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B R E A K I N G



DR. LUCIA GONZALES AND MEPN STUDENTS DIG IN!

Monday, May 12, 2014

Nursing breaks ground for the Betty and Bob Beyster Institute for Nursing Research, Advanced Practice, and Simulation! Nursing classes, labs, and offices are closed as President Mary Lyons, Provost Andy Allen,

the Beyster family, Nursing faculty, staff and students, and other major donors join together to celebrate the historic event. Media films 200 guests enjoying a festive “Picnic-in-the Park” celebration with music, a plethora of blue balloons, champagne,

G R O U N D



L TO R: BRAD KRAUS, MATT HORAK, BRAD LENEHAN, DR. SALLY BROSZ HARDIN, MATT GREINER, AND ED HOLAKIEWICZ

lemonade, and sweet and savory treats! Above, Project Director Brad Krause and Chief Engineer Matt Horak from DPR Construction, and Principal Architect, Ed Holakiewicz, Architect Matt Greiner, and Landscape Architect Brad Lenehan

from gkkWorks help Dean Hardin lift silver shovels. Prior to the celebration, Msgr. Dan Dillabough offered a Founders Chapel Mass for the safety of the estimated 1,000 craftsmen who will build the Beyster Institute.



L TO R: MARY ANN BEYSTER, MARK BEYSTER, LAN BEYSTER, JIM BEYSTER, BETTY BEYSTER, AND DR. ROBERT BEYSTER (now deceased)

THE BEYSTER FAMILY GAVE THE LEAD GIFT THAT CATALYZED THE SCHOOL'S LONG HELD DREAM INTO A FUNDING CAMPAIGN AND A FULLY REALIZED BUILDING.



L TO R: REBECCA DICKINSON WELCH, JOHN SEIBER, MARTIN DICKINSON, AND CAROL DICKINSON



L TO R: ANDREW, GALE, AND MARK KRAUSE DESIGNATED A GIFT FOR THE PhD RESEARCH LIBRARY ON THE BINR'S THIRD FLOOR.

JAMES KRAUSE (now deceased) SERVED ON USD'S BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND WAS A GREAT FRIEND OF NURSING.



MSGR. DANIEL DILLABOUGH GREETS SR. SALLY FURAY.



DRS. SALLY AND TOM HARDIN



CONSTRUCTION



BINR BUILDING TEAM:
TOP ROW (L TO R): DR. SALLY BROSZ HARDIN
AND DR. CYNTHIA CONNELLY
BOTTOM ROW (L TO R): LINDA JOHNSTON
AND DR. KAREN MACAULEY

R I B B O N C U T T I N G



MARY ANN BEYSTER AND BETTY BEYSTER



PRESIDENT JAMES T. HARRIS III
AND MARY ANN BEYSTER

Betty and Mary Ann Beyster cut huge blue ribbons with giant scissors on September 1, 2015 and were joined by President Harris, Provost Allen, Vice President Msgr. Dillabough, Nursing faculty and administrators, and the Nursing entry class to celebrate the Beyster Institute's official opening. Other special guests included Martin and Carol Dickinson, Rebecca Dickinson Welch, Walter and Don Smoyer, Dick Woltman, John and Patricia Seiber, and Lynn and Patti Blystone. Faculty, students, and guests enjoyed lunch and the Institute's BIRTHDAY CAKE, and sang their rendition of "Happy Birthday." Afterwards guests enjoyed faculty led tours of the Beyster Institute. Here is a brief tour for you of just a few of the Beyster Institute's beautiful, state of the art classrooms, Dickinson Nursing Simulation Center, Krause PhD Research Library, and Living Room. Please come to tour it in person. You will be amazed!



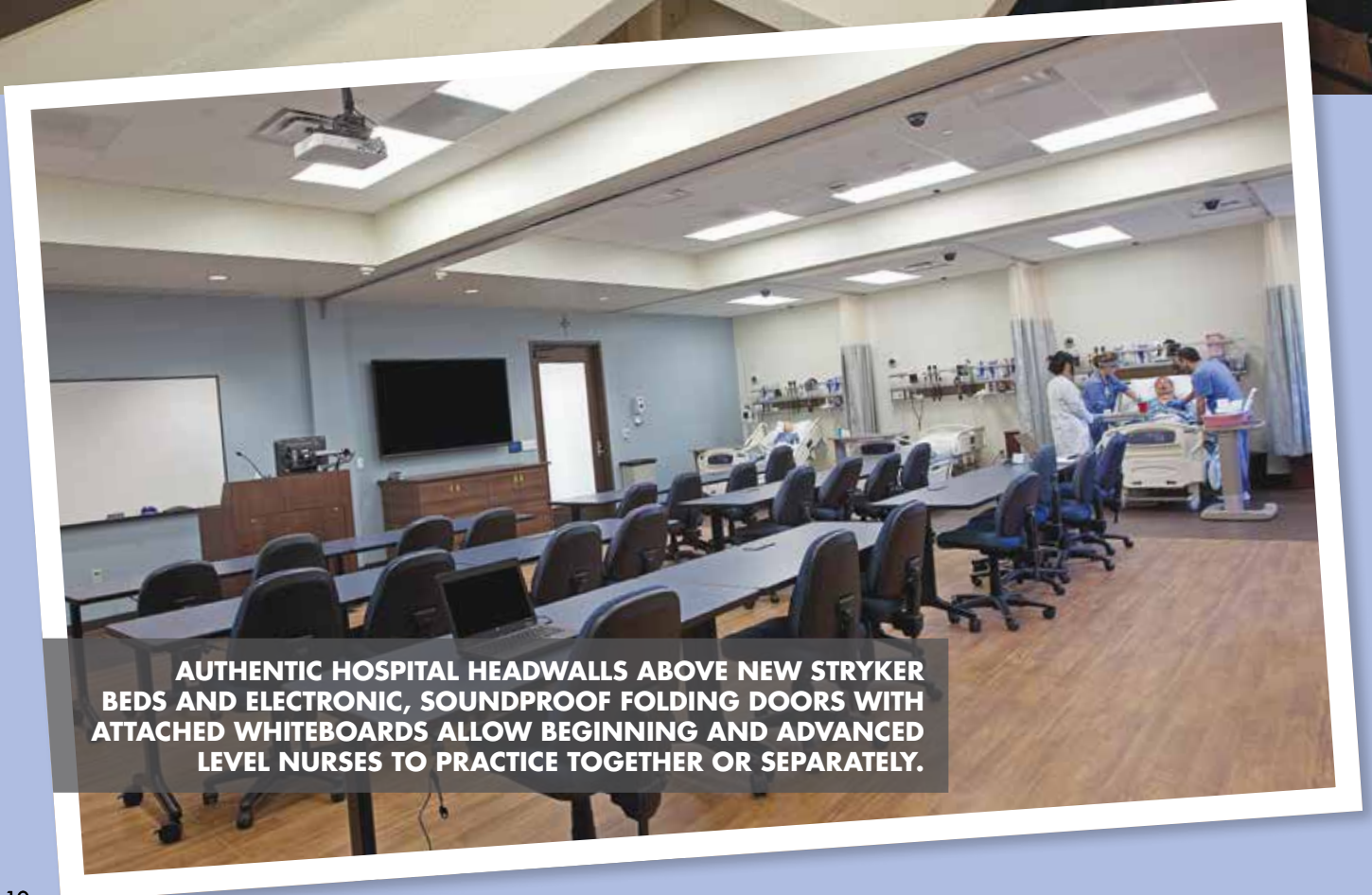
A GIFT FROM THE LIZBETH AND WALTER SMOYER FAMILY PROVIDED THE ADVANCED PRACTICE RN NURSING EDUCATION CENTER ON THE INSTITUTE'S SECOND FLOOR.



**EXECUTIVE CLASSROOM
26 ANTIQUE CHANDELIERS FROM THE ORIGINAL WOMEN'S COLLEGE DINING ROOM ARE USED THROUGHOUT THE INSTITUTE.**



DICKINSON NURSING SIMULATION CENTER AND OBSERVATION ROOM IN WHICH FACULTY CAN CONTROL PATIENT VITAL SIGNS.



AUTHENTIC HOSPITAL HEADWALLS ABOVE NEW STRYKER BEDS AND ELECTRONIC, SOUNDPROOF FOLDING DOORS WITH ATTACHED WHITEBOARDS ALLOW BEGINNING AND ADVANCED LEVEL NURSES TO PRACTICE TOGETHER OR SEPARATELY.



NOTE THE ELECTRONIC BLACK "EYE BALL" VIDEO CAMERA AND THE BLACK TRIANGULAR STEREOPHONIC MICROPHONE IN THE CEILING.

THREE HOSPITAL ROOMS WITH COMPUTERIZED HIGH FIDELITY MANNEQUINS—HERE AN INFANT, BIRTHING NOELLE, AND A TODDLER IN CRIB WITH OXYGEN TENT.



KRAUSE FAMILY PhD RESEARCH LIBRARY WITH ANTIQUE DESK, TABLES AND CHAIRS FROM THE WOLTMAN ESTATE.



THE KRAUSE FAMILY PhD RESEARCH LIBRARY HOUSES OVER 300 DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS.



THE LIVING ROOM STONE AND MARBLE FEATURE WALL, MODELED AFTER THE UNIVERSITY OF ALCALA, WITH THREE ARCHES REPRESENTING THE BLESSED TRINITY.

The Research Center Includes:

THE KAYE M. WOLTMAN AND MELISA R. MCGUIRE HOSPICE AND PALLIATIVE CARE EDUCATION AND RESEARCH UNIT;

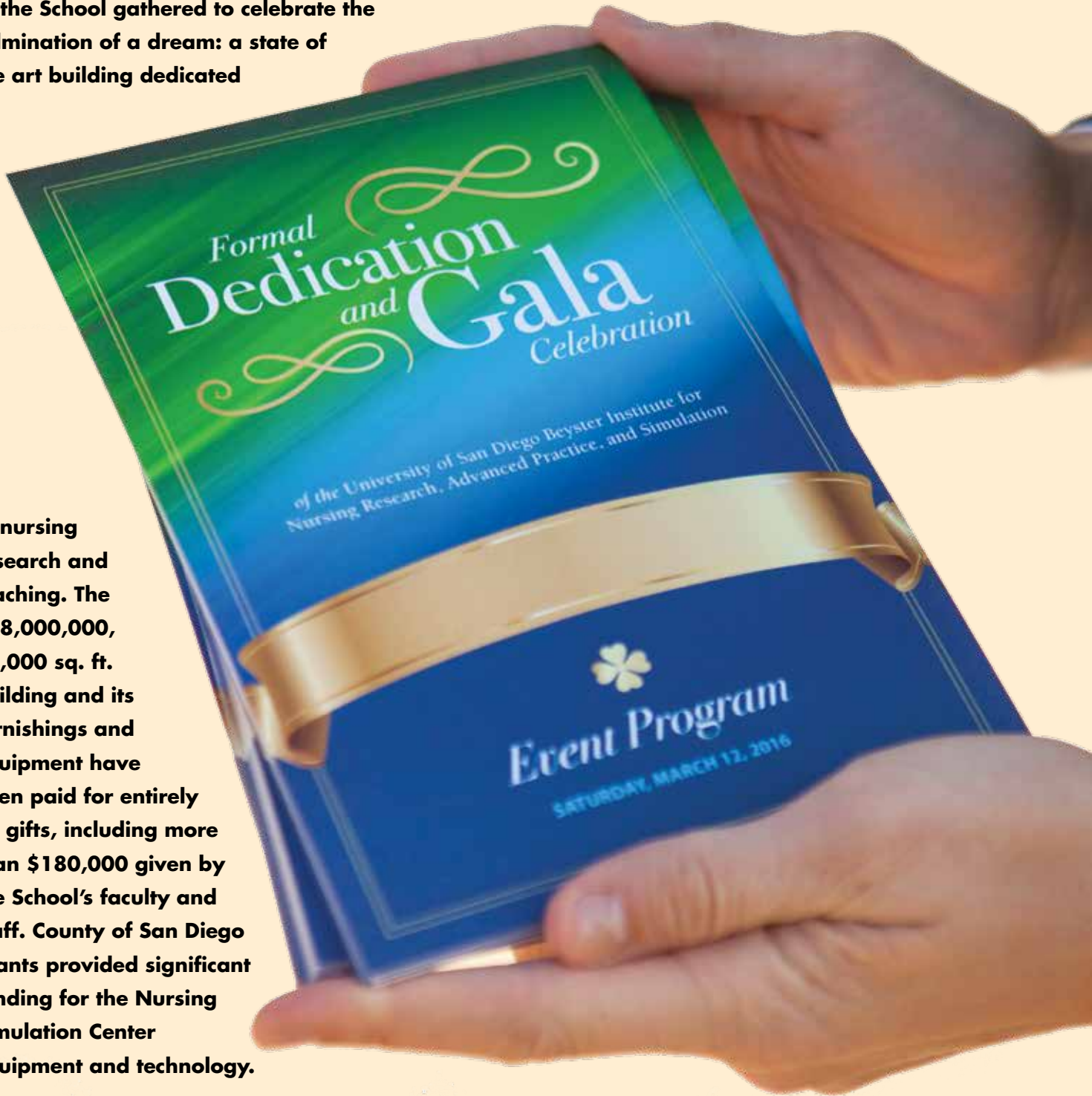
THE HERVEY FAMILY FUND/SAN DIEGO FOUNDATION MILITARY AND VETERAN HEALTH RESEARCH UNIT;

THE MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH RESEARCH UNIT;

AND THE SENIOR ADULT HEALTH RESEARCH UNIT AND FUNCTIONAL ASSESSMENT APARTMENT.

