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Show # 2014-32 **Date aired: 8-10-2014 Time Aired: 6AM**

Jonah Engle, freelance journalist based in Washington, DC

Mr. Engle discussed civil asset forfeiture, a part of the War on Drugs which allows the government to seize property-- even if it doesn't have enough evidence to convict or even charge someone with a drug offense. He explained how the forfeiture process works and why it is so difficult to recover property after it is seized. He said many law enforcement agencies include projected revenue from asset forfeitures in their annual budgets.

Issues covered: Length: 9:03 War on Drugs Crime Legal Issues Government Policies

Alexandre Montagu, attorney, expert in intellectual property law, international commercial transactions and new media commercial and corporate law, author of "*Intellectual Property: Money and Power in a New Era*"

Mr. Montagu talked about intellectual property law, how it has changed with new technology, and why nearly everyone should understand the basics. He explained potential pitfalls for both the average consumer, and small and medium-sized businesses. Among the examples he cited: knock-offs of brand-name products on Internet auction sites and the indiscriminate use of photographs found online.

Issues covered: Length: 8:12 Legal Issues Consumer Matters

Jennifer Gras, Vice President, Corporate Communications at CareerBuilder.com

Ms. Gras outlined the results of a recent survey conducted by her organization that found that 69% of full-time workers regularly search for new job opportunities. She said that new online tools available to job seekers have made it much easier to do in-depth research on potential employers. She also discussed the reasons that such a high percentage of the workforce is interested in changing jobs.

Issues covered: Length: 5:07 Employment Workplace Matters

Show # 2014-33 **Date aired: 8-17-2014 Time**

Aired: 6AM

David Casarett, MD, Associate Professor of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine Director of Hospice and Palliative Care, University of Pennsylvania Health System, author of *"Shocked: Adventures in Bringing Back the Recently Dead"*

New government data says there has been a 54 percent drop in drinking and driving among high school teens during the past two decades. Ms. Hyde discussed the reasons behind the decline, and offered advice for parents who are concerned about their teenagers.

Issues covered: Length: 7:53

Drinking and Driving

Youth Issues

Parenting

Janet Tomiyama, PhD, Assistant Professor in the Department of Psychology at UCLA

Dr. Tomiyama conducted a study that examined the roles that stress and race play in the epidemic of obesity among teenage girls. She found that although stressed-out black girls and white girls tend to gain weight, stress appears to have a greater effect on the weight of black girls. And surprisingly, black girls reported less stress overall than white girls. Dr. Tomiyama talked about the racial disparity and why obesity is such an important public health concern.

Issues covered: Length: 9:28 Public Health Minority Concerns

Women's Issues

Brian Fikkert, PhD, Associate Professor of Economics at Covenant College in Georgia, co-author of *"When Helping Hurts: How to Alleviate Poverty Without Hurting the Poor"*

Dr. Fikkert talked about the challenges faced by faith-based organizations and other groups when seeking to help poor or homeless Americans. He said aid efforts often end up perpetuating poverty, rather than solving the problem. He believes that building personal relationships with aid recipients and giving them a sense of self-worth is more effective than simply providing food or other materials.

Issues covered: Length: 4:58 Homelessness Poverty Faith-based

Initiatives

Show # 2014-34 **Date aired: 8-24-2014**

Time Aired: 6AM

David Casarett, MD, MA, Associate Professor of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania Perelman School of Medicine Director of Hospice and Palliative Care, University of Pennsylvania Health System, author of *"Shocked: Adventures in Bringing Back the Recently Dead"*

Most people don't survive cardiac arrest or significant trauma. Dr. Casarett discussed the latest developments in resuscitation and just how far science has come in the past few years. He talked about the ethical dilemma posed by reviving a person who may not have a good quality of life in the aftermath. He talked about the impressive survival rate of those who receive competent CPR treatment.

Issues covered: Length: 8:20 Personal Health Emergency Medicine

Greg McBride, Chief Financial Analyst for Bankrate.com

Mr. McBride's organization recently conducted a study that found that a third of all Americans have nothing saved for retirement. He said the one encouraging aspect of the survey is that more people in their 20s are saving for retirement than ever before. He explained why this issue should be such a serious concern and what someone can do if they believe they are starting to save too late in life.

