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Occupational Science Symposium XXIII

AUTISM IN EVERYDAY LIFE
INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH PERSPECTIVES AT USC

USC Division of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy

at the Ostrow School of Dentistry of USC

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 2012
8:30AM - 4:30PM Lunch Included
Ronald Tutor Campus Center, Ballroom A ~ 3607 Trousdale Parkway, Los Angeles, CA 90089
Reception to follow at Moreton Fig Restaurant
Cost: $50 Individuals   $25 Students
RSVP BY MARCH 5: ot.usc.edu/research/symposium   ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE: Peter Wittrock 323.442.1861

KEYNOTE LECTURER
Catherine Lord, PhD
Director, Institute for Brain Development, New York Presbyterian Hospital
2012 Patricia Buehler Legacy Award for Clinical Innovation
Author of the Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule (ADOS) the “gold standard” for assessing and diagnosing autism.

FEATURING
Florence Clark, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA
Associate Dean and Professor, USC Division of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy
Sensory Integration, Engagement and Family Life Initiative

Pat Levitt, PhD
Director, Zilkha Neurogenetic Institute Keck School of Medicine of USC
Esteemed neuroscientist and expert in child and brain development

DISTINGUISHED GUEST ADDRESS
Rodney Peete
Former USC and NFL Quarterback
Author of “Not My Boy!: A Father, A Son, and One Family’s Journey with Autism”

2012 WILMA WEST LECTURE
Susan Knox, PhD, OTR/L, FAOTA
2012 Wilma West Lecturer
Internationally renowned expert in Sensory Integration and Play

PANEL DISCUSSIONS AMONG DISTINGUISHED USC SCHOLARS
INNOVATIONS IN RESEARCH AND TREATMENT

FEATURING
Sharon Cermak, EdD, OTR/L, FAOTA Professor, Division of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy
Shri Narayanan, PhD Professor of Critical Studies, School of Cinematic Arts
Barbara Thompson, PhD Asst. Professor, Division of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy
Larry Yin, MD, MSPH Asst. Professor of Clinical Pediatrics, Keck School of Medicine of USC

HEALTH DISPARITIES, FAMILY LIFE AND GLOBALIZATION

FEATURING
Mark Jonathan Harris Distinguished Professor, School of Cinematic Arts
Marsha Kinder, PhD Professor of Critical Studies, School of Cinematic Arts
Mary Lawlor, ScD, OTR/L, FAOTA Professor and Director of Research, Division of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy
Olga Solomon, PhD Asst. Professor, Division of Occupational Science and Occupational Therapy

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