

Dear Christian,

In case you are planning to attend APS this year in San Francisco, I wanted to let you know that we're planning another pre-conference.

Even if you are unable to attend, we would also love to have any of your graduate students or other colleagues attend as we try to broaden our community of researchers interested in Cultural-Clinical Psychology, so do feel free to pass this on or let me know if you have any specific colleagues you'd like us to reach out to.

More information below.

Best wishes,
Andrew

A few notes about the event:

- The event is typically held before the APS conference, but you do not have to attend or register for APS to attend this meeting as this is an independent research group and it is not an official APS pre-conference.
- Further, we can provide a certification of your attendance for this half-day session if it would help with receiving professional leave or reimbursement.
- Please do consider both attending the talk by our keynote speaker and submitting a flash talk for our data blitz.
- **Dr. Jeanne Tsai** has graciously agreed to be our keynote speaker, and we're very excited to have her come speak with us! We would love to have you there to participate in some good discussions on topics pertinent to many of our respective research areas.
- We have extended the RSVP deadline to **Wednesday, March 7**; particularly an idea of who can definitely attend is going to be instrumental in deciding whether this event will be held, so please do spread the word! We'd love to continue our annual tradition.

RSVP and data blitz submissions both can be found at:

<https://culturalclinicalpsych.org/aps-pre-conference/>

Many thanks for considering, and we hope to see you there!

Cultural-Clinical Psychology Annual Research Meeting
Wednesday, May 23, 2018

9:30am: Arrival & coffee/tea

9:45am-10am: Opening remarks and introduction

10am-11:15am: Flash talk presentations

11:30am-1pm: Keynote speaker for 60 minutes with 30 minutes for questions/discussion

1pm-2:30pm: Group networking lunch (optional, not included in pre-conference price*)

*Pre-conference rates are slated to be \$45 for faculty, and \$25 for students for the 9:30am-1pm programming.

Other notes:

a. Kindly RSVP to this event so we can get a sense of tentative headcount for planning purposes. Please do so by **March 7th, 2018** on our website here: <https://culturalclinicalpsych.org/aps-pre-conference/>

b. This year, we have a submission deadline for abstracts (again, **March 7th, 2018**) for those interested in presenting 5-10 minute flash talks in our 10am Data-blitz. Submission guidelines can be found on our submission link also on our website (click on submitting abstract link for guidelines): <https://culturalclinicalpsych.org/aps-pre-conference/>

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