

2019 AHSRA CONFERENCE PROGRAM

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Welcome Letter—ASTR

The General Conference Office of Archives, Statistics, and Research (ASTR) gives a warm welcome to attendees of the seventh Adventist Human-Subject Researchers Conference. The annual conference, which also functions as the annual meeting of the Adventist Human-Subject Researchers Association (AHSRA), was initiated by ASTR, which sponsors each conference. In ASTR, we see the AHSRA conference as an important event for the worldwide Seventh-day Adventist Church: our role is to inform and support denominational planning and policy-making with data, and because the conference brings together the Adventist Church's practitioners of empirical, human-subject research, it is a crucial part of building research capacity for the world Church.

The first Adventist Human-Subject Researchers Conference was held at Andrews University, in November 2012. Then AHSRA met at the General Conference headquarters, at Andrews, Oakwood, and Loma Linda. We are delighted to be returning to Oakwood University again and anticipate a series of interesting, educational, and provocative papers—this year sees a focus on understanding the Adventist Church in its global context and how our data makes a difference in the Church and community. We look forward to meeting new Seventh-day Adventist human-subject researchers and encourage all of you attending to join AHSRA—*your* professional association.

Christian greetings,

David Trim, Ph.D., F.R.Hist.S.

Director of Archives, Statistics, and Research

General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists



Welcome Letter—AHSRA

Dear Members and Attendees of the 2019 Adventist Human-Subject Researchers Association Annual Conference,

I am very happy to welcome you to the 7th annual Adventist Human-Subjects Researchers Association Conference. We are honored to have more than 60 registrants representing 9 countries and 5 continents. Our review committee continues to be challenged to select the best-developed research for presentation. We are very pleased to accept 29 submissions for an oral presentation and 15 for poster presentations. All of the research submitted was selected for a presentation at this conference.

We continue to have a number of objectives to our annual conference: we hope to continue to build a network of Adventist Human-Subject Researchers, increase the capacity of the members of our association to conduct research, and increase the amount of research our members engage in and publish. Many of our members are very active in working with the Church in research that directly affects discipling and retention. This is something our Association strongly encourages.

As President of AHSRA, I look forward to meeting and talking with you over our time together. As a reminder, plan to attend our 8th annual meeting from June 17-21, 2020 at Andrews

University. This meeting is scheduled to occur just prior to the 2020 General Conference Session in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Duane McBride

President

Adventist Human-Subject Researchers Association



SCHEDULE FIRST DRAFT

Wednesday, May 15

Time	Activity	Speaker
2:00 – 5:00 PM	Registration	
3:00- 4:45 PM	Training Session on the use of Jamovi www.Jamovi.org	Karl Bailey
4:45 – 5:15 PM	Preparing a successful proposal for AHSRA	Duane McBride
5:15 – 6:15 PM	AHSRA Board Meeting	
6:15 – 7:30 PM	Meet and Greet Supper & Introduction to the Conference	Duane McBride Galina Stele Paul Brantley
7:30 PM	AHSRA Business Meeting	Duane McBride

Thursday, May 16

Time	Activity	Speaker
8:00 – 8:10 AM	Welcome to AHSRA and Devotion	Duane McBride
8:10 – 8:30 AM	Welcome to Oakwood	Leslie Pollard
8:30 – 9:30 AM	The Research Vision at Oakwood University	Prudence Pollard
9:30 – 9:45 AM	BREAK	
9:45 – 11:00 AM	Session I: Key Findings from the Global Church Member Survey	Galina Stele -- Chair
	1. Nurture and Church Member Well Being in a Global Seventh-day Adventist Sample	Karl Bailey Duane McBride
	2. The Adventist Home: Networks of Personal and Family Religious Practices	Karl Bailey Duane McBride
	3. Health Beliefs, Behavior and Perception of Spiritual Growth and Salvation: A Descriptive Analysis from a Global Church Member Survey	Duane McBride Peter Landless Karl Bailey Alina Baltazar David Trim

