### ASGW Social Events

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### ASGW Educational Sessions

**Friday, March 13th**

**7:30 am - 8:30 am, Program ID #108, Celebration 1 & 2  ** *Ed Jacobs and Christine Schimmel*

**Shining a Light on Group Counseling: A Dynamic, Real-Life Group Experience**

This unique session will combine a large-group experience followed by a live demonstration made up of six to eight volunteer members from the audience. The presenters will demonstrate the art of engagement along with the effective use of exercises and theories. The leaders will show how to engage all members while working with one member. The presenters will comment frequently regarding the skills being utilized during the live demonstration. The leaders will show how to close a session.

**11:00 am - 11:30 am Program ID #404, Rainbow Spring, Poster 4  ** *Melissa Luke and Kristopher M. Goodrich*

**Research in Group Work: Where We Have Been, Where We Are, and Where We Hope To Go**

This poster session will review the historic and current state of group work research, identifying some of the contemporary dilemmas, including incorporation of best practices and ethical guidelines. The presenters will review the use of qualitative, quantitative, and mixed-method designs, as well as describe the necessary next steps related to connecting research to practice in the future. Identifying and accessing group work literature and the publication process also will be discussed.

**Saturday, March 14, 2015  2:00 pm - 3:30 pm Program ID #253, Bayhill 19 & 20**  

**Christine Suniti Bhat, Yegan Pillay, and Priscilla Rose Selvaraj**

**Therapeutic Groups for Substance Use Disorder: An Experiential Session**

This is an experiential session based on the ASGW practical resource, “Group Work Experts Share Their Favorite Activities for the Prevention and Treatment of Substance Use Disorder.” The overall goals of the session are to (1) share activities from ASGW’s most recent resource, (2) provide attendees with an experience of group work focused on clients with substance use, and (3) provide attendees with a small cache of activities that they can then use in their own practice.

**Sunday, March 15, 2015  10:00 am - 10:30 am Program ID #612, Rainbow Spring, Poster 2**  

**Allison Spargo and Lynn Boyd**

**Dialectical Behavioral Therapy Style Groups**

Dialectical behavioral therapy (DBT) is a highly structured, multifaceted approach blending aspects of cognitive, behaviorism, and mindfulness training. DBT suggests inclusion in a group to reinforce skills learned in individual DBT sessions. This poster session will focus on group work using DBT. The poster will review fundamentals of DBT group work, explore challenges for group counselors who use DBT, as well as provide information on cultural and ethical considerations in DBT counseling groups.

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Online Group Activities to Enhance Counselor Education

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Group Work Experts Share Their Favorite Activities for the Prevention and Treatment of Substance Use Disorders

DVDs

Group Work: Leading in the Here and Now (Carroll)
Developmental Aspects of Group Counseling (Stockton)
Leading Groups with Adolescents (DeLucia-Waack, Segrist, & Horne)
Group Counseling with Children: A Multicultural Approach (Bauman & Steen)
Group Counseling with Adolescents: A Multicultural Approach (Bauman & Steen)

BRAND NEW!! BEING PREVIEWED AT THE ASGW BOOTH #305

Leading Counseling Groups for Adults: A Demonstration of the Art of Engagement (Jacobs & Schimmel)

GROUP RESOURCES AND PRODUCTS

Question Balls (Icebreaker, Feelings, Family and Cultural Background, Ending)
Mood Changing Stress Balls
Manic Mood Stress People Wobblers
What Would Group Do Wristbands for Group Members
What Would Group Do
Flashdrives for Group Leaders
Flex People Clocks to Keep Time in Group
Penny Stones Conversation Game
Group Therapy T-Shirts
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Bendable Magic Wands/Talking Sticks

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