

# Waypoint Research Institute 3rd Annual Conference

## Knowledge Translation in Mental Health and Addictions June 17th to 19th, 2015

### Call for Abstracts

**Deadline for Abstract Submission: January 15th, 2015**

### Keynote Speakers:

[Melanie Barwick](#), PhD (CPsych), SickKids

[John N. Lavis](#), MD, PhD, McMaster University

### Themes:

We will be accepting abstracts that fall into two themes:

Theory and Methods

Practice and Application in Mental Health and Addictions

### Types of Presentations:

Individual Oral Paper (20-25 minutes, schedule dependent)

Symposium (2-4 papers) (1½ hours)

Workshop (1 hour)

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### In Partnership with:

Department of Psychiatry, University of Toronto

### Location:

Victoria University at University of Toronto



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## **Abstracts:**

We welcome submissions on issues relating to knowledge translation and implementation science in all aspects of hospital and community-based mental health care and addiction services (e.g., concurrent disorders, dual diagnosis, geriatrics, transitional age youth, forensics, etc).

All abstract submissions should first state the title, the authors, the type of submission (oral paper, symposium, workshop), and which stream you prefer to be allocated to (theory and methods, practice and application). Please indicate who is the corresponding author and include their email address for follow-up. Please also indicate if the presenter is a student.

Individual Oral Papers: Please include a 200-250 word description of your intended presentation, and up to 3-5 keywords as descriptors for your presentation.

Symposia: Each paper in the symposium should have its own title, with the author(s) indicated, and a 150-200 word description of the proposed presentation. The symposium itself should have its own title and a 200-250 abstract. If there is a moderator or discussant, they should be clearly indicated as well. Please include 3-5 keywords as descriptors for your symposia (not required for each paper in the symposium).

Workshops: Please include a 200-250 word description of your intended workshop, along with the proposed learning objectives (learning objectives don't count towards your word count). Also include 3-5 keywords as descriptors for your workshop.

**Submission Deadline:** Please submit your abstract to [researchevents@waypointcentre.ca](mailto:researchevents@waypointcentre.ca) by **January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2015**. You will receive confirmation of your submission if it is received before the deadline. Any submissions received after the deadline will not be accepted.

**Selection Process and Notification:** Each submission received by the deadline will go through a blind peer review process. Selection criteria will include: relevance to the conference theme, strength of the scholarship, and applicability to mental health. Preference will be given to those submissions that focus on innovative work which has been (or is nearly) completed. All applicants will be notified of their acceptance status by **February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2015**.

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**Intention to Present:** All successful applicants will be asked to indicate their intention to present by **March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015**.

**Registration:** All presenters will be required to register for the conference.

For more information, please visit the [Research and Academics Current Events](#) page at Waypoint Centre for Mental Health Care. If you have any questions please contact [Laura Ball](#).