11:00 – 12:15 PM	<p>Session 2: Key Findings from the Global Church Member Survey Cont'd</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Church Size and Member Characteristics, Commitment, and Satisfaction 2. Global Church Member Research and Adventist Young People 3. Descriptive Analysis of Participation and Belonging among People with Disabilities in the North American Division 	<p>Karl Bailey -- Chair</p> <p>Petr Cincala Rene Drumm Galina Stele</p> <p>Shannon Trecartin Curt VanderWaal</p>
12:15 – 1:30 PM	LUNCH (set up posters during lunch?)	
1:30 – 2:45 PM	<p>Session 3: Key Findings from Regions in the Global Church Member Survey</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Stories of Conversion, Retention, and Reclamation: The Southeast Asian Experience 2. Beliefs and Practices of the Members of the Seventh-day Adventist Church in Mexico 3. Religious Beliefs of Seventh-day Adventist Church Members in Africa 	<p>Chair – Petr Cincala</p> <p>Arceli Rosario Carthy Joy Aguillon Jimmy Adil, Ray Opao Susa Opao</p> <p>Ramon Diaz-Valladares Raul Rodriguez Paola De la Cruz Elizabeth Mendoza-Role</p>
2:45 – 3:00 PM	BREAK	
3:00 – 4:30 PM	<p>Session 4: Adventist Schools</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Primary and Secondary Teachers in North America Responses to the Contested Claims Regarding the Purpose of Adventist Schools 2. Biblical Foundations in Business Pedagogy Modeling Christ-Centered Professorship: Perspectives on Rwanda MBA Students 3. Qualitative Analysis Revealing Teachers' Preference of Their Institutions Mission 4. Beliefs about Personal Salvation held by Primary and Secondary Teachers in North American Seventh-day Adventist Schools 	<p>Chair – Paul Brantley</p> <p>Robert K. McIver</p> <p>Theodore Brown</p> <p>Sherene Hattingh</p> <p>Wendy Jackson</p>
4:30 – 5:45 PM	POSTER SESSION (The title and presenters are listed in program)	
6:00 PM	DINNER	

Friday May 16

Time	Activity	Speaker
8:10 – 8:30 A.M.	Devotion	Paul Brantley
8:30 – 9:15 AM	Our Mission as Educators: Academic Expertise, Creative Scholarship, and Teaching Excellence	Edwin Hernandez
9:15 – 10:30 AM	<p>Session 5: Issues in Population Health</p> <p>1. Effect of a Community Health Worker Led Intervention on Skilled Birth Care in Rural Mwingi West Sub-County, Kenya</p> <p>2. Influence of Racial Disparity and Socio-Economic Status on Infant Mortality among Blacks in Kalamazoo & Wayne County, Michigan, USA</p> <p>3. Jet Lag: What’s Light got to do with it?</p>	<p>Chair – Duane McBride</p> <p>Japheth Mativo Nzioki</p> <p>Carla Smart-White</p> <p>Padma P. Tadi Uppala</p> <p>Dixon Anjejo</p> <p>Sherine Brown-Fraser</p> <p>Melissa Richardson</p>
10:30 – 10:45 AM	BREAK	
10:45 – 12:15	<p>Session 6: SDA Family and Peers</p> <p>1. Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell: How the Code of Silence Pervades Christian Families of LGBTD+ Millennials</p> <p>2. Perceived Parenting Styles & The Self-Esteem & Self Efficacy of Jamaican Adolescents</p> <p>3. Peer Association and Perception of Harms & Benefits Associated Marijuana Use among Jamaican Adolescents</p> <p>4. Examining Perceptions of Service Quality of Student Services and Satisfaction among International Students at Universities in Indiana and Michigan</p>	<p>Chair – Ted Brown</p> <p>Rene Drumm</p> <p>David Sedlacek</p> <p>Curt VanderWaal</p> <p>Shannon Trecartin</p> <p>Shaye Ann Campbell</p> <p>Mosquera</p> <p>Jason Wynter</p> <p>Mordekai O. Ongo</p>
12:15 – 1:15	LUNCH	
1:15 – 2:45	<p>Session 7: In the Community</p> <p>1. Citizenship, Religion, & Protest: Explaining Latinos’ Differential Participation in the 2006 Immigrant Rights Marches</p>	<p>Chair – Oakwood U.</p> <p>Edwin Hernandez</p> <p>Kraig Beyerlein</p> <p>David Sikkink</p>

