We are pleased to announce the hiring of two new faculty members, who will bring a great deal of experience to the doctoral program: **Steven K. Huprich, PhD** and **John Porcerelli, PhD, ABPP**.

**Dr. Huprich** most recently served as the Director of Clinical Training at Wichita State University. He received his doctorate from the University of North Carolina-Greensboro in 1999. He was a Professor of Psychology at Eastern Michigan University prior to serving as DCT at Wichita State. He is the editor of the *Journal of Personality Assessment*.

**Dr. Procerelli** was most recently Director of Behavioral Medicine and Research at Wayne State University Family Medicine Residency/Crittenton Hospital. He received his PhD from the University of Detroit in 1990 and is board certified in clinical psychology and in health psychology.

Both of them have extensive records of high quality research and also bring a great deal of clinical experience and expertise, a rare combination. Please join us in welcoming them to UDM!
Alumni News

We provide a forum for alumni to let the Doctoral Program community know what you’re doing. If you’d like to let us know what professional activities you have been involved with and to share pertinent information with your colleagues, then go to the link:
http://www.surveygizmo.com/s3/990255/3272906f1cad

You could also send alumni news to the program via email: phdclinicalpsychology@udmercy.edu. If you know of any alumni who did not receive a copy of the newsletter, please feel free to forward a copy to them and encourage them to get in touch with us, so that we can update the alumni database.


Lavonda Mickens, Ph.D. (2010) was promoted to Associate Professor of Psychology at the Chicago School of Professional Psychology in Los Angeles, CA.

Hailey Hegland, PhD (2014) and Lavonda Mickens, PhD (2010) joined students John Jones, MA and Shriley Rosario-Perez, MA for dinner at the most recent Convention of the American Psychological Association in Denver, CO. They shared their experiences of internship and life after obtaining the PhD!

Mark your calendars!

Annual UDM Doctoral Program Picnic

Saturday September 17, 2016

William G. Milliken State Park and Harbor

Faculty, Students, Practicum/Internship Directors, Clinic Supervisors, and Alumni are welcome to attend
Pamela J Hartmann, PhD (1997) Creates Fund to Help Students Present Research

The UDM doctoral Program is pleased to announce the creation of the Hartmann Professional Development Fund, which has been made possible by the generous donation from UDM Program alum, Pamela J. Hartmann, Ph.D. Pamela J. Hartmann, Ph.D. (Clinical Psychology), established the Pamela J. Hartmann, Ph.D. Professional Development Fund at the University of Detroit Mercy in support of the overall long-range goals of the program which emanate from our training model and are directed toward the training of professional clinical psychologists who demonstrate and practice: 1) professional competence and adaptability; 2) ethical standards and sensitivity to social justice; 3) scholarly contributions to the field of psychology; and 4) provide service to the community.

The Pamela J. Hartmann, Ph.D. Professional Development Fund promotes students’ professional development in their quest to make scholarly contributions to the field. Funds may be used to cover expenses such as, but not limited to, conference registration fees, travel, lodging, and production of necessary materials (i.e., posters) for scholarly presentations.

Dr. Pamela J. Hartmann earned a MA in 1995 and a Ph.D. in 1997 in Clinical Psychology at the University of Detroit Mercy and is dedicated to offering high-quality mental health care to the Detroit metropolitan area. She specializes in the treatment of autistic spectrum disorders, eating disorders, as well as depression, anxiety, postpartum depression, dyslexia and attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) in children and adults. She has worked with children, teens and adults using a combination of methods, including play therapy, psychodynamic, cognitive-behavioral and interpersonal psychotherapy; has counseled couples, families and groups; and is professionally licensed to administer psychological testing.

With a heartfelt commitment to ensuring Detroit Mercy’s Clinical Psychology Doctoral Program students have access to professional development opportunities and make meaningful scholarly contributions to the field, Dr. Hartmann established this fund to offset expenses associated with such opportunities. The typical funding level is determined by the Program Director based on the needs of the students and funds available. Others may contribute to the fund.
Visiting Professor 2016
Andrea Celenza, Ph.D.

