

Schultz invited to join International Academy of Law and Mental Health

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Dr. Pamela D. Schultz, associate professor of Communications Studies in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences at Alfred University, has been nominated to join the International Academy of Law and Mental Health. The invitation to join came after Schultz presented two papers at the 30th Congress of International Academy of Law and Mental, held earlier this summer in Padua, Italy. Her papers were "Naming, Framing, Blaming and Shaming: The Moral Panic over Child Molesters and Implications for Public Policy," and "The Rhetoric of Shame and Megan's Law: Retributive v. Restorative Justice." "It was an absolutely wonderful experience," said Schultz. As a result of presenting at the conference, Schultz has completed a book chapter based on one of the papers she presented, and has been asked to submit the second paper for inclusion in a symposium to be published in early 2008 by the New York Law School Review. She was also asked to write a critique for a special issue of the Journal of Homosexuality, and to submit a book proposal.