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Forensic Psychology Research Centre (FPRC)

Brown Bag Lunch Series

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Dr. Jim Bonta, Public Safety Canada

*“Understanding What Works and
Making it Work”*

Over the past 40 years there have been many different attempts to understand criminal offenders and to reduce the threat they pose to community safety. In the 1970s, there was widespread disillusionment that we would ever discover treatment methods that could contribute to reduced recidivism. However, today there is a large research literature that demonstrates that some interventions do “work”. We also know that there are significant challenges in applying the principles of effective rehabilitation into everyday practice. This research literature will be summarized and new directions for translating the research findings into real world will described.

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