Colleagues

Welcome to this 3rd edition of our CARE Newsletter. We’re endeavouring to keep you informed about all the exciting and excellent work going on in our Research Centre. It’s been another brilliant month of activity with more to come. As always if there are any omissions do let us know and we will include them in the next instalment. Also, if you have any suggestions for improvements please let us know. Please keep the news flowing.

Philip Brown

Conferences & Events

Chris Birkbeck attended the third international conference on 'Statistics for Governance, Crime and Security' organised by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and the Mexican Institute for Geography and Information in Mérida, Mexico, between June 6 and June 10. Chris gave a paper on 'International and Latin American Experiences with Self-Report Surveys on Delinquency'.

Jenna Murray de López attended the European Society for Health and Medical Sociology (ESHMS) Biennial Conference, Geneva, June 27-29th (presenting a paper and chairing a panel on ‘Challenging Risk Culture in the Context of pregnancy, birth and postnatal period’ and is due to present a paper the Network of Iberoamerican Anthropologists (AIBR), 2nd International Congress, Barcelona, Sept. 2016

In the spirit of our ICZ’s members of the Social Work Directorate Practice Learning Team Gabi Hesk, Allison Coleman, Su McCaughan, Andrea Stanley, Marie Shahin and Caroline Davies have been collaborating with employers Social Care Network Ltd (SCN) on enhancing our students knowledge and practice in recording skills with the use of Electronic management Information systems. Together with SCN they were invited to present at the Higher Education Academy's Health and Social Care Conference held in Glasgow in February this year on 'Collaboration Project to Embed Skills for Employability'.
Gabi Hesk and her colleague Carl Chandra from London Metropolitan University were invited to present at the Higher Education Academy’s Health and Social Care Conference to co-present Innovative Collaboration with students, lecturers and the community.

Ian Cummins attended the British Society of Criminology Policing Network Research Showcase – Ryton May to present two projects with GMP – mental health triage and Salford Missing from Home (Kate Parkinson leads on this project) and a Home Office event on June 16th relating to current research in policing to discuss Salford Missing from Home.

Dr Elizabeth Collier presented a poster at the RCN Older People’s forum and BGS joint conference, Multi-disciplinary team working in community settings on 14 April 2016 on behalf of the research team (Celeste Foster Senior lecturer (mental health), Tracee Holmes, Katie Sutton & Ben Jones Student mental health nurses) (unfunded study) which is a collaboration with pre reg mental health nursing students.

In relation to Ian Cummin’s Conversation article marking 50 years since the sentencing of Brady and Hindley, Ian was interviewed on radio and TV.

Awards

Big congratulations!

The Greater Manchester Kidney Information Network (GMKIN), set up by academics Dr Cristina Vasilica, Postdoctoral Research Fellow and Prof Paula Ormandy, Professor in Long Term Conditions at the University of Salford, along with the Hope Kidney Patient Association, has won the Innovation Champion award for best use of social media at the NHS Health Education England Adult Learners’ Week Awards. For more information: http://staff.salford.ac.uk/cms/newsitem/5319

Harold Riley Awards for Community Engagement 2015-16: The winner was The User and Carers Partnerships Team (Dr Julie Wray, Dr Elizabeth Collier, Dr Michelle Howarth, Maureen McMahon, Dr Celia Hynes, Mel Rushton, Dr Mary Braine.) This is an outstanding project which has demonstrated longevity and sustainability which has tuned into the topical issue of the need to involve users and carers to improve their experiences, knowledge and ensure their voices are embedded in learning and practice. http://staff.salford.ac.uk/newsitem/5317

And congratulations to all who were nominated, contributed and shortlisted in the VC awards: http://staff.salford.ac.uk/newsitem/5294

People

We welcome two new esteemed Professorial appointments within the School.

Professor Ben Light returns to the University of Salford from Queensland University of Technology, Brisbane. To take up a role as Chair in Digital Society.

Professor Anthea Innes joins the School to take up a leading role as the Coles-Medlock Director of the Salford Institute for Dementia and our first Professor of Dementia more on Anthea’s background and interests can be found here http://staff.salford.ac.uk/newsitem/5310
Projects

SHUSU's Lisa Scullion and Katy Jones presented first wave findings of the Welfare Conditionality: Sanctions, Support and Behaviour Change project to an audience of policy makers, practitioners, academics and welfare service users at launch event on Friday 17th June at MediaCityUK. The event, organised by Lisa and Katy and support by the University of Salford’s Making Research Count, formed one of a series of high profile events taking place across England and Scotland to launch the first wave findings of the research. The guest speakers included Cllr Sean Anstee, Leader of Trafford Council, Catherine Connors, Salford Council, Professor Peter Dwyer, University of York and Malcolm Gardner, The Welfare Reform Club. Dr Scullion, who chaired the event, said the following: “This event was a recognition of the University of Salford’s involvement in this important project. But more importantly, it was an opportunity for the research findings to feed into, and help shape, the Greater Manchester agenda around work and welfare”. Outputs from the event can be accessed here http://hub.salford.ac.uk/mrc/mrcevents/welfare-conditionality/

Papers/Books published

Bennett, M., Collier, E. (2016) A qualitative study of the perspectives of people diagnosed with schizophrenia of their physical health risks and needs. Nursing Times In press

Braine, ME and Cook, NF 'The Glasgow coma scale and evidence-informed practice : a critical review of where we are and where we need to be' , Journal Of Clinical Nursing . (In Press)


Cummins, I (2016) From Hero of the Counterculture to Risk Assessment A Consideration of Two Portrayals of the “Psychiatric Patient” Illness, Crisis & Loss 0(0) pp1-13


**Student News**

**Jenna Murray-de-Lopez** successfully (and apparently enjoyably) defended her PhD thesis last week. Her thesis is entitled 'Becoming (M) other: political economy and maternal transition in urban Chiapas’. Well done Jenna!

**Seminars**

6th July 2016, 1pm – 2pm, Allerton A128

Prof Christopher Birkbeck: Truth Commissions and the Wrong Equipment for Living

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/truth-commissions-and-the-wrong-equipment-for-living-tickets-26323475223

18th July 2016, 2pm - 3pm, Mary Seacole MS3.02

Dr Emily Keddell (Senior Lecturer): *Like water on a rock: using academic privilege and social media to dispute dominant doxa*


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