May 2023 Newsletter

Dear PISCE Community,

We hope you had a wonderful holiday weekend! After a bustling Spring filled with events, we have much to share.

We hosted two exciting guests in the last month! Dr. Dennis Li from Northwestern University joined PISCE and the CFAR iSPHERE working group for a lecture focusing on HIV and implementation science. If you were not able to attend, you can watch here. Continuing our series on community partnership, Dr. Cynthia Gonzalez from Charles Drew University gave a lecture titled "If you're not at the table, you're on the menu: reflections on participatory engagement at the intersection of theory and practice," which may be viewed here.

We are eagerly anticipating our last event until the Fall semester: a panel on June 22, co-hosted with LDI, featuring leaders in implementation science from across the University. We look forward to gathering in-person to discuss the past, present, and future of implementation science at Penn.

Wishing you and yours a great Summer!

Be well,
The PISCE@LDI Leadership Team

PISCE Upcoming Events

June WIP Meeting

Monday, June 12, 2023 from 12-1pm (EDT)
Hybrid

Beth Leong Pineles, MD, PhD
Assistant Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology at the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania
Senior Fellow, Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics
Senior Scholar, Center for Clinical Epidemiology and Biostatistics (CCEB)

LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED TO IN-PERSON ATTENDEES

RSVP to attend

Are you Penn/CHOP faculty and interested in adding an implementation science lens or aim(s) to your research project?

Our hybrid WIP meetings will pause for the months of July and August, resuming in September!

Sign up to present

Implementation Science at Penn Past, Present and Future

A panel with Drs. Meghan Lane-Fall, John Kimberly, and Karen Glanz moderated by Dr. Rachel Werner

Thursday, June 22, 2023 from 12-1pm
In-person

PISCE and LDI are so excited to invite you to join us for a lunchtime panel on implementation science at Penn. Stay tuned for more information on the location. In the meantime, fill out this form if you plan on attending!
Save the Date!

PISCE@LDI Fall Luncheon

with Michael Mann

Wednesday, September 13, 2023 from 12-1pm

In-person

PISCE is thrilled to announce our first Fall luncheon with a lecture from renowned climate scientist, Dr. Michael Mann. More information is forthcoming.

Dr. Mann is a Presidential Distinguished Professor in the department of earth and environmental science, with a secondary appointment in the Annenberg School for Communication. He is also the inaugural director of a new Penn Center for Science, Sustainability, and the Media (PCSSM), a Perry World House faculty fellow, a fellow at the Kleinman Center for Energy Policy, and an Annenberg Public Policy Center distinguished research fellow.

Publications by Penn/CHOP Researchers


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Training Opportunities and Conferences

**Penn Implementation Science Institute**

**Dates:** June 6-9, 2023 (12-5Ppm)  
**Location:** Online

The purpose of the Implementation Science Institute is to provide participants with the tools to design and execute rigorous implementation science research. Learn more [here](#).

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**HPR 6210 (Penn): Advanced Topics in Implementation Science in Health**

**Dates:** Thursdays from 12-2:50pm, Summer Term II, 2023  
**Location:** Online
This seminar course offers an opportunity for students to advance their understanding of the thorniest methodological challenges in implementation science. Broadly, topics include study design, study execution, and tensions in the field. The intention will be for attendees to directly apply their learnings to their ongoing or proposed implementation research. **This half-credit course is intended for those who have already been exposed to the foundational content of implementation science.** This can be achieved via HPR 6110, the Penn Implementation Science Institute, or other training opportunities (such as the NIH TIDIRH/TIDIRC or mentored K awards).

**Prerequisites:** Must obtain permission by instructor. **This course is part of the IS certificate curriculum.**

**Admission is open to ALL. Penn tuition rates will apply for those who are not affiliated with Penn.**

**Course Directors:** Meghan Lane-Fall, MD, MSHP, FCCM

**Credit(s):** 0.5

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**Penn Implementation Science Certificate**

**Fall 2023**

Apply for the Implementation Science Certificate! Current degree-enrolled students and nonstudents are both eligible to apply. **Admission is open to ALL.** Click [here](#) to register.

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**Conferences**

**Colorado Pragmatic Research in Health Conference (COPRH Con)**

**Dates:** June 5-6, 2023

**Location:** Hybrid - University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus and online
COPRH Con, a national conference hosted by The Adult and Child Center for Outcomes Research and Delivery Science (ACCORDS), trains and engages researchers in methods and applications that support research for real-world impact.

In 2023, COPRH Con offers two days of didactic and interactive content on Methods and Perspectives for Assessing Evidence and Generating and Applying Evidence for Change in pragmatic research. Attendees can expect to learn about topics such as the evidence spectrum, reporting the quality of evidence, and when evidence is ready to put into practice.

16th Annual D&I Conference

_Raising Expectations for D&I Science: Challenges and Opportunities_

**Dates:** December 10-13, 2023  
**Location:** Crystal Gateway Marriott, Arlington, VA

This year's conference will concentrate on methodological progress, including areas needing growth, and continuing to advance the empirical and theoretical base for both experimental and observational research across the globe.

Now accepting [abstracts](#)! Submit by 5pm (ET) on July 18, 2023.

Research and Funding Opportunities

**Notice of Special Interest (NOSI): Administrative Supplement to Support the NCI Cancer Prevention-Interception Targeted Agent Discovery Program (CAP-IT) Research**

**Deadline:** 06-Jul-2023  
**Funding:** National Cancer Institute/NIH/DHHS; $200,000 USD

**RFA-NS-24-015 -- HEAL Initiative Partnerships to Advance INterdisciplinary (PAIN) Training in Clinical Pain Research: The HEAL PAIN Cohort Program (T90/R90 Independent Clinical Trial Not Allowed)**

**Deadline:** 11-Aug-2023 [Optional][LOI/Pre-App]  
**Funding:** National Institutes of Health/DHHS; Not Specified
HIV Prevention and Alcohol (R01 Clinical Trials Optional)
**Deadline:** 07-Sep-2023
**Funding:** National Institutes of Health/DHHS; Not Specified

HIV Prevention and Alcohol (R34 Clinical Trials Optional)
**Deadline:** 07-Sep-2023
**Funding:** National Institutes of Health/DHHS; $450,000 USD

Notice of Special Interest (NOSI): Alzheimer’s-Focused Administrative Supplements for NIH Grants that are Not Focused on Alzheimer’s Disease
**Deadline:** 02-Oct-2023
**Funding:** National Institutes of Health/DHHS; $250,000 USD