



**Women Veterans Military Moral Injury: Research, Recovery, Resources, and a Call for Compassionate Community Responsiveness**

Virginia Commonwealth University, VA

**Conference Agenda**

**May 14**

Locations: Cabell Library (CL); Harris Hall (HH)

Time	Activity	Location
8:00 - 8:45 am	<b>Registration</b>	HH Room 101
8:45 - 9:00 am	<b>Announcements and Day 1 Orientation</b>	HH Room 101
9:00 - 9:40 am	<p><b>Posting of Colors, Invocation, Welcome Remarks</b></p> <p><i>Lindsey Moser</i>, Chaplain, 1st Lt, USAF</p> <p><i>Danique Masingill</i>, President &amp; Founder, Leashes of Valor</p> <p><i>BriGette McCoy</i>, CEO, Women Veteran Social Justice Network</p> <p><i>Dr. Daniel Roberts</i>, President &amp; CEO, Moral Injury Support Network for Servicewomen, Inc.</p> <p><i>Chaplain Juliana Lesher</i>, M.Div., Ph.D., BCC, Veterans Administration National Director of Chaplain Service</p> <p><i>Stephen Ross</i>, Director of Military Student Services, Virginia Commonwealth University</p>	HH Room 101
9:40 - 10:30 am	<p><b>Moral Injury: A Common and Often Neglected Syndrome Among Veterans Experiencing War Trauma</b></p> <p><i>Harold G. Koenig</i>, M.D., MHSc, Director, Center for Spirituality, Theology and Health, Duke University Medical Center</p>	HH Room 101
10:00 - 11:00 am	<b>Exhibitor Set-up</b>	<a href="#">CL Room 303</a>
10:40 - 11:30 am	<p><b>Framing and Reclaiming Military Moral Injury Theory for Women Veterans</b></p> <p><i>Christiane C. O'Hara</i>, Ph.D., Women Veteran Social Justice Network</p> <p><i>Chaplain (Colonel) Cliff Vicars</i>, DMin, Command Chaplain, 3rd Medical Deployment Support Command, Tennessee VA Chief Chaplain</p> <p><i>Dr. Daniel Roberts</i>, President &amp; CEO, Moral Injury Support Network for Servicewomen, Inc.</p>	HH Room 101

11:40 - 12:00 pm	<b>Welcome Home Ceremony</b> Leader: <i>Barbara Bazemore</i> , Expressive Arts Therapist, USAF (Ret.), Women Veteran Social Justice Network	HH Room 101
12:00 - 1:00 pm	<b>Lunch and Exhibitors Open (until 5 pm)</b> Activity: Group table discussions with hosts. Please visit our exhibitors!	CL Room 303
1:10 - 2:10 pm	<b>Women Veterans Roundtable</b> Facilitator: <i>Danique Masingill</i> , President & Founder, Leashes of Valor <i>Amber Skyler</i> , Army Veteran <i>Maria Salazar</i> , Marine Corps, Claymore Vets <i>Vanessa Meade</i> , Army Veteran, University of Alaska Anchorage Terrie Kirkpatrick, Air Force Veteran, Wellness4LifeSteps	CL Room 303
2:20 - 3:20 pm	<b>Chaplain/Faith Leader Roundtable</b> Facilitator: <i>Dr. Daniel Roberts</i> , President & CEO, Moral Injury Support Network for Servicewomen, Inc. <i>Chaplain Rotunda East</i> , VA Chaplain <i>Chaplain (1st Lt.) Lindsey Moser</i> , Air Force Chaplain <i>Chaplain Pamela Adams</i> , University Chaplain	CL Room 303
3:20 - 3:50 pm	<b>Visit Exhibitors and Attend Book Signings</b>	CL Room 303
4:00 - 4:50 pm	<b>Assessment and Treatment Interventions for Military Moral Injury</b> <i>Christiane C. O'Hara</i> , Ph.D., Women Veteran Social Justice Network <i>Chaplain (Colonel) Cliff Vicars</i> , DMin, Command Chaplain, 3rd Medical Deployment Support Command, Tennessee VA Chief Chaplain	CL Room 303
	<b>Post Traumatic Growth Through Clay</b> <i>Maria Salazar</i> , Claymore Vets	CL Room 250
	<b>Band of Sisters and the War at Home</b> <i>Kirsten Holmstedt</i> , Professor/Author	HH Room 101
	<b>Unspoken Secrets—Moral Injury in Female Veterans</b> <i>Rotunda East</i> , Chief of Chaplains, Providence Veterans Affairs Medical Center	HH Room 2129
	<b>The Power and Necessity of Self-Love</b>	HH Room 2108