Saturday, March 12, 2016 was a day of celebration and triumph for the School of Nursing. On that bright spring day Dean Sally Brosz Hardin welcomed more than two hundred guests to the Dedication and Blessing of the Betty and Bob Beyster Institute for Nursing Research, Advanced Practice, and Simulation (BINR). In the new Plaza where the BINR building joins the Hahn building, University Provost Andrew T. Allen, deans of University of San Diego's other schools, many of the donors whose generosity made the building possible, heads of the architectural and construction teams, and other friends of the School gathered to celebrate the culmination of a dream: a state of the art building dedicated

to nursing research and teaching. The \$18,000,000, 30,000 sq. ft. building and its furnishings and equipment have been paid for entirely by gifts, including more than \$180,000 given by the School's faculty and staff. County of San Diego grants provided significant funding for the Nursing Simulation Center equipment and technology.



DEDICATION



MINDY PAWINSKI LOOKS ON AS MRS. BEYSTER AND THE DEAN SHARE A JOYFUL GREETING.



USD ALCALA AMBASSADOR, MIRANDA MAHER, PINS A BOUTINIER ON MARTIN DICKINSON, AN EXTRAORDINARY FRIEND AND SUPPORTER OF NURSING.

*Oh,
Happy
Day!*

A N D G A L A



MARY, JACK, AND PATRICIA NORBERG WHOSE GIFT UNDERWROTE THE BINR'S HIGH TECH CLASSROOM WITH MSGR. DAN DILLABOUGH.



**ARMY MEETS NAVY!
JONAS FOUNDATION REPRESENTATIVE
BRIGADIER GENERAL (RET.) WILLIAM BESTER
AND ALUMNA COMMANDER JACKIE
RYCHNOVSKY, PhD, RN WHO DIRECTS
ALL NAVAL HEALTH RESEARCH.**

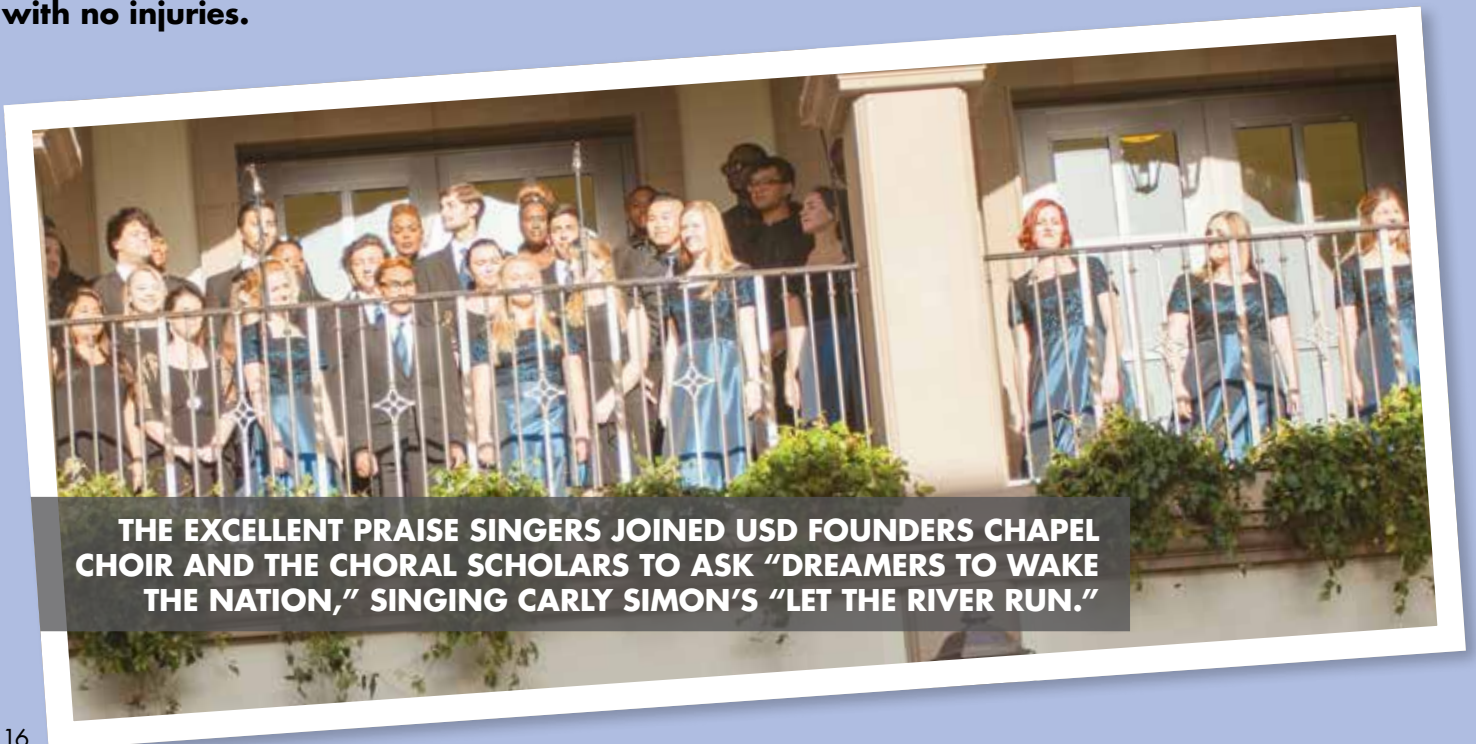


**PIPER LARRY SAMUELS IN
FULL KILT GREETED GUESTS
WITH IRISH TUNES.**



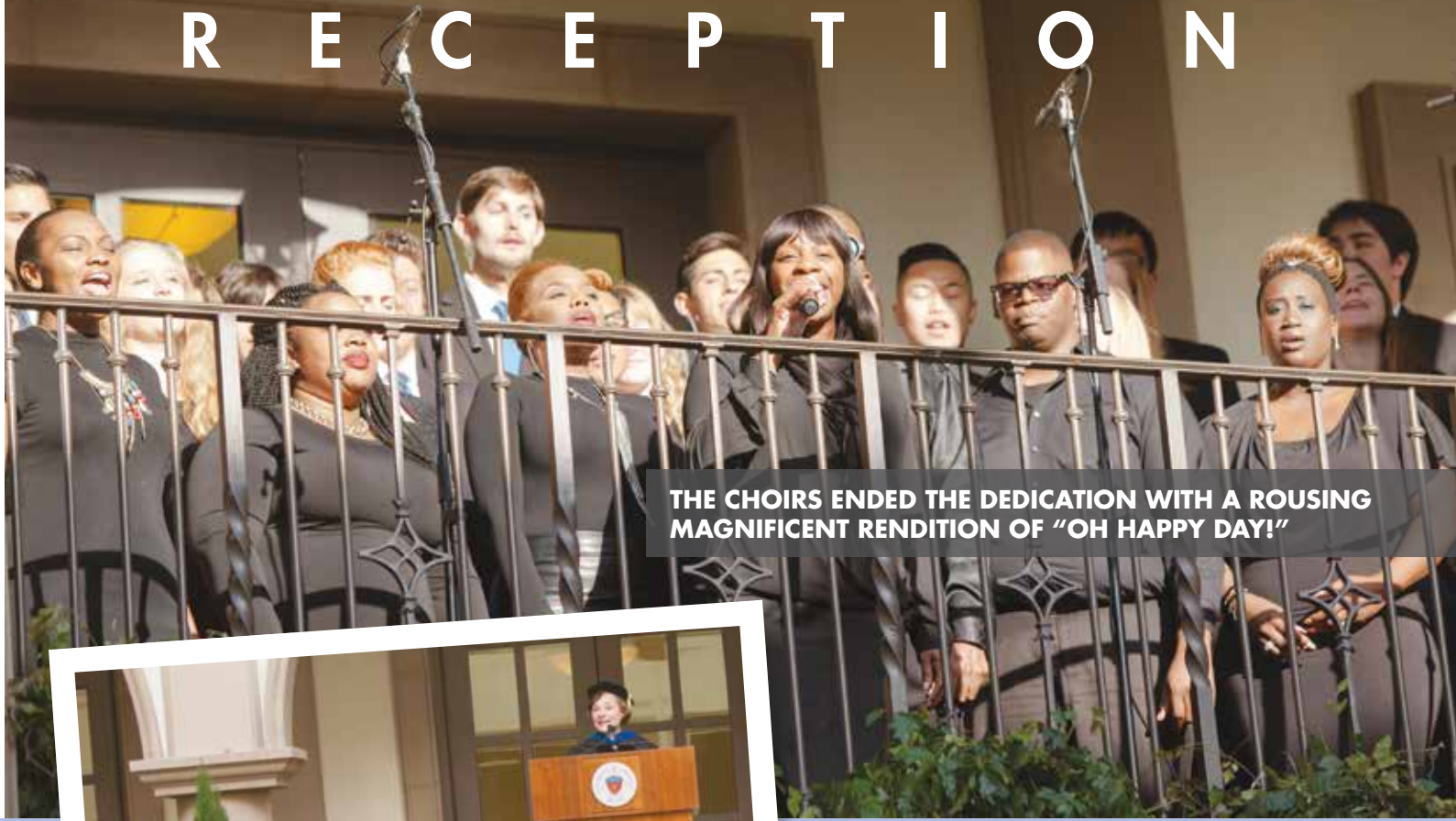
FACULTY RESPLENDENT IN ACADEMIC REGALIA ENTERED THE COURTYARD IN A STately PROCESSION TO GAUDEAMUS IGITUR.

Dean Hardin spoke of the remarkable work that started exactly seven years earlier, on **March 12, 2009**, when she and Professors Karen Macauley and Cynthia Connelly met with an architect to discuss potential designs of a nursing research institute. She reflected on luck, which might appear as good fortune, grace, or the Holy Spirit, and how these blessings attended bringing the impressive three story structure to life in sixteen months, on time, on budget, and with no injuries.



THE EXCELLENT PRAISE SINGERS JOINED USD FOUNDERS CHAPEL CHOIR AND THE CHORAL SCHOLARS TO ASK "DREAMERS TO WAKE THE NATION," SINGING CARLY SIMON'S "LET THE RIVER RUN."

R E C E P T I O N



THE CHOIRS ENDED THE DEDICATION WITH A ROUSING MAGNIFICENT RENDITION OF "OH HAPPY DAY!"



Following the dedication, guests enjoyed hors d'oeuvres and beverages and were invited to tour the Institute.



L TO R: DR. MARTHA FULLER, DR. RUSSELL FULLER, NANCY EFFRON, JOHN KELLEHER, DR. MARY BARGER, DR. CARMEN SPALDING

GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCI



**MEPN STUDENT TOUR GUIDES
LED TOURS OF THE BEYSTER INSTITUTE,
A STATE OF THE ART BUILDING FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS OF NURSES**

KAYLA DENNIS, KAITLYN MACNEIL, HEZEKIAH O'NEAL, BESSIE CORONADO-VIGIL, HAYLEY WARDROP, MAURICE SOUZA,

NURSING ACTION OFFICERS



DIANA APPLEBY, SERENA ARTS, EMILY DAHL, JILLIAN WARD, ANNETTE DIAZ-SANTANA, SASHA LEUCKE

The Next Generation of Nurse Leaders



L TO R: MARTIN DICKINSON, CAROL DICKINSON, JOHN SEIBER, PATRICIA SEIBER, AND SR. VIRGINIA RODEE



JEAN JESSOP HERVEY AND JAMES EDGAR HERVEY

T H E G A L A



GUESTS ENJOYED USD'S CHORAL SCHOLARS MUSICAL IRISH BLESSING BEFORE BEGINNING THEIR DINNER AT TWENTY-NINE TABLES.



**WES MACAULEY AND
DR. KAREN MACAULEY**



**DR. GABRIELLA MALAGON-MALDONADO
AND DR. PATRICIA ROTH**



**LINDA JOHNSTON AND
JOHN JOHNSTON**



**CONNIE CURRAN AND
DR. LUCIA GONZALES**



L TO R: MAREN FORD, ANDREW KRAUSE, AND GALE KRAUSE



DINNER WAS FOLLOWED BY A PERFORMANCE OF TRADITIONAL IRISH DANCING.



