



Greetings from the Frances McClelland Institute,

This is a busy time! Our first Turbeville Speaker Series event will take place on September 23, 2022 from 1:00 - 2:15 PM. We are very pleased that the speaker series will kick-off with a special presentation by speakers Karen Armknecht and Victoria Iwinski from Chicanos Por La Causa who will be reporting findings from an in-depth study of the pandemic's impacts on children, youth and families. This semester's events are hybrid, and can be attended in-person or on Zoom. See below for details. We hope to see you there!

We are excited to announce this year's [Vision Award](#) winners. Congratulations to these inspirational community leaders! Collectively, these honorees have demonstrated tremendous commitment, perseverance and success in creating opportunities for children, youth and families to thrive while advancing social justice. We are thrilled to once again host an in-person award ceremony on the patio outside our building on Thursday, October 13th. Please see below for an invitation to attend the event in-person or online. We hope you join us!

We have had a terrific response from sponsors for this year's Vision Awards ceremony. We're grateful for the generosity of local business and organizations who are supporting the Vision Awards and our work. There's still time left to [sponsor](#) the event.

This is [Hispanic Heritage](#) month. We encourage you to check out the [National Research Center on Hispanic Children & Families](#), which provides valuable research, resources and workshops year round, and this month is releasing new research each week. We are proud that the University of Arizona is designated as a Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI). The [Office of HSI Initiatives](#) provides many valuable resources to those on and off-campus.



You are invited to join us on Thursday, October 13, 2022, from 4:30 PM - 6:00 PM as we recognize this year's inspirational award winners at our annual [Frances McClelland Vision Award](#) Ceremony. These community leaders represent the strength, dedication, perseverance, and passion of Frances McClelland.

We have an incredible lineup of leaders who will be recognized for their contributions to the well-being of children, youth, and families in Southern Arizona. We hope you can join us for what is sure to be an inspiring event.

As a hybrid event, guests have the option to attend in-person or online on Zoom. The Zoom webinar will be held from 5:15 PM - 6:00 PM. For guests attending in-person, please RSVP by Monday, October 3, 2022.

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Frances McClelland Vision Award
E. Liane Hernandez



Richard Elias Legacy Award
Maria Vianey Valdez Cardenas



Frances McClelland Youth Award
Daniel Trujillo



Spirit Organizational Award
Youth on Their Own

The Frances McClelland Vision Award - E. Liane Hernandez

The Richard Elías Legacy Award - Maria Vianey Valdez Cardenas

The Frances McClelland Youth Vision Award - Daniel Trujillo

The Frances McClelland Spirit Organizational Award - Youth on Their Own

FMI Event Sponsorship

We are still seeking sponsors for the Vision Awards. By becoming a sponsor, you will help us help us recognize people and organizations making a significant difference in the lives of children, youth and families in southern Arizona. Your generosity will also help support our work to use the power of research and outreach to build strong communities that promote family resilience so that all children and youth, especially those from marginalized backgrounds, have the opportunity to thrive.

Any donation amount will make a difference.

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Upcoming FMI Events

invites you to the Pamela J. Turbeville Colloquium



Karen Armknecht, MBA & Victoria Iwinski, MA.,
Chicanos por la Causa, Inc.

**"The Burden of the Pandemic: How Covid-19 Pushed
Inequity Over the Edge."**

Friday, September 23, 2022 from 1:00 PM – 2:15 PM



Join us in-person in McClelland Park Room 402
or on Zoom by registering at <https://bit.ly/3eL1nCT>



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FSHD Student Updates



Congratulations to Family Studies and Human Development graduate student Kayla Osman who was accepted into the Cal State Chancellor's Doctoral Incentive Program! The program offers additional funding opportunities and mentorship for placement in a Cal State faculty position after graduation.



Development Graduate Student, is a co-author along with FMI faculty affiliate Dr. Katie Zeiders, on a manuscript that was recently accepted in the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences. It is titled "Exploring the associations between discrimination, coping, skin tone, and the psychosocial health of young adults of color".

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Current Research from the Institute



Family Studies and Human Development (FSHD) Doctoral Alum Ashley LeBaron-Black was the lead author of a new publication, with co-authors from FSHD faculty, Dr. Melissa Curran, Dr. Russ Toomey, and Dr. Katherine Speirs. The article is titled, "Parent Financial Socialization Scale: Development and Preliminary Validation".

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FSHD Doctoral Alum Xiaomin Li recently published a new article with FSHD faculty Dr. Melissa Curran and Dr. Emily Butler in the Archives of Sexual Behavior. The publication is titled, "Sexual Minority Stressors and Intimate Partner Violence Among Same-Sex Couples: Commitment as a Resource".

FMI Resources

Resources for COVID-19

Check out our website for updated COVID-19 resources [here](#).

FMI's Commitment to Social Justice

Check out our website for an updated list of anti-racist resources [here](#).

FMI Resources for Youth

Check out our website for updated resources for youth [here](#).



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In Partnership,

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