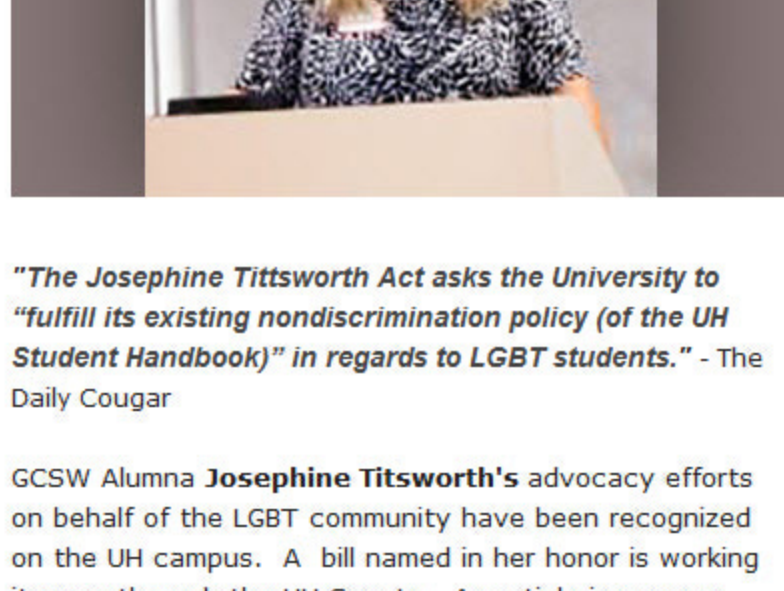




Student's Advocacy Recognized with a Bill



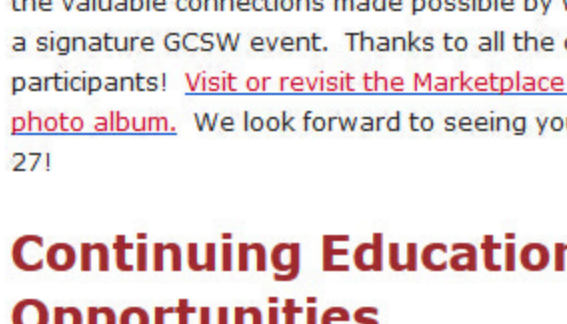
"The Josephine Titsworth Act asks the University to "fulfill its existing nondiscrimination policy (of the UH Student Handbook)" in regards to LGBT students." - The Daily Cougar

GCSW Alumna **Josephine Titsworth's** advocacy efforts on behalf of the LGBT community have been recognized on the UH campus. A bill named in her honor is working its way through the UH Senate. An article in campus newspaper the **Daily Cougar** notes that the bill seeks to acknowledge that "gender expression is the external characteristics presented by an individual such as masculine or feminine features displayed in mannerisms, speech, social environments or attire," and to formally acknowledge "the terms, gender identity and gender expression represented trans, transgender and gender-nonconforming students, faculty and staff" on all University documentation."

Congratulations, Josephine! [Read the article for more details and information on the town hall meeting to discuss the bill.](#)

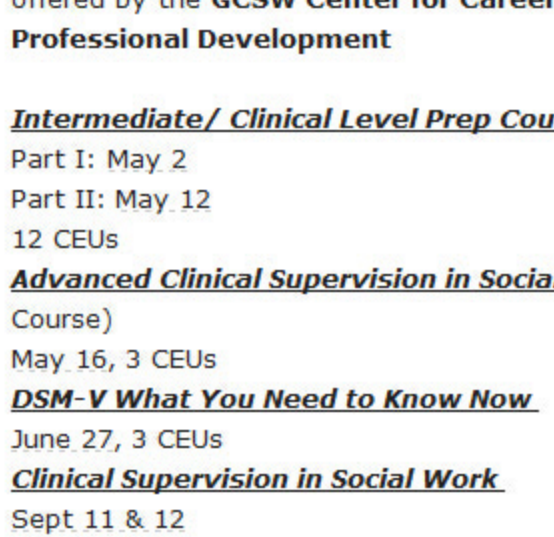
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Another Successful Marketplace!



Last Friday, the 26th Annual GCSW Field Agency Marketplace was jammed with students, community agencies and GCSW alumni. Each year we are happy to host and facilitate the valuable connections made possible by what has become a signature GCSW event. Thanks to all the organizers and participants! [Visit or revisit the Marketplace via our event photo album.](#) We look forward to seeing you at Marketplace 27!

