-7

Connecting the Dots: Trauma-Informed Legal Advocacy and Deaf Community

Deaf and hard of hearing survivors of sexual violence and abuse face daunting barriers in the complex maze of navigating systems of protection, care, and justice due to unawareness of crime victim and legal rights. Systems collaboration between anti-violence entities, trauma-informed lawyers, and Deaf advocates is imperative for survivors in midst of unfamiliarity of civil and criminal justice systems’ linguistically inaccessible court forms and lack of certified sign language interpreters. Services. Demonstration of best practices on systems collaboration, cultural awareness on intersectionality of abuse and Deaf community, and intervention strategies to enhance legal advocacy practices. Interactive workshops with discussion of case examples with culturally empowering advocacy strategies, videos, and work samples to aid participants in their work with Deaf crime victims nationally.

Presenters: Stephanie Smith–Bowman, Karen Ball, Crystal Kuar
Track: Legal/Policy
Conf. Room 408/409

A Place of their Own: Art Making with Incarcerated Survivors

The use of art therapy interventions with forensic populations who have sexual assault trauma in their history will be explored. After discussing issues related to their trauma and the ways in which incarceration can further affect them, the benefits of addressing these issues through creative interventions will be explored.

Presenter: Kate Stank
Track: Counseling
Salon J

Foundations for Creating Bridges to Communities

Many underserved, underserved, and ignored communities have limited resources created for them. This workshop will assist participants in practical ways of developing tools and leverage the supports in community partners to meet the needs of those from communities that are affected by sexual violence.

Presenter: Eric Stiles
Track: Community Organizing
Conf. Room 305/306

Sexual Violence — The Refugee Experience

Responding to survivors of one of the fastest growing immigration populations requires us to understand when and how sexual violence can occur in the refugee context. Examining vulnerabilities before their flight, while in exile, and as settled refugees promotes better responses, intervention, and advocacy for survivors.

Presenter: Merkeb Johannes
Track: Culturally Specific
Franklin Hall B 10

Focus, Framing & Facts: Promoting Prevention with Strategic Communication Choices

In this repeat overview workshop from NSAC 2018, presenters will share strategies for effectively framing and delivering key messages about normal responses to sexual violence, prevention, and intervention services. This session will build skills to: deliver effective prevention messages, shift from “field lingo” to plain language, and increase accessibility of messages to more audiences. Designated spokespersons, communications staff, and prevention team members working with the public will benefit from this session. Significant time will be allotted for practicing.

Presenters: Kristen Houser, Holly Patrick
Track: RALIANCE
Franklin Hall B 12

Follow the Evidence: What the Research Says About Empowerment Self-Defense

Evidence is growing for the effectiveness of empowerment self-defense as a strategy to prevent, interrupt, and reduce sexual and gender-based violence. This interactive session will present the research on empowerment self-defense and use dialogue, interviews, and brainstorming to increase connections among researchers, practitioners, and advocates.

Presenters: Martha Thompson, Ph.D., Lindsay Orchowski, Ph.D., Darlene DeFour, Ph.D.
Track: Empowerment Self-Defense
Alliance
Franklin Hall B 7-8

Revolutionizing How Employers Address Sexual and Gender-Based Harassment and Violence

The #MeToo movement has created a powerful urgency for employers to change how they combat sexual harassment and assault — but many do not know how or where to begin. Learn how to build a business case for effective harassment prevention and engage employers in developing and implementing innovative, evidence-based prevention strategies.

Presenters: Holly Rider-Milkovich, Elizabeth Bille
Track: Everfi
Campus
Conf. Room 401/402

Beyond the Breakthrough
DAY 2: THURSDAY, AUGUST 22ND

Breakout Session 4 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

***Three-hour workshops end at 12:00 PM

Trauma-Informed Supervision***

Providing services to survivors is exhausting and re-warding work. Supervision that is trauma-informed and focused on trust and kindness is essential to creating healthy workplaces. We’ll explore ways supervisors do this in the context of our diverse organizations, many of which are collaborative, social justice-based, and also hierarchical. **Presenter:** Rebecca Nickels Track: Self-Care Salon D

Organizing Around Health to Fight Discriminatory Policy and Violence

Referencing a case study of anti-LGBTQ legislation in North Carolina, this session will explore how to use health-focused data to connect discriminatory policy to sexual and other kinds of violence. Participants will learn to frame messages around health data, amplify marginalized voices, and inform policies that impact violence. **Presenters:** Jay_spin Dowlton, Rachel Dooley Track: Community Organizing Franklin Hall B-6

