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# Event Agenda

The Society for Epidemiologic Research (2026)

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## Tuesday, June 23, 2026

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| 8:00 AM - 5:30 PM  | <b>Workshop Registration</b><br>Location: Phoenix Front Foyer  |
| 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM | <b>Intro to Causal Inference &amp; the Causal Roadmap</b>  |
| 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM | <b>ABC's of Estimating Equations</b>   |
| 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM | <b>So you got the grant, now what?</b>   |
| 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM | <b>Modern Causal Mediation Analysis</b>  |
| 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM | <b>Yes you can!...Write a successful K proposal</b>  |
| 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM | <b>R for R users: Workflows and problem-solving</b>  |
| 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM | <b>'Peerspectives on peer review at major biomedical journals: A crash course for early-career researchers'</b>  |
| 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM | <b>Epidemiological analysis of electronic health records - WORKSHOP IS FULL</b>  |
| 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM | <b>Course Development Workshop - Application and Invitation Required</b>   |
| 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  | <b>Measurement Error Models in Action: the Latest Methods and Their Applications in Nutrition and Environmental Health</b>                                       |
| 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  | <b>Modern use of propensity scores: weighting, estimands, and moving beyond the bootstrap for variance estimation.</b><br>Speakers: Tim Feeney, Catherine Wiener |
| 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  | <b>Git and GitHub for Public Health Research</b>   |
| 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  | <b>Intro to Spatial Analysis &amp; GIS for Spatial Epidemiology in R</b>   |
| 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  | <b>Sequence Analysis: a novel methodology for the analysis of life-course trajectories in social epidemiology</b>  |
| 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  | <b>Causal inference with time-varying (longitudinal) exposures</b>   |
| 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  | <b>Beyond the ATE: Estimating the causal effects of multiple or nonbinary exposures</b>  |
| 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  | <b>Simulation Methods for Epidemiologic Surveillance: Focus on Agent-Based Modeling</b>  |
| 4:00 PM - 8:30 PM  | <b>SER Meeting Registration</b><br>Location: Phoenix Front Foyer   |
| 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM  | <b>Working with unstructured data and text analysis in electronic health records</b>   |
| 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM  | <b>Introduction to Machine Learning and AI Using Stata</b>   |

5:30 PM - 7:30 PM	<b>Beyond d-sep: Identifying Interventional Pathways in Complex Systems through Network Analysis</b>
5:30 PM - 7:30 PM	<b>Let's Get Personal: Defining and Estimating Effects of Dynamic Treatment Strategies Using Real-World Data</b>
6:00 PM - 6:00 PM	<b>VIRTUAL Workshops - July-August 2025</b>
7:30 PM - 8:30 PM	<b>Poster Session 1</b> Location: Phoenix DE
7:30 PM - 8:30 PM	<b>Reception (cash bar)</b> Location: Phoenix Front Foyer

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## Wednesday, June 24, 2026

6:00 AM - 7:30 AM	<b>SER/SPER Fun Run</b>
7:00 AM - 8:00 AM	<b>Continental Breakfast</b> Location: Phoenix Front Foyer
7:00 AM - 7:45 AM	<b>Breakfast with the Experts</b> Location: Room Location Listed on Ticket
7:00 AM - 7:45 AM	<b>Breakfast with the Experts</b> Location: Room Location Listed on Ticket
7:00 AM - 7:45 AM	<b>Networking for LGBTQ Epidemiologists</b> Location: Camelback AB
7:00 AM - 7:45 AM	<b>Awards Committee Meeting</b> Location: Estrella
7:00 AM - 7:45 AM	<b>Communication Committee Meeting</b> Location: North Mountain
7:30 AM - 5:15 PM	<b>Meeting Registration</b> Location: Phoenix Front Foyer
8:00 AM - 9:45 AM	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b> Location: Phoenix ABC Speakers: Yvette Cozier, Anthony Nixon Jr., Wendy Nembhard, Andrew Olshan, John Ioannidis
9:45 AM - 10:15 AM	<b>Break</b> Location: Phoenix DE and Phoenix Front Foyer
10:15 AM - 11:45 AM	<b>Innovations in Sensitivity Analysis</b> Location: Phoenix AB Speakers: Paul Zivich, Stephen Cole, Laura Balzer, Jessie Edwards, Trang Nguyen, Timothy Lash
10:15 AM - 11:45 AM	<b>Trials and Tribulations of Target Trial Emulation</b> Location: Phoenix C Speakers: Matthew Fox, Harrison Hansford, Enrique Schisterman, Amy Zheng, Emma Kileel
10:15 AM - 11:45 AM	<b>Environmental Epidemiology in the Era of Big E and Big Data</b> Location: Encanto A Speakers: Lauren McCullough, Alexandra White, Rena Jones, PhD, MS, Kilan Bishop

- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **Communicating Epidemiologic Science Today**  
Location: Encanto B  
Speakers: Stefania Papatheodorou, Molly Rosenberg, Sandro Galea, Emily Harrison, Nicole Lee, Sharia Ahmed, Marynia Kolak
- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **Rising Rates of Early Onset Cancers**  
Location: Paradise Valley  
Speakers: Meredith Shiels, Erika Lofffield, Britton Trabert, Katie O'Brien, Jongeun Rhee, Mengmeng Du
- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **Putting causal methods under a microscope: using molecular biomarkers to generate causal knowledge and using causal methods to strengthen analyses of molecular biomarkers**  
Location: Deer Valley  
Speakers: Jennifer Adibi, Jonathan Huang, Fangyu Liu, Qin Xu, Joy Shi, Sean Bresnahan, Nima Hejazi, Sonja Swanson
- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **Epidemiology and Public Health: Past Achievements and Aspirations for the Future**  
Location: Laveen AB  
Speakers: David Savitz, Jill Norris, Jonathan Samet, Nigel Paneth, Jo Freudenheim
- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **Synthetic Cohorts 101: Combining Multiple Studies to One Dataset to Fill Data Gaps Using Fusion Design Methods**  
Location: Camelback AB  
Speakers: Jessica Wong, Sarah Lindley, Alexander Breskin, Katrina Kezios, Norrina Allen
- 11:45 AM - 1:45 PM**      **Lunch (on your own)**
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Recruitment Fair**  
Location: Cave Creek
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Building Your Mentoring Network in Epidemiology: Tools for Every Career Stage**  
Location: Phoenix AB  
Speakers: Stephanie Shiau, Hoda Abdel Magid, Sonia Grandi, Jee Won Park
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Back to the Blackboard: Trainees and teachers on the complexities of applying causal methods to social epidemiology questions**  
Location: Phoenix C  
Speakers: Rachel Yorlets, Maria Glymour, David Rehkopf, Rita Hamad, Daniel Carter
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Beyond d-separation: Informing Intervention Strategies in Causal Systems through Network Analysis**  
Location: Encanto A  
Speakers: Robert Reynolds, Erik L. Antonsen, Ahmed Abukmail
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Future-Ready Epidemiologists: Adapting as Graduate Students – Day 1**  
Location: Encanto B  
Speakers: Amanda Dorsey, Noah Mancuso, Kaitlyn Long, Adam Whalen, Milena Gianfrancesco, Ariella Dale, Chrystelle Kiang, Lauren McCullough
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Getting your paper published at AJE (Sponsored by AJE)**  
Location: Paradise Valley  
Speakers: Enrique Schisterman, Catherine Lesko, Stephen Cole, Lorraine Dean, Jaimie Gradus
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Augmenting Our Reality: DAGing Out Causal Assumptions and Study Design, Measurement, Missing Data, Analysis, and Interventions**  
Location: Deer Valley  
Speakers: Onyebuchi Arah, Matthew Coates, Ilya Shpitser, Elizabeth Rose Mayeda
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Highlighting Career Pathways for Master's-Level Epidemiologists**  
Location: Laveen AB  
Chair: Liz Best, Stephanie Brennhofer ; Speakers: Braxton Jackson, Megan Kemp, Hannah Mazzotta, Alex Knee, Isha Riley
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **Healthy aging: approaches and challenges in identifying effective interventions**  
Location: Phoenix AB  
Speakers: Maria Glymour, Matas Griskaitis, Azuna Sawada, Brittany Peterson, Nicola Churchill, Amy Mann

- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **Machine Learning and AI for Complex Epidemiologic Data: Structure, Prediction, and Innovation**  
 Location: Phoenix C  
 Speakers: Maria Kamenetsky, Ishtiyaque Ahmad, Allison Curry, Yulin Gong, Janos Tibor Fekete, Timothy Lash, Brittany Bustamante
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **OAS – Health Disparities**  
 Location: Encanto A  
 Speakers: Nadia Abuelezam, Leslie Farland, Naria Sealy, Sara Daniel, Eunsun Gill, Zonggui Li, Symielle Gaston
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **Pregnancy, Infancy, and Child Health**  
 Location: Encanto B  
 Speakers: Sara Conroy, Lin-Chieh Meng, Rui Ling, Yuri V. Sebastião, Michelle Ann Caesar, Lucia Petito, Amanda Luff
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **Cardiovascular Epidemiology**  
 Location: Paradise Valley  
 Speakers: Kosuke Inoue, Tiffany Hsieh, Chuyue Wu, Mahdi Nalini, Rafeya Raquib, Fang Zhu
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **The kids aren't all alright: examining equity in adolescent mental health**  
 Location: Deer Valley  
 Speakers: Holly Crowe, Nana Okada, Anne Bischops, Shanquan Chen, Dario Moreno-Agostino, Junjie Lu, Gemma Knowles
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **Reproductive Health: From Menstruation to Pregnancy Outcomes**  
 Location: Laveen AB  
 Speakers: Amy Shafir, Tosin Oyetunji, Katharine (Kayla) Bruce, Ruby Lucas, Kimi Van Wickle, Adaeze Anamege, Sydney Carolan
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **From Foods to Policy and Health: Population and Causal Evidence in Nutrition and Obesity**  
 Location: Camelback AB  
 Speakers: Dalia Stern, Anais Elena Fernandez, Lixia Zhao, Kelley Akiya, Kyle Busse
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **OAS - Social**  
 Location: Phoenix AB  
 Speakers: Yvette Cozier, Kshitij Sachdev, Tianyi Huang, Hsin-Yi Huang, Parvati Singh, Laura Chen
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Causal Inference**  
 Location: Phoenix C  
 Speakers: Anwar Merchant, Yi Yang, Etsuji Suzuki, Matthew Coates, Tang Hong, Haidong Lu, Yohannes Adama Melaku
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Advancing Gynecologic Epidemiology: Methodologic Rigor and Lifecourse Health Implications**  
 Location: Encanto A  
 Speakers: Karen Schliep, Rachel Myrer, Amy Shafir, Holly Harris, Chidinma Oli, Anoosha Keshav
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Multilevel Policy and Structural Determinants of Opioid Overdose and Treatment Outcomes**  
 Location: Encanto B  
 Speakers: Maria Parker, John Pamplin, Erin Annunziato, Melissa Ward, Morgan Watson, Anna Nguyen, Mathew Kiang
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Perinatal & Pediatric Epidemiology: Innovative methods and new frontiers**  
 Location: Paradise Valley  
 Speakers: Nandita Perumal, Diane Putnick, Wanyu Huang, Motohiko Adomi, Sabrina Chiodo, Raanan Raz, Rashida Smith-Webb
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **OAS - Cancer**  
 Location: Deer Valley  
 Speakers: Thomas Ahern, Neal Goldstein, Emma McGee, Cassandra York, Srijon Mukhopadhyay, Sarah Lima, Mst Afroza Parvin
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Epidemiological insights on Infections, Food security, and Humanitarian Crisis around the world**  
 Location: Laveen AB  
 Speakers: Mabel Carabali, Adiba Hassan, Josh Colston, Giridhara Rathnaiah Babu, David Owiredu, Sydney Tucker

- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Infectious Diseases Epi: Saying the Quiet Part Loud**  
 Location: Camelback AB  
 Speakers: Peter Rebeiro, Christopher Boyer, Sophia Tan, Dustin Hill, Stephanie Brennhofer, Haileab Wolde, Griffin Bell
- 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM**      **Hot, dirty, and sad (the environment and mental health over the life course)**  
 Location: Phoenix AB  
 Speakers: Stephen Gilman, Michaela Olabisi, Stefania Papatheodorou, Sarah Rocha, Alyssa Harlow, Jeroen van Baar
- 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM**      **Five Methods, Five Minutes, One Mission: Advancing Patient Care Through Pharmacoepidemiology**  
 Location: Encanto A  
 Speakers: Jenny Sun, Sarah Bennis, Corey He, Jesus Hernandez, Zora Nakato, Lin-Chieh Meng
- 5:30 PM - 6:00 PM**      **Routes to inequities: deprivation, criminalization, racialization, and displacement**  
 Location: Paradise Valley  
 Speakers: Jerzy Eisenberg-Guyot, Alua Yeskendir, Parvati Singh, Rae Anne Martinez, Simone Wien, Tracy Lam-Hine
- 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM**      **Poster Session 2**  
 Location: Phoenix DE
- 7:30 PM - 9:30 PM**      **President's Reception (Attendance open to all attendees)**  
 Location: Valley of the Sun Ballroom

## Thursday, June 25, 2026

- 7:00 AM - 8:00 AM**      **Continental Breakfast**  
 Location: Phoenix Front Foyer
- 7:00 AM - 7:45 AM**      **D&I Committee Meeting**  
 Location: Estrella
- 7:00 AM - 7:45 AM**      **Education Committee Meeting**  
 Location: North Mountain
- 7:00 AM - 7:45 AM**      **SPC Speed Networking**  
 Location: Room Location Listed on Ticket
- 7:00 AM - 7:45 AM**      **Membership Committee Meeting**  
 Location: Maryvale A
- 7:00 AM - 7:45 AM**      **Mentoring Committee Meeting**  
 Location: Maryvale B
- 7:30 AM - 5:15 PM**      **Registration**  
 Location: Phoenix Front Foyer
- 8:30 AM - 9:45 AM**      **PLENARY SESSION**  
 Location: Phoenix ABC  
 Speakers: Wendy Nembhard, Sonja Swanson, Mahasin Mujahid, Shruti Mehta, Rachael Ross, William Miller, Ning Zhang, Onyebuchi Arah, Giridhara Rathnaiah Babu
- 9:45 AM - 10:15 AM**      **Break**  
 Location: Phoenix Front Foyer
- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **Working in the Open: Rigor, Reproducibility, and Results in Epidemiology**  
 Location: Phoenix AB  
 Speakers: Malcolm Barrett, Rachel Yorlets, Mengyao Tang, Georgia Tomova, Anna Palmer

- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **Modern social epidemiology: advancing the field through innovative methodologies applied to community settings**  
 Location: Phoenix C  
 Chair: Erline Martinez-Miller, Dayna Neo ; Speakers: John Halifax, Mark Hernandez, Madeline Brooks, Sara Daniel, Cuong Pham
- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **Violence: Context, Disparities, and Consequences**  
 Location: Encanto A  
 Speakers: Jennifer Ahern, Krista Neumann, Rafael Charris, Bennett Allen, Emily Liu, Warren Szewczyk, Hiwot Weldemariam
- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **The Earliest Exposures: Pregnancy, Childhood, and the Environment**  
 Location: Encanto B  
 Speakers: Jeanette Stingone, Samantha Piekos, Eleanor Medley, Sam Neally, Yohane Phiri, Yi Di Wang, Mozghan Naji
- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **Pathways Shaping Diabetes Risk and Health Disparities**  
 Location: Paradise Valley  
 Speakers: Stefanie Hinkle, Jane Obi, Natalie Boychuk, Aparna Tiwari, Chloe Bennett, Maria Klein
- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **Cancer Screening and Survival**  
 Location: Deer Valley  
 Speakers: Meredith Shiels, Elyse Miller, Xiaomeng (Olivia) Chen, Gauri Bhatkhande, Alexander P. Keil, Ransome Eke, Mu Jin
- 10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**      **From Understudied to Understood: Advancing Women's Health Through Methodologic Rigor**  
 Location: Laveen AB  
 Speakers: Alexandra Sundermann, Gabrielle Johnson, Karolina Edlund, Chase Latour, Simone Wien, Alison Gemmill
- 11:45 AM - 1:45 PM**      **Lunch (on your own)**
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Intersectionality theory as a tool for advancing health equity: Measures, methods, and conceptualizations for epidemiologists**  
 Location: Phoenix AB  
 Speakers: Jonathan Platt, Dougie Zubizarreta, Ariel Beccia, Luisa N. Borrell
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Real Talk: Charting the Course for Early to Mid-Careers in Uncharted Territories**  
 Location: Phoenix C  
 Chair: Erline Martinez-Miller, Dayna Neo ; Speakers: James Buszkiewicz, Alexandra White, Kaitlyn Lawrence, Cara Frankenfeld, Ahva Shahabi
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **SPC Career Panel**  
 Location: Encanto A  
 Speakers: Gina Nam, Anlan Cao
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Future-Ready Epidemiologists: Adapting as Graduate Students – Day 2**  
 Location: Encanto B  
 Speakers: Noah Mancuso, Amanda Dorsey, Kaitlyn Long, Laura Balzer, Dustin Duncan, Lauren McCullough, Lauren Zalla, Paul Zivich
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Subjective dissonance: Conducting research to better understand your own community needs**  
 Location: Paradise Valley  
 Speakers: Nadia Abuelezam, Shawnita Sealy-Jefferson
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Demystifying artificial intelligence in epidemiology: facts, myths, and the path forward**  
 Location: Deer Valley  
 Speakers: Salma Abdalla, Ellicott Matthay, Yulin Hswen
- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Follow-up to Session on Epidemiology and Public Health: Past Achievements and Aspirations for the Future**  
 Location: Camelback AB  
 Speakers: David Savitz, Allen Wilcox, Dale Sandler, Kenneth Rothman, Jill Norris, Jonathan Samet, Nigel Paneth, Jo Freudenheim

