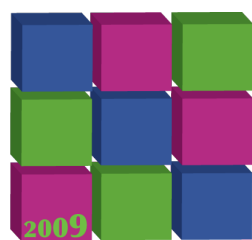
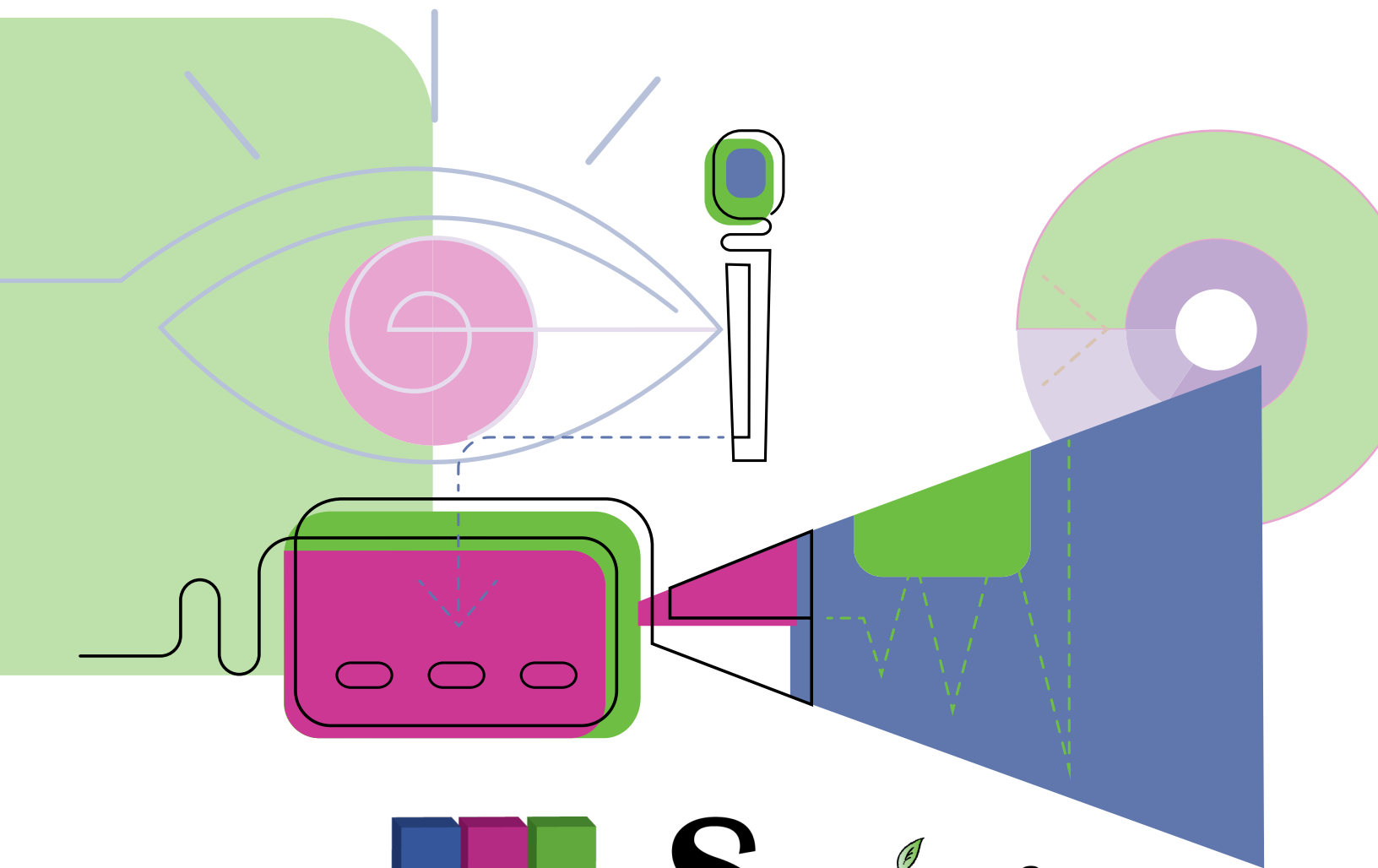


Presenter Form



Spring Academy

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Overview

CASAT, Center for the Application of Substance Abuse Technologies, at the University of Nevada, Reno is pleased to be working with NAMFT, Nevada Association of Marriage and Family Therapists, in co-sponsoring the Spring Academy: Prevention and Treatment Exchange. The Spring Academy will be held in Reno, Nevada at the Grand Sierra Resort from May 18-20, 2009.

The conference will expose professionals working in addiction treatment, prevention, and marriage and family therapy to the latest in substance-related disorders research, strategies and evidence-based methodology. Unlike the typical conference format, attendees will be encouraged to actively participate in discussions of current standards of practice and research-based interventions. Attendees will also have the opportunity to strengthen existing knowledge through attending short, hot topic workshops on a variety of pertinent subjects and personal/professional development.

The Spring Academy will offer 3-day specialized workshops in Motivational Interviewing, Clinical Supervision and SAPST (Substance Abuse Prevention Specialist Training). These specialized workshops will enable participants to gain in-depth [knowledge of the application leading to adoption of and adherence to the evidence-based practice. The personal choice of selecting a specialized workshop or a series of hot topic workshops will make the Spring Academy a meaningful learning experience for each participant.