DRS. KATHY AND DAVID MARSH



**L TO R: DR. LAURIE ECOFF, MARK MURRAY, DAVID KRICH
NADINE KASSITY-KRICH, LEE McCALL AND ROB McCALL**



**L TO R: DR. EILEEN FRY-BOWERS, MICHAEL BOWERS,
DR. ANN MAYO, AND RON MAYO**

Thanks Ms. Betty!



PRESIDENT JAMES T. HARRIS III AND BETTY BEYSTER



**BETTY BEYSTER AND
RONNE FROMAN, RADM, USN, RET.**



FORMER PROVOST, USD, DR. FRANK LAZARUS AND WIFE CAROL SHAKE A LEG.



*May the
Dancing
Begin!*



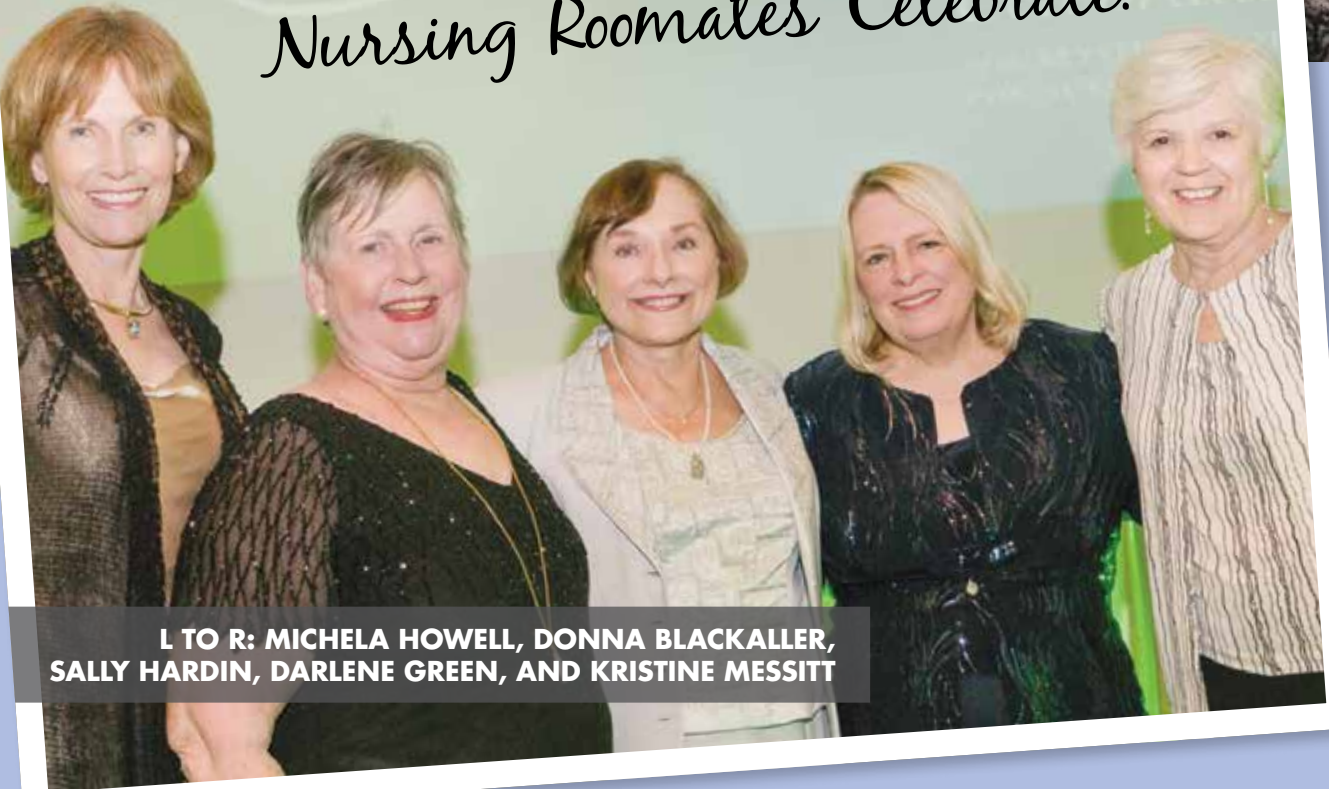
TYLER CRADDOCK, DPR CONSTRUCTION, SURROUNDED BY MEPN STUDENTS.



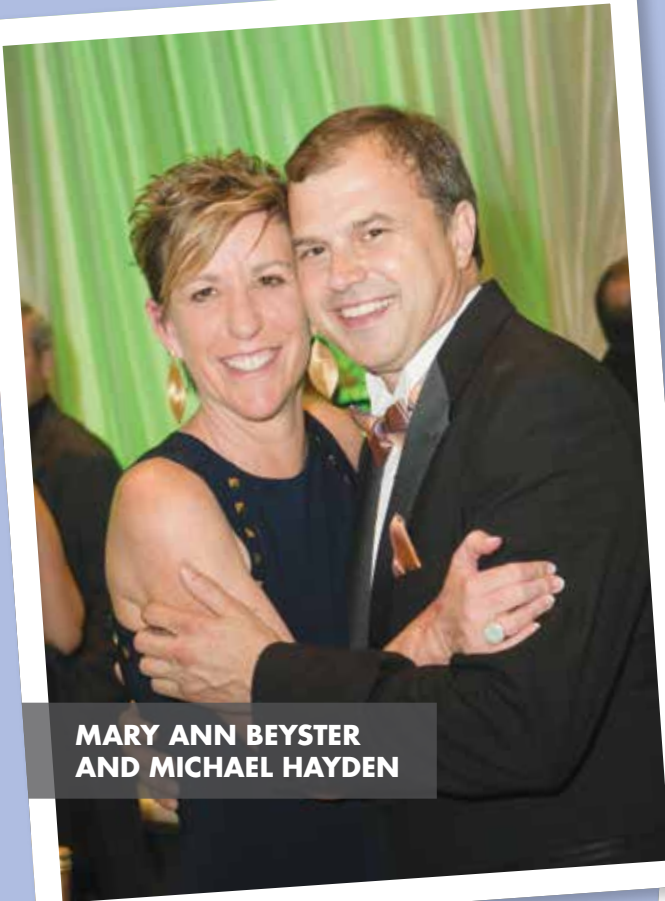
**PRESIDENT AND MRS. HARRIS VISIT WITH
PHD NURSING ALUM AND HUSBAND.**

**L TO R: MARY HARRIS, PRESIDENT JAMES T. HARRIS III,
DR. MAURICIO MALDONADO, AND
DR. GABRIELLA MALAGON-MALDONADO**

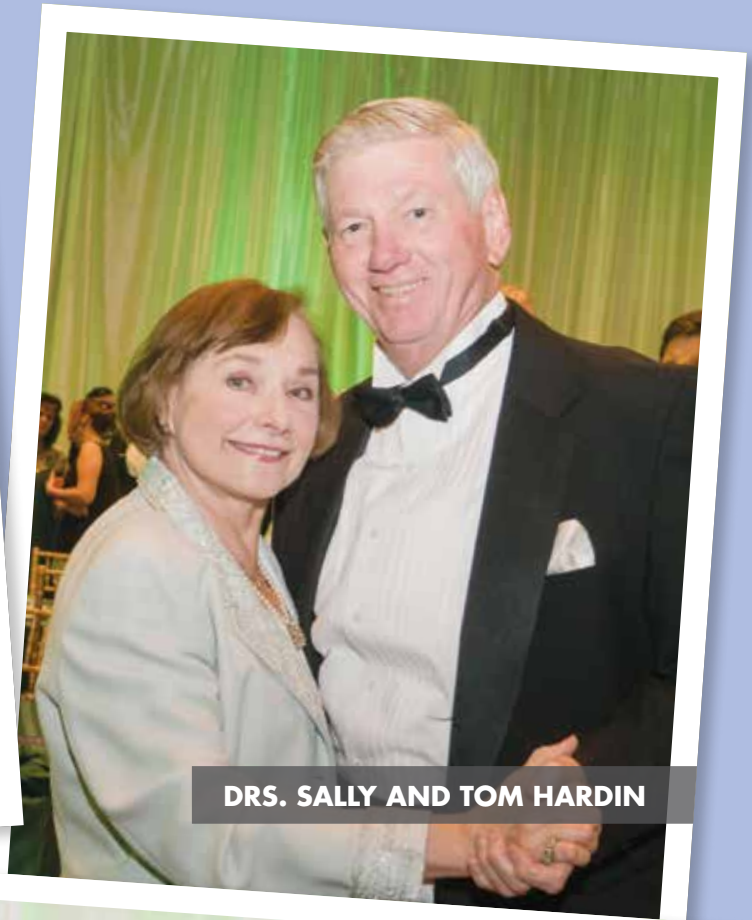
Nursing Roomates Celebrate!



**L TO R: MICHELA HOWELL, DONNA BLACKALLER,
SALLY HARDIN, DARLENE GREEN, AND KRISTINE MESSITT**



**MARY ANN BEYSTER
AND MICHAEL HAYDEN**



DRS. SALLY AND TOM HARDIN



**DR. CHERYL BUTERA, CATHERINE FERRIS, AND
DRS. MARTHA FULLER, CARMEN SPALDING, AND JENNIFER BUECHEL**

OUR FABULOUS DPR CONSTRUCTION AND gkkworks ARCHITECT TEAM



**BRADLEY KRAUS, DPR PROJECT DIRECTOR,
AND WIFE ERIN KRAUS**



**MATT HORAK, DPR PROJECT ENGINEER,
AND WIFE ANGELA HORAK**



**BRIAN MONSON, DPR FIELD SUPERVISOR,
AND WIFE LUISA MONSON**



**L TO R: MATT HORAK, MIKE KAESLER, BRADLEY KRAUS,
BRIAN MONSON, ED HOLAKIEWICZ (PRINCIPAL ARCHITECT),
JACK WRIGHT, AND MATT GREINER**



L TO R: JIM BEYSTER, JOHN CABARIOS, MICHAEL HAYDEN, BETTY BEYSTER, MARY ANN BEYSTER, AND LAN BEYSTER

Betty Beyster Had the Last Word:

"The Gala was a wonderful celebration of the hard work and dedication of Dean Sally Hardin and the DPR crew. It was a magical evening celebrating the culmination of a dream. We are proud to help enrich the learning environment for all students at the Beyster Institute for Nursing Research, Advanced Practice, and Simulation at the USD School of Nursing."

R E C E N T G R A



Dr. Michael Terry

will be our lead for the San Diego Integrated Care Project and Practicum, a partnership among USD's Hahn School of Nursing and Beyster Institute for Nursing Research, the nurse-led federally-funded Family Health Centers of San Diego, and UCSD's Community Psychiatry Program to address the growing need for culturally competent integrated physical and mental health care. HRSA Nurse Education, Practice, Quality and Retention-Interprofessional Collaborative Practice:

Behavioral Health Integration has awarded the project a grant for \$2,000,000 for two years. Specific goals are to improve the: (1) early identification, quality of treatment, and

outcomes for depression and substance use disorder through a nurse-led care team; and (2) competencies of Family Nurse Practitioners to lead interprofessional collaborative teams in the delivery of integrated services. Over the two-year timeframe of the grant: 3,000 patients will be screened for depression and/or unhealthy substance use; 450 patients will receive care management; 180 patients will receive mental health services; and 180 patients will receive substance abuse treatment.

Dr. Ruth Bush

received a Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute (PCORI) "Pipeline to Proposal Initiative" Tier I, II, and III award for \$90,000 to create and expand a network of patient and family stakeholders, as well as community investigators, to identify health issues facing hard-to-reach patient populations.

In this case, she is working with Latino patients with Spinal Bifida. Working with her patient partners from 2014-17, she is identifying and comparing approaches that are the most meaningful, effective, and culturally competent for them as a foundation for a larger research project. Her research team includes Drs. Cynthia D. Connelly and Kathy S. James, and PhD Candidate Noelle Lipkin Leveque. Dr. Bush also has received \$747,000 in Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) funding from 2015-18 to examine "Disease Autonomy

Using Patient Portal Technology;" focusing on adolescents and young adults' interaction with health care informatics and electronic health care records. She is recruiting individuals to use a patient portal and is exploring how adolescents and young adults with chronic health needs use it and their health care records to manage their illness. She and her team, co-investigators Drs. Cynthia D. Connelly and Kathy A. Marsh, are interested particularly in issues such as limited data access for minors, inadequate access to computers, reluctance to use these data, and confidentiality concerns. They also are looking at barriers to adolescents using health care records such as lack of training, time, or reimbursement. In addition, the team is studying changes in global health status, health literacy, disease management, self-efficacy, and reported quality of life.



