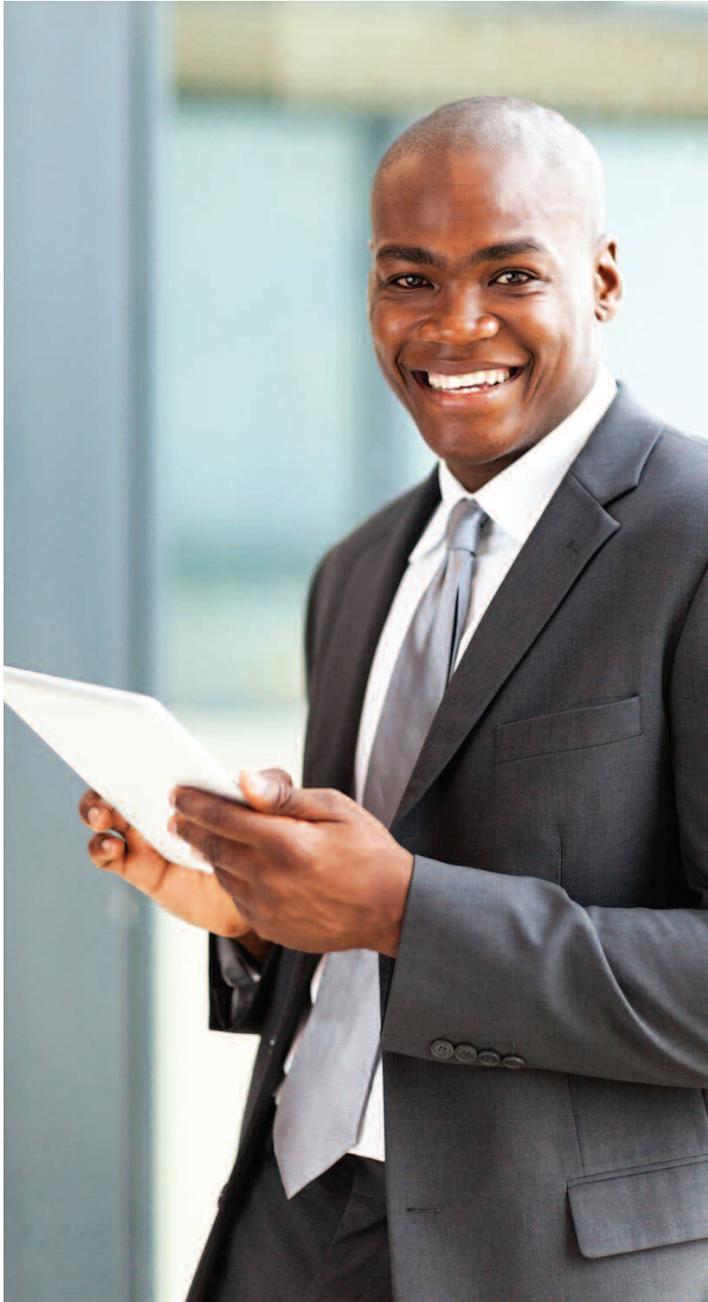


The Counseling Honor Society of LIU Hudson at Rockland  
presents

# The Counselor's Casebook



What actually takes place in a counseling session? What goes through the counselor's mind while working with a client? How does the counselor decide what to say or not to say to a client? How are counseling theories put into practice?

If you have ever wondered about these questions, please join us for **The Counselor's Casebook**.

The Counselor's Casebook is your chance to look over the shoulders of experienced school and mental health counselors as they describe and discuss their counseling cases. It is the next best thing to actually sitting in on a counseling session.

While maintaining strict confidentiality, counseling professors of LIU Hudson at Rockland have abstracted the essential components of interesting and illustrative cases they have counseled. You will be exposed to a variety of counseling methods, techniques and therapeutic strategies as they explain what they did and why they did it.

The Counselor's Casebook is open to professional counselors, graduate students and, by special arrangement, undergraduate students. You may attend any or all of the Casebooks.

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**Dangers of Social Media: Using Technology to Terrorize**  
**Feb. 10, 2014 6-7 p.m.**

Students and parents can have a difficult time dealing with the inappropriate use of technology such as cyber bullying and sexting. This casebook will explore the impact of technology use by adolescents and the laws and policies in place to protect those who have been victimized by it.

*Travis W. Jackson, M.S.Ed., is a professor with the School Counseling Program at LIU Hudson at Rockland. Professor Jackson is a NYS-certified school counselor in the Ramapo Central School District, with more than 15 years of experience in the field. He is also the anti-bullying coordinator for the Central Hudson Region PTA.*

**Helping Students to Overcome a Legacy of Underachievement**  
**Feb. 26, 2014 6-7 p.m.**

Through the presentation of actual cases, learn how school counselors can work as change-agents for students and families to address problems of student underachievement and lack of access to higher education.

*Marissa Giujarro, M.S.Ed., is a professor with the School Counseling Program at LIU Hudson at Rockland. Professor Giujarro is a school counselor at Suffern High School. She is a former president of the Westchester Putnam Rockland Counseling Association and currently a state delegate to the annual assembly of the National Association for College Admissions Counseling.*



**All in the Family**  
**March 26, 2014 7-8 p.m.**

This casebook will illustrate how one's family of origin can be the most powerful formative influence on one's emotional, psychological, and biological development. Using a Family Systems approach, this casebook will explore and explain that your family of origin has brought you to where you are today.

*Vincent Ciaramella, Ph.D., LMFT, is an adjunct professor at LIU Hudson at Rockland. Dr. Ciaramella trained at the Ackerman Institute for three years, including completing an externship. He also studied for three years with Dr. Salvador Minuchin. With more than 30 years of experience, he maintains a private practice in Westchester County.*

**No More Secrets**  
**April 7, 2014 6-7 p.m.**

This Casebook deals with a man who sought counseling after years of keeping financial secrets from his wife resulting in her distrust of him. During treatment it emerged that he was the child of an alcoholic father and a neglectful mother. We will trace his transformation from being emotionally closed to being honest with himself, his wife, and his children.

*Stephen Levine, Ph.D. is a professor with the Mental Health Counseling Program at LIU Hudson at Rockland. Dr. Levine has 20 years of experience as a clinical psychologist in the Hudson Valley, providing individual, marital, and family therapy. His special interests are the power of the therapeutic relation and Cognitive Behavior Therapy.*

