



Building Strong Families Conference

Are you a current student?

*Interested in helping to build strong individuals,
families, and communities?*

*Looking to hear how others are impacting
families and communities?*

Want to connect with others in the field and/or share your research?



**Attend the Annual Building Strong Families Conference
at Messiah College!**

**18th Annual Regional Building Strong Families Conference
“Responding to Families in Trauma”**

Thursday, October 9, 2008

8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Boyer Hall

Messiah College

Grantham, PA

As a family studies major at Messiah College I attended Building Strong Families Conferences. Through this annual conference I was able to:

- Learn how research informs practice in family science.
- Hear first hand how a variety of professionals are serving families and communities.
- Share my own undergraduate research by way of a poster session.
- Network with scholars and professionals in the field.

Building Strong Families conferences are a great way for you to broaden your knowledge of families and how best to serve them. The conference provides you the experience of hearing from family scholars, clinicians, and human service workers from various backgrounds, institutions, and organizations. In addition, the conference provides an excellent venue to present undergraduate research through its poster session where prizes are awarded.

Attending Building Strong Families conferences while I was a student at Messiah further solidified my commitment to the field of family science. The conference allowed me an experience that is often reserved for those in graduate school, thus giving me an advantage later in my academic career. The Building Strong Families conference is another way that Messiah and **you** can promote the diversity and strength of families. I hope you take advantage of this conference and plan to attend!



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