Issues covered: Length: 9:00 Retirement Planning Senior Citizens Personal Finance Rick Maurer, author of *"Beyond The Wall Of Resistance: Why 70% of All Changes Still Fail – and What You Can Do About It"*

Seventy percent of all major changes in organizations fail - and that number hasn't changed since researchers started examining success and failure rates more than fifteen years ago. Mr. Maurer talked about the most common reasons for failure and what leaders can do about it.

Issues covered: Length: 5:03 Workplace Matters Employment

Show # 2014-35 **Date aired: 8-31-2014 Time**

Aired: 6AM

Lee Crockett, Managing Partner of the 21st Century Fluency Project, co-author of *"Understanding the Digital Generation: Teaching and Learning in the New Digital Landscape"*

Mr. Crockett said that today's digital technology is dramatically changing how children learn. He said research is finding that youngsters' brains are changing physically and chemically, as a result of their use of computers and other digital devices. He explained how those changes are affecting the reasoning skills and educational needs of this generation, and how public school systems must adapt.

Issues covered: Length: 8:53 Education Parenting Concerns

Randall Pinkett, first African-American winner of *"The Apprentice,"* author of *"Black Faces in White Places: 10 Game-Changing Strategies to Achieve Success and Find Greatness"*

When Mr. Pinkett became the first African-American winner of *"The Apprentice,"* he also became the only contestant who was asked to share his victory with a white woman. He discussed how his refusal resulted in a firestorm of controversy. He said sometimes hard work is not enough for minority employees. He offered advice for African-American professionals who want to break through the racial barriers they continue to face.

Issues covered: Length: 8:22 Minority Concerns Workplace Matters

Peter Polos, MD, PhD, specialist in sleep medicine at the Sleep Disorder Center of JFK Medical Center in Edison, NJ

Dr. Polos was the lead researcher in a study that examined how electronic media affects the sleep of teenagers. He found that teens lose a significant amount of sleep by sending an average of 34 texts 10 after bedtime each night. He offered advice to parents, on how to take control of bedtime and set limits on their child's access to digital devices.

Issues covered: Length: 5:01 Personal Health Youth Issues Parenting Concerns

Show # 2014-36 **Date aired: 9-7-2014 Time Aired: 6 AM**

Robert Cantu, MD, Chief of Neurosurgery, Chairman of the Department of Surgery, and Director, Service of Sports Medicine at Emerson Hospital in Concord Massachusetts, Clinical Professor of Neurosurgery and Co-Director of Boston University's Center for the Study of Traumatic Encephalopathy, senior consultant to the National Football League, author of *"Concussions and Our Kids: America's Leading Expert on How to Protect Young Athletes and Keep Sports Safe"*

Concussions are a not-so-silent epidemic among school-age athletes. Dr. Cantu discussed the most common causes of concussions and explained which sports are the most dangerous. He talked about the long-term ramifications of brain trauma injuries and offered ideas for reforms that would reduce concussions in youth sports.

Issues covered: Length: 9:10 Personal Health Youth Sports Parenting Concerns

Dana Gunders, Project Scientist, Natural Resources Defense Council's Food and Agriculture program in San Francisco

Ms. Gunders was the lead author of a report that found that 40 percent of the nation's food supply--valued

at \$165 billion--goes uneaten each year. She outlined the economic and environmental impacts of food waste, and what can be done to fight this growing problem. She discussed misconceptions surrounding expiration dates and said most of them actually are indicators of food quality, not necessarily food safety.

Issues covered: Length: 8:09 Hunger Food Safety Consumer Matters Environment

Roger Leslie, award-winning teacher, author of "*Success Express for Teens*"

Mr. Leslie believes that teens need to set goals in order to succeed in later life. He talked about the importance of young people learning the value of good citizenship and time management. He offered suggestions of how teens can determine their personal strengths and take smart risks.

Issues covered: Length: 4:52 Teen Issues Youth at Risk Parenting Issues

Show # 2014-36 **Date aired: 9-14-2014 Time Aired: 6AM**

Lisa Gill, Prescription Drugs Editor at Consumer Reports

Prescriptions for opioids have climbed 300% in the past decade and more than 46 Americans die each day from legal pain pills, such as OxyContin, Percocet and Vicodin. Ms. Gill discussed the reasons behind this trend. She also talked about the little-known dangers posed by over-the-counter painkillers like acetaminophen. She offered advice to patients who are dealing with pain. She also explained how the federal government is trying to deal with the issue.

