Anthropology Spotlight Lecture Series

Applying Anthropology to Real World Problems

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Dr. Robert Trotter, II

Dr. Robert T. Trotter, II is an Arizona Regent’s Professor in anthropology. He is a medical anthropologist with 25 years of experience in cross-cultural health issues ranging from traditional healing in Mexican American communities to alcohol, drug abuse and HIV prevention and intervention programs for minority groups in the US and in international settings. In addition, he has spent the past 5 years doing research in corporate and business anthropology, resulting in a number of journal publications, a book, and a patent application. Dr. Trotter has more than 125 publications in scientific books and journals and has conducted research and policy studies for the NIH (National Institutes of Health), World Health Organization, the CDC (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention), and General Motors Corporation.

He has a commitment to exploring new ethnographic research methods, research design, computer assisted ethnography, and international training in rapid ethnographic assessment, including the RARE and I-RARE programs for DHHS (Department of Health and Human Services) and CDC. His other strong interest is the area of research ethics. Dr. Trotter has served as a member of Community Intervention Health and Behaviors review panel, NIH, DHHS; a member of the Data Safety Monitoring Board, National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Mental Health; and a member of the Methods Focus task force, Toward a Higher Level of Analysis, Progress and Promise in Research on Social and Cultural Dimensions of Health, NIH, Office of Social and Behavioral Sciences.

Solving Cultural Conundrums:

A Career Exploring Cross Cultural Health Care Problems, Opportunities and Solutions from Folk Medicine to the World Health Organization and Back Again

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Mather Memorial, Room 201

4:15 - 5:30 pm

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