



SOUTH JERSEY NOW
ALICE PAUL CHAPTER



*South Jersey NOW – Alice Paul chapter
Program Meeting
on Wednesday, September 12, 7:30 pm
at First Baptist Church,
19 W Main Street, Moorestown*

NEGOTIATING TOXIC MASCULINITY

In this interactive conversation, Dr. Dan Strasser will offer insights into contemporary perceptions of masculinity. In addition to exploring what masculinity is, and its individual and cultural origins, Dr. Strasser will also examine the issues embedded in contemporary masculinity and discuss the foundations of masculinity-in-crisis and toxic masculinity. Finally, the discussion will close with information of how to negotiate toxic masculinity and create space where individuals and relationships can flourish in an individually, relationally, culturally, and politically challenging time.

Dr. Strasser is a member of Rowan University's Communication Studies Department of the College of Communication and Creative Arts. His research includes gender communication, family communication, masculinity studies, communication theory, and interpersonal communication specifically focusing on father-son relationships, male friendships, classed identities, and the perceptions and performances of masculinities. Through autoethnography and cultural critique, Dr. Strasser's scholarship investigates how those contexts influence communication between and among individuals and how culture influences, and is influenced by, these areas of communication.

Please join us for an evening that will help explain what so many of us have experienced and wished for a way to understand and counter it.