- 12:15 PM - 1:15 PM**      **Guidance for Master's-Level Epidemiologists Considering Returning to School to Pursue Doctoral Studies (Sponsored by SER Membership Committee)**  
 Location: Laveen AB  
 Chair: Liz Best, Stephanie Brennhofner ; Speakers: Jonathan Weber, Joseph Lewnard, Martín Celaya, Christine Hockett, Marc Adams
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **The Methodologist's Toolkit**  
 Location: Phoenix AB  
 Speakers: Daniel Westreich, Steve Mooney, Laura Balzer, Jessie Edwards, Catherine Lesko
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **The Design of Modern Epidemiological Studies**  
 Location: Phoenix C  
 Speakers: Enrique Schisterman, Stephen Cole, Ellen Caniglia, Jonathan Schildcrout
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **On Asking Questions**  
 Location: Encanto A  
 Speakers: Sonja Swanson, Rachael Ross, Katherine Jia, Jessica Young, John Jackson, Margarita Moreno-Betancur
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **Causal inference methods to learn about hypothetical interventions in the policy environment**  
 Location: Encanto B  
 Speakers: Alena Sorensen D'Alessio, Paul Zivich, Audrey Renson, Whitney Wells, Tracy Lam-Hine, Maria Glymour
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **The future of mental health and psychiatric epidemiology in an AI world**  
 Location: Paradise Valley  
 Speakers: Salma Abdalla, Katherine M Keyes, Christina A. Roberto
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **Learning at the Speed of AI: Cutting Curves or Cutting Corners?**  
 Location: Deer Valley  
 Speakers: Elizabeth Suarez, Brenda Heaton, Onicio Leal Neto, Jeanette Stingone, Catherine Wiener, Lindsey Russo, Madeline Brooks, Emaan Rashidi
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **Epidemiology of reproductive and gynecologic health across the lifespan**  
 Location: Laveen AB  
 Speakers: Lindsay Collin, Holly Elser, Kemi Doll, Kaitlyn Stanhope, Claire Cook, Maret Maliniak
- 1:45 PM - 3:15 PM**      **Recent innovations in legal epidemiology: responding to a complex and rapidly evolving world**  
 Location: Camelback AB  
 Speakers: Robin Richardson, Johnathan Jenkins, Alina Schnake-Mahl, Megan Winkler, Patrick O'Neill
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Methods and Statistics Advancing Racial and Socioeconomic Equity in Treatment and Health Outcomes: Methods and Policy Pathways**  
 Location: Phoenix AB  
 Speakers: Brenda Heaton, Gregory Cohen, Lauren Zalla, Jacob Gizamba, Colleen Reynolds, Luke Barry, Chloe Bennett
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Application of AI and Machine Learning Methods for Social Epidemiology**  
 Location: Phoenix C  
 Speakers: John Holmes, Afzalbek Fayzullaev, Matt Turnure, Yu (Seashore) Li, Hiroshi Mamiya
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Health Services/Policy Session**  
 Location: Encanto A  
 Speakers: Ransome Eke, Cynthia N. Ramirez, Tahmina Begum, Meredith Cahill, Banushree J Nehru, Arin Balalian
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **HIV, and Psychosocial and Biological Health: Global and National Perspectives**  
 Location: Encanto B  
 Speakers: Monique J. Brown, Angela Bengtson, Alex Daama, Divya Hosangadi, Yue Zhang, Catherine Lesko
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Earth, Wind, and Fire: Show Me the Way to Better Environmental Health**  
 Location: Paradise Valley  
 Speakers: Kari Weber, Nrupen Bhavsar, Stefania Papatheodorou, Nina Lee, Tara Jenson, Kelli Williams, Rebecca Filippo
- 3:45 PM - 5:15 PM**      **Social and Structural Determinants of Mental Health Across Diverse Communities**  
 Location: Laveen AB  
 Speakers: Kaleea Lewis, Chloe Child, Hannah Barca, Sidra Goldman-Mellor, Sid Seenivasa, Julie Kittel

<b>3:45 PM - 5:15 PM</b>	<b>Lifecourse alcohol use profiles and trajectories</b> Location: Camelback AB Speakers: Jennifer Fonda, Suzanne McLone, Jilly Hebert, Lysie Ranker, Jonathan Platt, Haitao Zhang
<b>5:30 PM - 6:00 PM</b>	<b>SPC Business Meeting</b> Location: Camelback AB
<b>6:00 PM - 6:30 PM</b>	<b>SER Business Meeting - All Members Welcome</b> Location: Laveen AB
<b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b>	<b>Poster Session 3</b> Location: Phoenix DE
<b>6:30 PM - 7:30 PM</b>	<b>Reception</b> Location: Phoenix Front Foyer
<b>7:30 PM - 10:00 PM</b>	<b>Alumni Reunions</b>