Building Inclusive Services for LGBTQ+ Survivors

This interactive workshop will explore strategies for addressing sexual violence in lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans, and queer (LGBTQ+) communities. Facilitators will review contemporary research on sexual violence in LGBTQ+ communities and present a case study in which one agency in South Jersey attempted to build services that were inclusive for survivors of all genders and sexualities. Participants will consider barriers to support and strategies for capacity building across multiple agencies that address sexual violence, including interdisciplinary collaborations such as sexual assault response teams (SARTs). **Presenters:** Ethan Cozy, Levine, PhD, Lindsey Curtis Track: Culturally Specific Franklin Hall B-7

Child on Child Sexual Abuse — A Community Education Essential***

This workshop helps parents, educators, advocates, and others to recognize, respond to, and intervene appropriately in problematic sexual behavior in children. **Presenters:** Liz Durbin, Deb Helt Track: Imagine A World Without Child Sexual Abuse Franklin Hall B-12

Applying Principles-Focused Evaluation to Sexual Violence Prevention

This workshop introduces preventions to principles-focused evaluation (PFE), which identifies principles describing core values and behaviors used to foster successful prevention work. PFE complements outcome evaluation and supports decision making during prevention implementation. Participants will learn how to incorporate their own sexual violence prevention effectiveness principles into their evaluation approach. **Presenters:** Erin Casey, Tatiana Masters Track: Prevention Salon A

The Journey and the Destination: Communicating Effectively About Prevention***

How we communicate about sexual violence can help people see that prevention is possible and necessary. Today Berkeley Media Studies Group will share a research-informed vision to sexual violence prevention messaging, lead a discussion of framing challenges, and facilitate an activity to develop several components of effective prevention messages. **Presenter:** Pamela Mejia Track: Prevention Franklin Hall B-8

“Quality” Care After Sexual Assault: Fact or Fiction?

Healthcare facilities are prepared to face all types of medical emergencies, and providing superior care is a driving force in the industry. However, when it comes to sexual assault care, there is often no plan in place, and some hospitals even turn survivors away. It’s TIME to fix this. **Presenters:** Diane Daiber, Christina Presenti Track: Medical/Healthcare Franklin Hall B-5

A Resilient Tune: Black Women in Music & Healing Advocacy

From Bessie Smith to Janelle Monae, Black women have used music to create dialogue around racism, sexism, sexuality, class, and liberation. This workshop will highlight the history of Black women in music, the social and psychological impact of music listening, and how to incorporate music into advocacy and self-care. **Presenter:** LySaundra Campbell Track: Self-Care Salon I

The Most Dangerous Power of the Prosecutor

When declining sexual assault charges, prosecutors often utilize the standard: "Would a jury convict?" This standard taints the prosecutor’s decisions with jurors’ stereotypes and biases. What is the prosecutor’s obligation to challenge those stereotypes and educate jurors? In this session, attendees will examine charging standards to eliminate gender bias. **Presenter:** Julie L. Germann Track: Legal/Policy Salon C

Systematic Action Research to Address Sexual Violence in Schools***

This workshop highlights systematic action research as an approach to addressing sexual violence. Using a high school prevention program as an illustrative case study, we will demonstrate how parallel action and systematic action research engage bias, teachers, students, and administrators. **Presenters:** Victoria L. Dickman-Burnett, Maribeth Geaman Track: Prevention Conf. Room 303/304

Designing and Operating a Web-Based Crisis Line on a College Campus

We will provide an overview of lessons learned from the development and operation of a web-based crisis hotline for sexual assault survivors on a college campus, including preliminary findings from a federally funded evaluation project. Hands-on activities will build capacity for the design, implementation, and evaluation of web-based crisis hotlines. **Presenters:** Tana Federwa, Kathryn Naber, Carrie Moylan Track: Counseling Salon K

Cultural Humility: Moving From Theory to Daily Application***

An interactive workshop during which participants will explore varied manifestations of privilege and oppression. Building on that foundation, participants will learn the elements of cultural humility and how to apply its framework to all aspects of organizations’ administration, from policies and procedures, to outreach and engagement, to service provision. **Presenters:** Fiona Oliphant, Esq., Jessica Li Track: Racial Justice Salon J

Building Partnerships to Support Survivors of Sexual Abuse in Detention

The workshop covers OVC’s current cohort of four programs for incarcerated survivors: comprehensive in-person services in rural Kentucky, a four-jaipilot in Pennsylvania, a statewide crisis line in Michigan, and support for immigration detainees in California. The panelists will share strategies to help advocates provide quality services behind bars. **Presenters:** Nicole de la Torre, Matthew Hale, Sandra Henriquez, Tatiana Piper Track: Just Detention International-PREA Salon L

Sanando y Construyendo Comunidad

Here we will try to create an area of safety, trust, and community to explore the dynamics that impact us as members of the Latin community at workplaces that are predominantly white. Thus, participants will have the chance to connect with people like them and receive support, understanding, and community. **Presenters:** Mary Eldridge, Katryn Duarte Track: Language Justice Conf. Room 305/306

