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Using Video Modeling to Teach Romantic Relationships to College Students with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

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This colloquium and guided discussion will be led by

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Session Abstract

For adults without intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD), experiencing romantic relationships is a vital part of personal growth and emotional well-being. However, for adults with IDD, romantic relationships and intimacy are frequently dismissed as taboo, with misconceptions suggesting that their emotional and exploratory needs are either too abstract or irrelevant. If equity, opportunity, and inclusion are truly meant for everyone, they must also extend to adults with IDD. This session will present the results of a study examining the effects of a remote video modeling intervention on romantic relationships for college students with IDD enrolled in an inclusive postsecondary education (IPSE) program. The presentation will discuss the results, lessons learned, and the implications of using video modeling to teach essential components of romantic relationships.

FRIDAY, APRIL 4, 2025
5:30 - 7PM
Via Zoom Videoconferencing

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This event satisfies Research Experience Requirement for EEX 2091 or EEX 4070.

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Session Agenda

5:30-5:40	Introductions
5:40-5:50	HOOT Program Overview
5:50-6:40	Colloquium
6:40-7:00	Q&A/Discussion Homework Explanation

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