	<i>Rebekah L. Pierce</i> , Educator, The Pierce Agency/RLP Productions	
5:00 - 5:30 pm	<b>Participant Evaluations &amp; Close-Out Session</b> <i>Dr. Daniel Roberts</i> , President & CEO, Moral Injury Support Network for Servicewomen, Inc.	CL Room 303

### May 15

Time	Activity	Location
7:30 - 8:15 am	<b>Registration, Exhibits Open and Morning Refreshments</b>	CL Room 303
8:15 - 8:30 am	<b>Announcements and Day 2 Orientation</b>	CL Room 303
8:30 - 9:20 am	<b>Chaplain/Faith Leader Working Group</b> Facilitator: <i>Chaplain (Colonel) Cliff Vicars</i> , DMin, Command Chaplain, 3rd Medical Deployment Support Command, Tennessee VA Chief Chaplain	CL Room 303
	<b>Expressive Arts Sampler</b> Hour 1 of 2 <i>Barbara Bazemore</i> , Expressive Arts Therapist, USAF (Ret.), Women Veteran Social Justice Network <i>Christiane C. O'Hara, Ph.D.</i> , Women Veteran Social Justice Network	CL Room 250
	<b>Community Services Working Group</b> Facilitator: <i>Danique Masingill</i> , President & Founder, Leashes of Valor	HH Room 101
	<b>Research Working Group</b> Facilitator: <i>Dr. Daniel Roberts</i> , President & CEO, Moral Injury Support Network for Servicewomen, Inc.	HH Room 2108
9:30 - 10:20 am	<b>Military Sexual Trauma and Cultural Competency</b> <i>BriGette McCoy</i> , CEO, Women Veteran Social Justice Network	CL Room 311
	<b>Meditation and Prayer: Everyday and Posttraumatic Applications</b> Hour 1 of 2 <i>Dr. Ray Scurfield</i> , DSW, Rivers Psychotherapy Services	HH Room 101
	<b>Expressive Arts Sampler</b> Hour 2 of 2 <i>Barbara Bazemore</i> , Expressive Arts Therapist, USAF (Ret.), Women Veteran Social Justice Network <i>Christiane C. O'Hara, Ph.D.</i> , Women Veteran Social Justice	CL Room 250

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	<b>Sharing Our Stories Through Writing</b> Hour 1 of 2 <i>Amber B. Skyler, Author</i>	HH Room 2108
	<b>Transition Relationships And Innovative Networking (T.R.A.I.N)</b> <i>Monika Lamb, Administrator</i>	HH Room 2129
10:30 am - 4:30 pm	<b>"I Am Not Invisible" Photography Sessions and Veteran Recording Sessions</b>	CL Room 311
10:30 - 11:20 am	<b>The Fort Hood Massacre ~ Treasonous Acts and Moral Injuries</b> Dr. (COL) Kathy Platoni, Clinical Psychologist/Dayton SWAT Member	CL Room 303
	<b>Meditation and Prayer: Everyday and Posttraumatic Applications</b> Hour 2 of 2 <i>Dr. Ray Scurfield, DSW, Rivers Psychotherapy Services</i>	HH Room 101
	<b>Sharing Our Stories Through Writing</b> Hour 2 of 2 <i>Amber B. Skyler, Author</i>	HH Room 2108
	<b>Collateral Damage and Military Moral Injury</b> <i>Dr. Daniel Roberts, President &amp; CEO, Moral Injury Support Network for Servicewomen, Inc.</i> <i>Stephen Ross, Director of Military Student Services, Virginia Commonwealth University</i>	HH Room 2129
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	<b>Lunch</b> Activity: Working Group Facilitator Summaries and Invitations. Please visit our exhibitors!	CL Room 303
12:40 - 1:30 pm	<b>Intentional Transformation</b> <i>Betty Speaks, It's Betty Speaks</i>	CL Room 303
	<b>Journaling Workshop</b> <i>Lindsey Moser, Chaplain, 1st Lt, USAF</i>	HH Room 101
	<b>Veteran's PATH Anchor Program- A Mindfulness-Based Program for Women Veterans</b> <i>Vanessa Meade, Assistant Professor, University of Alaska Anchorage</i>	HH Room 2108
1:40 - 2:30 pm	<b>Women Veterans Retreats</b>	CL Room 303