Perpetrator Accountability in the Time of #MeToo: Individuals Who Offend and Moving Towards Prevention

In order to establish robust and evidence-based prevention of sexual abuse strategies, it is vital to understand and explore what contributes to: a) the prevention of perpetration to begin with, b) effective interventions to stop people from perpetrating sexual abuse, c) what it means to hold individuals accountable for their offending behavior, d) what policies are in effective supporting sexual abuse prevention and, e) effective communications that engage communities in prevention. The workshop will provide information pertaining to: the prevalence of sexual abuse, rates of reoffending, and risk and protective factors that can contribute to or protect individuals from perpetrating sexual abuse. We will then explore the concepts of perpetrator accountability and policies and communication strategies that do and do not work in the prevention of sexual abuse. Through interactive activities, small group work and discussion, attendees will explore and challenge their own perceptions of individuals who sexually offend and assess ways in which current policies and practices positively or negatively contribute to sexual abuse prevention. **Presenter:** Maia Christopher Track: Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers Salon G

RALLYANCE - Creating Multi-Intersectional Child Sex Abuse Policy

The most well known of child sex abuse policy work has had a very mainstream focus, providing resources for white, non-intersectional children and law enforcement intervention. Learn from survivor and ally policy experts about how to create the inclusive, multi-intersectional policy. **Presenters:** Ebony Tucker, Jasminедин, Luz Marquez Track: RALLYANCE Franklin Hall B-9
Don’t Be Afraid to Catch Feels: Facilitating a Healthy Relationship Series for Students
Workshop will provide participants with tools to rep- licate a four-part healthy relationship series on their campuses. Participants will share experiences creating and facilitating this series for students. Participants will experience an activity from each of the workshops and explore the discussion and self-reflection questions. Presenters will also share information about effectiveness based on evaluation. Presenters: Laura Luciano, Julie Millisky Track: Everfi Campus Franklin Hall B-10

What’s New in Trauma Research and Recovery
In December 2012, Dr. Rebecca Campbell blew us away when she introduced the Neurobiology of Sex- ual Assault. This workshop will update what we have learned about trauma response and recovery since that time so that we can enhance our guidelines and day-to-day practices with survivors. Presenter: Jo Johnson Track: Counseling Conf. Room 408/409

Vulnerable and Underserved: Victim Advocacy for Incarcerated Transgender Survivors
This workshop will look at strategies for helping transgender survivors of sexual abuse. Presenters will discuss the barriers incarcerated transgender survivors face in accessing culturally sensitive support services, and how advocates can use the Prison Rape Elimina- tion Act (PREA) standards as a tool to ensure the safety and dignity of transgender prisoners. Presenters: Vanessa Sapien, Tonjie Reese Track: Transgender Franklin Hall B-11

Bringing Cosby to Justice: The First Conviction in the #MeToo Era
The first high-profile prosecution in the #MeToo era took more than three years. Now, the sexually violent predator sits in a cell. There were two trials, scores of motions, and nearly two dozen criminal defense attor- neys. This workshop will focus on the most impactful decisions made in the Cosby case. Presenters: M. Steven Ryan, Esq., Hon. Kevin R. Steele, Kristen M. Gibbons Feden Track: RALIANCE Conf. Room 414/412

Substance Use and Sexual Violence
The links between sexual violence and substance abuse are undeniable, yet rarely discussed. Substanc- es can be used to facilitate sexual violence; victims may have been under the influence at the time of the assault or use substances as a coping strategy after the assault. Presenter: Karla Viertithaler Track: Outreach Salon C

Prevention in Rural Communities
This workshop will focus on successes and challeng- es of prevention programming in rural communities. Participants will recognize the risk factors and needs of their communities and strategize a prevention program suitable for them. They will also discuss and practice responses to common issues in rural prevention pro- gramming such as victim blaming and discrimination. Presenters: Jessica Bender, Laura Martin Track: Prevention Salon A

KEEP KIDS FREE: Systems-Level Change to Disrupt the Trauma-to-Pipeline System
Presenters will address the connections between sexual abuse and system-involved persons and will introduce a brief “training in a box” which participants can use to spark conversations with community-level, educational systems about simple steps to take to re- duce the number of youth referred to law enforcement by health care providers in trauma-informed ways. Participants will be given copies of the customizable “training in a box.” Presenters: Kate McCord, Valerie Slater Track: Children & Youth Franklin Hall B-11

The Impact of Sexual Violence on African American Women
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Serving Immigrant Survivors: A Model for Statewide Collaboration and Capacity Building
Join us for a robust discussion of immigrant survivors’ experiences seeking sexual assault victim services, programming challenges for serving foreign-born victims, and an innovative model for statewide service delivery and capacity building. Presenters: Sarah Martinez-Torres, Allison Little Sun Track: Community Organizing Franklin Hall B-7

