

MID-ATLANTIC COUNCIL ON FAMILY RELATIONS ANNUAL CONFERENCE

THE FAMILY IN GLOBAL CONTEXT: MIGRANTS, IMMIGRANTS, AND REFUGEES



Conference Overview:

The Mid-Atlantic Council on Family Relations (MACFR) in collaboration with the Applied Family Science and Psychology programs at Wilmington University is hosting a conference featuring Dr. Eugenia Arvanitis from the University of Patras in Greece as the keynote speaker. Following the keynote, a panel of human service agencies will showcase the services they provide for refugees, immigrants, migrants, and their families.

Keynote Speaker:

Dr Eugenia Arvanitis is Assistant Professor of Interculturality & Diversity in Education at the University of Patras, Greece. She teaches at the Graduate Program “Language Education For Refugees And Migrants (LRM)” of the Hellenic Open University. Greece has become a focal point (a ‘waiting room’) of refugee mobility during the past five years. In 2015 more than a million refugees crossed the Aegean sea to seek asylum in Europe. Currently approximately 65.000 refugees live in Greece facing the most vivid challenge of inclusion and settlement. The personal refugee stories highlighted in her keynote are intertwined with experiences of liminality, loss and victimhood as well as hopes for prosperity, safety, and belonging.



Dr. Eugenia Arvanitis

Schedule:

10:00-10:30am	Registration
10:30-10:35am	Welcome
10:35-12:00pm	Keynote: Eugenia Arvanitis, Ph.D.
12:00-12:45pm	Lunch/Networking
12:45-2:00pm	Agency Panel
2:00pm	Adjourn

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Date
April 12, 2018

Time
10am-2pm

Location
Wilmington University
320 N. DuPont HWY.
New Castle, DE 19720
Doberstein Admissions
Center (DAC) Auditorium

Cost*
Early: before 04/05/18
\$15 professionals
\$5 students

Late/Onsite:
\$20 professionals
\$10 students

**lunch is included*

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