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Summer School of Alcohol Studies

Nineteenth Annual Session

June 25-July 20

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THE Summer School of Alcohol Studies of the
Laboratory of Applied Biodynamics, Yale University,
will hold its nineteenth annual session in 1961.
The regular session will be held during the 4-week
period June 25–July 20 inclusive.
Since 1943, when the first session of the School was
held, 3,318 students from 49 states, the District of
Columbia and Puerto Rico, from 10 Canadian
provinces and from 24 other countries have attended.
The School is organized to meet the needs of a num-
ber of categories of professional and nonprofessional
people. Professional workers presently active in the
prevention or treatment of alcoholism, e.g., clergy, edu-
cators, physicians, nurses, case workers, psychologists,
will have an opportunity to exchange experiences, re-
view current literature and procedures and redefine
some of the principles they observe in practice. Enforce-
ment and correctional officers, leaders in municipal and
state affairs, traffic supervisors, personnel officers and
foremen in industry, and others whose work requires a
knowledge of alcohol problems will acquire a back-
ground of understanding through attendance at the
School. Private citizens who wish to explore problems
of alcohol as they are related to community life and
social change will find their experiences at the School
stimulating and challenging.

There has been a consistent rise since 1943 in the
proportion of students with professional background in
attendance at the School. Physicians, psychologists,
case workers, nurses and persons in various phases of
rehabilitation work have formed a steadily increasing
segment of the total student body. Educators repre-
senting all levels of school and college instruction have
recently constituted the largest single group.

Many of the graduates of the Summer School have
become affiliated with organizations dealing specifically
with problems relating to alcohol. For example, in 32
states and 9 Canadian provinces graduates are active as members of boards or as executive personnel responsible for programs on alcoholism. In several states and provinces and in numerous county and city systems, the supervisor of instruction about alcohol has attended the School. Secretaries of 29 of the community information centers sponsored by the National Council on Alcoholism are also graduates.

It should be emphasized that the School does not offer a clinical program for individuals lacking adequate training who anticipate entering the field of rehabilitation of alcoholics. However, students who have a background of specialized skills appropriate for work in this field will find in the School opportunity to develop further and apply their techniques and experience. Assignments to seminars are made primarily on evidence of training, experience and current professional or occupational responsibilities.

THE CURRICULUM

The 1961 Summer School of Alcohol Studies, through a series of lectures and seminars, offers a systematic investigation of various aspects of the functions and problems of alcohol as they affect the individual and society. The program of the School is organized around a number of major topical areas.

TENTATIVE LECTURE SCHEDULE

**Sunday, June 25**
1:00 P.M.—6:00 P.M. Registration.
7:30 P.M. Welcome.
   The Yale Center of Alcohol Studies.
8:00 P.M. Reception.

**Monday, June 26**
9:00 A.M. Orientation: Administration and Curriculum.
1:45 P.M. Requirements for Academic Credit.
2:15 P.M. Nature of Responses to Social Problems.
3:15 P.M. Question Period.

**Tuesday, June 27**
9:00 A.M. Motivation and the Learning Process.
10:15 A.M. The Learning and Resolution of Conflicts.
1:45 P.M. The Metabolism of Alcohol.
3:00 P.M. Alcohol and Behavior: Traditional Views and Current Research.

**Wednesday, June 28**
9:00 A.M. Alcohol and the Central Nervous System.
10:00 A.M. Physiology of Alcohol.
   Laboratory Demonstration.
1:45 P.M. Question Period.
2:45 P.M. Drinking as a Folkway.
7:15 P.M. Films.

**Thursday, June 29**
9:00 A.M. American Drinking: Measures and Rates.
10:15 A.M. American Attitudes Toward Drinking.
1:45 P.M. Nature of Alcohol Problems.
3:00 P.M. The Literature and Documentation of Alcohol Problems.

**Friday, June 30**
9:00 A.M. Alcoholism: An Introduction to the Problem.
10:30 A.M. Alcoholism: Measures and Rates.
1:45 P.M. Alcoholism: Traditional Attitudes and Practices.

**Monday, July 3**
9:00 A.M. Physiological Theories of Alcoholism.
9:45 A.M. Psychiatric Theories of Alcoholism.
1:45 P.M. Cultural Situations Conducive to Alcoholism.
3:00 P.M. Alcohol and the Skid Row Subculture.
7:15 P.M. Films.

**Tuesday, July 4**
9:00 A.M. Treatment of Alcoholism.
11:00 A.M. Group Discussion Sessions.
1:45 P.M. Theories of Causation and Treatment.
7:30 P.M. Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting.