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This workshop will focus on the importance of under- standing cultural influences. Our culture influences the way we think, how we behave, and how we react to life. Many of our experiences and teachings spill over at work, being one of the many reasons for exhaus- tion. We will explore these influences and strategies to achieve self-care. Presenters: Virginia Rueda, Denise Loya Track: Language Justice Conf. Room 414/412

Breakout Session 5 10:45 AM - 12:15 PM

Survivor and Respondent Services on Campus: Navigating Both Responsibly
Schools are warring with the question — what are equitable services for both survivors and respondents? Based upon the results of a recent survey, this session will address a range of topics, including best practices for both forms of services, discussions of equal ver- sus equitable services, and interactive engagement. Presenters: Joan Tabachnick, Jill Dunlap, Jennifer Henkle Track: Everfi Campus Franklin Hall B-9

The Role of Forensic Nurses within the Context of Justice, Health Disparity and Criminal Justice
This presentation introduces the concept of a reflective professional nursing practice, theory of social justice in nursing, and the concept of an aspiring ally as the role of the forensic nurse. According to the Women Of Color Network, “To be an aspiring ally in the movement to end domestic and sexual violence is to strive toward social justice and end oppression against all survivors — as well as colleagues and community partners from underrepresented communities in this movement” (2008). Presenter: Jacqueline Callari Robinson Track: Medical/Healthcare Franklin Hall B-10

From Victim to Survivor Utilizing Trauma- Focused, Equine-Assisted Psychotherapy
Trauma-Focused, Equine Assisted Psychotherapy — a proven, experiential, team approach to moving from sexual assault victim to survivor. Presenters: Kelli Adams, Susanne Kinney Track: Counseling Conf. Room 305/306

“Nevertheless, They Persisted”: Arts- Based, Youth-Focused Prevention Programming in Resistant Communities
This workshop will discuss strategies and consid- erations for implementing primary prevention pro- gramming in communities that may be unprepared or outright hostile to the anti-violence movement and sexual assault prevention. Using an arts-based RPE program located in rural Washington as a model, work- shop participants will learn techniques for reaching resistant communities for more intensive interventions and implementing best-practice primary prevention in a school or youth-focused rural environment. The workshop will provide examples of arts-based primary prevention lessons designed to be immediately action- able for participants. Presenter: Alison Price Track: Prevention Salon B

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Staying Safe and Sane While Supporting Survivors: Empowerment Self-Defense for Advocates

Empowerment self-defense offers a range of tools for self-advocacy — from communicating boundaries to healing from trauma, from asking for what we want to resisting threats and intimidation. This workshop will give advocates practical options for communicating their needs and limits in the stressful situations that rape crisis workers commonly face. Presenters: Meg Stone, Lauren Taylor, Melissa Morales, Benjamin Comeau

Track: Empowerment Self-Defense  Salon L

Responsible Behavior with Younger Children: A School-Based Prevention Intervention

Society has recently begun to acknowledge that preventing child sexual abuse may be possible, but

Breakout Session 6 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

LINE DRAWN: Preventing Sexual Abuse in Theater Organizations

In 2017, two Boston-area theaters made news for failing to prevent sexual abuse. In response, StageSource, the membership organization for New England theaters, launched LINE DRAWN, which brings arts organizations together to create a shared prevention strategy. This workshop introduces a sector-wide collaboration including policies, standards, accountability, and bystander skills. Presenters: Meg Stone, Dawn M. Simons

Track: Line Draws: Imagine a World Without Child Sexual Abuse  Franklin Hall B-9

Social Justice as Our Prevention Framework

This session will encourage programming that incorporates a social-justice framework to inspire and develop engaged youth leaders through a culturally relevant educational experience deeply rooted in anti-oppression principles. This is especially important with today's polarized climate around immigration, race relations, civil rights, and the lack of support for survivor narratives, which must be addressed in order to create inclusive and intersectional efforts. Presenters: Nubia Peña

Track: Prevention  Salon A

Beyond Stock Images: Using Graphic Design to Advance Prevention

Join graphic designers from the Texas Association Against Sexual Assault and the California Coalition for Sexual assault knowledge, skills, and tools to avoid sexual behavior with younger children. Presenters: Amanda Ruzicka

Track: RALLYANCE  Salon L

The ‘me too.’ movement: Enacting Empowerment through Empathy

The ‘me too.’ Movement gained virality in 2017 with the use of a hashtag, but it is not just a trendy phenomenon; it is a set of principles and values that center sexual assault survivors and their healing. This session will broadly explain the organization’s framework and action plan for 2019-2020. Presenters: Nikita Mitchell, Celeste Faison

