

The 31st Annual International University for Graduate Studies Residency & Graduate Seminar

Friday, June 30th through Saturday, July 8th 2017

Located at the Evergreen Hotel, Castle Comfort, Roseau, Commonwealth of Dominica, W.I.

The nine-unit module 40.5-hour residency seminar will include round table discussions, facilitated lectures; student participation in identifying current publications, awareness of evidenced based practice/relevance, data and trends, and transfer of learning plan in the following areas of learning:

1. Medical Co-Morbidity and Mental Illness, Parts I & II: Dr. Stephen Daniel
2. Integrative approaches to Primary Care and Behavioural Healthcare, Parts I & II:
Dr. Stephen Daniel
3. Ethics in Professional Practice: Dr. Judith Balcerzak
4. Mobbing (Bullying): Recognizing, Treating, and Preventing Workforce Emotional Abuse:
Dr. Judith Balcerzak
5. Psychopharmacology: Dr. Judith Balcerzak
6. Organizational Development - Applied Case Study: Dr. Daniel Jordan
7. Public Health: Myths and Realities/Prevention in Public Health: Dr. Daniel Jordan
8. Research Methods/Human Subjects Protections: Dr. Stephen Daniel and Dr. Daniel Jordan
9. Research Ethics: Dr. Stephen Daniel and Dr. Daniel Jordan

Format: 4.5 hours per module, each module to include:

Seminar to discuss journal articles, up-to-date articles that refer to the topics to be discussed (see above) and relevance to their own research topics, lectures, and transfer of learning plans.

- Friday, June 30th: Morning and early afternoon-doctoral defenses/exams
- Friday, June 30th: Late afternoon introductions, orientation to IUGS and Dominica, and welcome dinner
- Saturday, July 1st: 6 hours
- Sunday, July 2nd: 6 hours
- Monday, July 3rd: 6 hours ½ hours
- Tuesday, July 4th: 6 hours
- Wednesday, July 5th: 4 hours in the morning with the rest of the day free**.
- Thursday, July 6th: 6 hours
- Friday, July 7th: 6 hours
- (Total of 40.5 hours of graduate seminars)
- Saturday, July 8th: graduation and farewell luncheon

** Wednesday afternoon free activities can include any of these activities or others: trip to Trafalgar Falls, hike to Boiling Lake (this is a 6-hour hike for VERY fit people); Champagne Reef for snorkeling; Emerald Pool (an hour drive through the rainforest, then an easy, 1 mile walk to lovely waterfalls), downtown Roseau for shopping, other activities (as arranged).