

Youth Violence Prevention Conference

YOUTH PROBLEM BEHAVIOR AND JUSTICE SYSTEM RESPONSES

Thursday, April 5, 2012
University of Missouri–St. Louis
J.C. Penney Conference Center

2012'S TOPICS INCLUDE:

GANGS ON THE INTERNET

CODE OF THE STREET

PROJECT CEASEFIRE

THE MISSOURI MODEL

AGENDA // APRIL 5, 2012

8:00–9:00 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast (Lobby)

9:00–9:15 a.m. Welcome and Conference Overview (Auditorium)

9:15–10:15 a.m. Scott Decker From the Street to the Web and Back Again

10:15–10:30 a.m. Break (Lobby)

10:30–11:30 a.m. Eric Stewart The Code of the Street

11:30–11:45 a.m. Morning Wrap-Up and Discussion

11:45 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Lunch (Summit Room)

12:30–1:30 p.m. Candice Kane Chicago Project CeaseFire

1:30–1:45 p.m. Break (Lobby)

1:45–2:45 p.m. Beth Huebner The Missouri Model: What Works for Juvenile Corrections

2:45–3:00 p.m. Afternoon Wrap-Up and Discussion

3:00–3:30 p.m. Snacks available in the Lobby



The Program

Speakers at this year's conference will examine victimization and strategies for reducing adolescent victimization. Research findings from St. Louis and other cities will identify the level and type of victimizations occurring both in the community and in schools. Evidence-based policies and programs for violence reduction will also be discussed.

MAIN TOPICS

- :: Gangs on the internet
- :: Street Code and its influence on youth violence
- :: Chicago's CeaseFire as a strategy for responding to youth violence in the community
- :: Missouri Model (the DYS multi-systemic model for dealing with adjudicated youth)

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- :: Professionals who work with at-risk youth
- :: Probation officers
- :: Teachers
- :: Counselors
- :: Public health workers
- :: Youth advocates
- :: Law enforcement officers
- :: Students
- :: Anyone interested in the welfare of children and youth

Presenters: Youth Violence Prevention 2012

SCHEDULED SPEAKERS

SCOTT DECKER

School of Criminology and Criminal Justice
Arizona State University

BETH HUEBNER

Department of Criminology and Criminal Justice
University of Missouri–St. Louis

CANDICE KANE

Chicago Project for Violence Prevention
University of Illinois–Chicago

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