Track: Community Organizing  Conf. Room 401/402

Building Bridges to Safety: Interdisciplinary Legal Advocacy for Immigrant Survivors

Immigrant survivors face a complex web of barriers to justice. In today’s climate of fear, meaningful advocacy calls upon lawyers and non-lawyer advocates to work together as a survivor-centered team. This workshop explores best practices for holistic, interdisciplinary approaches to support survivors in building bridges to safety and justice. Presenters: Kursten Phelps, Adriana Lopez

Track: Legal/Policy  Salon J

Treatment Implications for the Intersection of Rurality and Sexual Assault

The facilitator plans to discuss the unique treatment needs of rural clients, including survivors of sexual assault. Rural survivors of sexual assault are often faced with fewer resources and greater barriers to receiving medical and psychological services. The facilitator will provide suggestions for adapting treatment to meet those needs. Presenters: Lauren Patterson

Track: Outreach  Salon D

Reclaiming My Sexuality: Intimacy and Self-Love After the Trauma

Communicating boundaries is hard enough without having to navigate the negative impacts that sexual violence has on intimacy and self-love. This workshop will address the topics of healthy sexuality, how to communicate needs, needs, and desires to partners; and how to be comfortable speaking about sexual healing with survivors. Presenters: Portia Gordon

Track: Healthy Sexuality  Salon B

Sis... Get InFormation: IPV in the Black Community at Predominately White Institutions

Does slavery have an impact on how Black students respond to interpersonal violence at PWIs (predominately white institutions)? This workshop takes a look at race culture in the Black community, how it is related to slavery, racial climate at PWIs, barriers to reporting, and how to change the culture. Presenters: Shanese McGregor

Track: Campus Franklin Hall B-12

Quilting Strength

People working with survivors of sexual harassment, assault, and abuse recognize stress as something that can greatly impact the wellness of the individuals they serve. However, people committed to addressing and preventing sexual harassment, assault, and abuse may neglect their own wellness and not realize that an even greater challenge is to manage their own stress. Exposure to the physical and psychological trauma of others can contribute to stress, burnout, and diminished well-being. Relationships and social networks that provide support, friendship, kindness, and hope are essential to our well-being. To continue to build on the momentum to end sexual violence, we must support each other and manage our stress through collaborations and meaningful relationships with our colleagues. This workshop serves as a reminder that we are in this fight together and that we can stitch together our individual/MDT (multidisciplinary) members into something whole. Presenters: Shenona Williams

Track: Self-Care  Conf. Room 305/306

Bringing Youth Voice to the Child Trafficking Multidisciplinary Response

Youth leaders in Boston want their message to be heard. This workshop will bring input and advice of the Support to End Exploitation Now (SEEN) Youth Advisory Board for MDT (multidisciplinary) members investing in and providing services for exploited youth. What matters most in the first conversation? What is helpful? What doesn’t work? The workshop will offer concrete, discipline-specific recommendations from the youth for each MDT member (police, forensic interviewer, medical providers, and more). The presentation will help prepare first responders to meet high-risk and exploited youth “where they’re at” in a long-term recovery process and will integrate personal anecdotes and case examples to bring youth advice to life. Attendees will gain knowledge and insight from young survivor leaders and strategies to enhance their work as part of an MDT. Presenters: Elizabeth Bouchard

Track: Human Trafficking  Franklin Hall B-5

Wakanda in the Anti-Sexual Violence Movement: Sustaining a Women of Color Caucus

In 1998, Connecticut’s Women of Color Caucus Against Sexual Assault (WOCASA) was founded. WOCASA supports Women of Color sexual assault crisis advocates and volunteers in CT. This workshop will focus on caucus creation, working outside white supremacist paradigms, and navigating challenges to create a Wakanda in anti-sexual violence movement. Presenters: Elise Delacruz, Sheryan Cancel

Track: Racial Justice  Franklin Hall B-6

Sexual Violence: A Healthcare Priority for EMS Providers

This presentation will prepare sexual violence advocates to enhance their outreach to EMS providers. Advocates will acquire an understanding of the skills needed by EMS providers to respond appropriately to the health and safety needs of survivors. Practical tools and strategies to build successful partnerships will be discussed. Presenters: Judy Henderson

Track: Medical/Healthcare  Conf. Room 303/304

Culture at the Center: Working with Latinx Male and Male-Identified Survivors

Gender role socialization and ideas of masculinity greatly impact how men respond to sexual violence and the way they seek help. This workshop will explore some of those ideas as well as culturally appropriate ways to enhance services for Latinx male and male-identified survivors. Presenters: Leo Martinez

Track: Culturally Specific  Salon L

Music Heals: Music Therapy for Survivors of Sexual Violence

This workshop will educate the participants on the therapeutic benefits of trauma-informed music therapy programming for survivors of sexual violence as
Healing Indigenous Communities Through Empowerment: Self-Defense

This workshop focuses on understanding circumstances of Native and Indigenous communities through exploration of colonialism, generational trauma, and how empowerment self-defense can be used as a healing space. Through experiential exercises, participants will learn how teaching physical and verbal resistance skills can offer a unique healing experience to Indigenous peoples.

