

SPR E-BULLETIN, February 13, 2004

1. CALL FOR NOMINATIONS: LELA ROWLAND PREVENTION AWARD

The National Mental Health Association's (NMHA) announces its Call for Nominations for the Lela Rowland Prevention Award and encourages you to submit nominations (including self-nominations). Criteria and applications can be found on NMHA's website:

<http://www.nmha.org/annualconference/awards/LelaRowlandPrevention.cfm>.

The Lela Rowland Prevention Award was established in 1978 to focus attention on promising programs to prevent mental-emotional disabilities and has been awarded to David Olds, James Comer, Roger Weissberg and Carol Webster-Stratton, among many others. The award now serves to recognize a researcher and/or community institution who either independently or in partnership widely replicate an evidence-based prevention program. The aim of the award is to encourage and recognize the wide dissemination and community implementation of effective prevention practices, particularly through researcher-practitioner partnerships.

The awardee will receive \$1,000 and be honored at the 2004 NMHA Annual Conference in Washington, DC. The deadline for nominations is March 17, 2004.

2. 57th ANNUAL SUMMER INSTITUTE IN SURVEY RESEARCH TECHNIQUES

The Survey Research Center at the University of Michigan's Institute for Social Research announces the 57th Annual Summer Institute that offers graduate level courses on questionnaire design, cognition and survey measurement, survey sampling, and analysis of survey data. Please visit SPR Advanced Training page on the web at

<http://www.preventionresearch.org/trainingop.php> for details.

3. CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Visit SPR Career Opportunities page on the web at

<http://www.preventionresearch.org/sprcareers.php> to learn about the newly posted positions:

1. Faculty Research Associate/Project Director for a NIMH funded longitudinal study of Mexican American families and children at Arizona State University's Program for Prevention Research
2. Tenure-track faculty position (rank open) in the areas of developmental psychology, child or adolescent clinical psychology, or child health psychology at the Department of Psychology, Arizona State University
3. Research Methodologist/Prevention Scientist at the Center for Prevention and Children's Mental Health within the Department of Psychiatry, University of Minnesota
4. Research Scientist or Senior Research Support Specialist at the department of Psychology, State University of New York at Stony Brook

To post your own job opening send an email with an URL or text to info@preventionresearch.org.

4. WORLD FEDERATION OF MENTAL HEALTH MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT AND CALL FOR PAPERS

"Rethinking Mental Health Policy: An International Mental Health Conference and Policy Review", Lake Bled, Slovenia, October 8 -10, 2004, is expected to provide a platform for grassroots activists and service users to come together with national and global policy makers to

reflect on current initiatives and plan for the future. Go to http://www.preventionresearch.org/2.10.04_MtgSlovenia.pdf for details.

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