**Wednesday, July 5**
9:00 A.M. A Sociologist Looks at Alcoholics Anonymous.
10:00 A.M. A Psychiatrist Looks at Alcoholics Anonymous.
11:00 A.M. The Community Agency and Alcoholics Anonymous.
1:45 P.M. Seminars.
7:15 P.M. Films.
Thursday, July 6
9:00 A.M. Alcoholism and the Family.
10:15 A.M. Group Discussion Sessions (on A.A.).
1:30 P.M. Class Picture.
2:00 P.M. Seminars.

Friday, July 7
9:00 A.M. Alcohol: Beliefs and Practices of Churches and Religious Movements.
10:30 A.M. Moral Theology and Beverage Alcohol.
1:45 P.M. Seminars.

Monday, July 10
9:00 A.M. Modifying Individual and Group Attitudes.
10:15 A.M. Community Responses to Alcoholism Education.
1:45 P.M. Seminars.

Tuesday, July 11
9:00 A.M. Teen-Age Drinking.
10:15 A.M. Education on Alcohol Problems.
1:45 P.M. Seminars.
7:15 P.M. Films.

Wednesday, July 12
9:00 A.M. Alcohol and Crime.
10:15 A.M. Rehabilitation of the Chronic Drunkenness Offender.
1:45 P.M. Seminars.

Thursday, July 13
9:00 A.M. Film.
10:15 A.M. Public Health Aspects of Alcoholism.
1:45 P.M. Seminars.
7:15 P.M. Films.

Friday, July 14
9:00 A.M. Driving Under the Influence. Demonstration of the Alcometer.
11:00 A.M. Alcoholism in Industry.
1:45 P.M. Seminars.

Monday, July 17
9:00 A.M. Seminars.
1:45 P.M. Seminars.

Tuesday, July 18
9:00 A.M. Community Mental Health and Alcoholism.
10:15 A.M. Professional Education on Alcoholism.
1:45 P.M. Seminars.

Wednesday, July 19
9:00 A.M. The Scientific Method.
1:30 P.M. Seminars.

Thursday, July 20
9:00 A.M. European Drinking Attitudes.
10:15 A.M. Alcohol, Science and Society. Presentation of Certificates.

LECTURES
The lecture program will be organized to present a systematic background of understanding necessary before evaluation of more specialized problems can be undertaken in the seminars. Lecturers will be drawn from the Yale University faculty and from other institutions. Specialists in various fields—medicine, religion, education, public health—will also address the student body.

SEMINARS
Starting in the second week of the School the afternoons will be devoted entirely to seminar meetings. The seminars are flexibly planned so that students with similar training and experience may explore problems arising in the course of their professional activities. A workshop plan is followed in some seminars; others may have a more formal organization. More than one section will be organized in several of the seminars in order that there may be maximum opportunity for individual student participation.

EDUCATION SEMINAR. Educators are encouraged to use the resources of the seminar to organize materials and procedures appropriate to their teaching interests and responsibilities. Administrators and supervisors may be particularly interested in the evaluation of existing techniques and programs in alcohol instruction. A workshop approach is followed as much as possible.

MINISTERS SEMINAR. The range of interests of clergy attending the School determines the direction the seminar will take.
Therapy Seminar. The organization of treatment services and problems in diagnosis and therapy will be considered. Sections will meet according to the interests of special disciplines, although some joint meetings may be scheduled. Admission to the seminar is restricted to students qualified by professional training and experience.

Section I. Physicians. A survey of current medical and psychiatric practice in the care of the alcoholic patient is offered to a limited number of physicians. Observation of both inpatient and outpatient treatment procedures will be possible through the cooperation of the Connecticut Commission on Alcoholism.

Section II. Social Workers. An evaluation will be made of the role of the caseworker in the alcoholism clinic team. Particular emphasis will be placed on the application of casework techniques in working with alcoholics and their families in agency situations other than specialized clinics. Participation in this section is restricted to graduates of schools of social work.

Section III. Nurses. Graduate nurses will have an opportunity through this seminar to consider nursing procedures with the alcoholic in a hospital setting and also on an outpatient basis. Consideration will be given to the function of the nurse in interpreting the problem of alcoholism to patients so that they may accept treatment beyond hospitalization for acute intoxication.

Section IV. Psychologists interested in clinical practice and in research on alcoholism will meet in a separate group.

Community Health Education Seminar. This seminar will be arranged for students concerned with the development of effective health education techniques in the field of alcoholism. Emphasis will be given to basic principles of communication. Analysis and evaluation will be made of the effectiveness of communication methods such as the use of the mass media, audiovisual techniques, printed materials, one-day conferences and institutes. The seminar will be of particular interest to students involved in educational programs at the local or state level or in industry.