Presenters: Nicole Lovato, Sara Rae Davis, Shanda Poitras, Wes Davis, James Decouteau

Track: Empowerment Self-Defense Alliance Salon 1

We ALL Need Support: Best Practices for Gender-Integrated Support Groups

Sexual assault survivors of all genders can benefit from group support services, helping them connect, share their story, and gain skills to advance healing. This workshop will share the results of in-depth research with experienced all-gender support group facilitators, focusing on their tips and advice for other facilitators.

Presenters: Loree Cook-Daniels, MS., Tristen Taggart

Track: Transgender Conf. Room 408/409

Connecting the Pieces: The Picture May Be Different From What You Think

This workshop will explore the intersection between disability, healthy sexuality, and sexual violence in the intellectual disability and autism communities.

Presenters: Bev Frantz, PhD, Kyla Schultz

Track: Culturally Specific Franklin Hall B-10

Safety in Numbers: Advocates, Researchers, and Corporations Working Together

This workshop will discuss the collaborative work of the National Sexual Violence Resource Center, Urban Institute, and Uber Technologies to develop a taxonomy for customers’ reports of sexual violence. We will highlight our process of collaboration, lessons learned from that collaboration, and advice for others seeking to do similar work.

Presenters: Chad Sniffen, Janine Zweig

Track: RALIANCE Franklin Hall B-8

DAY 3: FRIDAY, AUGUST 23RD

Breakout Session 7 9:15 AM - 10:45 AM

Healthy Relationship Education for Young Adults with ASD

Young adults with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) encounter numerous challenges involving victimization in both social and workplace interactions. This workshop will illustrate many interpersonal concerns for young adults with ASD and present knowledgeable teaching accommodations for self-determination related to healthy relationships, responsible sexual behavior, and sexual harassment.

Presenters: Mary Worthington

Track: Prevention Franklin Hall B-7

Stronger Together: Data Analysis and Data Retreats

When it comes to program evaluation, all too often, data get buried under piles or rushed to provide numbers for a report. We’ll talk about carving out time to analyze data and think intentionally about evaluative practices using data retreats as an example.

Presenters: Maya Pilgrim, Denise Loya

Track: Prevention Franklin Hall B-11

Confidential Services for Incarcerated and Detained Sexual Assault Survivors

This interactive workshop will help victim service providers strengthen confidential support for sexual assault survivors in prisons, jails, and juvenile and immigrant detention centers. We will consider how WAVA confidentiality, victim-advocate privilege, and the Prison Rape Elimination Act Standards addressing confidentiality can impact victim service providers’ work with confined survivors.

Presenters: Carol Schrader

Track: Legal/Policy Conf. Room 305/306

A Pacific Toolkit for the Prevention of Campus Sexual Misconduct

Sexual misconduct has historically been problematic throughout Pacific college campuses. This session will report the findings of the ARCC Campus Climate Survey administered in seven campuses as part of the Pacific Partners Project and feature the PPP culturally competent toolkit developed for the prevention of campus sexual misconduct in the Pacific.

Presenters: Cynthia Cabot, Lisa Linda Natividad, John J. Rivera

Track: Prevention Franklin Hall B-6

SESTA/FOSTA, Sex Workers, and Sexual Assault Advocacy

This workshop will walk us through the law SESTA/FOSTA. We will discuss the nuances of how it affects sex workers differently from victims of sex trafficking. Building skills and developing tools to work with both of these populations in the wake of this new law will be our focus.

Presenters: Michelle Erdman

Track: Human Trafficking Franklin Hall B-5

The Sexuality of Black Women – From ‘Traumatized’ to ‘Empowered’

This workshop provides direct services professionals with an opportunity to more effectively serve Black women survivors of sexual violence. By increasing the understanding of the historical implications connected to the hyper-sexualization of Black women and the Black female form, professionals will have an increased understanding of the population’s needs, and how to better provide trauma-informed, empowerment-based care and clinical support to Black women survivors.

Presenters: Rolanda McCall

Track: Racial Justice Franklin Hall B-12

No More Empty Cups: Creating More Room for Self-Care at Workplaces

“You can’t pour from an empty cup” is a phrase that advocates often hear when they are describing their exposure to the emotional hazards that come with advocacy work. But what if we could go beyond this tired metaphor and give organizations more tools to create vicarious trauma-informed agencies?

