

Special Thanks

... to all the committee members, the American College of Epidemiology, all of our invited speakers, but most of all ... YOU, our guests! See you in 2018!

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Minority Affairs Committee Workshop

“The Role of Equity in Shaping
Precision Public Health”

Saturday, September 22, 2018
12-5pm

University of Cincinnati Campus in the
Medical Sciences Building and at the
Cincinnati Children’s Hospital
Medical Center (CCHMC).

Workshop Schedule

Welcome to the 2018 Annual Minority Affairs Workshop! We sincerely hope that you will enjoy this year's workshop, which we designed with the following goals and objectives in mind:

Goals: Introduce epidemiologists to Precision Public Health and how it applies to health equity. The content will be aimed at the pre-doctoral level, but will be appropriate for investigators at any level who are interested in learning about systems and disparities science.

Objectives: (1) understand the complex strengths and limitations of epidemiologic thinking and methods related to health disparities research in the US in the framework of precision public health. (2) understand how biostatistics and causality are intimately tied to health disparities research and can be applied to precision public health.

The Minority Affairs Committee assesses the status of minorities in the College and in the profession, and the role of the College in promoting increased minority representation in epidemiology; recommends actions to increase research on health concerns of minority populations. We welcome all interested individuals to become members of the committee. For more information about becoming a member of the MAC, please email Bertha Hidalgo, bhidalgo@uab.edu.

Welcome

12:00-12:45	Lunch
12:30-12:35	Bertha Hidalgo, MPH, PhD (UAB) – MAC Chair Welcome
12:35-12:45	Julie Smith-Gagen, PhD MAC Vice Chair Workshop Intro
12:45-1:45 (45 min + 15 min Q&A)	James Wilson, MD <i>Director, Nevada Medical Intelligence Center University of Nevada, Reno</i> The use of intelligence to determine attribution of the 2010 Haiti cholera disaster
1:45-2:45 (45 min + 15 min Q&A)	Travis Loux, PhD <i>College for Public Health and Social Justice at Saint Louis University</i> Causal Inference in Health Inequity Research: Defining the Question and Role of Covariates
2:45-3:00	Break
3:00-4:00 (45 min + 15 min Q&A)	Bethany Bray, PhD <i>Associate Director of the Methodology Center at Pennsylvania State University</i> Increasing Health Equity Using Innovative Design and Analysis Tools from The Methodology Center at Penn State
4:00-5:00 (45 min + 15 min Q&A)	Bertha Hidalgo Genomics, Cardiometabolic Disease, and Implementation Science: Piecing Together the Precision Health Puzzle