N T A W A R D S

Director of Nursing Research Dr. Cynthia D. Connelly

and her team of co-investigators, Dr. Sophia Hutchins and PhD candidate Elizabeth Glaser Bamgbose, with Farus, LLC and Dr. Yvette LaCoursiere, UCSD, have received a National Institutes of Health Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development Fast Track Small Business Innovation Research grant for \$147,485 from 2016 -17, to test a wearable and wireless fetal ultrasound and tocodynamometer (TOCO) to more easily and consistently maintain fetal heart rate and uterine contraction signals during labor and delivery. Current external fetal ultrasound transducers and TOCOs are rigid, require belts to maintain their position on the abdomen, and are typically tethered to a stationary cardiotocography monitor. The cumbersome design restricts patient comfort and mobility, and shifting of the external devices on the abdomen due to maternal movement frequently leads to loss of the fetal heart rate and uterine contraction signals. A wearable cardiotocography solution has the potential to improve patient mobility, minimize the need for frequent repositioning of the external devices, reduce false alarms, eliminate gaps in relevant FHR and uterine contraction signal data, reduce the number of cables in the labor and delivery environment, and increase the overall effectiveness of cardiotocography. Results from the study will compliment current research on reducing incidence of caesarian births and will inform future investigators of gaps in technology and clinical practice related to use of EFM monitoring.



Dr. Ann Mayo

and Drs. Guerry Peavy, Michael Ard, and David Salmon were awarded a three-year \$240,000 Alzheimer's Disease research grant by The California Department of Public Health Alzheimer's Disease Program. Over the next three years USCSD and USD Hahn School of Nursing and Beyster Institute for Nursing Research are partnering to study differences in the extent and pattern of cognitive decline in Hispanic versus non-Hispanic spousal caregivers of Alzheimer's patients. Caregivers of persons with Alzheimer's disease will be recruited from the community as well as from the UCSD's Shiley-Marcos Alzheimer's Disease Research Center. Age, sex, education, and ApoE genotype (possession of at least one ApoE-e4 allele) will be included as covariates in all statistical models. Secondary analyses will test for mediation effects tied to stress assessments, psychiatric function, and related variables. Study findings will be used to identify intervention strategies that can be individualized and implemented to address cognitive vulnerabilities and improve the health of Patient Centered Outcomes.



AUTHOR E. HUGHES CAREER ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

AUTHOR E. HUGHES CAREER ACHIEVEMENT AWARD 2015

**SANDRA SOLEM '84 (MSN), '02 (PhD)
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, PATIENT CARE SERVICES/NURSE EXECUTIVE,
VA SAN DIEGO HEALTHCARE SYSTEM (now retired)**



Sandra Solem, PhD, recently retired as associate director for patient care services and nurse executive at VA San Diego Healthcare System, a 304-bed facility providing veterans with a wide range of inpatient services and outpatient care at seven community clinics throughout the county. Dr. Solem joined the VA San Diego Healthcare System in 2010 after returning to the Veteran Healthcare Administration (VHA) in 2006, following the conclusion of a project as a consultant at Walter Reed Army Medical Center.



Facilitating focus groups with men and women returning from Iraq and Afghanistan, listening to their stories and seeing their ongoing, long-term need for care prompted Dr. Solem to leave her position as chair of nursing at Salve Regina University in Newport, R.I., and return to caring for veterans and their families. The combination of leadership roles in both clinical practice and academia presented unique opportunities to implement clinical practice models of care and change management projects. Leaders at the VHA asked her to facilitate a veteran-centered partnership model of care in Lexington, Ky., in 2010, as well as the opening of a new VA medical center in Las Vegas, Nev., as the nurse executive in 2013. Her work as the executive sponsor for implementation of Relationship-Based Care and Culture of Excellence at VASDHS, a member of National VA Council on Evidence-Based Practice and a mentor for new nurse executives into the system, kept Dr. Solem fully engaged in clinical practice and education until her recent retirement. She earned her BSN at Montana State University followed by her MSN and PhD in nursing at the University of San Diego.

AUTHOR E. HUGHES CAREER ACHIEVEMENT AWARD 2016

**PABLO VELEZ '06 (PhD)
SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT AND CEO,
SHARP CHULA VISTA MEDICAL CENTER**

Pablo Velez is senior vice president and chief executive officer of Sharp Chula Vista Medical Center, a 343-bed hospital located in San Diego's South Bay. He develops and manages the hospital's budget, oversees long-range plans and develops relationships with physicians and other community leaders that enhance the success of the hospital. Among his greatest career highlights is the \$250 million master site



plan expansion he is currently overseeing. As part of the expansion, Sharp Chula Vista will add a new hospital in 2019 with capacity for 138 greatly needed patient beds for the growing community it serves. Velez is extremely proud to see it become a reality. Velez says becoming a nurse is one of the greatest things he has ever done, saying the career fits perfectly with his philosophy of leaving things better than he found them. He enjoys contributing to research and articles, including "Effects of Organizational Trust" in the *Organization Development Journal* in 2012, and "Do Gender and Race/Ethnicity Influence Acute



Myocardial Infarction Quality of Care in a Hospital with a Large Hispanic Patient and Provider Representation?" in *Cardiology Research and Practice* in 2013. He has received the: 2010 Association of California Nurse Leaders Excellence in Leadership Award; 2013 Chula Vista Chamber of Commerce Vision and Leadership Award; and the 2014 Chula Vista Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Business Leader of the Year Award. However, his greatest source of pride is the extraordinary employees, physicians, volunteers, board members, donors and community members with whom he interacts every day.

MEPNS AND FACULTY AT CAMP WANA KURA

MEPN students spent a few days at Camp Wana Kura counting carbohydrates, calculating insulin doses, administering insulin, and assisting campers with insulin pump set changes. MEPN student, Farrah Farshidfar checked almost 100 blood sugars on her campers.



She was so impressed with how aware campers were of small changes in their activity and how it impacted their blood sugars. MEPNs, Mariah Butera and Ryan Brown taught campers when and how to properly administer glucagon. Their teaching activity was a big hit with the campers and staff alike. MEPN, Valarie Bykoff assisted Dr. Marsh with field research for a new NIH sponsored research study.



The American Diabetes Association's Camp Wana Kura day camp is held alongside the lakes and under the trees at Santee Lakes Recreation Preserve in San Diego County. Campers, ages 5 to 12, play water games, sing songs, run relays, do crafts, swim, go paddle boating, learn new things and connect with other kids living with diabetes, while building new friendships and learning diabetes related skills.

Many thanks to Professor Christine Holmes, Dr. Jackie Close, and Dr. Lyn Puhok for attending camp and assisting students with diabetes management.

W E L C O M E N E W F A C U L T Y



DR. JACKIE CLOSE
PhD, APRN
Clinical Associate Professor



DR. KAREN SUE HOYT
PhD, APRN, FAANP, FAAN
Clinical Professor



DR. JAMES KENNETT
PhD, APRN
Clinical Associate Professor



DR. SEMIRA SEMINO-ASARO
PhD, APRN
Associate Professor



DR. EILEEN FRY-BOWERS
PhD, APRN, JD
Associate Professor



DR. KEVIN MAXWELL
DNP, APRN
Clinical Associate Professor



DR. KATHLEEN STACY
PhD, APRN
Clinical Associate Professor



DR. ROBERT TOPP
PhD, RN
Patricia Chin Endowed Nursing Research Professor

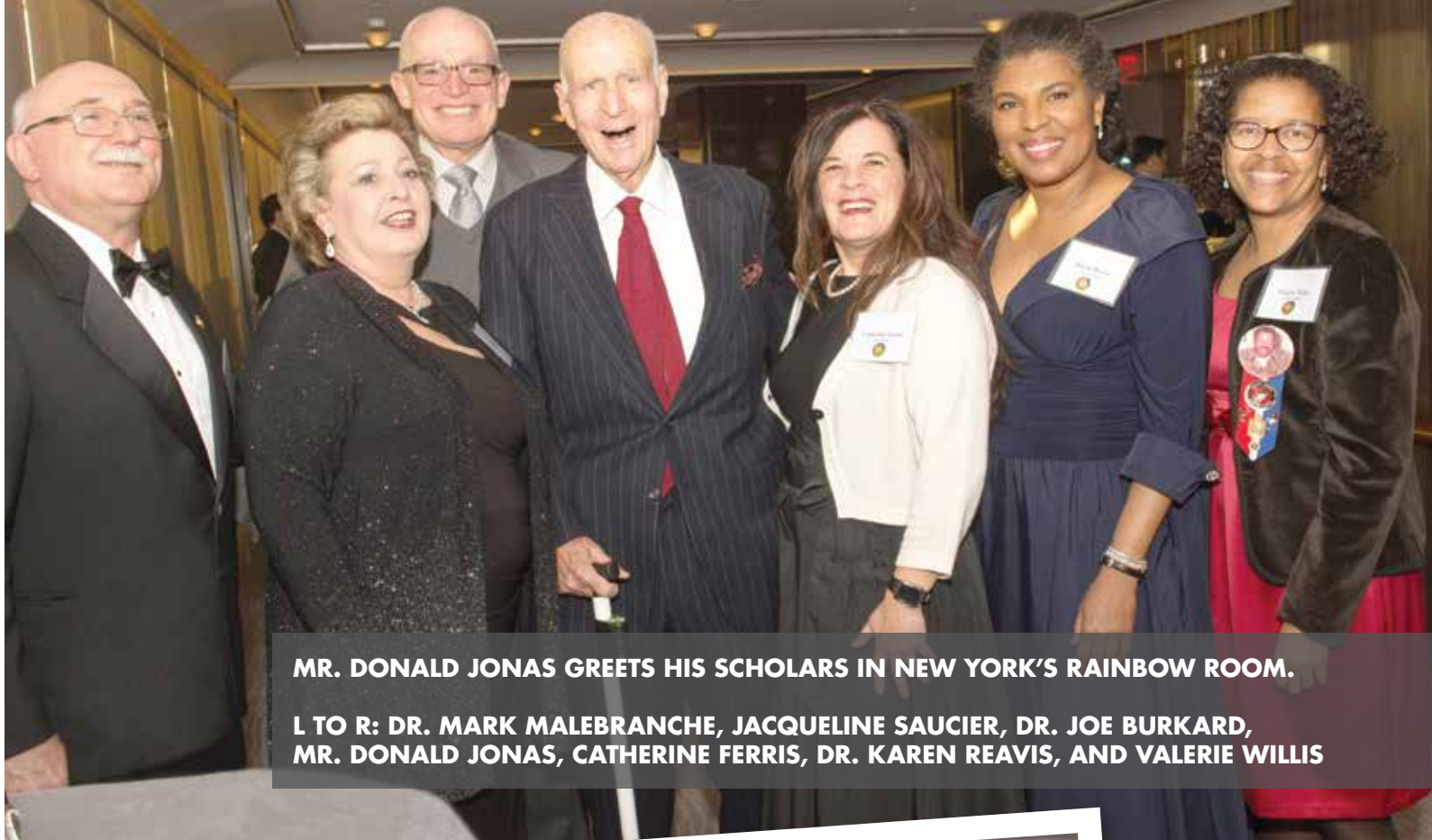


DR. SHARON KEPPLE
PhD, APRN, PHN
Clinical Associate Professor



NADINE KASSITY-KRICH
MBA, RN
MEPN Placement Coordinator

JONAS SCHOLARS



MR. DONALD JONAS GREETSS HIS SCHOLARS IN NEW YORK'S RAINBOW ROOM.

