Awards & Honors

Ann-Margaret Esnard, professor (Public Management and Policy), who has been selected to serve as a mentor as part of the NSF-funded “Next Generation of Hazards & Disasters Researchers” fellowship program. [http://www.nextgenhazardsresearchers.org/mentors/](http://www.nextgenhazardsresearchers.org/mentors/)

Publications


Presentations

William Alex Pridemore, Distinguished University Professor (Criminal Justice and Criminology) presented “Hazardous Drinking and Violent Death Among Russian Males: Evidence From a Population-Based Case-Control Study” at the 2014 annual meeting of the European Society of Criminology in Prague, September 11, 2014. Pridemore also gave an invited presentation, “Measuring Violent Victimization: Reporting to Police and Presenting to Emergency Rooms by Rural, Suburban, and Urban Victims,” at the Symposium on Rural Crime and Safety at the Swedish Royal Institute of Technology in Stockholm, September 18, 2014.

Ann-Margaret Esnard, professor (Public Management and Policy), was an invited panelist at a global symposium on human impacts of redevelopment held at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Cambridge, Mass. on September 12-13, 2014. [http://peoplematter.mit.edu/speakers/](http://peoplematter.mit.edu/speakers/)

Bruce Kaufman, professor (Economics), gave the keynote address, “The Prosperity and Harmony Challenge: Maintaining Balance between Markets and Organizations,” at the LG Corporation’s 20th annual HR conference in Seoul Korea on September 7, 2014.

Bruce A. Seaman, associate professor (Economics,) was the keynote speaker at the conference, "Uses and Misuses of Economic Impact Analysis," sponsored by the Institute for Economic Advancement at the University of Arkansas, Little Rock, Ark., September 12, 2014.
Kristi Fuller, senior research associate (Georgia Health Policy Center), presented the evaluation results of the “A Time to Talk Program,” a telephone support program for persons with dementia and their caregivers. The presentation was given at the Georgia Division of Aging Services Aging and Disability Resource Connection Conference in Atlanta on August 14, 2014.

Media


The Georgia Health Policy Center (GHPC) was featured in the article, “The Many Faces of Integration,” in the latest issue of the National Council for Behavioral Health’s Magazine, The Integration. https://www.thenationalcouncil.org/magazine-issues/many-faces-integration/

The Georgia Health Policy Center (GHPC) was featured in the report, “Innovations in Home- and Community-Based Services: Highlights from a Review of Services Available to Money Follows the Person Participants,” in September 2014. http://goo.gl/M1n88K

Community Outreach

The Georgia Health Policy Center (GHPC) has completed a health impact assessment (HIA) examining how to incorporate community health into green infrastructure planning as envisioned in the Mid-South Regional Greenprint, a Department of Housing and Urban Development-funded initiative in the Memphis region lead by Shelby County’s Office of Sustainability. In addition to specific recommendations to inform the final version of the Greenprint, the GHPC also developed an online HIA toolkit facilitating future study and collaboration to leverage the potential health benefits of green infrastructure. http://goo.gl/mAUiFP
New Faculty Join the Andrew Young School

The Andrew Young School welcomes Musharraf Cyan, research assistant professor (Economics); Muhummad M. Husain, visiting instructor (Economics); Reynold Galope, visiting assistant professor (Public Management and Policy); James Martin, clinical associate professor (Public Management and Policy); and Debra Klausner, lecturer (Social Work).

Dr. Cyan has returned to academic life after 20 years in public services, fiscal decentralization, tax reform and development planning. He recently moved his research into public health with a focus on designing and assessing the efficacy of solutions to address achievement lags in health outcomes for underserved populations. Dr. Cyan’s research interests are global health, innovations in service delivery, development economics and public sector reform. He has consulted for organizations including the World Bank, Asian Development Bank and United Nations and has worked as a local administrator and chief economist in Pakistan. He has also worked on public sector reform and policy in Nepal, Egypt, Macedonia, Nigeria and Rwanda. Cyan also holds a degree in medicine from King Edward Medical University, Pakistan, and a master’s degree from University College, London.

Husain, whose research interests are labor and development economics, pursued his M.A. under a Fulbright Fellowship and is working towards his Ph.D. while serving as a visiting instructor. He has worked at Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta and the Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies. He has also previously taught at Atlanta Metropolitan State University. Husain earned Georgia State’s Master of Arts in Economics Award for outstanding academic achievement and has consulted on projects funded by the Asian Development Bank and United Nations Development Programme, among others.

Galope, also a former Fulbright Fellow at Georgia State University, received the Andrew Young School’s Excellence in Teaching Policy Award in 2012. His research interests include public policy analysis and program evaluation, strategic industrial policy, economics and the metrics of innovation, and public management and governance reforms. His articles have been published by the Journal of Technology Management and Innovation and the American Review of Politics. Galope has consulted with the Asian Development Bank and was a Senior Fellow of the Center for Governance of the Development Academy of the Philippines. He holds an M.P.P. from the National University of Singapore, a Master of Management from the University of the Philippines, and B.A.s in mathematics and economics, Magna cum Laude, from Saint Louis College, Philippines.
Martin, a former Georgia legislator and member of the State Bar of Georgia, is also an adjunct professor at Georgia State’s School of Law. Martin was formerly the chief legal officer for the Georgia Public Defender Standards Council and the Commissioner of Human Resources for the State of Georgia. He was a member of the Georgia House of Representatives from 1983-2001, during which time he authored, developed consensus on and passed more than 60 major pieces of reform legislation in the areas of health care, family law, civil and criminal justice, education, probate, business law, environmental law, labor law and tax policy. Martin engaged in the private practice of law from 1972 to 2001. Earlier he served as a 1st Lieutenant in the United States Army in Vietnam and as an assistant legislative counsel for the Georgia General Assembly. He holds A.B., J.D. and LL.M. degrees from the University of Georgia and an M.B.A. in management from Georgia State University.

Klausner, began working with the Andrew Young School’s BSW program after receiving the Social Work Recognition Award as Outstanding Field Supervisor from the School of Social Work. Her areas of expertise include program development and implementation, clinical practice and supervision in both community-based and residential private and nonprofit settings, fundraising and development for nonprofit child welfare agencies, community outreach and advocacy for social justice issues. Klausner’s career experience in child welfare agencies includes teamwork at the senior management level to maintain program quality and adherence to best practice, state licensing and national standards of accreditation. She has also provided community service to a number of Atlanta-area nonprofits that include Families First and the Atlanta Women’s Foundation. In addition to teaching, Klausner has served as the program director for the IV-E program and trainer for the Professional Excellence Grant. Klausner also holds a bachelor’s degree from Grinnell College, Iowa.

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