Conference Goals

- Promote networking opportunities for cross-systems collaboration
- Strengthen existing knowledge
- Increase knowledge of innovative research and technologies
- Increase awareness of a growing diverse and multicultural population
- Strengthen workforce commitment and competencies
- Provide a platform for multiple exposures to new technologies
- Create a foundation for technology transfer
- Adopt leading ideas in the field
- Implement evidence-based practices

Tracks

- Substance Abuse Prevention Specialist Training (SAPST)
- Motivational Interviewing
- Clinical Supervision

Additional Sessions

- Workforce/Professional Development
- LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender)
- Cultural Competency
- HIV/AIDs
- Veterans & PTSD
- Prescription Drug Abuse
- PAMI (Promoting Awareness with Motivational Incentives)
- Co-Occurring Disorders
- Neuroscience & Addiction
- Recovery Support Systems
- Sexual Addiction
- Gambling Addiction
- and more!

Presenter Instructions



- Application Deadline: **March 12, 2009**
- Handout Deadline: **May 8, 2009**
- Clearly written presentation description and title
- Presentation descriptions may be no longer than 50 words
- Clearly written learning goal(s) and objective(s)
- One goal and two objectives for each hour of presentation time
- Target Audience
- Presentations should complement knowledge expected of intermediate-level professionals. If otherwise, please specify expected target audience.
- Due to conference goals, a didactic/interactive format is preferred. Please, no “death by PowerPoint.”
- Sufficient experience and knowledge of the subject matter
- Complete resume/CV
- Paragraph describing presenter’s qualifications and experience (bio)
- Photo for conference program and website, 150 pixels JPG format (optional)
- Co-presenter information, if applicable
- Audio/Visual requirements (laptop, microphone, sound patch, LCD projector, screen) ect.
- **Restriction:** Personal laptops are **NOT** allowed for presentations.
- Support requirements (room arrangement, extra tables for materials or panel, extra space for interactive projects, ADA accessibility, special equipment, etc)
- Workshops are scheduled in 50 minute intervals. This does not not apply to keynote presentations.
- Presentation rooms will hold between 50-80 people, and in some cases may hold up to 350
- Presenters will not receive continuing education hours for sessions in which they are facilitating
- Bring presentations on jump drive or CD (Do not expect to download the presentation from an Internet connection the day of--it does not always work and takes too long)
- Send presentations, handouts, worksheets, and/or reference materials (if applicable) to CASAT representative for website posting and flash drive participant item
- A contract will be sent after the presenter form and attachments are received
- Please make arrangements to check on your workshop room to ensure that any last minute changes, room arrangements and/or Audio/Video are ready, especially if you have a complicated arrangement
- Upon receiving invoice, CASAT will send payment in 2-3 weeks after the conference

Handouts and Printing

If handouts are used, it is the presenter’s responsibility to provide them for attendees. Rooms can hold up to 80 people, unless otherwise notified. Conference-funded copy services will **NOT** be available on site. There is a small business center that can be used to make copies at the presenter’s expense, as well as other commercial printers in the Reno area. Please send an electronic copy of the printed material you intend to distribute during your presentation, it will be posted to the conference webpage: <http://casat.unr.edu/springacademy.html>. Presenters can refer attendees to this website to download handouts. The handouts will also be placed on a flash drive, if sponsored, and given to attendees as a participant item.

Multimedia Creation

I understand that as a presenter and/or facilitator at the CASAT/UNR Spring Academy: Prevention and Treatment Exchange that CASAT/UNR is authorized to use pictures and video clips taken at the conference. In consideration of my interest in furthering the educational purposes of substance prevention professionals and substance abuse professionals, I hereby consent to any recording of myself on videotape, film, audiotape, paper, digital medium, or otherwise, by CASAT/UNR, its agents, servants, or employees. I authorize the use of such recordings for any proper and legitimate educational or commercial purposes by CASAT/UNR. I acknowledge CASAT/UNR ownership of the program and further agree that you may use my name, likeness and biography for the purpose of promoting the program.

Full Name _____

Title & Degrees _____

Credentials _____

Co-presenters/Panel Members _____

Organization (if applicable) _____

Organization Website (if applicable) _____

Professional Affiliation (if applicable) _____

Mailing Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Personal Professional Website _____

Phone _____ Alternate Phone _____

Email _____ Fax _____

Preferred Contact Method _____

Emergency Contact Information _____

Special Needs (Personal) _____

Presentation Title _____

Meeting Room Arrangement: (Set-up Classroom Style Unless Otherwise Noted)

Other _____

Payment to be made to (if applicable):

- Individual
- Business

Audio Visual Equipment Needed

- LCD Projector (Provided)
- Laptop (Provided, Personal laptops are NOT allowed for presentations)
- House Sound (Provided)
- Flipchart
- TV/VCR
- TV/DVD (Note: For small audio/video files the house sound and laptop are sufficient.)
- Other _____

I have attached with my form the following: (Please see Instructions Tab)

- Title
- Description
- Goal
- Objectives
- Target Audience
- Resume/CV
- Short Bio
- Photo (Optional)
- Other _____

I have read and understand the instructions in this application.

Return this form to Julie Tieman
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