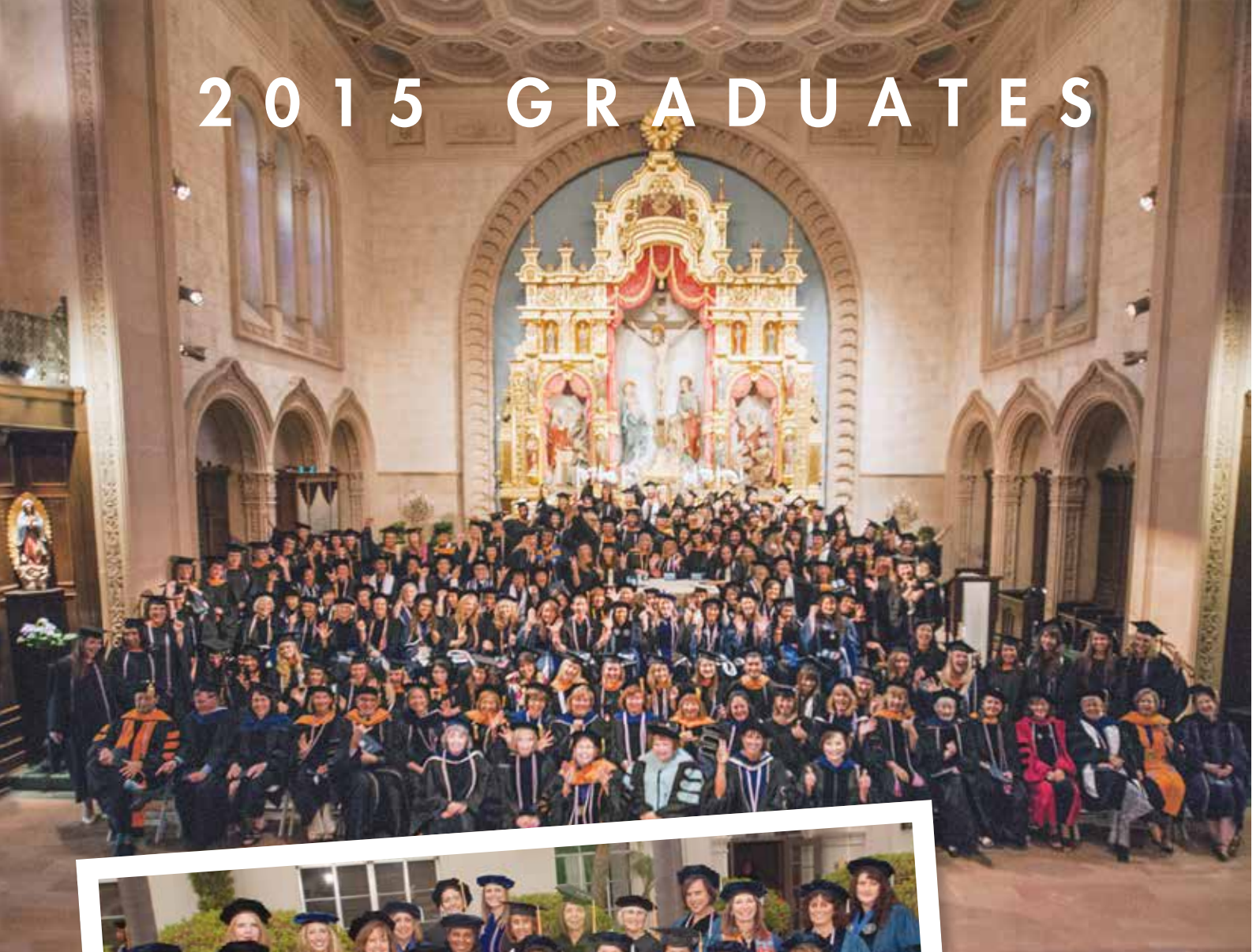
L TO R: DR. MARK MALEBRANCHE, JACQUELINE SAUCIER, DR. JOE BURKARD, MR. DONALD JONAS, CATHERINE FERRIS, DR. KAREN REAVIS, AND VALERIE WILLIS



**L TO R (TOP): DR. MARK MALEBRANCHE, DR. ERIN LIND, VALERIE WILLIS, CATHERINE FERRIS, DR. JOE BURKARD, JACQUELINE SAUCIER, ALI TAYYEB
L TO R (BOTTOM): DR. KAREN REAVIS, AND DR. SALLY BROSZ HARDIN**

When these veterans come home, we'll be there.

2015 GRADUATES



2015 PhD GRADUATES



2015 WHITE COAT CEREMONY

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN NURSING SCIENCE

Mary C. Anziano, PhD, APRN
Jannise Topacio Baclig, PhD, RN
Sharon Boothe-Kepple, PhD, APRN
Cheryl Butera, PhD, APRN
Kristiana G. H. Cullum, PhD, APRN
Leslie Lee Dela Cruz-Torio, PhD, RN
Sarah E. Giron, PhD, APRN
Rubette (Ruby) Harford, PhD, RN
Barbara Kelley, PhD, RN
Elizabeth C. Light, PhD, RN
Catherina A. Madani, PhD, APRN
Gabriella Malagon-Maldonado, PhD, APRN
Deene' Mollon, PhD, RN
Deana Raley Noble, PhD, APRN
Chiarina P. Piazza, PhD, RN
Karen J. Reavis, PhD, APRN
Barbara A. Roces, PhD, APRN
Samantha N. Sangsanoi-Terkchareon, PhD, RN
Sherry I. Shoemaker, PhD, RN
Christine Sloan, PhD, APRN
Carmen N. Spalding, PhD, RN
Tanna R. Thomason, PhD, APRN
Linda Tirabassi-Mathis, PhD, APRN
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Christine Ensign, DNP, APRN
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Susan Klein, DNP, APRN
Erin Lind, DNP, APRN
LT Michelle McCormick, DNP, APRN
Casandra Moyer, DNP, APRN
Anisa Munshi, DNP, APRN
Melvyn Grace Rabanal, DNP, APRN
Ana Reyes, DNP, APRN
Luis San Miguel, DNP, APRN
Ryan Thebo, DNP, APRN
Torrie St. Julien, DNP, APRN
Tricia Templet, DNP, APRN
LCDR Eric Tobin, DNP, APRN
Elizabeth Hartman Valles, DNP, APRN
Sarah Wedel, DNP, APRN
Elen Yip, DNP, APRN

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN NURSING, ADVANCED PRACTICE PROGRAMS

*Adult-Gerontology Clinical
Nurse Specialists*
Shirley Gomez, MSN, APRN
Julie Graham, MSN, APRN
LT Heather Purcell-Mullins, MSN, APRN
LT Anthony Yarbrough, MSN, APRN

Dual Primary Care Adult-Gerontology/ Family Nurse Practitioner

Sarah Hillebrand, MSN, APRN
Amy Nylund, MSN, APRN
*Dual Primary Care Pediatric/Family
Nurse Practitioner*
LT Reginaldo Cagampan, MSN, APRN
Ami Flores, MSN, APRN
Sharon Levy, MSN, APRN
Michelle O'Leary Searles, MSN, APRN
Jennifer Toulon, MSN, APRN
Primary Care Family Nurse Practitioner
Pedro Alonso Colio, MSN, APRN
Heather Fitchner, MSN, APRN
Susan Fuerst, MSN, APRN
Elizabeth Kenney, MSN, APRN
Donghee Kim, MSN, APRN
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Kirsten Olsen, MSN, RN
Karen Poon, MSN, RN
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Tanja Baum, MSN, RN
Kareem Dally, MSN, RN
Laurie Kalleberg, MSN, RN
Laura Longacre, MSN, RN
Kristen Santiago, MSN, RN
Sumer Tabel, MSN, RN
Health Care Informatics
Natalie Amenhauser, MSN, RN
Nicole Bloom, MSN, RN
Kris Casiano, MSN, RN
Christopher Kramar, MSN, RN
Natalia Savenko, MSN, RN
Erika Turner, MSN, RN
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Gloria Avila, MS
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Amanda Blanco, MSN
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Jennifer Buechler, MSN
Rachel Byer, MSN
Patrick Carey, MSN
Juanita Carrasco, MSN
McKinleigh Cordova, MSN
Nicole Cummings, MSN
Emily DeRoss, MSN
Noor Diab, MSN
Christina Do, MSN
Rosemary Eppinger, MSN
Natalie Ferdig, MSN
Alicia Foley, MSN
Luviminda Garcia, MSN
Christina Ghaly-Wilson, MSN
Lindsay Giolzetti, MSN
Leslie Givner-Forbes, MSN
Erica Green, MSN
Anne Griggs, MSN
Pamela Heron, MSN
Marisa Hoskins, MSN
Russell Howe, MSN
Devan Humphries, MSN
Natasha Jaksch, MSN
Vanessa Lerma Jones, MSN
Cara Fratianne Laubhan, MSN
Brigitte Martinez, MSN
Yanai Martinez, MSN
Whitney McCannon, MSN
Jennifer Moeckel, MSN
Ashley Mostowy, MSN
Carolyn Nemerow, MSN
Heather Nicholson, MSN
Tina Noori-Jah, MSN
Catilin Owen, MSN
Taylor Parsons, MSN
Anna Pena, MSN
Eric Pitt, MSN
Holly Reutens-Leano, MSN
Christine Richardson, MSN
Christi Robell, MSN
Karina Salpagarova, MSN
Vessela Savova, MSN
Kathryn Sheehy, MSN
Brittany Stanton, MSN
Jade Stenzel, MSN
Emily Strait, MSN
Kelley Suminski, MSN
Mary Tappe, MSN
Kaitlyn Temko, MSN
Ruth Turner, MSN
Courtney Uy, MSN
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Amanda Woolfson, MSN
Jonathan Young, MSN

2016 GRADUATES



2016 PhD GRADUATES



DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE GRADUATES



MEPN GRADUATES



HEALTHCARE INFORMATICS GRADUATES

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY IN NURSING SCIENCE

Margaret Avila, PhD, APRN
CDR Jennifer J. Buechel, PhD, APRN
Janet Donnelly, PhD, APRN
Mary J. Fagan, PhD, APRN
Kim R. Failla, PhD, RN
Marcel Fomotar, PhD, RN
Martha Grant Fuller, PhD, APRN
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CDR Ryan L. Nations, PhD, APRN
Jodi K. O'Brien, PhD, RN
Mary K. Phillips, PhD, APRN
Judy Scott, PhD, APRN
Julie Vignato, PhD, RN
Vanessa V. Wertheim, PhD, RN
Judy White, PhD, RN
Kathryn A. Yates, PhD, RN

DOCTOR OF NURSING PRACTICE

Angelica Adriano, DNP, APRN
LCDR Accursia Baldassano, DNP, APRN
Angelito Dela Cruz, DNP, APRN
Christine Duong, DNP, APRN
LCDR Erinn Gelakoska, DNP, APRN
LCDR John Hoyos, DNP, APRN
LCDR Molly Hurda, DNP, APRN
Alisha Keating, DNP, APRN
Kornelia Kopec, DNP, APRN
LT Casey McGinnis, DNP, APRN
Arbert Nazareno, DNP, APRN
Jenilyn Peros, DNP, APRN
Christine Rieger, DNP, APRN
Julia Robinson, DNP, APRN
Eugelyn Santos, DNP, APRN
Jennifer Sassman, DNP, APRN
Teresa Scavone, DNP, APRN
Linda Valles Gutierrez, DNP, APRN

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Adult-Gerontology Clinical Nurse Specialist Graduates

Susan Hartnett, MSN, APRN
LCDR Kyle Hinds, MSN, APRN
LCDR James Kaup, MSN, APRN
CPT Sara Mirghani, MSN, APRN
Amy Pasetti, MSN, APRN
Kimberly Sanchez, MSN, APRN
LCDR Stacy Stats, MSN, APRN

Dual Primary Care Adult-Gerontology/ Family Nurse Practitioner Graduates

Claire Dellegrotti, MSN, APRN
Christine Petrich Burman, MSN, APRN
Alexandra Thees, MSN, APRN

Primary Care Family Nurse Practitioner Graduates

Georgeana Browning, MSN, APRN
Barbara De La Noval, MSN, APRN
Courtney Gallimore, MSN, APRN
Leslie Hermoso, MSN, APRN
Cristie Jurf, MSN, APRN
Anapatria Najera-Higareda, MSN, APRN
Nisha Nijjar, MSN, APRN

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Sadie Kane, MSN, APRN
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George Lane, MSN, RN
Ricardo Padilla, MSN, RN
Wei Pang, MSN, RN
Dorothy Scyoc, MSN, RN

Health Care Informatics Graduates

Jose Nino Cacapit, MSN, RN
Jonathan Diaz, MSN, RN
Patricia Hicks, MSN, RN
Jeanne McNally, MSN, RN
Cindy Porcadas, MSN, RN

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Jason May, MS
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Kent Wong, MS

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Lucila Cardenas, MSN
Meghan Carey, MSN
Kalista Caudana, MSN
Breanna Champion-Ybarra, MSN
Monica Cornacchia, MSN
Emily Dahl, MSN
Taylor Deits, MSN
Kayla Dennis, MSN
Cristina Dukovich, MSN
Kerri Foster, MSN
Andrea Garcia, MSN
Brooke Garcia, MSN
Alexandria Gardner, MSN
Armillia Giron, MSN
Nicole Hall, MSN
Trevor Hanson, MSN
Ashley Higby, MSN
Matthew Jarvis, MSN
Elizabeth Kalescky, MSN
Sasha Luecke, MSN
Kaitlyn MacNeil, MSN
Elisangela Mantoanelli Heim, MSN
Lynette Martinez, MSN
Jenna McKnight, MSN
Diana Pineda, MSN
Kimberly Roscoe, MSN
Roy Sandoval, MSN
Kelley Shelpman, MSN
Corey Sinclair, MSN
Maurice Souza, MSN
Hera Terzian, MSN
Laura Traeger, MSN
Jillian Ward, MSN
Hayley Wardrop, MSN
Marissa Williams, MSN
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FACULTY SCHOLAR

HONORS AND AWARDS

[FACULTY]

Dr. Jill Bormann received the JoAnn Powell Award for “Excellence in Nursing Research” from ANA California and the prestigious “Secretary’s 2014 Award for Nursing Excellence” from the Veteran’s Administration.

Dr. Joseph Burkard was selected for the 2014-15 AACN Nursing Policy Faculty Fellowship and Policy Intensive in Washington, DC. In addition, he received the “Advanced Practice – New Knowledge, Innovations, and Improvements Nurse of the Year-Award” presented by the UCSD Department of Nursing’s 35th Nursing Excellence Award Ceremony on May 12, 2016.

Dr. Jackie Close was appointed to the Board of Directors of the National Gerontological Nurses Association.

