SYMPOSIUM OVERVIEW
The Center on Aging at The University of Vermont (UVM) is pleased to present the 2017 Gerontology Symposium. The goal of the symposium is to provide current, research-based information on topics relevant to the broad range of health and service providers who work with Vermont’s older adults. The keynote, “Poised for Possibility: Engaging New Voices Around Aging,” will be delivered by Joann M. Montepare, Ph.D., Director of the Fuss Center for Research on Aging and Intergenerational Studies at Lasell College.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES
* Articulate new, research-based approaches to framing or talking about aging.
* Increase comfort level with talking about end of life care; describe resources available to help plan for future care needs.
* Discover growth-enhancing ways to envision aging.
* Describe new approaches to hiring and retaining the mature worker in Vermont.

The Mission of The Center on Aging at The University of Vermont is to forge an ongoing collaboration among faculty, students, staff, and programs within the University of Vermont, UVM Medical Center, and the Vermont community, including state and local governments, to promote a high quality of life for older adults. The Center seeks to engage interested parties who wish to partner in the development and execution of programs that facilitate the health and welfare of older adults.

http://www.med.uvm.edu/centeronaging

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FEE
The registration fee is $30. An additional fee of $20 will be charged for those requiring Continuing Education credit. Please indicate on the registration form if you require credit (and what type). The symposium fills quickly, early registration strongly suggested. Cancellations must be received in writing and refunds are not possible after May 5, 2017.

ACCREDITATION
In support of improving patient care, The Robert Larner, M.D. College of Medicine is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.

This program has been reviewed and is acceptable for up to 6.75 Nursing Contact Hours.

We gratefully acknowledge
DAIL (Vermont Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living)
for their generous support of this conference.

SPEAKERS
- Bronwyn Becker
  Volunteer, Central Vermont Home Health and Hospice
  UVM Interfaith Chaplain
- Andrea Bibeau, BS
  SASH Coordinator, Cathedral Square Corporation
- Mary Branagan, MBA
  Director, Program Affairs
  Associates for Training and Development (AATD)
- Monica Caserta Hutt
  Commissioner, Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living (DAIL), Agency of Human Services
  State of Vermont
- Carol Keefe
  SASH Supervisor
  Rutland Housing Authority
- Holly Lukens, BA, Certificate in Gerontology
  Director, Merrie Presence
- Penné Lynch, MBA
  Executive Director, Workforce Education
  Community College of Vermont
- Dana McMahon, MA
  (Gerontology)
  Case Management and Information & Assistance Manager
  Southwestern Vermont Council on Aging
- Joann M. Montepare, PhD
  Director, RoseMary B. Fuss Center for Research on Aging and Intergenerational Studies
  Professor of Psychology
  Lasell College/Lasell Village
  Newton, MA
- Nicole Moran, MSN, RN
  Director, Palliative Care & Hospice Services
  VNA & Hospice of the Southwest Region
- Monica Morano
  Founder and Owner
  Happy to Help Caregivers and Seniors, LLC
- William Pendlebury, MD
  COURSE DIRECTOR
  Director, Center on Aging at UVM
  Medical Director, UVM Medical Center Memory Program
- Jim Pierce, LICSW
  Medical Foster Home Coordinator
  Veterans Administration
  White River Junction, Vermont
- Nathan Piper
  Business Account Manager, Creative Workforce Solutions (CWS)
  State of Vermont, Agency of Human Services, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation
- John Saroyan, MD, FAAP
  HMDCB, FAAHPM
  Medical Director, BAYADA Hospice
  Geisel School of Medicine at Dartmouth
  Adjunct Associate Professor
  Larner College of Medicine at The University of Vermont
- Nina Thompson
  Executive Director
  The Wake Up to Dying Project
- Greg Voorheis, MEd
  Mature Worker Program Coordinator
  State of Vermont, Agency of Human Services, Department of Disabilities, Aging and Independent Living (DAIL)/Vocational Rehabilitation

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PROGRAM SCHEDULE

7:30AM  Registration/Coffee
8:10   Welcome and Introduction
        William Pendlebury, MD
8:15   DAIL Update
        Monica Caserta Hutt, Commissioner, DAIL
8:30   KEYNOTE
        Poised for Possibility: Engaging New Voices Around Aging
        Joann Montepare, PhD
9:30   Concurrent Sessions
        Exercise Your Being: Taking an Integrative Approach to Stay Active
        Andrea Bibeau, BS
        Death Chat: Come Explore Death, Dying and Life!
        Bronwyn Becker
        Nina Thompson
        Designing an Encore Career: Hear Two Stories
        Holly Lukens, BA
        Monica Morano
10:45  Break
11:00  Mature Workforce: Options for Encore Careers
        Moderator: Greg Voorheis, MEd
        Mary Branagan, MBA
        Penné Lynch, MBA
        Nathan Piper
12:30PM Lunch and Student Poster Session
1:30   Concurrent Sessions
        Exercise Your Being: Taking an Integrative Approach to Stay Active
        Andrea Bibeau, BS
        Death Chat: Come Explore Death, Dying and Life!
        Bronwyn Becker
        Nina Thompson
        Designing an Encore Career: Hear Two Stories
        Holly Lukens, BA
        Monica Morano
2:45   Break
3:00   Proactive Advance Care Planning
        Moderator: John Saroyan, MD
        Carol Keefe
        Dana McMahon, MA
        Nicole Moran, MSN, RN
        Jim Pierce, LICSW
4:30   Conference Adjourns

REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION FEE SUMMARY:

- Tuition $30.00
- I would like CE credit: Add $20.00
- Total: $_____

CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS

There will be an opportunity to attend two workshop sessions. Please rank your preferences from 1 (most) to 3 (least desirable). Based on receipt of registrations, every effort will be made to provide you with your preferred workshops.

- Exercise Your Being
- Death Chat
- Design an Encore Career

CREDIT INFORMATION

- I do not need CE Credit.
- I would like CE Credit (additional $20). Please check:
  - Nursing
  - Nursing Home Administrator
  - Social Work

Name as it should appear on certificate (only if receiving credit):

Name                                    Degree

PAYMENT METHOD

To pay by credit card, please register online by visiting:

www.regonline.com/2017GerontologyRutland

To pay by check, payable to the University of Vermont, please mail your payment along with a completed registration form to the address below:

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Continuing Medical Education
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Burlington, Vermont 05401

Receipt of Registration Requested by May 10, 2017

Symposium fills quickly, please register early.