Continuing Education Opportunities



Mark your calendars for a number of CE Opportunities offered by the **GCSW Center for Career and Professional Development**

- Intermediate/ Clinical Level Prep Course**
Part I: May 2
Part II: May 12
12 CEUs
- Advanced Clinical Supervision in Social Work** (Refresher Course)
May 16, 3 CEUs
- DSM-V What You Need to Know Now**
June 27, 3 CEUs
- Clinical Supervision in Social Work**
Sept 11 & 12
Oct 9 & 10
40 CEUs

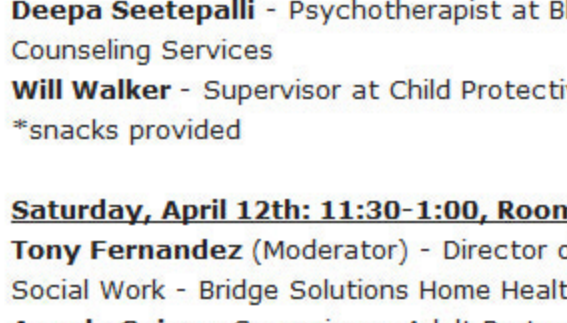
Questions? Contact **Ann Liberman** at aliberman@uh.edu
[Register for courses here.](#)

GCSW Students Want to Pay it Forward



The **GCSW Class of 2014** has taken on a the challenge of raising \$25,000 to start an endowment that will help the next generation of social workers offset the cost of tuition. Help them in their efforts to leave a legacy for their peers. [You can make a donation here.](#) Many thanks on behalf of our students!

Upcoming Events



GCSW Alumni will host **The Real Deal**, a panel discussion where students can learn and ask questions about transitioning from GCSW Student into Social Work Practitioners. Panel Members include:
Wednesday, April 9: 4:15-5:45, Multi-Purpose Room (110-J)

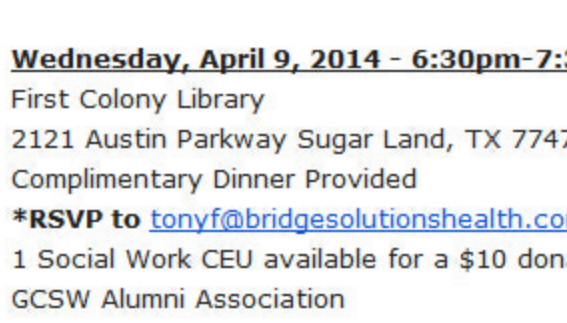
- Rosalind Rolls** (Moderator) - Goodwill Industries Veteran Services
- Steve Cochran** - Director - Neurotherapy Center of Houston
- Michele Munzner** - Social Worker at Park Plaza Hospital
- Deepa Seetepalli** - Psychotherapist at Blue Lotus Counseling Services
- Will Walker** - Supervisor at Child Protective Services
*snacks provided

- Saturday, April 12th: 11:30-1:00, Room 231**
- Tony Fernandez** (Moderator) - Director of Marketing & Social Work - Bridge Solutions Home Health
- Angela Goins** - Supervisor - Adult Protective Services
- Michele Munzner** - Social Worker - Park Plaza Hospital
- Ciona Regev** - Director of Geriatric Programing - Quentin Mease Hospital (Harris Health System)
- Margaret Goodrich** - ER Social Worker - Methodist Hospital TMC
*light lunch provided

[Visit our website for more details and registration information.](#)



Tickets to the GCSW's 2014 Gala "**We Are the World**" are going fast! Join us at Hotel ZaZa on **Friday, April 25**. GCSW Ph.D. candidate, **Elizabeth McIngvale Cegelski** will serve as gala chair. **Linda K. May** will be honored with the 2014 Spirit of Social Work Award. Join us for a celebration of social work! For more information [visit our website](#) or contact Renia Butler in the Development Office at [713-743-8475](tel:713-743-8475) or rsbutler@central.uh.edu



The GCSW Alumni Association Board is excited to present: **Attachment Theory: Implications for Children's Grief Journey** featuring guest speaker, GCSW PhD Alumna, **Corrine Walijarvi**

Wednesday, April 9, 2014 - 6:30pm-7:30pm
First Colony Library
2121 Austin Parkway Sugar Land, TX 77479
Complimentary Dinner Provided
*RSVP to tonyf@bridgesolutionshealth.com
1 Social Work CEU available for a \$10 donation to the UH GCSW Alumni Association

Community Events

[Visit the Community Events page on our website](#) for details and information on how to submit your event to be included in these listings. Current listings include: **April 10 - 12: Houston Group Psychotherapy Society's Annual Institute**, **April 18: Continuing Education: HIV/AIDS** **May 16: Continuing Education: STIs, Hepatitis & Tuberculosis**
Visit our website for additional listings.

Please use the links to our calendar and website to stay current with all the exciting happenings at GCSW!

Featured Events

Continuing Education Courses

Visit our website for a full listing of opportunities:

Upcoming CE offerings:

- [March 13&14: Clinical Supervision in Social Work](#)
- [April 10&11: Clinical Supervision in Social Work](#)
- [May 2: Intermediate/Clinical Level Prep Course: Part I](#)
- [May 12: Intermediate/Clinical Level Prep Course: Part II](#)