

Friday, May 3, 2024



# 2024 Annual Colloquium on Qualitative Health Sciences Research

May 3rd, 2024  
10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Central Time  
Hudson College of Public Health, CHB 150  
801 NE 13th St, Oklahoma City, OK 73104

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Hudson College of Public Health, Room CHB150,  
801 NE 13th Street Oklahoma City, OK 73104

**10:00 – 10:05 am** WELCOME

**10:05 – 10:55 am** **Keynote Address: "Using a two eyed seeing approach in collaborative qualitative research"**

Nicolette Teufel-Shone, PhD, *Northern Arizona University*

**10:55 – 11:15 am** **Promoting youth-led sexual and reproductive health research: A qualitative research training program in Kisumu, Kenya \***

Paige Logan, Rhoda Musungu, & Louisa Ndunyu,  
*University of California, San Francisco & Maseno University*

**11:15 – 11:35 am** **"It's not as much of a struggle right now as it has been:" Metaphor use by women with chronic health conditions**

Hann Bingham Brunner, MA, ABD PhD, *Oklahoma State University*

**11:35 – 12:35 pm** LUNCH

**11:55 – 12:35 pm** POSTER SESSION

**12:35 – 12:55 pm** **Qualitative insights on tobacco control from community stakeholders in rural California: Strategies, barriers, and policy implementation \***

Natalie Beylin, MA, BS, *University of California, Merced*

**12:55 – 1:15 pm** **Exploring quality of life among ethnically diverse black prostate cancer survivors: A constructivist grounded theory study**

Motolani Ogunsanya, DPh, PhD, *University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center*

**1:15 – 1:35 pm** **Truth-telling as empowerment for sexual and/or gender minoritized adults in Oklahoma \***

Sabrina Islam, PhD, *University of California, San Francisco*

**1:35 – 1:55 pm** **A grounded theory of enduring involuntary childlessness in couples with infertility \***

Taylor Grube, PhD, RN, *Moravian University*

**1:55 – 2:00 pm** CLOSING REMARKS

Winners of the student/trainee prizes for oral and poster presentations will be announced on the QMCOP listserv and online:

<https://osctr.ouhsc.edu/QMCOP>

Full abstracts and author information is available online with the QR code.

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**\*REMOTE PRESENTATION**



## Introducing Our Keynote Speaker

Nicolette Teufel-Shone, PhD is a Professor in the Department of Health Sciences and Associate Director of the Center for Health Equity Research at Northern Arizona University (NAU) in Flagstaff, AZ. For more than 30 years, she has partnered with Native Nations in the Southwest to enhance local capacity to improve community health. Her collaborative intervention work has addressed chronic disease (diabetes, cancer and heart disease) prevention and management. She and her tribal colleagues have maintained long-term tribe-university partnerships to promote shifts in community and institutional norms to support health behaviors and health policies to improve health outcomes. Much of her work is mixed methods but she has had the opportunity to co-lead teams



composed of Indigenous and non-Indigenous scholars, students and community members to use the Two-Eyed Seeing Approach to analyze qualitative data collected from Native Nation citizens through focus groups and interviews addressing health assets and challenges. She serves as the co-lead on the Navajo Native American Research Center for Health (NARCH) which supports a Student Research Enhancement Program for undergraduates and an Indigenous Summer Enhancement Program for high school students. In 2016-2017, she was a Fulbright Scholar working with the Yellowknives Dene in the Northwest Territory, Canada. In 2018, she initiated the master's in public health – Indigenous Health track at NAU, which has now graduated more than 20 Indigenous MPH professionals. She and her colleagues have been recognized by US Indian Health Service and the Native Research Network.

**Keynote Presentation:** Using a two eyed seeing approach in collaborative qualitative research

Scholars have been transparent in describing the tension between Indigenous and non-Indigenous ways of knowing. Teams of Indigenous and non-Indigenous scholars have navigated using a Two-Eyed Seeing framework that embraces the contribution of Indigenous and non-Indigenous systems of inquiry. In August 2015, the Gold King Mine Spill released three million gallons of contaminated water into the Animas River in Colorado, a tributary to the San Juan River that flows across the Navajo Nation in New Mexico, Arizona and Utah. Using principles of community-engaged research, a community-university team co-developed a culturally anchored approach to conduct focus groups designed to document the socio-cultural impacts of the Spill in three Diné (Navajo) communities along the San Juan River within 9 months of the Spill. Diné social and cultural etiquette and concepts of relationality were used to adapt qualitative data collection methods and to develop a Two-Eyed Seeing codebook for qualitative analysis. Findings describe community perceptions of short-term impacts of the disaster, as well as past and present injustices and concerns of persistent threats to Diné lifeways. The culturally anchored approach was critical in fostering trust and creating a safe space for Diné to express their fear and continued concerns on the safety of a water source on which their lives depend.