Rehabilitation Seminar.
Section I. Students who have not received systematized training in casework or counseling but who are formally engaged in rehabilitation work will meet in this section.

Section II. This seminar will consider problems of rehabilitation of that segment of the alcoholic population commonly referred to as the homeless man. It will be of particular interest to correctional personnel responsible for rehabilitation, Halfway House administrators and staff, institutional chaplains, mission directors and Salvation Army officers.

Public Health Seminar. Representatives of the public health disciplines will meet in a separate seminar to consider the application of public health principles and practices to problems of alcoholism at the state and local levels. Particular attention will be given to alcoholism as an adult health problem, alcoholism and tuberculosis, the epidemiology of alcoholism, community mental health as a factor in prevention and administrative responsibilities of state and local health departments in relation to alcoholism treatment services.

Industry Seminar. This group will review existing programs on alcoholism in several industries, attempt to assess the responsibility of both management and labor and consider the introduction and structure of programs effective in various industrial settings.

Enforcement and Corrections. Police, court and correctional officers will have an opportunity to explore problems associated with the chronic drunkenness offender.

Special Studies. Special-interest group discussions may be arranged outside of regularly scheduled hours on such topics as Alcoholism, and Tuberculosis, Epidemiology of Alcoholism, particularly when visiting lecturers are available as consultants. By arrangement, opportunity will be provided for people holding advanced degrees in the biological and social sciences to formulate studies with faculty consultation and to participate, by invitation, in a Research Methods Seminar.
LIBRARY FACILITIES

The School is organized as a working session, not a conference. Reading and reference materials necessary for participation in the seminars will be provided in the Summer School Library. The Library will be open daily for student use throughout the session.

ADMISSION

Qualifications. Teachers and school administrators, social workers, physicians, psychologists, clergymen and denominational workers, nurses, those in personnel and welfare work, public health, probation and parole, alcoholism education and therapy, law enforcement, and other men and women engaged professionally in activities in which a knowledge of the problems of alcohol would be of advantage, will be considered qualified for admission. All other applicants will be required to have a college education or equivalent experience.

Application. Application for admission must be made on the official application form.

Students for part courses will not be accepted, nor will visits to individual sessions be permitted except on special invitation from the administration.

All candidates for admission should write for application blanks to:

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Closing Date for Applications. All applications for admission to the 1961 session must be submitted by April 15.

Notification of Admission. All applications are reviewed by a Committee on Admissions and its decision will be communicated to each applicant by the first week in May. Enrollment will be limited to 300 students.

COSTS AND ACCOMMODATIONS

Each student will pay a fee of $300. The fee will cover University registration, tuition, room and board (excepting meals on Sundays). No fees can be accepted prior to notification of enrollment by the Committee on Admissions. All fees not paid previously must be paid at registration.

Rooms and Meals. Students will be housed in Yale University dormitories. Blankets, bed linens, pillows and towels will be supplied. It is not possible to accommodate married couples in the same dormitory. Room assignments are made at registration.

Rooms will not be available before Sunday, June 25, at 11:00 a.m. The School cannot provide accommodations for family members who may accompany a student to New Haven.

Meals will be served in the dining hall six days a week (excluding Sunday), commencing Monday morning, June 26.

Students are expected to live in the University. Only under extraordinary circumstances will non-resident students be accepted; living off the campus has without exception proved to decrease significantly the educational effect of the program.

REGISTRATION AND SESSIONS

Registration will be held on Sunday, June 25, from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Accepted candidates will be notified, in advance, of the exact location of registration headquarters.

Other pertinent instructions, such as directions for receiving mail while at the University, will also be mailed to accepted students well in advance of their departure for New Haven.

The first session, as well as an introductory reception, will be held on Sunday evening, June 25.

ACADEMIC CREDIT

A limited number of qualified students in various fields may earn graduate credit by fulfilling specific requirements. Further information may be secured by addressing the Registrar of the Summer School.

Scholarship Aid

The largest number of scholarships to the School in recent years has been made available by the state or provincial commissions on alcoholism. The commissions are offered special rates for groups of selected students whose expenses they underwrite.

Many Protestant Church groups have offered scholarship aid to ministers during the past five years. Clergymen should request information from the appropriate denominational official.

CERTIFICATION

Yale University issues a Certificate of Attendance to those who attend and complete the entire session of the Summer School.
SUMMER SCHOOL STAFF

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Geographic Distribution of 3,318 Students, 1943–1960

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