Andrea Celenza, Ph.D. is a Training and Supervising Analyst at the Boston Psychoanalytic Society and Institute, a member of the Faculty, Massachusetts Institute for Psychoanalysis, and Assistant Clinical Professor at Harvard Medical School. She also serves as Co-Director of a blended, online program in Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy sponsored by the Massachusetts School of Professional Psychology.

She has authored and presented numerous papers on the evaluation and treatment of therapists who have engaged in sexual misconduct and authored *Sexual Boundary Violations: Therapeutic, Supervisory and Academic Contexts* (Aronson, 2007). Her recent book, *Erotic Revelations* is on erotic transferences and countertransferences, using one’s countertransference to further inform the treatment. She is in private practice in Lexington, Massachusetts.

MacKenzie Kostizen, Doctoral Student in Clinical Psychology, presented her psychotherapy case for discussion. Ms. Kostizen will undertake her first external practicum experience at Oakland University Graham Counseling Center during the 2016-17 academic year.

The Michigan Psychoanalytic Institute brings a Visiting Professor of Psychoanalysis to Michigan in March or April of each year for a week-long series of talks and case conferences with the students and faculty at the local universities. The presentation at UDM is co-sponsored by the UDM Psychology Clinic. Previous Visiting Scholars include Otto Kernberg, Jacob Arlow, Charles Brenner, Mark Solms, Peter Fonagy, Owen Renick, Kenneth Corbett, Nancy Chodorow, and Leo Rangell, amongst many others. The program serves to strengthen collaborative relationships with academic and other allied institutions.
Libby Balter Blume, professor of psychology from the College of Liberal Arts and Education, received the Faculty Excellence Award in November. This prestigious honor is given to a faculty member who demonstrates excellence as a teacher and scholar and places this person among the most outstanding faculty members at the University.

Blume joined Mercy College of Detroit in 1987 in the Child Development Program. In her 28 years at UDM, she has written and co-authored numerous books, peer-reviewed articles, editorials, introductions to special issues, conference proceedings and made presentations at various state and national conferences. In 2014, she was chosen to serve as editor-in-chief of the Journal of Family Theory and Review.

Blume also serves on community advisory boards and is a mentor to junior faculty and a source of help and support to undergraduate majors in Developmental Psychology.

Please join us in congratulating the following students for their postdoctoral fellowships

**Postdoctoral Fellowships 2016-17**

**Menatalla Ads**: Pediatric Behavioral Health at Cleveland Clinic Children’s Hospital (Cleveland, OH)

**Abir Aldhalimi**: Stanford University School of Medicine (Stanford, CA)

**Stacey Halverson**: Texas Scottish Rite Hospital: Pediatric Psychology (Dallas, TX)

**Adnan Jaber**: Eastern Michigan University Counseling Center (Ypsilanti, MI)

**Mindee Juve**: Battle Creek VA (Battle Creek, MI)

**Anthony McMahon**: Premier Behavioral Health Services (Mentor, OH)

**Zhana Rozenberg**: South Florida State Hospital (Fort Lauderdale, FL)

**Emilia Shinne**: Loma Linda Veteran Affairs Medical Center in the Posttraumatic Stress Disorder emphasis area. (Loma Linda, CA)

**Arthur Unzueta**: Arroyos Treatment Center (Pasadena, CA)
Working Alliances

**Distinguished Student Research Award 2016**

Menatalla Ads, Ph.D.
Abir Aldhalimi, Ph.D.
Stacey Halverson, Ph.D.

The doctoral program was proud to announce three recipients for the Distinguished Student Research Award for 2016. All three students had excellent research records.