	2. Fostering Collaborative Research for Service, Capacity Strengthening and Development in Papua New Guinea	Lalen Simeon Clare Kokinai
	3. Participants' Perceptions Following Disaster Response	James C. Ingersoll Ronda Christman Stephanie Sanders
	4. Are They Ready? Participants' Perceptions Following a CERT Training and Disaster Simulation	Ronda Christman
2:45 – 3:00 PM	BREAK	
3:00 – 4:30 PM	Session 8: Religion, Discipleship and Retention Chair—Edwin Hernandez	
	1. Findings from Surveys on Adventist, Politics, and Social Issues	John T. Gavin William W. Ellis Curtis J. VanderWaal
	2. Worldview, Aspirations, Folkways, and Perceptions of Folk Muslims: Promising Pathways for Adventist Mission	Jiamah Adil
	3. Pastors Age, Church Growth, & Vitality: What is the Relationship	Petr Cincala Rene Drumm
	4. Social Support and Fundamentalism: Predictors of Religious Internalization	David Sherman Karl Bailey
4:30 PM	Announcements	
5:30 – 6:30 PM	Supper	
7 PM	Vespers	Edwin Hernandez

Sabbath

Those members who are staying for Sabbath, we will attend the Oakwood University Church. There will be a visitors' potluck after Church. For those who are staying overnight, we will have pizza for supper.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Wilfred T. Adderley, Sr.

“A Biblical Model Testing Visions and Dreams in Christian Ministry in the Bahamas”

Unia Api, Joses Imona, Peter Korave & Clare Wedu Kokinai

“Perceptions and Experiences of Conflicts and Reconciliation among Seventh-day Adventists: Preliminary Findings of a Qualitative Study in Papua New Guinea.”

Marie-Claire Boutrin

“Healthy Campus 2020 STANDOUT: A Health Initiative to Improve Student Health”

Subira Brown, Chioma Tait, Jade Callahan & Deyana Cox

“How Internalized and Externalized Behaviors in Adolescents Impact Academic Achievement in Faith-based Institutions”

Jill Buchholz & Ronda Christman

“Are Students’ Being Distracted Drivers?”

Desiree Davis

“Thinking Outside the Box: Reaching Inner City Children”

Starr Davis

“Growth Mindset and Effect on Black Students’ Academic Achievement in the Iowa City Community School District”

Starr Davis

“Teacher Diversity Can Help Close the Racial Achievement and Disciplinary Gaps in the Iowa City Community School District”

Trevor Furst, Duane McBride, Alina Baltazar & Curtis VanderWaal

“Sexual Orientation and Mental Health”

Asheba Melisa Gibson & Tamelia Barriffe

“The Effects of Colouring and Journaling on Test Anxiety among Tertiary Students in Jamaica”

Clare Kokinai & Lalen Julienna Simeon

“Fostering Collaborative Research for Service, Capacity Strengthening and Development in Papua New Guinea”

Christine A. Moniyung & Ronda Christman

“New Graduate Nurses’ Perceptions and Applications of Participating in a Multipatient Simulation”

Joshua Nelson

“Dialogical Encounter between Young Black Men and the Police in Dougherty County: Towards a More Effective Community Trust”

Evelyn Obo

“Building a Community in Jail: An Autoethnography”

Melissa Ponce-Rodas, Alina Baltazar, Nicolai Williams & Stacey Nicely

“Understanding College Student Mental Health: Stress, Depression, Stigma and Religiosity”

Sonia K. Wrate & Ronda Christman

“Perilous Times Call for Emergency Preparedness”