Dear Community:

We hope this newsletter finds you in good health and spirits. As we emerge from the winter and hibernation of omicron, we are excited to share with you updates on our work and upcoming opportunities. We are particularly inspired by the resilience and community engagement that have defined our efforts in recent times.

ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR'S COLUMN

Mayra Amador

Mayra Amador is a public health professional pursuing her Master of Public Health degree at UC Berkeley with a concentration in Epidemiology and Biostatistics. She recently completed her MPH practicum with our Office. In that role, she worked on a map and newsletter prototype for the Food for Health Equity Lab, and conducted ethnographic interviews with Latinx community members to assess access to food and food-related knowledge. She also contributed to a successful submission for the Stanford Center for Clinical and Translational Research and Education (C3RE) Collaborative Partnerships (CABs). She looks forward to sharing these learnings in her current work and future endeavors.

COMMUNITY PARTNER HIGHLIGHT

Welcome Ernesto

Ernesto Galindo Rosas

Ernesto Galindo Rosas is passionate about improving the health of Latinx community members and has been working with the University for several years. He is currently working on a project that aims to improve the health outcomes of this population through community-based research and engagement. Ernesto has more than 20 years of experience as a community health worker. He has a BA in Chicano Studies with concentrations in Economics and Political Science from UC Berkeley. He also has an MA in Public Health from the University of California, San Francisco and a Post-Bac in Public Health from the University of California, Berkeley. Ernesto is passionate about community-engaged research and believes that it is crucial for improving the health of marginalized communities.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mayra Ledesma

Dr. Mayra Ledesma is a Public Health Researcher who has been working at Stanford University for over 15 years. She received her PhD in Epidemiology from UC Berkeley and has published extensively on topics related to community health and health disparities. She recently received the American Public Health Association’s (APHA) Health and Social Justice Prize! “This award recognizes Stanford faculty who engage and involve students in their work and who demonstrate the highest level of excellence in research and scholarship.”

Research News

C3RE CAB Awardees! Read more.

The Stanford Community Partnership Awardees! Read more.

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- Review of proposals: Friday, January 28, 2022 at 12:00 PM PT
- Review of applications: Monday, February 28, 2022 at 12:00 PM PT
- Deadline for Proposal Submissions: Thursday, March 31, 2022 at 11:59 PM PT

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

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- SUPPORTED BY:
  - The Stanford Center for Clinical and Translational Research and Education (C3RE)
  - The Stanford School of Medicine

- AVAILABLE FOR:
  - Projects that directly engage community partners and align with the mission of the Stanford Community Partnership (C3RE)

- SUPPORTED WITH:
  - Up to $40,000 available per award!

- DEADLINE:
  - March 31, 2022

- DESCRIPTION:

  - The Stanford Community Partnership (C3RE) is a program designed to support research collaborations between Stanford University and community partners. The program aims to increase the capacity of community organizations to conduct research and enhance the impact of research on community health.

- ELIGIBILITY:

  - Projects that directly engage community partners and align with the mission of the Stanford Community Partnership (C3RE)

- REQUIREMENTS:

  - Projects must be focused on community health and must align with the mission of the Stanford Community Partnership (C3RE).

- LEVELS OF SUPPORT:

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- SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:

  - Proposals must be submitted by Thursday, March 31, 2022 at 11:59 PM PT.

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- APPLICATION FORM:

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IN MEMORIAM

Miguel Angel Garcia

Miguel Angel Garcia, a beloved community partner and long-time collaborator with the Office of Community Engagement, passed away on March 13, 2022. He was a founding member of the Hacienda Heights Community Cabinet, a local community organization that focused on improving the quality of life for residents in the area. Miguel was a dedicated volunteer and an active participant in many community initiatives, including the creation of a food pantry and the development of a community garden. He is greatly missed by all who knew him.

SIGNS OF CARE

Jenny Armstrong

Jenny Armstrong is a community partner who has been working with the Office of Community Engagement for several years. She has been instrumental in helping us to develop and implement community-based research initiatives. Jenny is a dedicated community partner and an active participant in many community initiatives.

RESEARCH NEWS

- Join us for a HYBRID EVENT and 20th ANNUAL COMMUNITY HEALTH SYMPOSIUM on May 18-19, 2023.

- The Science of Community Engagement in Health Research course, taught by Drs. Lisa Goldman Rosas and Patricia Rodriguez Espinosa, is in its third year. The course is designed to provide an in-depth understanding of community engagement in health research.

- For more information, visit the course website at stanfordmedicine.org/community-engagement/education.

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- DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: Monday, May 8, 2023 at 12:00 PM PT

- DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS: Friday, June 9, 2023 at 12:00 PM PT

- IN-PERSON AND LIVESTREAM: Friday, June 16, 2023 at 12:00 PM PT

- AGENDA: available here

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