Check out the Mandel School Events Calendar!

Commencement Registration is live! Click here to register NOW!

Nominate your fellow Grads

- 2018 Diploma Ceremony Student Speaker Nomination Form
- 2018 Irene Sogg Gross Service Award Nomination Form

Nominate your Outstanding Teachers and Field Instructors

- John A. Yankey Outstanding Teacher Award Nomination Form
- MNO Teaching Award Nomination Form
- Field Instructor of the Year Award Nomination Form

Use the hashtags #MSASSgrad18 and #CWRUCommencement

Visit the MSASS Commencement Website: http://msass.case.edu/commencement/
Contact the Mandel School Graduation Team at msassgraduation@case.edu.

Featured Events

**The Everyday Vigilance Required to Make Real Progress Toward Racial Equity & Inclusion | Dr. Mark Joseph | 1 PD hour**

Wednesday, March 28, 3:00 pm, Tinkham Veale University Center, Ballroom C or via livestream at case.edu/livestream/s1/.

The Office for Inclusion, Diversity and Equal Opportunity Power of Diversity Lecture Series continues with a talk by Mark L. Joseph, the Leona Bevis/Marguerite Haynam Associate Professor in Community Development and founding director of the National Initiative on Mixed-Income Communities here at MSASS. [Register Here]

**Economic Inequality and its Implications for Youth | Dr. Trina Shanks | 1.5 PD Hours**

Friday, March 30, 12:30 pm, Mandel Center Room 108 or via livestream

Dr. Trina R. Williams Shanks, PhD, is the Associate Director of the Vivian A. James L. Curtis Research Training Center and Associate Professor, School of Social Work at the University of Michigan.
Lunch will be served at noon. [Register Here]

Events this Week

First Do No Harm: A Framework for Trauma Informed Social Work Education | 1 PD hour

Tuesday, March 20, 12:50 pm, Mandel Center Room 108 or via livestream at https://case.edu/livestream/s1/.

Don't miss the opportunity to see Dr. Jennifer King and Amy Korsch-Williams present their 2017 CSWE APM presentation.

To attend in person, RSVP to Carm Gambatese at cxg4@case.edu. Livestream attendees do not need to RSVP. Please "sign in" with your first and last names in the chat function for PD hours.

Moving Fast after 100 Years: The Transformation of Fundraising at United Way of Greater Cleveland | Dan Mansoor | 1.5 PD Hours

Thursday, March 22, 12:45 pm, Noble Commons or via Livestream

Dan Mansoor is the VP of Resource Development and Chief Philanthropy Officer at United Way of Greater Cleveland. A light lunch will be provided. [Register Here]

The Reliability of Caregiver Report in Screening for Child Abuse | Dr. David Hussey | 1 PD hour

Thursday, March 22, 12:45 pm, Mandel School Room 236

Ohio Guidestone Lunch & Learn | 1 PD hour

Tuesday, Mar 20, 12:45 pm, Mandel School classroom 336

Learn about careers with Ohio Guidestone, with openings in Cuyahoga, Medina, Lorain, Stark, Summit and Lucas counties. Ohio Guidestone is looking for therapists for all programs, including Early Childhood, Adult, In-home, School Services and Juvenile Justice. For more information about Ohio Guidestone, click here.

A light lunch will be provided. [Register Now]
Licensure Webinar

Wednesday March 21, 12:50-1:50 PM

Questions about the licensing process are welcome. Register here to make sure that you can take part. Up to 100 devices may participate during the Webinar. You can join via phone, laptop, tablet, etc. We will also join the Webinar in room 115 of the Mandel Center for students on campus who prefer to join that way.

Lydia Amoa-Owusu, has created an excellent power point that will help you navigate the registration process for the LSW Board Exam. You can access the document here. You may also check out the eLicense page: https://elicense.ohio.gov/oh_homepage.

***If you need a letter of good standing (or any enrollment verification documentation), email Debra Fields at daf3@case.edu. Please allow a week for processing. These letters are needed when applying for licensure.

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Tuesday, March 20
- Stark County Behavioral Health Career Fair
- Connecting the Dots: CWRU Campus Activism in the 1960s
- NASW Ohio Internship to Practice Workgroup

Wednesday, March 21
- No Más Bebés: Film & Conversation with Producer/Researcher Virginia Espino
- Mandel Allies Event | LGBT Health and Related Services in Cleveland

Thursday, March 22
- Strategies in Social Investment | Moving Fast after 100 Years: The Transformation of Fundraising at United Way of Greater Cleveland

Friday, March 23
- Cancer Disparities Symposium

Sunday, March 25
- UN Student Conference

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Note: The image of the 2018 MSASS Faculty, Staff + Student Art Exhibit will be held May 1-31st in the Mandel Center. However, in order to have an art exhibition, WE NEED ART!

