

# *Walking on Flaming Embers: the Interconnection of Mental Health Issues & Racism*

November 15 – 17, 2007

Oregon State University Campus -- Corvallis, Oregon

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## **NCBI history in the making!**

For the first time, the annual conference will be held on the West Coast at Oregon State University! Last year 29 institutions sent 65 participants to Columbia University in NYC. This year, we hope to see you all in Oregon! Begin planning your trip and visit the OSU web at <http://oregonstate.edu/>, and the City of Covallis visitor's site at <http://www.visitcorvallis.com/visitors/visitorpicture.html>; <http://eecs.oregonstate.edu/advantage/slideshow-corvallis/index.html>

## **Registration**

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- On-line: mail check or process with credit card per rates and deadlines listed below.
- Hard copy: print off, mail check or process with credit card per rates and deadlines below.

### **Choose your rate:**

- General affiliate
  - Processed by credit card or postmarked after 9/14/07 ..... \$300
- Student (fulltime)
  - processed by credit card or postmarked after 9/14/07 ..... \$250

### **Pay by credit card:**

Mastercard or VISA only:

1. Go to <https://admtn.ucsadm.oregonstate.edu/ustores/web/>
2. Select "Career Services"
3. Select "Career Services Events"
4. Select "NCBI Campus Conf. - General Affiliate" or "NCBI Campus Conf. – Student."

### **Pay by mail (check or money order):**

- Oregon State University Tax ID # 93-6001786
- **Checks payable to:** OSU Student Affairs, MSA068
- Send completed registration and payment to:  
Jodi Nelson  
Ofc. of the Vice Provost for Student Affairs  
Oregon State University  
Kerr 630 Administrative Services Bldg.  
Corvallis, OR 97331-2154

**Refunds:** No refunds after November 5; processing fee may apply prior to November 5.

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On November 14 the OSU Campus Coalition Builders will host and provide round trip transportation to the central Oregon coast, including a one-hour's drive to the historic bayfront in Newport and north on the scenic coast highway. Specifics of the day will be determined by participants. This is a great way to get to know and chill out with others before the conference begins! Contact Edie Blakley – edie.blakley@oregonstate.edu or 541-737-3654. Learn more at

<http://www.discovernewport.com/oregon-coast/central-oregon-coast.asp>

### Lodging

The Hilton Garden Inn on the Oregon State campus will provide lodging at the rates listed below. Reserve your room by calling (541)-752-5000 and asking for the National Coalition Building Institute block of rooms no later than October 14. A limited number of accessible rooms will be available.

<http://hiltongardeninn.hilton.com/en/gi/hotels/index.jhtml?ctyhocn=CVOCHGI>

Guest Room Tax = 10%	Single	Double	Triple	Quad
Double Queen	\$99.00 + tax = \$109	99.00 + tax = \$109	\$104.00 + tax = \$114	\$109.00 + tax = \$120
King	99.00 + tax = \$109	99.00 + tax = \$109	\$104.00 + tax = \$114	\$109.00 + tax = \$120

### Transportation

#### • Airfare

- The daily difference in hotel rates should go a long way to or completely cover the cost of your flight into Portland International Airport (PDX) or the Eugene Airport (EUG)! Eugene is about a 45-minute drive and Portland is about 1.5 hours from Corvallis.
- The best rates and schedules options will most likely be on flights in and out of Portland.

#### • Ground

- **Shuttle** purchase options to/from either Portland or Eugene airports:
  - If you are staying at the Hilton Garden Inn, they will arrange your trip for two or more passengers arriving/departing on the same shuttle for \$100 each, round trip. The Eugene shuttle will be slightly more.
  - You may also contact Wendy or Elena at Teel's Travel Planners at 541-758-0808 or email them at [wendy@travel-planners.com](mailto:wendy@travel-planners.com) or [elena@travel-planners.com](mailto:elena@travel-planners.com) for booking Portland at the price of \$84 each round trip. No requirement of two arriving/departing together. The Eugene shuttle will be slightly more.
  - Visit the Hut Shuttle website at <http://hutshuttle.com/>, choose "Portland" or "Eugene," then "schedules," then "Corvallis," which will drop you off at the Hilton Garden Inn (do not choose "OSU" as you will end up at the campus bookstore rather than the hotel). The Eugene shuttle will be slightly more.
  - **Rent a car** – The drive from Portland or Eugene is easy and the parking is free when you stay at the Hilton Garden Inn!

- **Portland International Airport:** [http://www.flypdx.com/Grnd\\_Trans.aspx](http://www.flypdx.com/Grnd_Trans.aspx);
- **Eugene -- Mahlon Sweet Airport:** <http://www.eugene-or.gov/portal/server.pt?open=512&objID=462&PageID=627&cached=true&mode=2&serID=2>
- **Campus & local –**
  - OSU provides a free shuttle from the hotel to campus destinations throughout the day. City buses also pickup at various campus locations.

### **Accommodation Requests**

- We want to meet all your needs. Please contact [jodi.nelson@oregonstate.edu](mailto:jodi.nelson@oregonstate.edu) or call 541-737-0715 to request special accommodations by November 5.

### **Questions?**

- Pre-Conference trip to the Oregon Coast: Edie Blakley – [edie.blakley@oregonstate.edu](mailto:edie.blakley@oregonstate.edu) or 541-737-3654