

Storytelling Together for Social Change

Join the Addiction Research Institute in hosting a group of pioneers who have made waves creating social change at our first “Storytelling Together for Social Change” on February 1st, 2024. The ARI welcomes Dr. Scott Walters, Dr. Sherri Greenberg, Dr. Lisa Hardy and a panel of academics and community members.

Feb. 1, 2024 | 9:00 am - 3:30 pm | UT Austin, Location TBD

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Schedule

9:00 -9:15 am – Welcome & Introduction by ARI’s Director, Kasey Claborn, PhD

9:15 - 10:15 am - Dr. Scott Walters, UNT Health Sciences Center, How to Write an Effective Newspaper Op-Ed

10:20 - 11:20 am - Dr. Sherri Greenberg, Texas LBJ School, Research to Policy: Creating an Impactful Policy Brief

11:20 - 11:30 am – Break

11:30 am - 12:30 pm – Panel Discussion

-Dr Phillip Schnarrs, Associate Professor, Department of Population Health, Dell Medical School
-Doug Smith, MSSW, Adjunct Assistant Professor, UT School of Social Work, Policy Analyst
-Carl Hunter, Executive Director, Building Promises
-Elizabeth Henry, Director of Policy, RecoveryPeople
-Leah Kaufman, Assistant Vice President of Public Policy, Shatterproof

12:30-1:30pm – Lunch and Networking

1:30-2:30p - Keynote Address by Dr. Lisa Hardy, Professor at NAU, Community Engagement Through Collaborative Writing: Storytelling Together

2:30 - 2:45 pm – Closing Remarks

2:45 -3:30 pm – Networking and Zero Proof craft cocktails by UT SHIFT

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