	<p><i>Chaplain (Colonel) Cliff Vicars, DMin, Command Chaplain, 3rd Medical Deployment Support Command, Tennessee VA Chief Chaplain</i></p> <p><i>Barbara Bazemore, Expressive Arts Therapist, USAF (Ret.), Women Veteran Social Justice Network</i></p> <p><i>Christiane C. O'Hara, Ph.D., Women Veteran Social Justice Network</i></p> <p><i>Danique Masingill, President &amp; Founder, Leashes of Valor</i></p>	
	<p><b>"It's Ok to not be Ok"!</b></p> <p><i>Cherissa Jackson, Chief Medical Executive, AMVETS</i></p>	HH Room 2108
	<p><b>Releasing Trapped Emotions in the Body</b></p> <p><i>Chaplain (Major) Liz L'Eclair, U.S. Army</i></p>	HH Room 2129
2:30 - 3:00 pm	<p><b>Visit Exhibitors and Attend Book Signings</b></p>	CL Room 303
3:00 - 3:50 pm	<p><b>Betrayal or Resilience: What Story is Your Body Telling You? How to Bulletproof Your Heart, Mind, Soul, and Body to Stay Healthy</b></p> <p><i>Terrie Kirkpatrick, RN Holistic Health and Wellness Coach</i></p>	CL Room 303
	<p><b>Planning a Faith Community Military/Veteran Ministry</b></p> <p><i>Christiane C. O'Hara, Ph.D., Women Veteran Social Justice Network</i></p> <p><i>Chaplain (Colonel) Cliff Vicars, DMin, Command Chaplain, 3rd Medical Deployment Support Command, Tennessee VA Chief Chaplain</i></p>	HH Room 101
	<p><b>Steps to Recovery from Moral Injuries</b></p> <p><i>Ticiane Ward, Founder and Director, Veterans of War Aid Foundation</i></p>	HH Room 2108
	<p><b>P.I.T.C.H. Perfect: Positioning Individuals Towards Complete Healing</b></p> <p><i>Dr. Pamela Adams, University Chaplain and Director of Spiritual Life at Delaware State University</i></p>	HH Room 2129
4:00 - 5:00 pm	<p><b>Working Groups Report</b></p> <p><i>Chaplain (Colonel) Cliff Vicars, DMin, Command Chaplain, 3rd Medical Deployment Support Command, Tennessee VA Chief Chaplain</i></p> <p><i>Danique Masingill, President &amp; Founder, Leashes of Valor</i></p> <p><i>Dr. Daniel Roberts, President &amp; CEO, Moral Injury Support Network for Servicewomen, Inc.</i></p>	CL Room 303

5:00 - 5:30 pm	<p><b>Participant Evaluations, Close-out Session, You Are Not Alone Song, Benediction</b></p> <p><i>Danique Masingill</i>, President &amp; Founder, Leashes of Valor</p> <p><i>Dr. Daniel Roberts</i>, President &amp; CEO, Moral Injury Support Network for Servicewomen, Inc.</p> <p><i>Chaplain (Major) Liz L'Eclair</i>, U.S. Army</p>	<a href="#">CL Room 303</a>
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