



CALIFORNIA COUNCIL ON
GERONTOLOGY & GERIATRICS



30th ANNUAL MEETING:

Preparing for the Next Generation

APRIL 9, 2010

UCLA Covel Commons
330 De Neve Drive
Los Angeles, CA 90024

*Contributing to the future of older
Californians through excellence in Gerontology
and Geriatrics higher education since 1980.*

California is home to a large culturally and ethnically diverse older population, yet we do not have an appropriately trained workforce to meet their needs. CCGG will begin the dialogue to address this important issue by highlighting competencies, educational tools, and programs. We will also provide thoughtful consideration of the following timely questions:

- ◆ How can we prepare students to respond to an increasingly diverse older population?
- ◆ How can gerontology students and graduates succeed in today's job market?
- ◆ What's new and innovative in curriculum development?
- ◆ How does one teach and incorporate evidence based health promotion into programs and models?

Educators, Legislators and Aging Service Providers will...

- ◆ Identify innovative approaches and tools for teaching Evidence Based Health Promotion (EBHP).
- ◆ Explore creative ways to incorporate EBHP models into their aging programs, curricula, and practice.
- ◆ Discuss and teach about competencies needed to care for California's diverse aging population.

Students will...

- ◆ Explore educational pathways to prepare for careers in aging.
- ◆ Discover traditional and non-traditional jobs in aging.
- ◆ Delve into the diversity and complexities of our demographics important to careers in aging.
- ◆ Identify program and job opportunities created by California's diverse demographics.

Everyone will...

- ◆ Examine the importance of cultural proficiency and the role it plays in caring for California's diverse aging population.
- ◆ Be inspired by a gerontology graduate, Eleanor Brown, MA in Gerontology, who created Life-Long: Sisters Staying Healthy, a community organization dedicated to eliminating ethnic and racial disparities in the areas of life expectancy and quality of life.

FRIDAY, APRIL 9, 2010

7:00 – 8:30 AM	Registration Continental Breakfast Poster Session set-up
8:00 – 8:30	Poster Session 1
8:30 – 8:45	Welcome <i>Barbara White, DrPH, RN</i>
8:45 – 9:30	Meeting the Needs of California’s Diverse Aging Population <i>JoAnn Damron-Rodriguez, LCSW, PhD</i> <i>Laura Trejo, MSG, MPA</i>
9:30 – 9:45	Break
9:45 AM – 12:15 PM	Breakout Sessions — Please choose ONE Innovative Evidence Based Programs: They Work — Are You Teaching Them?¹ <i>Julie Freelove-Charton, PhD</i> <i>Maria Claver, PhD</i> <i>Joann Driggers, MA</i> <i>Lorraine S. Evangelista, PhD, RN</i> <i>Janet C. Frank, DrPH</i> <i>Rose McCleary, PhD</i> <i>Kristie Patton, MSW</i>

OR

**Careers in Aging:
Educational & Employment Pathways²**
Gretchen E. Alkema, LCSW, PhD
Marta Erismann
Barbara Gillogly, PhD, CPG
Josh Johnson, MAG
Sylvia Karl, MSG
Amy Landers, MSW
Arnold Possick, MSG, MHA
Sue Ward, MSG, CPG
Laura Wayman
Ellen Wong, MSG

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² Program support for this student session is provided by the *UCLA Academic Geriatric Resource Center (AGRC)*.

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12:15 – 1:30 PM	Networking Lunch Poster Session 2
1:30 – 2:00	CCGG Business Meeting & Awards
2:00 – 3:15	Inspiring the Next Generation <i>Eleanor Brownn, MA in Gerontology</i>
3:15 – 3:30	Next Steps Closing Comments <i>Barbara White, DrPH, RN, CCGG President</i> <i>Mark Robinson, MSW, CCGG President-Elect</i>
3:30	Adjourn

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The California Council on Gerontology and Geriatrics (CCGG) is a statewide nonprofit leadership organization that promotes the quality of life of California's diverse aging population by informing and integrating educational programs, work force development, and public policy.

- CCGG is the only statewide association that links legislators, academic institutions, including faculty, administrators, and students, service providers, and older adults and their families.
- Our membership is representative of California's cross-educational systems: two- and four-year academic institutions with academic affiliations among the California State University and University of California systems, private institutions, and community colleges.
- Disciplines represented by our members include gerontology and the health professions, social work, human development, business, public policy, and many others.

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 Student | Elder.....\$50

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MEETING LOCATION

University of California, Los Angeles

Covel Commons – Grand Horizon, Salon A

330 De Neve Drive

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Parking is available in **Parking Structure SV (Sunset Village)** located at 111 De Neve Drive below Covel Commons for a daily rate of \$10.00.

Additional resources

Campus Map: <http://www.ucla.edu/map/ucla-campus-map.pdf>

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HOTEL RESERVATIONS

A block of sleeping rooms has been reserved at the **Hotel Angeleno**. A special rate of \$129 per night for a single or double occupancy, plus any applicable taxes, is available to meeting participants.

To make your reservation, either call the Hotel Angeleno Reservation Desk direct at 310-476-6411 and identify yourself as a participant of the CCGG Annual Meeting to receive the UCLA discounted rate or you may register online at <http://tinyurl.com/yku5wdk>

Reservations should be made by **March 26, 2010** to ensure you receive the lower rate. Reservations will be accepted based upon availability only after this date.

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Overnight parking is available at \$10.00 per day with in and out privileges.

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A complimentary shuttle service to Covel Commons is provided by the Hotel Angeleno. Please make arrangements directly with the hotel.



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 Discipline

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