Dr. Ads’ dissertation was titled: “Family Socialization, Cultural Identity Formation, and Spirituality as Protective Factors for Arab American Adolescents’ Perceived Discrimination and Acculturative Stress”, and her chair was Libby Balter Blume, PhD. Dr. Blume notes, “I have found Mena’s research skills to be extremely impressive. She not only has taught statistics in our department, Mena is a peer reviewer for Journal of Family Theory & Review which I edit. Her reviews demonstrate a thorough knowledge of content and constructive advice for authors, indicative of her writing skill.”

Dr. Aldhalimi’s dissertation was titled Epigenetic Methylation in PTSD as Moderated by Trauma Exposure in Refugees, and Elizabeth Hill, PhD, was her chair. Dr. Hill notes her “…exceptional research activity as research assistant on grant-funded project at WSU and a unique and well-done dissertation.”

Dr. Halverson’s dissertation was titled: “The Relationship Between Measures of Serotonin and Behaviors Related to Autism Spectrum Disorder in Early Childhood,” and Barry Dauphin, PhD, was her chair. Dr. Dauphin notes that, “Stacey’s dissertation was exemplary and she distinguished herself with a wide variety of research projects during the program.”
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**Publications**


Lee, Yen Ju, Greene, Harold H., Tsai, Chia, W. & Chou, Yu J. (2016). Differences in Sequential Eye Movement Behavior...


Faculty Presentations


Huprich, S. K. (2016, May). Personality pathology in the health care system: Ongoing needs for detection and intervention. Presentation to the Department of Family Medicine, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI.


LaLonde C, Cogan R, Markova T, Porcerelli JH. Object Relations Inventory: A Multi-method Validity Study with...
Urban Women Using Primary Care. Annual Convention of the Society for Personality Assessment, Brooklyn, NY, March 8, 2015. [1st Place at the Poster Competition]


Porcerelli, JH. (Invited; Visiting Professor) Training mental health professionals to work collaboratively with primary care physicians: Lessons learned from the other “WSU.” Department of Psychology, Wichita State University, April 7, 2015.

Porcerelli, JH. (Invited; Visiting Professor) Integrating behavioral health and primary care. Department of Family and Community Medicine, University of Kansas Medical School, April 8, 2015.


Porcerelli JH (Chair), Dauphin VB. Assessing Level of Personality Organization with the Psychodynamic Checklist for PDM2. Annual Convention of the Society for Personality Assessment, Chicago, IL, March 12, 2016.


Faculty News

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Barry Dauphin, Ph.D. ABPP, received board certification for Psychoanalysis in Psychology from the American Board of Professional Psychology (ABPP) on April 8, 2016.

Cheryl Munday, Ph.D. was promoted to Professor of Psychology on May 2, 2016.

John Porcerelli, Ph.D., ABPP became a Fellow of the American Psychological Association.


Zimmerman-Oster, K., Passino, B., Brown, R. (2016). Students Perceptions of Drug Use - Quantitative Results of the Michigan Profile for Healthy Youth and Qualitative Results from Youth Focus Groups, Presentation, March, 2016, Barry County Substance Abuse Task Force monthly meeting.

Zimmerman-Oster, K., Passino, B., Brown, R. (2016). Students and Staff Perceptions of After School Programing Outcomes, Qualitative Results from Youth, Staff, and Teacher Surveys and Focus Groups, Presentation, April, 2016, Hamtramck Public Schools - HOPE Program.


Linda Slowik, Ph.D., Psychology Department Chair, hosted a Christmas party.

A fun time for all!
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**Latoya Taylor**, MA received *Honorable Mention* for the 2016 American Psychological Association Minority Fellowship Program. Honorable Mention distinguishes her as an outstanding candidate with great potential as a future psychologist.
Donating to the Pamela J Hartmann, PhD Professional Development Fund

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Donations will be used to support dissertation research, student travel to conferences for presentation of research, program receptions and other activities to support student progress in the program.

We’re on Facebook.

We’ve created a Facebook page for the program to help students, alumni and faculty stay connected. If you would like to be added to our Facebook group, search for the UDM PhD Clinical Psychology Program and ask to be added.
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