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## Friday, June 26, 2026

<b>7:00 AM - 8:00 AM</b>	<b>Continental Breakfast</b> Location: Phoenix Front Foyer
<b>7:30 AM - 12:00 PM</b>	<b>Registration</b> Location: Phoenix Front Foyer
<b>8:00 AM - 9:45 AM</b>	<b>PLENARY SESSION</b> Location: Phoenix ABC Speakers: Brian Whitcomb, Maria Glymour, Jonathan Samet, Timothy Lash, Adina Zeki Al Hazzouri, Sunni Mumford, Kara Rudolph, Carrie Karvonen-Gutierrez, Malinee Neelamegam, Albert Hofman, Kosuke Inoue, Noel Weiss, Michelle Odden
<b>9:45 AM - 10:15 AM</b>	<b>Break</b> Location: Phoenix Front Foyer
<b>10:15 AM - 11:45 AM</b>	<b>Ch Ch Ch Changes</b> Location: Phoenix AB Speakers: Catherine Lesko, Matthew Fox, Audrey Renson, Ashley Naimi, Bertha Hidalgo, Brittany Charlton, Lorraine Dean
<b>10:15 AM - 11:45 AM</b>	<b>AI and Machine Learning for Cognitive Health and Aging</b> Location: Phoenix C Speakers: Hoda Abdel Magid, Mengya Xu, Emma Nichols, Sarah Ackley, Yingyan Wu, Mina Habib, Jong Woo Nam
<b>10:15 AM - 11:45 AM</b>	<b>Causal Inference in Pregnancy Research: Exploring Methodological Frontiers</b> Location: Encanto A Speakers: Krista Huybrechts, Sonia Hernandez-Diaz, Ellen Caniglia, Stephanie Leonard, Stefania Papatheodorou
<b>10:15 AM - 11:45 AM</b>	<b>Where can transportability methods take us?</b> Location: Encanto B Speakers: Leslie Farland, Dalia Stern, Catherine Wiener, Rachael Ross, Daniel Xu, Kara Rudolph
<b>10:15 AM - 11:45 AM</b>	<b>Epidemiologic approaches to policy research – examinations of single policies, policy clusters, and policy climates: conceptualization, measurement, and analysis</b> Location: Paradise Valley Speakers: Dougie Zubizarreta, Ariel Beccia, Elana Forman, Ellicott Matthey, Jennifer Karas Montez, Spruha Joshi
<b>10:15 AM - 11:45 AM</b>	<b>Community-centered epidemiology: practices, opportunities, and challenges</b> Location: Deer Valley Speakers: Nadia Abuelezam, Wendy Barrington, Ryan Assaf, Alison Cohen
<b>10:15 AM - 11:45 AM</b>	<b>Estimating the causal effects of ultra-processed foods (UPFs): Mission (im)possible?</b> Location: Laveen AB Speakers: Georgia Tomova, Deirdre Tobias, Peter Tennant, Natalia Ortega

**10:15 AM - 11:45 AM**

**Herd immunity effects of COVID-19 vaccination: what did we know, when did we know it, and why does it matter?**

Location: Camelback AB

Speakers: Kristin Nelson, Coady Wing, Joseph Lewnard, Paige Harton, Dan Sacks, Robert Bednarczyk

**12:00 PM - 1:00 PM**

**Everyday something has tried to kill me and has failed.”: How to Study Health Disparities During the DEI Crackdown**

Location: Phoenix AB

Speakers: Yvette Cozier, Bryan James

**12:00 PM - 1:00 PM**

**Faculty, post-doc and grad student unions: Benefits and challenges**

Location: Phoenix C

Speakers: Anjum Hajat, Jerzy Eisenberg-Guyot, Seth Prins, Eleanor Medley

**1:00 PM - 1:00 PM**

**Meeting Adjourns**