

**POPULATION HEALTH SCIENCES
MONDAY SEMINARS – SPRING 2021**

All seminars held remotely, 12:00 noon – 1:00 pm

- February 1** **Rebecca Myerson, MPH, PhD**, Assistant Professor of Population Health Sciences, University of Wisconsin-Madison ***“Finding the Missing Enrollees: The Impact of Personalized Assistance on Health Insurance Uptake”***
- February 8** **Whitney Robinson, PhD**, Associate Professor, Department of Epidemiology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill ***“Re-born: How COVID-19 and the Black Lives Matter movement changed my scholarly life”***. Co-sponsored by the UW-Madison Prevention Research Center.
- February 15** **Sam Trejo, PhD**, Assistant Professor of Public Affairs and Sociology, UW-Madison Department of Sociology ***“Learning From Flint: The Health and Social Effects of the Flint Water Crisis on Educational Outcomes”***. Co-sponsored by the UW-Madison Population Health Institute
- February 22** **Tyler VanderWeele, PhD**, Professor of Epidemiology, Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health, Harvard University ***“Sensitivity Analysis in Observational Research: Introducing the E-Value”***
- March 1** **Abraham Flaxman, PhD**, Associate Professor of Global Health, Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME), University of Washington ***“The IHME COVID-19 Projection Model after a year of a pandemic”***
- March 8** **Philip M. Farrell Distinguished Alumni Lecture**
Nora Connors, J.D., M.P.H. Director of Federal Government affairs at Novartis, Washington, DC ***“From Here to There- The Path isn’t Always a Straight Line”***
- March 15** **Jeanne Ayers, RN, MPH**, Senior Advisor, VoteSAFE Public Health, Association of State and Territorial Health Officials. Co-sponsored by the UW-Madison Population Health Institute. ***“A Systems Approach to Advancing Health Equity- The Key to a Healthy Wisconsin”***
- March 22** **R. Alta Charo, J.D.** Warren P. Knowles Professor of Law & Bioethics, University of Wisconsin-Madison Law School ***“Whatever Happened to Genome Editing?”***
- March 29** **Coleman Drake, PhD**, Assistant Professor of Health Policy and Management, University of Pittsburgh ***“Zero-Price Effects in Health Insurance: Evidence from Colorado”***
- April 5** **Malia Jones, PhD, MPH**, Associate Scientist, Health Geography, University of Wisconsin-Madison Applied Population Laboratory ***“Dear Pandemic: lessons learned on the social media COVID-19 misinformation frontlines.”***
- April 12** **Christine Durrance, PhD**, Associate Professor, La Follette School of Public Affairs, UW-Madison. ***“Punitive Prenatal Substance Use Policies and Prenatal Care.”*** Co-sponsored by the UW-Madison Prevention Research Center.

- April 19** **Burcu Darst, PhD**, Postdoctoral Scholar, Center for Genetic Epidemiology, University of Southern California. ***"Genetic risk of prostate cancer across men from multi-ancestry populations"***
- April 26** **Elizabeth Hennessy, PhD**, Associate Professor, History and Environmental studies, UW-Madison. ***"Introducing HEAL: Humanities Education for Anti-Racism Literacy in the Sciences and Medicine"***
Co-sponsored by the UW-Madison Population Health Institute.
- May 3** **Marin Schweizer, PhD**, Associate Professor, Department of Internal Medicine, Carver College of Medicine, University of Iowa. ***"Study Designs to Evaluate Interventions to Prevent Healthcare-Associated Infections (and Shark Attacks)."***