If you would like to share your creativity with the MSASS community, please follow the link below and to fill out the Google registration form. While there is no official “theme” to the exhibit, we do ask that you include a short paragraph about the role that art plays in your own self-care, activism and/or social work practice. You will find additional details, drop-off dates, etc on the registration form itself.

Registration Link: https://goo.gl/forms/Ot3uC7GGz2MNhTAn2
LINK Silent Auction -- One Month Away!

The LINK Silent Auction will be Tuesday, April 17. Noble Commons will be buzzing with activity from 11:00am-2:00pm. Plan to attend this fun, unique event with special items from around the world!

Thank you for all the generous donations we have received. Be sure to contact Kim McFarlin (kms46@case.edu) to inquire about the event or donate an item.

Upcoming newsletters will feature a sneak peek at a few pieces in the auction!

Mandel Council Openings

We have three open positions: VP of Finance and 2 GSC representative position. The deadline of applying to this position will be March 28th and position will be announced March 30th. If there is interest in a position please email Renee Smolinski (rms274@case.edu).

As we celebrate National Social Work month with food, beverages, and prizes, we also want to encourage everyone to give to those in need. To that end, the Harris Library is sponsoring a food drive benefiting the Church of the Covenant. Collection points include a blue plastic bin inside the Harris Library, and a large box near the elevators on the first floor of the Mandel School Building.

Please consider donating non-perishable food items such as canned fruits and vegetables, cereal, oatmeal, pancake mix, sugar, flour, spices, canned meat and fish, protein bars, breakfast bars, canned / boxed soup, stews, & pasta, powered or evaporated milk, boxed soy and almond milk, dried beans, condiments.

Everything collected will be delivered to the Church of the Covenant on Monday, April 2nd.

[Read about more social work month events here]

Data Days Cleveland | Looking for Volunteers

The Cleveland Civic Tech + Open Data Collaborative is looking for 6-10 volunteers for Data Days CLE. Volunteers will serve as key assistants in making sure the event runs smoothly; helping with registration, helping conference goers with way-finding, and helping speakers navigate technical equipment.

Volunteers will receive a free ticket to Data Days CLE. Volunteers will rotate responsibilities/roles, allowing the volunteer to attend about half of the conference event.

Data Days CLE is April 5th and 6th. Volunteers must be available both days.

Email datadayscle@gmail.com if interested.

Planning Ahead

Monday, March 26
- 35th Annual Social Work Day at the United Nations

Tuesday, March 27
- Nationwide Children's Hospital Career Info Session

Wednesday, March 28
- Power of Diversity “The Everyday Vigilance Required to Make Real Progress Toward Racial Equity & Inclusion"
- Food Symposium presents "Knife Skills"
- Examining Mental Health Symptoms of Juvenile Justice-Involved Adolescents Over Time: A Latent Transition Analysis

Thursday, March 29
- Bellefaire JCB & Applewood Centers Social Work Career Information Event
- Think Forum Lecture: Marlon James - What Fiction Can Teach Us That History Does Not
- The Babes Were Silent: Infant Mortality and Public Health
April 2-April 7
- Art in Action 2 - Hearing the Silence
- Graduate Student Appreciation Week

April 3
- Health, Human, and Social Development in Urban and Rural Ecuador

April 4
- MSASS Community Night

April 5 & 6
- Data Days

April 9
- LGBT+ Job and Resource Fair

April 10
- Student Loan Repayment and Consolidation - Preparing for Graduation
- Social Work Practice with Older Adults Research Poster Session

April 11
- Global Health and Social Development in India
- Mindfulness Workshop Series Hosted by Student-Alumni Network

April 13
- Unity Banquet

April 17
- LINK Silent Auction

April 18
- Mindfulness Workshop Series Hosted by Student-Alumni Network

April 19
- Strategies in Social Investment | The Role of Technology in the Nonprofit Sector: Do We Lead It or Does It Lead Us

April 25
- Mindfulness Workshop Series Hosted by Student-Alumni Network

May 15
- PEP Training Event: Trauma-Informed Practices

Have a question or concern? Submit it to Talk @ Mandel Council

Every Monday morning, The Weekly is sent to all students to keep you informed and updated about all the happenings on campus, online, and everywhere in-between!

If you have an event or news item, please email MandelSchoolEvents@case.edu.

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