Presenters: Trace Fleming-Trice, Sean Creech

Track: Self-Care Salon C

Understanding Ableism in Athletics and Sexual Violence Prevention Efforts in Sport

This workshop is structured to introduce and discuss sexual violence within the world of adaptive sport and how the perpetuation of ableism through prevention efforts in sport can be harmful to the community of people with disability.

Presenters: Ethan Linsky, Brian Piner

Track: RALIANCE Franklin Hall B-5

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Working Intentionally with International and Queer Student Survivors

While most campuses offer programs and services, international and queer students often find their voices left out. Drawing upon their lived experiences, this workshop will address the need for targeted primary prevention and informed direct services for student survivors living at these intersections and outline best practices and tools for inclusive engagement strategies. *Presenters:* Nastia Gorodilova, K Richardson

**Track:** Campus Salon J

**Presenters:** Megan Schroeder, Megan Zurasky

**Track:** Children & Youth

**Franklin Hall B-8**

### Advocating for Each Other: Supporting Survivors in Anti-Rape Work

Advocates show up every day for people who are hurting due to sexual violence. Many of these advocates are survivors themselves. How are our organizations taking care of advocate-survivors? We will take a look at how we build programs that support those who have experienced violence in their own lives. *Presenter:* Shundra Trotty

**Track:** Organizational Development

**Salon I**

**Presenter:** Portia Gordon

**Track:** Medical/Healthcare

**Salon K**

**Presenter:** Nwando Ofokansi

### The Kids We’re Missing: A Strength-Based Approach to Intervention

Children in out-of-home placements have experienced increased rates of trauma, sexual abuse, and exploitation. Despite this, numerous barriers keep them from accessing trauma-based services. Our unique strength-based approach brings our work into the community, providing services to manage trauma and build resilience while fully engaging across the socio-ecological model. *Presenters:* Rhonda Hendrickson, Elsey Szurgot

**Track:** Children & Youth

**Salon J**

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**Track:** Medical/Healthcare

**Franklin Hall B-7**

### Supporting Survivors During Pregnancy and Birth

Trauma-informed care is key to addressing the needs of pregnant and birthing survivors. Advocates can build support during the childbearing year and help healthcare providers in developing trauma-informed care, acknowledging both the challenges that arise from sexual trauma, as well as unique coping skills that survivors bring to the process of childbirth. *Presenter:* Rickey Thorn

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**Salon A**

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### Trauma-Informed Mentoring for Child Victims of Commercial Sexual Exploitation

This workshop examines recruitment tactics of child sex traffickers, risk factors increasing a child’s vulnerability to trafficking, and protective factors lowering risk through the use of trauma-informed mentoring for child victims and youth at risk of trafficking. Early indicators of success through infusing those protective factors will be explored. *Presenters:* Rhonda Hendrickson, Elsey Szurgot

**Track:** Children & Youth

**Salon K**

### The Impact of Childhood Sexual Abuse on Adult Masculinity

This workshop will share the results of a qualitative research study examining the impact of child sexual abuse on the masculinity of adult male survivors. Information from 16 male participants will be shared through a multimedia family presentation utilizing the artwork of a survivor. *Presenter:* Rick Azzaro

**Track:** Counseling

**Salon D**

### The Other Birds and Bees: Discussing Healthy Sexuality with Kids

The #MeToo movement and other national stories have brought conversations about sexual violence to the forefront. Amidst these discussions, it became clear that many adults have deeply rooted ideas that normalize sexual violence. To prevent sexual violence, we need to have these conversations about consent and healthy sexuality with children. *Presenter:* Nwando Ofokansi

**Track:** Prevention

**Salon B**

### Sexual Assault and Direct Victim Services in the Air Force

This workshop will provide insight into the history of sexual assault in the Air Force and demonstrate how certain high-profile events provoked significant policy changes.
changes in the DoD. It will shed light on how the Special Victims’ Counsel (SVC) program was developed to effectively provide comprehensive, independent, legal representation to sexual assault survivors worldwide. **Presenters:** Captain Noah L. Coakley II, Technical Sergeant Jessica Whetstone **Track:** Legal/Policy

Salon L

Sexual Assault as Water Cooler Talk: How to Better Support Survivors Impacted by Media

This workshop will showcase media’s impact on survivors and advocates during a difficult news cycle. Participants will be encouraged to develop methods to predict when individuals would benefit from additional support, critique their organization’s impact on the community, and propose ideas to utilize media in an impactful way. **Presenters:** Rudi Mancilla **Track:** Organizational Development

Franklin Hall B-6

Sexual Healing: I Left, Now What?

