

Please come hear Dr. Dorothy Espelage's talk on:

“Large-Scale Clinical Trials of Social-emotional Learning Middle-School Program in US Schools: Challenges of Implementation, Competing Programming, & Sustainability”

When: Monday October 26, 2015

Time: 10:40am – 11:40am

Where: New Physics Building 2205

Dorothy L. Espelage, Ph.D. is the recent recipient of the Lifetime Achievement Award in Prevention Science of the American Psychological Association. She has conducted research on bullying, homophobic teasing, sexual harassment, dating violence, and gang violence for the last 20 years. She is author on over 120 peer-reviewed journal articles and 25 chapters. She has presented thousands of workshops and in-service training seminars for teachers, administrators, counselors, and social workers across the U.S. Her research focuses on translating empirical findings into prevention and intervention programming and she has secured 6.5 million dollars of external funding. As just one example, she just completed a CDC-funded study that included a randomized clinical trial of a social emotional learning prevention program in 36 middle schools to reduce aggression. She authored a 2011 White House Brief on bullying among LGBTQ youth and attended the White House Conference in 2011. Dr. Espelage has appeared on many television news and talk shows, including *The Today Show*, *CNN*, *CBS Evening News*, *The Oprah Winfrey Show*, *Anderson*, *Anderson 360* and has been quoted in the national print press, including *Time Magazine*, *USA Today*, *People*, *Boston Globe*, and the *Wall Street Journal*.

For more information on Dorothy Espelage please visit her website at

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