Issues covered: Length: 10:07 Personal Health Drug Abuse Government

Tony Lee, Publisher of CareerCast.com and JobsRated.com

Mr. Lee outlined his organization's list of the most overrated and underrated jobs, based factors such as pay, hiring outlook, work environment, stress and physical demands. He explained why certain jobs are not as attractive as they may seem, and why other great career choices are often overlooked. He also offered advice for those seeking to change careers or move up the ladder in their present job.

Issues covered: Length: 7:15 Employment Economy

Pam Mueller, graduate student, Department of Psychology, Princeton University

Laptops, tablets and other electronic devices are commonplace in today's classrooms. But Ms. Mueller

co-authored a study that found that taking notes by typing, rather than writing, interferes with students' ability to process and remember information. Her research indicated that students who take notes with pen and paper recall more material and perform significantly better in class.

Issues covered: Length: 4:51 Education

Show # 2014-38 **Date aired: 9-21-2014 Time**

Aired: 6AM

Jennifer Aaker, PhD, social psychologist, General Atlantic Professor of Marketing at Stanford University's Graduate School of Business, co-author of *"The Dragonfly Effect: Quick, Effective, and Powerful Ways To Use Social Media to Drive Social Change"*

Prof. Aaker outlined ways to use the power and popularity of social media to do good in the world. She offered examples of how innovative social media tools can invite participation and permit communication with potential supporters. She believes that the use of social media can turn small actions into much larger results for non-profit organizations.

Issues covered: Length: 8:30 Volunteering Charitable Contributions

Jodi Sleeper-Triplett, MCC, SCAC, founder of the movement for ADHD coaching for youth, Master Certified Coach and Senior Certified ADHD Coach, author of *"Empowering Youth with ADHD: Your Guide to Coaching Adolescents and Young Adults for Coaches, Parents, and Professionals"*

Ms. Sleeper-Triplett talked about the increasing cases of attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder among America's youth and adults. She said medication and therapy often are not enough. She explained how parents may try to deal with the problem, and how an ADHD coach can help.

Issues covered: Length: 8:48 ADHD Education Parenting Concerns

Erick Schreder, Staff Scientist at the Washington Toxics Coalition

Ms. Schreder was the lead scientist of a report that found that half of thermal paper receipts and 95% of dollar bills in circulation contain the hormone-disrupting chemical BPA. She said BPA is now present in 93% of all Americans. She explained the negative health consequences of BPA and what consumers can do to avoid it.

Issues covered: Length: 4:54 Personal Health Environment

Show # 2014-39 **Date aired: 9-28-2014 Time**

Aired: 6AM

Randy Albelda, PhD, Professor of Economics and Senior Research Fellow at the Center for Social Policy at University of Massachusetts in Boston

Dr. Albelda recently co-authored a report called "*How Youth Are Put at Risk by Parents' Low-Wage Jobs.*" She explained the special challenges faced by low-income parents who are in jobs that lack flexible hours and benefits like health insurance, paid sick days and vacation days. She said these factors impact a child's education, health and future prospects. She believes that lower wages are part of a long-term trend in the U.S..

Issues covered: Length: 8:24 Poverty Youth at Risk Parenting

Adam Pertman, Executive Director of the non-profit Donaldson Adoption Institute, author of "*Adoption Nation: How the Adoption Revolution is Transforming Our Families--and America*"

Mr. Pertman discussed the rapidly changing process of adoption, largely driven by the Internet. He said social networking and other online tools have radically changed both the process of adoption and the expectation of privacy, because it is so easy to locate and reunite birth mothers and children years after an adoption. He added that the Internet has also aided the rise of scammers and predators offering to expedite the expensive and lengthy process of adopting a child.

Issues covered: Length: 8:32 Adoption Parenting

Rodlescia Sneed, Graduate Student in the Psychology Department of Carnegie Mellon University
Ms. Sneed was the co-author of a study that found that parents are 52 percent less likely to develop a cold than non-parents. She explained the possible reasons behind this surprising result. She said the health benefits for a parent appear to continue, even after the offspring has grown to adulthood.

Issues covered: Length: 4:52 Personal Health Parenting