Dr. Eileen Fry-Bowers was elected to a two-year term as secretary to the national Board of Directors for the Society of Pediatric Nurses (SPN). Dr. Bowers has also been appointed to the inaugural American Association of Colleges of Nursing’s Health Policy Advisory Council and serves as a member of the 2015 Faculty Policy Intensive cohort.

[ALUMNI AND STUDENTS]

Miriam Bender, (PhD, ‘13), received the Clinical Nurse Leader Association’s inaugural “Evidence Based Practice and Nursing Research Award.”

Melinda Bender, (PhD, ‘13), was awarded an American Heart Association Mentored Clinical and Population Research Award for \$154,000 to study *Virtual Social Networking to Reduce Risks of Metabolic Syndrome*.

Sandra Bibb, (PhD, ‘99 and a recipient of USD’s Author E. Hughes Career Achievement Award) was inducted as a Fellow into the American Academy of Nursing.

LCDR Eric Bopp, (PhD, ‘14), received the 2014 Mary Hanna Memorial Journalism Award for his article, *A Preoperative Stress Inquiry and A Vulnerable U.S. Military Population*, during opening ceremonies of ASPAN’s 33rd National Conference.

CDR Jennifer Buechel, (PhD, ‘16), received a Red Ribbon Award for her Dissertation research poster, *HPV Knowledge and HPV Vaccine Uptake among U.S. Navy Personnel 18 to 26*, at the 2014 WIN Research Conference, in Seattle, WA; and the 2014 Doris A. Howell Foundation Research Award and a Tri-Service Nursing Research Grant for \$14,708 for this research.

Lourdes Maria Casao, (PhD, ‘14), received the first University of the Philippines Nursing Alumni International Nurse Scientist Fellowship Grant.

Ariella Darlington, (MEPN, ‘10), won the best video award from the Case Management Society of America’s Annual Professional Conference, New Orleans, LA.; and also wrote the winning application that provided \$20,000 from GENEX Corporation for MEPN Scholarships in 2016.

CDR Jason McGuire, (PhD, ‘11), has been appointed Chief of the Center for Nursing Science and Clinical Inquiry, Department of Research Programs at Walter Reed National Military Medical Center. He also received a Tri-Service Nursing Research grant for \$342,000 to study *Dexmedetomidine as a Propylaxis for Emergence Delirium among Combat Veterans*.

Sarah Moore, (MEPN, ‘12), was named “2015 Overall Clinical Nurse of the Year” for the UCSD Health System.

Julie Novak, (DNSc, 1989), received the Texas Nurses Association/Sigma Theta Tau Iimagemaker Award, the Ruth Stewart Leadership Award, the Mayor’s Healthy Workplace 2014 Gold Level Award for Wellness Efforts at UT, San Antonio, and the AANP Nancy Sharp Cutting Edge Award.

Dr. Maria Luisa Ramira, (DNP ‘12), was awarded the California Association for Nurse Practitioners San Diego-North Chapter’s 2015 Nurse Practitioner Excellence Award and is serving as President of the Philippine Nurses Association of San Diego for the 2014-2016 term.

Kimberly Savidan, (ENL, 2014), received the 1st place award for her poster, *Does Environment and Technology Affect Nursing Productivity: A Study in Medication Administration*, at the 36th AACNL Conference, in Monterey, CA.

Carmen Spalding, (PhD, ‘15), received the 2015 Qualitative Research Award from the Association of California Nurse Leaders.

N D A L U M N I Y R E V I E W

Linda Stanley, (MSN PMHNP, '12), met with VA Secretary Robert McDonald to discuss the value of psychiatric nurse practitioners and attended President Obama's signing of the Clay Hunt Suicide Prevention for American Veterans bill.

Dr. Jaynelle Stichler and D. Kirk Hamilton, (PhD, '90), were named as the 2016 Changemaker award recipients by The Center for Health Design.

Tiffany Szymanski, (DNP student), received a Red Ribbon Award for her poster, *Best Practice: Implementation of A Positive Patient and Specimen Barcoding System*, at the 2014 WIN Research Conference in Seattle, WA.

Veronica Timple, (PhD student), was one of only 30 PhD students nationally to be accepted into the NIH Clinical Center's Clinical and Translational Research Course for PhD students, Summer 2016.

Julie Vignato, (PhD '16), was selected by Sigma Theta Tau International as a "USD Rising Star" and presented her poster, *Perinatal PTSD: A Concept Analysis*, at the Sigma Theta Tau International Conference, Leadership Connection, September, 2016.

GRANTS

Barger, M., Weinrich, S., Terry, M., Bormann, J., Criscenzo, J., Del Rio, J., Allard, C., & Hardin, S.B. *PTSD, Sleep, and Homeless Women*. USD SON Nursing Faculty Research Incentive Grant Funded for \$18,000; and the Jonas Center for Nursing and Veterans Health Foundation Grant Funded for \$10,000, 2013-15.

Bowers, E.F. *Psychometric Evaluation of the Palliative Care Parental Self-Efficacy Measure*. Sense Foundation Funded for \$5,000, 2015-16.

Burkard, J. *Supporting Self-Care in Veterans with Chronic Pain*. USD SON Faculty Research Incentive Grant Funded for \$13,000, 2015-16.

Burkard, J., & Hardin, S.B. *Training PhD and DNP Nurse Leaders for Military and VA Nursing Practice*. Jonas Center for Nursing and Veterans Healthcare Grant Funded for \$150,000, 2014-16; and \$100,000, 2016-17; and the Milbank Foundation for Rehabilitation and the Mayday Fund Veteran Healthcare Grant Funded for \$90,000, 2014-16.

Bush, R. *Adapting Electronic Medical Records to Measure Medical Outcomes in HSD Patients*. AHRQ Grant Funded for \$281,561, 2013-15.

Bush, R., & Connelly, C.D., James, K., Lipkin Leveque, N., and Chiang, G. *Addressing Obesity in Latino Adolescents with Spina Bifida: Moving from Pediatric to Adult Care (MoPAC)*. Patient Centered Outcomes Research Institute Grant Funded for \$90,000, 2014-17.

Bush, R., Connelly, C.D., & Marsh, K.K. *Disease Autonomy Using Patient Portal Technology*. Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) Grant Funded for \$747,000, 2015-18.

Connelly, C.D., Hutchins, S., Bamgbose, E.G., & LaCoursiere, Y. and Farus, LLC. *Untethered, Beltless, Cardiotocography*. National Institutes of Health Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health & Human Development Fast Track Small Business Innovation Research Grant Funded for \$147,485, 2016 -17.

Fagan, M., Connelly, C.D., & Fisher, E. *Intraprofessional Team Training in the Pediatric Resuscitation Program: Outcomes on Quality of Resuscitations*. Rady Children's Hospital Academic Enrichment Grant Funded for \$48,218, 2014-15.

Georges, J., Connelly, C.D., & Bush, R. *Enhancing Outcomes in Diverse Palliative Care Populations*. USD SON Faculty Research Incentive Grant Funded for \$18,000, 2015-16.

Gonzales, L. *Reducing Symptom Burden in End-of-Life Illness in Elderly Women in the Acute Care Setting*. St. Joseph Hospital Partnership Grant Funded for \$25,000, 2014-15.

Hardin, S.B., & Martin, J. *Master's Entry Student Training*. Dickinson Foundation Grant Funded for \$300,000, 2013-16.

James, K. *Evaluation of Lifestyle Interventions to Treat Pre-Diabetes in a Weight Clinic*. USD SON Faculty Research Incentive Grant Funded for \$10,000, 2014-15.

Macauley, K., Hardin, S.B., & Martin, J. *Nursing Simulation Center*. County of San Diego Grants Funded for \$35,000, 2014-15; \$25,000, 15-16, \$25,000, 16-17.

Macauley, K. *Designing S.P. Scenarios for PNP Students Diagnosing PTSD*. USD SON Faculty Research Incentive Grant Funded for \$7,500, 2014-15.

Macauley, K., Butera, C., & Clark, M.J. *Evaluating NP Student Clinical Competencies Using Entrustable Professional Activities*. USD SON Faculty Research Incentive Grant Funded for \$12,500, 2014-15.

Macauley, K., Connelly, C. D., & Martin, J. *Nursing Simulation Center Gurneys. La Patrones Grant* Funded for \$37,950, 2014-15.

Mayo, A., Loomis, M., Bernhard, J., Ozgur, L., **Dellefield, M., & Georges, J.** *The Feasibility of Wheelchair Art Quilts Increasing Socialization among Older Adults with Dementia.* Arts Etc. Grant Funded for \$25,750, 2013-2015.

Peavy, G., **Mayo, A.,** Ard, M., & Salmon, D. *Cognitive Decline in Hispanic Versus Non-Hispanic Spousal Caregivers of Persons with Alzheimer's Disease.* California Department of Public Health Alzheimer's Disease Program Grant Funded for \$240,000, 2016-19.

Roth, P. *Future PhD Nurse Scholars Grant.* RWJF and Cedars Sinai Hospital Grant Funded for \$125,000, 2014-17.

Roth, P. *Future PhD Nurse Scholars Grant.* RWJF and Sharp Health Care Grant Funded for \$125,000, 2015-18.

Roth, P., & Hardin, S. B. *Nurse Faculty Loan Grant for PhD Nurse Education.* Health Resources Service Administration Grant Funded for \$300,000, 2014-15; \$250,000, 2015-16; and \$250,000, 2016-17.

Terry, M. *Training Scholarships for Psychiatric Advanced Practice Nurses.* California Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development Grant Funded for \$142,450, 2014-17; and *San Diego Integrated Care Project and Practicum.* Health Resources Service Administration Nurse Education, Practice, Quality and Retention-Interprofessional Collaborative Practice: Behavioral Health Integration Grant Funded for \$2,000,000, 2016-18.

Topp, R. *Testing Kinesiology Tape Following Rotator Cuff Stress & Strength Curve of TherBrand CLX Compared to Isotonic Resistance.* Performance Health Corp & Tulane University Dept of Sports Medicine Grant Funded for \$7,000, 2016-17.

Urden, L., & Hardin, S. B. *Endowment for Financial Aid for Master's Entry Nursing Program.* Helene Fuld Health Trust Grant Funded for \$500,000, 2012-15.

PHD STUDENT EXTERNAL RESEARCH AWARDS

Michael Baumgardner. *End of Life Palliative Care.* Milbank Foundation for Rehabilitation and the Mayday Fund Veteran Healthcare Scholar Grant Funded for \$10,000, 2014-16.

Jennifer Buechel. *HPV Knowledge and HPV Vaccine Uptake among U.S. Navy Personnel Aged 18 To 26.* Howell Research Grant Funded for \$3,500, 2014-15.

Diane Didulo. *Diabetes and the Filipino Population.* Achievement Reward for College Scientists (ARCS) Grant Funded for \$7,500, 2014-15.

Catherine Ferris. *Childhood Immunization Practices.* Jonas Nurse Leader PhD Scholar Grant Funded for \$10,000, 2014-15.

Monique Lineback. *Nursing Care for Vulnerable Populations.* Achievement Reward for College Scientists (ARCS) Grant Funded for \$7,500, 2014-15.

Mark Malebranche. *Relationship between Medication Examination Scores and Perceived Competence in Administering Medications in USD Navy Hospital Corpsmen.* Jonas Nursing and Veteran Health Care Grant Funded for \$10,000, 2014-16.

Fritzi McDonald. *Informatics and Change Management in Hospital Settings.* Achievement Award for College Scientists (ARCS) Grant Funded for \$7,500, 2014-15.

Natalie Meyers. *Chronic Pain in Veterans.* Milbank Foundation for Rehabilitation and the Mayday Veteran Healthcare Grant Funded for \$10,000, 2014-16.

Brenda Miller. *Veteran Palliative Care.* Milbank Foundation for Rehabilitation and the Mayday Veteran Health Care Grant Funded for \$10,000, 2014-16.

Jacqueline Saucier. *Palliative Care Need Assessment in the Emergency Department and Outpatient Setting: Available and Applicable Measures.* Jonas Nursing and Veteran Health Care Grant Funded for \$10,000, 2014-16.

Tanna Thomason. *Palliative Care in Veterans.* Milbank Foundation for Rehabilitation and the Mayday Veteran Health Care Grant Funded for \$10,000, 2014-16.

Valerie Willis. *Advanced in Neonatal Care.* Jonas Nursing and Veteran Health Care Grant Funded for \$10,000, 2014-16.

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Alghamdi, M., & Urden, L. (2015). Transforming the nursing profession in Saudi Arabia. *Journal of Nursing Management*. doi: 10.1111/jonm.12301.

Barger, M. K. (2014). Nutrition. In T. King, M. Brucker, et al. (Eds.), *Varney's Midwifery, Fifth Edition* (pp. 153-186). Burlington, MA: Jones & Bartlett.

Barger, M. K., & Faucher, MA. (2015). Gestational weight gain in obese women by class of obesity and select maternal/newborn outcomes: A systematic review. *Women and Birth*. doi: 10.1016/j.wombi.2015.03.006.

