

MCUAAAR Mondays

July 18, 2022

To reduce the number of messages sent out to the MCUAAAR 5 Listserv, if you send me the kind of information found below, I will compile it and send it out on “MCUAAAR Mondays”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

DATA & DESIGN CORE

RESEARCH INCUBATOR PROGRAM



New Research Incubator Program Launched

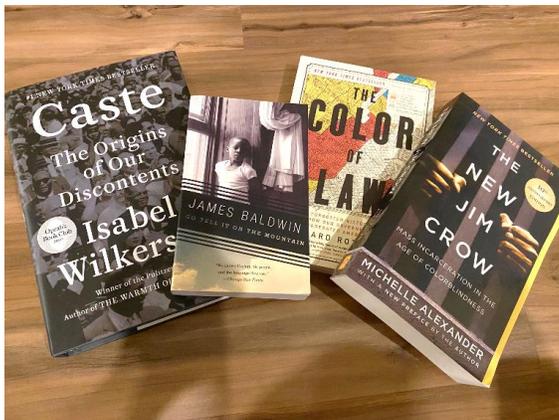
Dr. Briana Mezuk is co-leading the Data & Design Core at the newly re-launched Eisenberg Family Depression Center (EFDC). EFDC is now an

autonomous, interdisciplinary, University-wide research Center. The Data & Design Core’s Research Incubator Program is a multifaceted program designed to offer hands-on support to accelerate the research activity of early-career investigators affiliated with the Eisenberg Family Depression Center. Early-career investigators have many creative research questions that have potential to substantially advance the field of depression research. Yet, there are often many hurdles in developing an impactful research program - including navigating resources, limited mentorship and lack of a dedicated research staff and protected time. The Research Incubator program addresses many of these gaps, so that early-career investigators can make high-impact research advances more quickly and efficiently.

For more information – <https://www.depressioncenter.org/research-incubator-program>

To be considered for the first program cohort, please apply by August 22nd, 2022

Note - The program is open to all pre-tenure trainees and faculty from across University of Michigan.



Books Provided to MCUAAAR/PRBA Summer Mentoring Workshop Participants

Dr. Robert J. Taylor and Dr. Amanda Woodward coordinated 22 faculty mentors for a 3-Day Summer Mentoring Workshop for Advanced Doctoral Students (June 7th – 9th). A total of 84 students participated June 7th – 9th. Special sessions were included for those doing research on African American populations and those doing research on Latinx populations. We were able to provide books this year to summer program participants. The books were tailored to the type of program. Below are some of their tweets after receiving the books.

Thank you @TheMCUAAAR @PRBA_ISR for stocking my summer reading list

So excited to have received the books from @TheMCUAAAR

Ngl, I teared up when I saw the title “Citizens but not Americans” because that’s how I feel. Ni de aquí, ni de allá.



CONGRATULATIONS!

Dr. Karen Lincoln for being Selected as the 2022 James Jackson Memorial Award Recipient!!!

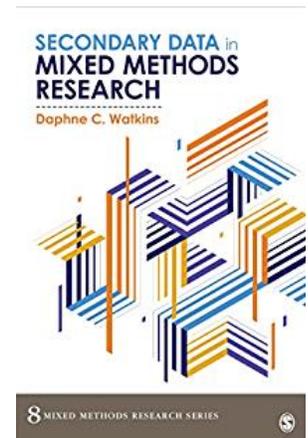


Karen D. Lincoln, Ph.D., M.S.W., M.A., FGSA, is an Associate Professor in the Suzanne Dworak-Peck School of Social Work at the University of Southern California. She is a social worker and sociologist with expertise in societal and social determinants of health and well-being among Black Americans. As a social scientist, she focuses on the social, psychosocial, and public health factors related to mental health disparities. As a researcher, Dr. Lincoln grapples with issues that are locally, regionally, and nationally meaningful to achieve health equity within a generation.

The James Jackson Memorial Award Lecture will be July 27th. See info under Events.

