

## CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY

East Cleveland City Schools  
PROVOST SCHOLARS

Intensive University Seminar

Session Four – Fall 2016

Thursday, October 27, 2016

2:30-5:00pm

Guilford House, 11112 Bellflower Road, Cleveland, OH 44106

### Seminar Title: Sex, Drugs and Rock N Roll

#### Purpose

The seminar will include recent scientific findings about drug use, risky sexual behaviors, and other pleasure seeking activities that can often create immediate and long-term consequences both for the person involved and for their partners. The Provost Scholars will have the opportunity to discuss these health-related risks from their own perspectives, and receive “tips” and up-to-date information about these phenomena. Immediate and long-term consequences will be emphasized through presenting current research and clinical data. Emphasis will also be placed on the use of technology both as a learning resource and as a source for exposure to drugs and risky sexual behavior.

#### Presenter Biography



Ruzica Conic, MD, is currently a PhD student in the Clinical Translational Science program at Case Western Reserve University (CWRU). Belgrade, Serbia, is her original home. However, she has resided in Cleveland since 2004. After graduating with honors from Cleveland Heights High School, she returned to Serbia and attained her medical degree from Belgrade University School of Medicine. Dr. Conic enjoys playing sports and select video games. She also enjoys teaching others about personal health and well-being. Hence, this seminar will focus on adolescent health issues, while maintaining and supporting the autonomy of the individuals, and helping them to identify and own their own values. The seminar is also designed to familiarize the Provost Scholars with available resources that are in communities.

#### Objectives

##### The Provost Scholars will be able to

- 1) Identify risky sexual behaviors and discuss the prevalence associated with sexually transmitted infections.
- 2) Discuss a variety of common “party drugs” and the consequences that they might have on vital organ systems.
- 3) Discuss the early signs of addiction, and the heroin use/abuse that is occurring in Northeast Ohio.

#### Agenda

2:30 p.m. – 2:40 p.m.: Hors d’oeuvres will be served

2:40 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.: Tutoring

3:50 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.: Brief Intermission

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.: Seminar Lecture and Discussion, Dr. Ruzica Conic

#### Faculty & Staff

- Dr. Faye Gary, Program Director
- Cicely Philpot, Program Coordinator
- Haruna Sulemana, Master’s Student, Program Assistant
- CWRU Tutors

#### Guest Lecturer

- Dr. Ruzica Conic

**Word of the Week: Prevalence**—The number of individuals who have a specific documented disease at a given time and place.

**Sentence:** In the United States, the prevalence of sexually transmitted diseases continues to be a major public health concern for individuals who participate in risky sexual behavior.

**Concierge and Matre’D:** Provost Scholars Dion Shelton and Jiara Sanders