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Christensen, J. (2013). *A descriptive exploratory study of the experiences of gay partners of HIV-positive men.*

Colombo, M. (2014). *Fetal heart monitoring, nursing surveillance and Cesarean birth.*

Dominguez-Gomez, E. (2014). *Professional quality of life and emergency department nurses' communication patterns.*

Farquharson, H. (2014). *Gestational weight gain patterns.*

Ferrerosa, J. (2013). *Caregivers of older adults: Burden, perception of strain, and Health.*

Gerber, C. S. (2014). *Does participation in a multi-modal activity program impact the level of functional recovery, and overall quality of life in adults with spinal cord injury?*

Holt, L. C. (2014). *Efficacy of Mantram Repetition on sleep in veterans with post traumatic stress disorder.*

Khalil, K. (2014). *Factors affecting health promotion lifestyle behaviors among Arab-American women.*

Kim, J. K. (2013). *Effects acculturation on mammography utilization among Korean-American women.*

King, H. (2013). *Auricular acupuncture for sleep disturbance in veterans with PTSD: A feasibility study.*

Livermore, S. D. (2014). *Delirium rate and risk factors among palliative outpatients, and associated caregiver coping.*

Marsh, K. K. (2014). *Transitioning adolescents with type I diabetes to adult care.*

Nwagwu, G. N. (2014). *A Phenomenological study of acceptability of pre-exposure prophylaxis within the lived experiences of HIV negative male-to female transgender young adults.*

Rocha, E. (2014). *The Relationship between horizontal violence among Registered Nurses and falls.*

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Anziano, M. C. (2015). *Exploring a Diabetic Registry for Cardiovascular Risk Factors.*

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Boothe-Kepple, S. (2015). *American Indian Women's Health Perceptions and Health Promotion Behavior.*

Butera, C. L. (2015). *Skin Cancer Risk Perception & Sunscreen Use in Adolescent Female Soccer Athletes.*

Cullum, K. G. H. (2015). *Depression Symptomatology and Perceived Social Support in Adolescents with Type 2 Diabetes.*

Dela Cruz-Torio, L. (2015). *Urgent Care Nurse Data Capture: Impact on Diabetes Outcomes.*

Giron, S. E. (2015). *Psychoneuroimmunology and Chronic Pain.*

Harford, R. (2015). *Relationship between Age and Pre-End Stage Renal Disease Care in Elderly Hemodialysis Patients.*

Kelley, B. (2015). *Patient Experience as Rated by Consumers.*

Light, E. C. (2015). *Perinatal Depression and Preterm Birth.*

Madani, C. A. (2015). *Symptom Burden and Healthcare Utilization in Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension.*

Malagon-Maldonado, G. (2015). *Antepartum, Intrapartum, and Postpartum Predictors of Readiness for Hospital Discharge and Post-Discharge Outcomes.*

Mollon, D. (2015). *Patients' Perception of Feeling Known by Their Nurses' and the Nurse Practice Environment.*

Noble, D. R. (2015). *The Case of Reintegration of Women Post Incarceration.*

Piazza, C. P. (2015). *Responses of Children Living with Peanut Allergy: The Need to See Beyond the Peanut Free Lunch Table.*

Reavis, K. J. (2015). *The Respiratory Distress Observation Scale (RDOS) Pain, and Agitation.*

Roces, B. A. (2015). *Patients with Advanced Lung Cancer: Quality of Life and Perception of Dyspnea.*

Sangsanoi-Terkchareon, S. N. (2015). *Knowledge of Stroke Symptoms and Risk Factors and Acculturation among Cambodian Immigrants Living in Southern California.*

Shoemaker, S. I. (2015). *Onsite Integrative Clinic: Acupuncture; Positive Patient Outcomes; Frequency of Provider Visits.*

Sloan, C. (2015). *Hope, Uncertainty and Coping among Parents of Children with Cancer.*

Spalding, C.N. (2015). *A Phenomenological Study of Health Professionals' Perceptions of Good and Bad Pediatric Hospital Deaths, Self-Care Needs and Lingering Distress.*

Tirabassi-Mathis, L. (2015). *Hispanic Mothers' Narratives: Experiences of Parenting a Child with Cystic Fibrosis (CF), Health Benefits, and Health Care Experiences Related to CF.*

Thomason, T.R. (2015). *Home Telehealth in Heart Failure Patients.*

Toole, B.M. (2015). *Patient Care Technology and the Nurse-Patient Relationship.*

KEYNOTE, INTERNATIONAL, & PANEL PRESENTATIONS

Albert, N. M., Bena, J. F., Canary, C., Ellstrom, K., Foster, J., **Mayo, A. M.**, Morrison, S. M., Powers, J., Rice, K. L., & Waldo, M. J. (2014, March). *Clinical nurse specialists' roles in conducting nursing research.* Panel Presentation at the National Association of Clinical Nurse Specialist 2014 Annual Conference, Orlando, FL.

Barger, M.K. (2014, June). *Implementing the global standards for midwifery education.* Podium presentation at the International Confederation of Midwives 30th Triennial Congress, Prague, Czech Republic.

Barger, M.K., Bormann, J., Allard, C., & Weinrich, S.P. (2014, September). *Mantram Repetition Improves Sleep in Homeless Women.* Podium presentation at the 19th International Conference & Summit on Violence, Abuse, & Trauma: Linking Research, Practice, Advocacy & Policy, San Diego, CA.

Bender, M. (2015, January). *Understanding and controlling bias in research, EBP, and QI and Growing and Sustaining the CNL initiative: Shifting the focus from pioneering innovation to evidence-driven integration into healthcare delivery.* Podium and Plenary presentations at the AACN CNL Research Symposium and Summit, Orlando, FL.

Burkard, J.F. (2014, July). *Evidence based outcomes to detect obstructive sleep apnea, identify co-existing factors, and compare characteristics of patients discharge disposition.* Podium presentation at the Sigma Theta Tau 25th International Nursing Research Congress, Hong Kong, China.

Code, M., Bhatnager, M., **Burkard, J.F.** (2014, September). *Too anxious to learn? Should the ongoing debriefing technique be amongst the best practices in simulation?* 1st place Research Based Poster Award presented at AANA Annual Congress State of the Science meeting, Orlando, FL.

Cox, K., **Barger, M.K.**, Homer, C., Foureur, M., & Bell, J. (2014, June). *Access to vaginal birth after Cesarean.* Symposium presentation at the International Confederation of Midwives 30th Triennial Congress, Prague, Czech Republic.

Gonzales, L., Noji, A., Koci, A., Gee, R. M., Glaser, D., Marsh, A., Marsh, K.K., Altman, A., Al Salmi, N., & Al Sabei, S. (2014, May). *Caring for women globally: Preparing instruments for use in cardiovascular recovery.* Poster presentation at the 35th International Association for Human Caring Conference, Kyoto, Japan.

Hansen-Kyle, L., & Roth, P. (2013, July). *The transition experience of spousal caregivers of congestive heart failure patients: Mixed method study.* Poster presentation at the Sigma Theta Tau 24th International Nursing Research Conference, Prague, Czech Republic.

Hardin, S.B. (2015, 2016, August). *Historical evolution of nursing symbols.* Keynote presentation at the University of San Diego White Coat Ceremony, San Diego, CA.

Holt, L.C. (2014, July). *Efficacy of Mantram Repetition Program on insomnia in veterans with posttraumatic stress disorder.* Poster presentation at the Sigma Theta Tau 25th International Nursing Research Congress, Hong Kong, China.

Howland, L.C., Instone, S.L., Terry, M.J., Hutchins, S., Butera, C. & Kassity-Krich, N. (2014, September). *A mindfulness based intervention to reduce stress among graduate level nursing students.* Paper presentation at the 2014 State of the Science Congress on Nursing Research, Council for the Advancement of Nursing Science, Washington, D.C.

James, K. (2015, June). *Diabetesity – A Screening Method that Increased Patient Awareness of Risk for Diabetes.* Poster presentation at the 6th Global Diabetes Summit in Dubai.

James, K. & Connelly, C. (2015, April). *Family Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Screening for Childhood Obesity Risk Reduction.* Poster presentation at the 2015 London Obesity Summit, London, England.

Joelles D., **Barger, M.**, Klima, C., Bushman, J., & Emeis, C. (2014, May). *The national quality movement and midwifery: Get on the bus or be left behind.* Panel presentation at the American College of Nurse Midwives Annual Meeting, Denver, CO.

Laforteza, J. (2014, July). *Translating the DASH Diet into practice.* Podium presentation at the Sigma Theta Tau 25th International Nursing Research Congress, Hong Kong, China.

Macauley, K. (2014, March). *Igniting the fire for interprofessional education.* Keynote presentation at the 14th Annual Association of California Nurse Leaders Innovations Conference, San Diego, CA.

Macauley, K., & Wallace, P. (2014, June). *An exploration of the morphing role of SPs in interprofessional simulation*. Master's Presentation at the Association of Standardized Patient Educators 13th Annual Conference, Indianapolis, IN.

Macauley, K., Wallace, P., Hutchins, S., Awdishu, L., Zheng, A., Namba, J., Sweeney, K., & **Marsh, K.** (2014, January). *Operationalizing IPE: Initiating partnerships, planning, and execution*. Pre-Conference Workshop presentation at the 14th International Meeting on Simulation in Health Care, San Francisco, CA.

Madani, C. (2014, July). *ED community placement project: Right service-right venue approach to managing ED frequent users*. Podium presentation at the Sigma Theta Tau 25th International Nursing Research Congress, Hong Kong, China.

Malagon-Maldonado, G., (2015, July). *Antepartum, Intrapartum, Post-Partum Predictors and Outcomes of Readiness for Hospital Discharge*. Rising Star of Research and Scholarship poster presentation at Sigma Theta Tau International's 26th International Nursing Research Congress, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Roces, B. A. (2014, September). *Patients with advanced lung cancer quality of life and perception of dyspnea*. Poster presentation at the 14th European PhD Conference in Nursing Science, Maastricht University, Netherlands.

Romo, R. D., Keitzman, K., Morrissey, M. B, Henry, M., & **Mayo, A. M.** (2015). *Understanding the complexity of patient decision making through qualitative methods*. Symposium presented at the Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL, November, 2015.

Shoemaker, S. (2015, July). *Onsite Integrative Clinics: Acupuncture; Positive Patient Outcomes; Frequency of Provider Visits*. Podium presentation at the Sigma Theta Tau 26th International Nursing Research Congress, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Waldo, M.J., **Mayo, A. M.,** & Ellstrom, K. (2014, March). *Clinical, educational, new knowledge and innovation implications of the results of CNS roles in conducting research: Where do we go from here?* Panel presentation at the National Association of Clinical Nurse Specialist 2014 Annual Conference, Orlando, FL.

Zheng, A., Garman, K., Wallace, P., **Macauley, K.,** Namba, J., Hutchins, S., Awdishu, L., Namba, J., & **Marsh, K.** (2014, January). *Simulation-based IPE implementation: We all want to do it, but how?* Workshop presentation at the International Meeting on Simulation in Healthcare, San Francisco, CA.

NATIONAL PRESENTATIONS

Agtarap, K. (2014, April). *Use of the WeCan Program to change health behaviors in families with children that are overweight or obese*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Amalu, P. (2014, April). *Gestational Diabetes: Effect of lifestyle intervention*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Bacani, G. (2014, April). *Multi-faceted approach to increase type 2 Diabetes screening in children*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Barger, M., & Bichell, T. J. (2014, May). *You are what your mother ate*. Podium presentation at the American College of Nursing Midwives Annual Meeting, Denver, CO.

Barger, M., Lee, K., & Middleton, E. (2014, May). *Morning versus evening inductions: A randomized clinical trial*. Poster presentation at the American College of Nurse Midwives Annual Meeting, Denver, CO.

Blank, L., Harmon, A., Hazin, R., & Johnson, C. (2013, October). *Measuring hemoglobin using two methods with school aged children in the DR*. Poster presentation at the 2013 Sigma Theta Tau Odyssey Conference, San Diego, CA.

Boone, B. (2013, October). *Learning the work of interventional radiology nurses*. Podium presentation at the 2013 Sigma Theta Tau Odyssey Conference, San Diego, CA.

Bopp, E. (2014, April). *Is combat exposure predictive of higher preoperative stress in military members?* Podium presentation at the Navy Academic Research Competition, San Diego, CA.

Boothe-Kepple, S. (2015, March). *American Indian Women's Health Perceptions and Health Promotion Behaviors*. Poster presentation at the American Indian Institute's 14th Native Men's and Women's Wellness Conference in San Diego, CA; and (2015, April). *Health Perceptions and Health Promotion Behaviors in American Indian Women*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Bormann, J., Johnson, B. D., & Kelly, A. (2014, April). *Mantram Repetition for HIV Healthy Lifestyle Behaviors: A Randomized Trial*. Podium presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Bormann, J., Leary, S. L. & Andrews, T. (2013, April). *Sustainability of Mantram Repetition Practices in VA Healthcare Workers*. Podium presentation at the WIN 46th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Brainerd, L. (2014, April). *Home telehealth decreases 30-day readmission rates for veterans with congestive heart failure*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Burkard, J.F., McGuire, J.M., Bopp, E. J., Spence, D., & Monroe, A. (2015, May). *PTSD, Depression and Preoperative Stress Implications for the Veteran Patient Undergoing Surgery*. Podium presentation at the Association of VA Nurse Anesthetists Annual Meeting.