This interactive workshop addresses healing techniques and best approaches regarding the short/long-term effects of sexual abuse/trauma after leaving an abusive relationship and/or environment for which the abuse/trauma occurred. **Presenters:** Joyce Kyles

**Track:** Healthy Sexuality

Franklin Hall B-11

Un Bombazo Afro: Black Latinx Wellness Circle

“Rotundamente Negra” poet Shirley Campbell gifted us the language and rhythm of our ancestors. Join us as we affirm our Blackness, build in hermandad, and share Afrocentric wellness strategies. This is a space for ALL Black people from Central and South America and the Spanish and French-speaking Caribbean. **Presenters:** Luz Marquez Benbow, Isa Woldeguiorguis, & Rosa Beltré

**Track:** Imagine a World Without Child Sexual Abuse

Franklin Hall B-9

Enhancing Campus Advocacy Response Through Community Partnership

This workshop will overview how campus advocacy has been enhanced through a partnership with a local rape crisis center. We will discuss how this relationship was maintained after the campus advocate position was rehoused, and the benefits of this relationship will be highlighted along with suggestions for establishing and maintaining similar cross-agency partnerships. **Presenters:** Nichole Mueller, Vanessa M. Reyna

**Track:** Campus

Salon L

United in Mission: Coordinating Intervention and Prevention Efforts

This workshop will discuss areas of critical overlap between prevention and intervention best practices. It will provide practical examples of how agencies can align intervention and prevention work to reduce burnout and maximize impact. Participants will increase their understanding of how prevention and intervention advocates view goals and how to unite their work more effectively. **Presenters:** Lisa Winchell-Caldwell

**Track:** Community Organizing

Franklin Hall B-8

Organizational Transformation: Addressing the Effects of Race, Intersectionality, and Oppression

Not recognizing the effects of race, intersectionality, and oppression is to be complicit in the continued marginalization and traumatization of underrepresented communities. This workshop will unpack the internal work of leaders and staff in addressing the after impacts and challenges to better serve victims and survivors of sexual violence. **Presenters:** Randi Bregman, Angela M. Douglas

**Track:** Racial Justice

Salon C

Nightlife as Social Experiment: Consent Culture After Dark

In this workshop, participants will examine the unique opportunities for preventing sexual assault within local nightlife scenes. With 24HrPHL’s recommended nightlife practices as a guide, we will discuss the challenges and possibilities for making nightlife a safer, more inclusive space — a space not only of vulnerability but also possibility. **Presenters:** L’Oreal McCollum

**Track:** Outreach

Salon A

¿Me Explico?: Integrating a Linguistic Justice Approach to Working with Gender-Based Violence Survivors

This workshop will provide participants with an overarching understanding of the importance of integrating a linguistic justice approach to working with gender-based violence survivors in service and in research. Presenters will discuss the main principles of linguistic justice, as well as strategies to promote the integration of linguistic justice within organizations and systems committed to supporting survivors with limited English proficiency. **Presenters:** Heidi Notario, Dr. Gabriela Lopez Zeron

**Track:** Language Justice

Salon Room 305/306

The Power of Our Bodies: An Empowerment Self-Defense Workshop

Finding the power in our bodies can be healing and empowering. This hands-on, experiential workshop will give participants the opportunity to learn physical and verbal skills that are part of feminist self-defense programs. This intensive workshop is highly interactive and engaging, featuring movement, discussion, small-group work, and pair exercises. **Presenters:** Patti Giggans, Clara Porter

**Track:** Empowerment Self-Defense Alliance

Franklin Hall B-12

Partners in Prevention – Teaming up to Train Soccer Coaches Nationwide

Learn about MOCSA’s partnership with United Soccer Coaches to develop sexual violence prevention tools and trainings for soccer coaches nationwide. This workshop will help participants understand how to build robust and innovative community partnerships to prevent sexual violence and address the opportunities and challenges experienced along the way. **Presenters:** Melanie Austin, Tyler Lumpkin, Lynn Berling-Manuel

**Track:** RALLIANCE

Conf. Room 303/304

Disrupting LGBT Sexual Assault Disparities Where They Start: In Childhood

LGBT SA rates are disproportionately high. LGBT lifelong victimization patterns start with school and family bullying. This workshop will explore how adults — formal advocates or not — can make a substantial and long-lasting difference in the life of bullied LGBT children and youth, potentially disrupting the cycle of victimization. **Presenters:** Loree Cook-Daniels, MS, Tristen Taggart

**Track:** Transgender

Conf. Room 408/409
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Director Nancy Schwartzman and representatives of the sports community.
Ways of Renewal, a Guidebook for Women, by Krisztina Samu, Licensed Acupuncturist, is a newly published book written for survivors and professionals who work with them. In plain language, the book describes specific protocols for treating sexual trauma, from the over-3000-year-old body of knowledge of Oriental Medicine. Also described are other proven adjunctive therapies for body, mind and soul, which help to Clear Sexual Trauma, Balance the Emotions and Resurrect the Spirit. Available on LULU.COM and AMAZON.COM For more info, please email: info@projectacuhope.com

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