Dr. Daphne Watkins on your New Book!!!

Secondary Data in Mixed Methods Research by Daphne C. Watkins, PhD, the latest contribution to the Mixed Methods Research Series, offers unique and necessary instruction in this growing topic. With the increasing amount of secondary data available through journals and repositories, researchers have a trove of sources for new investigations at their fingertips, but few books to guide them. This brief text provides readers with a step-by-step procedure for incorporating secondary data into various mixed methods research designs, as well as identifying key characteristics of existing datasets that make them good candidates for mixed methods projects and giving ideas for new uses of secondary data. Introductory chapters help the reader understand the “what” and “why” of secondary data. Subsequent chapters address the use of secondary data in convergent, exploratory sequential, explanatory sequential, and other complex research designs. The final chapters delve into writing and reporting on projects before, during, and after the project.



For more information - <https://us.sagepub.com/en-us/nam/secondary-data-in-mixed-methods-research/book258160>

EVENTS

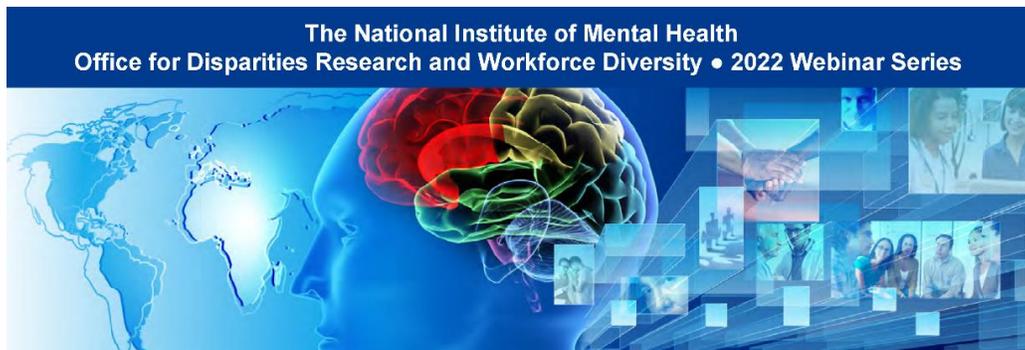


The Hubert M. Blalock Memorial Lecture Series: Advanced Topics in Social Research

This is a special lecture series covering advanced topics on the frontier in quantitative methods of social research. Some of this material draws upon recent work in fields such as applied statistics, econometrics, computer science, and mathematical modeling. This series is dedicated to the late Hubert "Tad" Blalock, whose scholarship, integrity, insight, and wit benefited all the social sciences through his work in applied statistics, causal modeling, theory construction, conceptualization, and measurement. The lectures are completely virtual, free, and open to the public. All lectures will be held from 7:30-9:00 pm ET. The following seemed most relevant for MCUAAAR:

Date	Presenter	Title	Registration link
<u>7/19/2022</u>	Ken Langa	Using the Health and Retirement Study for Research on Aging in the United States	https://myumi.ch/Z61Xp
8/2/2022	Amy Pienta	The New NIH Data Sharing Policy	https://myumi.ch/bR1e7
8/4/2022	Kyrani Reneau	Best Practices in Data Management	https://myumi.ch/n8ezR

James Jackson Memorial Award Lecture – Dr. Karen Lincoln Awardee



Wednesday, July 27, 2022
12:00 – 2:00pm ET

The National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) recently announced that Karen D. Lincoln, Ph.D., MSW, MA, FGSA, has been selected as the 2022 winner of the James Jackson

Memorial Award. The NIMH James Jackson Memorial Award was established in 2021 to honor outstanding researchers who have demonstrated exceptional individual achievement and leadership in mental health disparities research and excellence in mentorship, influence, and support of trainees.

This interactive webinar will feature Dr. Lincoln's research lecture, audience Q&A session, and remarks from NIMH senior leadership, the Disparities Team, the previous year's winner, and Dr. Jackson's family.

For more information – <https://www.odwdwebinars.org/july-27-2022/>
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