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Departmental Seminar

Psychology Leadership in the UK National Health Service (NHS): Insights from Service Evaluation



Professor Ryan Nah

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University of Cambridge

11:00a.m. – 12:00n.n.

Chamber, 11/F

The Jockey Club Tower

Centennial Campus

The University of Hong Kong

About the talk:

This departmental seminar will examine the roles and responsibilities of Clinical Psychologists within the United Kingdom National Health Service (NHS), with a particular emphasis on psychology leadership beyond direct clinical practice. Drawing on findings from a mixed-methods service evaluation, Ryan will present psychology professionals' experiences, perceptions, and attitudes towards the use of an Electronic Health Record (EHR) system. The seminar will outline key recommendations arising from the evaluation including the importance of psychology leaders working collaboratively with organisational clinical systems teams to enhance EHR usability, functionality, and alignment with psychological clinical workflows. This form of strategic leadership work is critical to improving staff wellbeing by reducing administrative burden and, in turn, enhancing patient-centred care. The seminar will further explore the role of AI-enabled clinical scribing integrated into EHR systems, in supporting clinicians and enhancing service delivery.

This talk may be of interest to people who are interested in knowing more about clinical psychology, leadership and management roles in clinical psychology as well as applied research including quality improvement and service evaluation.

About the speaker:

Dr Nah is an Assistant Professor of Clinical Psychology at the University of Cambridge and an Honorary Associate Professor at Norwich Medical School, University of East Anglia. He was previously an Honorary Clinical Teaching Fellow at University College London. Alongside his academic roles, Ryan works as a Consultant Clinical Psychologist in the National Health Service (NHS) and serves as Lead Psychologist for the North Cambridgeshire Adult Locality Teams. His research interests broadly encompass psychosis, digital health, access to care, and cultural factors in mental health.

Zoom Meeting (For participants who couldn't attend the Seminar in person)

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