# TSET Health Promotion Research Center



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The TSET HPRC is a leading research program with a focus on the entire translational continuum – from the discovery of basic mechanisms of health behavior and behavior change, to the development and evaluation of novel interventions, to the dissemination and implementation of interventions, policies, and education throughout Oklahoma.

The mission of the HPRC is to reduce the burden of disease in Oklahoma by addressing modifiable health risk factors such as tobacco use, sedentary lifestyle, poor diet, and risky alcohol and other substance use through research, novel intervention development, and dissemination of research findings. The HPRC contains four major resources that facilitate research: Mobile Health Shared Resource, Tobacco Treatment Research Program, Postdoctoral Fellowship Training Program, and Tobacco Regulatory Science Clinical Laboratory. The center was established in 2007 with funding from the Oklahoma Tobacco Settlement Endowment Trust (TSET) as part of their efforts to support statewide and community-based cessation and intervention projects.

## Health Promotion Research Center Directors



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# The OUHSC Qualitative Methods Community of Practice (QMCOP)

The OUHSC Qualitative Methods Community of Practice (QMCOP) is open to investigators who have specialized in qualitative research methods. Our aim is to build the OUHSC's capacity and reputation in employing excellent qualitative research methods in the health sciences.

The QMCOP conducts itself according to three characteristics of an effective Community of Practice. First, a shared domain of interest. We believe in conducting rigorous qualitative research and aim to bring together members who are equally committed to understanding how best to advance high-quality, impactful qualitative research at OUHSC.

Second, the community. We believe in creating an environment that values qualitative research, and offers members the opportunity to engage in discussions and activities, as well as fostering relationships that promote co-learning. We are committed to providing mentorship to trainees in qualitative research methods, as well as creating a community of expert faculty members from diverse academic disciplines.

Finally, the practice. The QMCOP meets quarterly through a seminar series. Members present both recently completed and ongoing projects so, we, as a community, can learn from and provide support to other members when needed. Our ultimate goal is to develop an inventory of practical resources, ranging from knowledge and first-hand experiences, to advanced learning materials and shared datasets that offer opportunities for collaboration on exciting and meaningful qualitative research projects.

This OUHSC campus-wide community of practice aims to build the OUHSC's capacity and reputation in employing excellent qualitative research methods in the health sciences. The QMCOP is led by HPRC faculty Julia McQuoid, PhD and Jordan Neil, PhD, and Hudson College of Public Health faculty Kerstin M. Reinschmidt, PhD, MPH.

You can learn more about QMCOP seminar announcements, activities, and resources at: <https://osctr.ouhsc.edu/QMCOP> or by emailing [contact-QMCOP@ouhsc.edu](mailto:contact-QMCOP@ouhsc.edu)

# Poster Presentations

## **"Social dynamics of adolescent friendship groups"**

Destiny Gayle, PhD Student

*University of Oklahoma, Norman*

## **"Media perception of weight loss drugs: A qualitative analysis about Ozempic discourse in popular print newspapers "**

Katherine Swenson, BA

*University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center*

## **"Eliciting community input on food and nutrition for neighborhood revitalization with PhotoVoice and qualitative mapping methods "**

Lexie Shepard, BS

*University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center*

## **"For the love of dogs: Exploring the impacts of an integrated pet therapy program on a college campus"**

Rachel M. Schmitz, PhD

*Oklahoma State University*

## **"The shift towards temporary employment in healthcare"**

Rebecca D. Mosier, MS

*University of Oklahoma, Norman*

## **"Exploring pharmacy student reflections of their immunization clinic experiences for professional identity formation"**

Tammy L Lambert, PharmD, PhD

*University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center*

Teresa V. Lewis, PharmD, BCPS

*University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center*