

American University of Sovereign Nations



Ethics and Public Health in the Americas and Asia

Open Invitation – All are Welcome -- Free lunch

8:00 - 17:30 Saturday, 28 November 2015

On behalf of over 60 faculty and 100 students from more than 30 countries around the world we welcome you! American University of Sovereign Nations (AUSN) is on the sovereign land of the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community (SRPMIC), <u>8840 East Chaparral Rd</u>, Suite 285, Scottsdale, AZ 85250.

There is no cost to join this Workshop, and everyone is welcome to join!

Agenda*

8:00 Thanksgiving, Bioethics and Public Health in Asia and the Americas

 Professor Darryl Macer, Ph.D., Hon.D., Provost, AUSN; Former UNESCO Regional Adviser; Director, Eubios Ethics Institute, Aotearoa/New Zealand

9:00 Challenges in the Gay, Lesbian and Transgender Native American community

 Ms. Endreya McCabe, Delaware Tribe, AUSN Sovereign Nations Scholar, Vice-President, AUSN Students Association

9:45 Responses to the 2015 Nepal Earthquake and Public Health in Disasters

• Mr. Rajendra Khadka, Ministry of Health and Population, Nepal

10:30 Elements that Define a Strong Support System to Native Americans

• Ms. Lata Sitake, AUSN Sovereign Nations Scholar, Tonga; Dakota nation

^{*} There may be additional lectures added to the agenda. There will be papers and amble discussion time.

11:15 Reducing Inequalities Reduces Suicides for American Indians and Alaskan Natives

 Carmela Marie Roybal, Tewa Nation, University of New Mexico; AUSN Sovereign Nation Scholar, USA

General Discussion

12:30 – 13:15 Lunch Break (Free in the room - provided by Lincoln Center for Applied Ethics, Arizona State University)

13:15 Ethics in Nepal and Roles of the Nepal Health Research Council

 Dr Khem B Karki, MBBS, MPH, MA, Member Secretary cum Executive Chief, Nepal Health Research Council, Government of Nepal

14:15 Is Public Health a Moral Imperative?

 Professor Jason Scott Robert, PhD, Lincoln Chair in Ethics; Senior Ethics Advisor to the University Provost; Director, Lincoln Center for Applied Ethics, Arizona State University (ASU)

15:15 Happiness: The lost Essence of Education

 Professor Lara López-Hernáez, Ph.D., International University of La Rioja, Spain; AUSN Visiting Professor of Mindfulness and Childhood Psychology

Exercise in Mindfulness

16:15 Ethical Debates Associated with HPV Vaccination in Youth

 Dr. Mary Drago, Program Manager, Lincoln Center for Applied Ethics, Arizona State University (ASU)

17:00 Discussion of Follow-up

Venue: 8840 East Chaparral Rd, Suite 285, Scottsdale, AZ 85250, USA (Just off the 101 freeway, head West to Chaparral on first turn - opposite Wallmart – ample free parking). Email: provost@ausn.info; Mobile Tel. +949-439-9307

Free attendance - but for catering we would appreciate an email before to Dr. Darryl Macer, Email: provost@ausn.info

AUSN is the first University in USA on sovereign land to offer a MPH program (in 2014). Our most popular Master's degree in the Masters in Bioethics and Global Public Health. Our first graduates are working in countries all around the world! Workshop attendance counts as postgraduate credit for AUSN degrees.

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