

2017 Spine Summer School

Designing a Mixed Methods Project: An Interactive-Participatory Workshop

August 21-25, 2017

Mixed methods research is a methodology for conducting research that involves collecting, analyzing, and integrating (or mixing) quantitative and qualitative research (and data) in a single study or a longitudinal program of inquiry. The purpose of this form of research is that both qualitative and quantitative research, in combination, provide a better understanding of a research problem or issue than either research approach alone.

Mixed methods research is often referred to as the third methodological movement and has witnessed a rapid rise in popularity in the last 20 years. It has also now developed its own philosophical, theoretical, methodological, analytical and practical foundations and constructs.

The 2017 Spine Summer School will be conducted interactively and provide participants with the opportunity to attain an advanced level of knowledge on the development and conduct of a mixed methods project. The program includes the presentation and discussion of different data collection techniques, management of data as well as analysis, integration and dissemination of the results. The summer school offers PhD students in nursing science as well as other stakeholders of research in the medical field the opportunity to learn how to integrate a mixed methods approach from highly regarded professionals in the domain.

The course will be taught in English

Registration Deadline is June 15th 2017

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Invited Speakers

Dr Jane Forman, Sc.D., M.H.S.

Director, Qualitative/Mixed Methods Core
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Jane Forman earned her doctorate from the Program in Law, Ethics, and Health at the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health. At CCMR, she collaborates with and mentors investigators conducting studies that include qualitative and mixed methods. She has led the qualitative component of several partnered evaluations, in primary care, specialty care, and nurse staffing and training. Her research interests include understanding health care delivery systems and translating health services research into practice.



Dr. Rogério Meireles Pinto, LCSW, Ph.D.

Associate Professor
Associate Editor, Journal of Mixed Methods Research
University of Michigan

Rogério Pinto is a Brazilian-born psychiatric social work researcher with more than a decade of clinical and community practice. He is an expert in Community Based Participatory Research and mixed methods research. He is the Principal Investigator on a NIMH K01 Career Development Award (2007-12) and NIMH R01 (2012-17). Dr. Pinto is a scientific reviewer for NIH and Brazil's Ministry of Health and Associate Editor for the Journal of Mixed Methods Research. He received the Society for Social Work and Research 2004 Outstanding Dissertation Award and the 2010 Deborah Padgett Early Career Achievement Award. In 2013, he received the Graduate Student Faculty Mentoring Award from Columbia University.



Course Outline

DAY	DATE	SUBJECT OUTLINE
Day 1	21/08/17	Introduction to Mixed Methods and Conceptual Frameworks
Day 2	22/08/17	Data Collection and Design
Day 3	23/08/17	Planning and Managing Data Collection
Day 4	24/08/17	Mixed Methods: Analysis and Integration
Day 5	25/08/17	Method: Dissemination of Results

Dates

Monday 21st to Friday 25th August 2017

Location

- **Monday to Thursday:** Salle Seminaire 7
at Bugnon 21 close to CHUV
- **Friday:** Auditoire Auguste Tissot CHUV,
Lausanne

Schedule Time

Morning seminar: 9:00 – 12:00

(Except Monday, 10h00)

Afternoon seminar: 13:30 – 16:30

Commitment and Credits

6 hours of lecture/ seminar per day

3 hours preparation per day

2 ECTS

Target Group and Eligibility

Doctoral students and post-doctoral fellows, faculty members and researchers from Nursing Science and healthcare disciplines interested in mixed methods research and in integrating this methodology in their field of interest. Participants should have successfully completed graduate level courses in research methodology and be familiar with health research concepts. The course will demonstrate new paradigms to understand and manage and mix both qualitative and quantitative data.

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- Application Form sent to spine-summer-school.ifs@chuv.ch
- Recent CV (2 pages max)
- Copy of higher degree or letter from PhD supervisor

Course Fees*

- PhD students affiliated with SPINE (INS, UNIL) and PPHS: Free
- PhD students not affiliated with SPINE or PPHS**: CHF 900
- Post-doctoral fellows: CHF 900
- INS- and UNIL Alumni: CHF 900
- Other participants: CHF 1400

*The course fee includes course materials and refreshments during coffee breaks. Participation fees do not include meals, accommodation or travel expenses. Students are expected to make their own accommodation arrangements as necessary. Registration is conditional upon full payment of fees.

**To qualify for the PhD fee, applicants are required to submit a letter from their supervisor stating their actual position as a doctoral student or postdoctoral fellow.

Payment

Through invoice

Payment of fees is due within 3 weeks of notification of acceptance and should be received at the latest by June 30th 2017.

Terms, Conditions, and Cancellation Policy

- Seating is limited to 40 participants. All participants must commit to attending the full 5 day course. Applicants are selected on a first come first serve basis. Only complete applications are considered. Notification of acceptance will be emailed within 3 weeks of the closing date.
- In case of cancellation, a written notification must be sent. A service fee of CHF 50 will be charged. Refund will no longer be possible after July 15th 2017.
- The organization does not accept liability for personal injuries or for loss or damage to property belonging to participants sustained either during or as result of the course. The organization reserves the right to make minor program modifications, decline applications, or cancel the course in case of insufficient registrations at the closing date.

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The fourth-largest city in Switzerland, Lausanne is set apart by its vocation as an Olympic city, a sustainable city and a place of training and culture. A very popular tourist destination, the city is also home to many international companies, particularly the headquarters of multinationals. Quality of life and economic attractiveness combine to multiple effect!

For Information on accommodation and touristic activities please visit the following:
<http://www.lausanne-tourisme.ch/en/>