About the Institute:

Since 2015, the Consortium on Race, Gender, and Ethnicity (CRGE) has organized the week-long Intersectional Qualitative Research Methods Institute (IQRMI). Few training institutes in the country focus on qualitative research methods and, currently, none incorporate discussions regarding the intersections of race, gender, class, ethnicity, and other dimensions of inequality.

"...the content of the presentations is relevant on a personal and cultural level because the researchers are presenting concepts that emphasize the importance of my work, my presence in the academy, and my research."

- Past IQRMI Participant

Specific areas of research include the following:

- Advancing innovation in knowledge and practice in child welfare and juvenile justice systems
- Promoting economic, social, and educational opportunities for working families
- Creating community resources for family well-being
- Addressing health disparities and inequities

Through daily seminars, writing groups, and interactions with colleagues, IQRMI participants have the opportunity to apply their new skills to further enhance their research design.

Institute’s Goals

- Enhance qualitative research and writing skills
- Develop critical intersectional perspectives for designing and interpreting research
- Create and hone navigational skills to successfully negotiate academic career paths

Applicant Criteria

- Early career scholars who have earned their PhD degree within the last 10 years
- Applicants must have collected data on an intersectional qualitative research project
- Tenure/Tenure-track or research faculty in a U.S. accredited institution

Traditionally and historically underrepresented minorities are encouraged to apply.

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