

#NYCPG2018 Conference Agenda

Tuesday, October 9, 2018

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| 3:00 – 5:00pm | Pre-Conference Session Normalization and Cultural Shift: Preparing for Expanded Sports Gambling, NYCPG <i>*Only available to main conference registrants*</i> |
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Wednesday, October 10, 2018

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| 8:00am – 9:00am | Registration and Refreshments |
| 9:00am – 9:30am | Conference Welcome <i>Arlene Gonzalez Sanchez, Commissioner, Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services, NYS</i> <i>Ronald G. Ochrym, Executive Director, NYS Gaming Commission</i> |
| 9:30am – 10:30am | The Healing Power of Presence <i>Chris Anderson, MS, LMFT, ICGC-II/BAC, Gambling Recovery Center, TX</i> |
| 10:30am – 10:45am | Movement Break |
| 10:45am – 11:45am | Workshop Session 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Interview with the Gambler: The Gambler Chronicles, <i>Chris Anderson, MS, LMFT, ICGC-II/BAC</i> • Becoming an OASAS Approved Problem Gambling Treatment Provider, <i>Jennifer Berg, Connie Burke, Megan O’Grady, Ph.D, Janet Paloski, Trisha Schell-Guy</i> • Sock it to Problem/Disordered Gambling Stigma, <i>George Mladenetz, MA</i> • Gaming and Gambling in 2018: Where are we? <i>Stelianos Canallatos, MA</i> |
| 11:45am – 12:15pm | OPEN Gamblers Anonymous Meeting and OPEN Gam-Anon Meeting |
| 12:15pm – 1:15pm | LUNCH |
| 1:15pm – 2:15pm | Gambling on the Future: Adolescent Participation in Gambling and Crime <i>Amanda McCormick, PhD, University of the Fraser Valley, British Columbia</i> |
| 2:15pm – 2:45pm | <i>Special Topic TBA</i> |
| 2:45pm – 3:00pm | Movement Break |
| 3:00pm – 4:00pm | Workshop Session 2: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building the Bridge Between Formalized Treatment and Self-Help for Problem Gambling, <i>Joe Barbera, Kathleen Carney, Rod Correa, Mara Mendecino</i> • Recovery and Wellness Mindset, <i>Deborah Faust, Amy Molloy, MSW, M.Ed</i> • Gambling Addiction and the Implications for Treatment in Custody, <i>Amanda McCormick</i> • Effects of Problem Gambling on Family Members, <i>Naomi Tague, Chris Tague, Rebecca Cooper, Jim Maney</i> |
| 4:15pm – 5:15pm | FREE YOGA class for all levels! <i>*OPTIONAL EVENT*</i> |

#NYCPG2018 Conference Agenda

Thursday, October 11, 2018

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| 8:00am – 9:00am | Registration and Refreshments |
| 9:00am – 9:15am | Day 2 Welcome |
| 9:15am – 10:15am | A Better High: How To Encourage Healthy Natural Highs Over Problem Gambling <i>Matt Bellace, PhD, Neuropsychologist, Author and Stand-Up Comedian</i> |
| 10:15am – 10:30am | Movement Break |
| 10:30am – 11:30am | Workshop Session 3: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What were you thinking? Communicating With Teens About Problem Gambling, <i>Matt Bellace, Ph.D</i> • Link Between Opioid Use and Problem Gambling, <i>Loreen Rugle, Ph.D</i> • Organizational Culture: Making Room for Problem Gambling Services, <i>Amanda Burke, Ph.D, CTRS, CHES</i> • Identity Theft Prevention and Mitigation Advice for Family Victims, <i>Paula J. O'Brien, Esq.</i> |
| 11:30am – 12:00pm | OPEN Gamblers Anonymous Meeting and OPEN Gam-Anon Meeting |
| 12:00pm – 1:00pm | LUNCH |
| 1:00pm – 2:00pm | Let It Go, Just Let It Go <i>Kent Rader, Author and Professional Comedian</i> |
| 2:00pm – 2:30pm | <i>Special Topic TBA</i> |
| 2:30pm – 2:45pm | Movement Break |
| 2:45pm – 3:45pm | Workshop Session 4: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Laughter Matters, <i>Kent Rader</i> • Using Recovery Oriented Language to Support Empowerment and Transformation, <i>Perryn Dutiger, MSW</i> • Community Appeal: Assessing Opportunities and Threats to Providing Problem Gambling Services in Your Community, <i>Amanda Burke, Ph.D, CTRS, CHES</i> • New York's Statewide Voluntary Self-Exclusion Program by the Numbers, <i>Carolyn Hapeman, MA</i> |

We're looking forward to seeing you in October!

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