Buechel, J.J. (2014, April). *HPV knowledge & HPV vaccine uptake among 19-26 year old U.S. navy personnel*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Butera, C. (2014, April). *Adolescent female athletes skin cancer risk perception and sunscreen use*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Casao, L.M. (2013, September). *Relationship between participation in a nurse externship program and retention and quality care*. Podium presentation at the Council for the Advancement of Nursing Science Conference, Washington, DC.

Cavaliere, R. (2014, March). *Improving interpersonal function among veterans with depression*. Poster presentation at the CANP 37th Annual Educational Conference, Newport Beach, CA; and (2014, April) poster presentation at the American Psychiatric Nurses Association Conference, Los Angeles, CA.

Close, J. (2013, November). *Palliative care and older adults*. NGNA/HIGN webinar presentation.

Close, J. (2014, April). *Improving quality of life for elders through assessment*. Podium presentation at the American Association of Nurse Assessment Coordination, Las Vegas, NV.

Clark, J. (2015, April). *Telephone Support to Decrease Readmissions for Older Adults with Congestive Heart Failure*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Close, J. (2014, October). *Non-Pharmacological Treatments for Patients with Cognitive Impairment and Dementia*. Podium presentation at the National Gerontological Nursing Association's Yearly Conference, San Antonio, TX.

Dela Cruz-Torio, L. (2015, November). *Urgent Care Nurse Data Capture: Impact on Diabetes Outcomes*. Poster presentation at the 43rd Biennial STTI Convention, Las Vegas, NV.

DeVita, S. (2015, April). *We can! Implementation for Parents of at Risk Hispanic Adolescents in Middle School*. Poster presentation at the WIN 8th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Ecoff, L. (2015, May). *Competency Framework Promotes Integration of QSEN Competencies into Clinical Nurse Specialist Practice*. Poster presentation at the QSEN Conference, San Diego, CA.

Ecoff, L., Davidson, J. & Kim, S. C. (2014, October). *Create a culture of evidence-based practice: Design your own evidence-based practice institute*. Podium Presentation, National Magnet Conference, Dallas, TX.

Ellstrom, K., **Cavaliere, R.** (2014, March). *Improving Interpersonal Function among Veterans with Depression*. Poster presentation at the CANP 37th Annual Educational Conference, Newport Beach, CA.

Ellsworth, T. (2014, March). *An interdisciplinary approach to preventing and managing early childhood caries*. Poster presentation at the 35th Annual NAPNAP Conference, Boston, MA.

Ensign, C. (2015, April). *Heart Failure Patient Self-Care: An Evidence-Based Outpatient Management Program*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Etland, C. (2015, May). *More Than a Feeling: Using QSEN Competencies to Support the Hiring and Onboarding of Nurse Residents*. Poster presentation at the QSEN Conference, San Diego, CA.

Eubesio, R. and **Reavis, K.** (2015, April). *Nurses' Scraps: What Do They Tell Us?* Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Fagan, M.J. (2014, April). *Team training in pediatric life support program and quality of resuscitations*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Fagan, M.J. (2015, April). *Integrating Inter-Professional Team Training in the Pediatric Life Support Program*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Farquharson, H. (2014, April). *Gestational weight gain patterns*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Failla, K. & Ecoff, L. (2014, October). *Structure, individualized, integrated: An effective program to transition new graduate nurses into the practice environment*. Poster Presentation at the National Magnet Conference, Dallas, TX.

Ferris, C.A. (2015, April). *Parental Barriers to Childhood Immunizations*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Fuller, M. G. (2015, April). *Factors Associated with High Risk Infant Follow-Up Compliance*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Giron, S. E., (2015, April). *Psychoneuroimmunology and Chronic Pain*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Gonzales, K. (2015, April). *Evaluation of Efficacy of Physical Therapy for the Adolescent Patient with Low Back Pain*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Gonzales, L., Boyd, D., DelMastro, M., Sterling, M., Aube, P., **Georges, J.**, Le, R., Traucht, L. (2014, November) *Reducing opioid-induced constipation following RN education*. Poster presentation at the Joint Southern California STTI Chapters' Conference-Nursing Odyssey 2014, Ontario, California.

Gonzales, L., Koci, A., Gee, R. M., Noji, A., **Glaser, D.**, Marsh, A., **Marsh, K. K., Altman, A., Al Salmin, S.** (2015, July). *Psychometric testing of instruments for use in women's cardiovascular recovery globally*. Poster presentation at the American Heart Association/American Stroke Association 2015 Basic Cardiovascular Sciences Scientific Session, New Orleans, LA.

Gonzales, L., Noji, A., **Koci, A.**, Gee, R. M., **Glaser, D.**, Marsh, A., **Marsh, K. K., Altman, A., Al Salmi, N., & Al Sabei, S.** (2014, May). *Caring for women globally: Preparing instruments for use in cardiovascular recovery*. Poster presentation at Graduate Research Day, University of San Diego, San Diego, CA.

Graney, J. (2014, April). *Treatment of active duty service members with mild Traumatic Brain Injury*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Hansen-Kyle, L., & Roth, P. (2013, April). *When more is necessary: Transition to assisted living*. Poster presentation at the WIN 46th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Anaheim, CA.

Hart-Kepler, V. (2014, April). *Preliminary findings on how Mexican immigrants make decisions about Diabetes 2 self-management*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Hartman-Valles, E. (2015, April). *Adolescents with Congenital Heart Disease Transition Program: Self-Management Focus*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Howland, L., Instone, S. L., Hutchins, S., Terry, M., Butera, C., & Kassity-Krich, N. (2014, April). *Development of a mindfulness-based intervention for graduate nursing students*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Irondi, K., Chao, C., & **Clark, M. J.** (2014, April). *Implementing physical exercise and diet modification in pregnancy to decrease the incidence of gestational Diabetes*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

James, K., Connelly, C., & Matsangus, P. (2013, November). *Maternal self-efficacy and health behaviors and family nutrition/physical activity and screening for childhood obesity risk reduction*. Poster presentation at Obesity Week 2013: Where Science and Treatment Meet, Atlanta, GA.

Johnson, B. (2014, April). *Factor analysis of a spiritual well-being scale*. Podium presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Johnson, B., **Bormann, J., & Glaser, D.** (2014, April). *Factor Analysis of a Spiritual Wellbeing Scale*. Podium presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Kelechi, I. (2014, April). *Implementing physical exercise and diet modification in pregnancy to decrease the incidence of Gestational Diabetes*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Khavarian, M. (2014, April). *Effects of music therapy on agitation with residents with Alzheimer Dementia*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Kim, Y., Clark, M. J., & James, K. (2014, April). *A culturally tailored intervention to increase mammography use among Korean American women in a community clinic*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Kimberling, R. (2014, April). *Metabolic Syndrome: Implementing waist circumference and screening in primary care*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

King, H. (2014, April). *Veterans with PTSD and sleep disturbances: Responses to auricular acupuncture*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

King, H. (2014, April). *Acupuncture for sleep disturbance in veterans with Post Traumatic Stress Disorder: A feasibility study*. Poster presentation at the Navy Academic Research Competition, San Diego, CA.

- Klein, S.** (2015, April). *Transition after Breast Cancer Treatment: Implementing Survivorship Care Plans*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Laforteza, J.** (2014, March & April). *Incorporating the DASH Diet in a primary care practice*. Poster presentation at the CANP 37th Annual Educational Conference, Newport Beach, CA; the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA; and the 20th National Evidence-Based Practice Conference, Iowa City, IA.
- Leary, S., Bormann, J., Smith, T. L., Georges, J. & Andrews, T.** (2013, April). *Internet-Delivered Mantram Repetition Program for Burnout in Healthcare Workers*. Podium presentation at the WIN 46th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Anaheim, CA.
- Lewis, T.B.** (2014, April). *Family support groups for military members receiving outpatient mental health care*. Poster presentation at the American Psychiatric Nurses Association Conference, Los Angeles, CA; and podium presentation at the Navy Academic Research Competition, San Diego, CA.
- Lind, E.** (2015, April). *Supporting Self-Management in Veterans with Chronic Pain*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Livermore, S.** (2013, October). *Delirium rate and risk factors among palliative outpatients*. Poster presentation at the 2013 Sigma Theta Tau Odyssey Conference, San Diego, CA.
- Loran, D.** (2014, April). *Asthma management: Increasing adherence to the EPR3 guidelines*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.
- Lu, T., Woollard, N., Solic, D., Tobin, E., and Burkard, J. F.** (November, 2015). *Cardiovascular Health Gender Disparities: The Pathway to Policy*. Podium presentation at the 43rd Biennial STTI Convention, Las Vegas, NV.
- Macauley, K., Butera, C. & Clark, M. J.** (2015, April). *Evaluating Nurse Practitioner Student Clinical Competencies Using Entrustable Profession Activities*. Podium presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Macauley, K., & Sweeney, K.** (2014, February). *Management of adult and adolescent anaphylaxis*. Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Allergy, Asthma, and Immunology, San Diego, CA.
- Maitino, A. A., Rosenfarb, I. S., & **Glaser, D. N.** (2014). *An evolutionary exploration of depression: The relationship between adverse life events and symptom profiles of depression*. Poster presentation at the 8th annual meeting of the Northeastern Evolutionary Psychology Society, New Paltz, NY.
- Malagon-Maldonado, G. & Connelly, C.** (2015, April). *Antepartum, Intrapartum Postpartum Predictors and Outcomes of Discharge Readiness*. Podium presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Malebranche, M. R.** (2015, April). *Health Literacy Implications in Diabetic Veterans; and Identifying Patient Perceptions of Obesity in a Spina Bifida Population*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Mandani, K.** (2015, April). *Symptoms Burden and Healthcare Utilization in Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Mandani, K., & Chevillon, C.** (2014, April). *Impact of palliative education of ICU nurses' moral distress*. Niche Online Connect Webinar Presentation.
- Marquez, M.** (2013, November). *Panama Medical Readiness Training Exercise*. Podium presentation at the 118th Association of Military Surgeons of the United States Conference, Seattle, WA.
- Mayo, A. M., Peavy, G. M., Edland, S. D., Toole, B. M., Hansen, L. A., & Galasko, D.** *Phenotypic differences in individuals with autopsy-confirmed dementia with lewy bodies*. Poster presentation at the Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL, November, 2015.
- Mayo, A. M., Loomis, M., Bernhard, J., Ozgur, L., Dellefield, M. E., & Georges, J.** (2014, November). *Wheelchair Art Quilts Increase Resident-to-Resident Socialization among Older Adults with Dementia*. Poster presentation at the Gerontological Society of America 2014 Scientific Meeting, Washington, DC.
- Mayo, A. M., Loomis, M., Bernard, J., Ozgur, L., Dellefield, M. E. & Georges, J.** (2014, July). *The effect of Wheelchair Art Quilts upon Socialization among Long Term Care Residents with Dementia*. 40th Annual Florida Health Care Activity Coordinators Association State Conference, Daytona Beach, FL.
- McCormick, M.** (2015, April). *Decreasing Unnecessary Pap Tests and Colposcopies Utilizing 2012 ASCCP Guidelines*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Moyer, C.** (2015, April). *Emergency Protocols for Selected Health Conditions in High School Athletes*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Munshi, A. (2015, April). *Effectiveness of In-Patient Self-Testing in Adults on Warfarin in Primary Care*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Nations, R.L. (2015, April). *Sleep Disordered Breathing: Prevalence and Pregnancy Outcomes at Delivery*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Nayback-Beebe, A., Arzola, S., **Glaser, D.**, Simmons, A., & Goff, B. (2015). *The Effect of Adjunctive Pulsed Electromagnetic Frequency Therapy on Chronic Low Back Pain Symptom Severity and Disability in Active Duty Military Service Members: A Pilot Study*. Podium presentation at the 2015 TriService Nursing Research Program (TSNRP) Course in San Antonio, TX.

Nayback-Beebe, A., Arzola, S., **Glaser, D.**, Feider, L., Simmons, A., & Goff, B. (2015). *The Effect of the Biomodulator on the Biopsychosocial Secondary Sequelae of Chronic Low Back Pain in Active Duty Military Service Members*. Poster presentation at the 2015 SAMHS and Universities Research Forum (SURF) in San Antonio, TX.

Olsen, K. (2015, June). *Improving Awareness on Medical Devices Related to Pressure Ulcers*. Paper presentation at the UCSD Innovations Conference, San Diego, CA.

Parker, R. (2014, April). *Evaluation of a pediatric clinic's use of a developmental screening tool*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Rabanal, M. (2015, April). *Instituting In-Patient Self-Test Meters in Adults on Warfarin in a Cardiology Practice*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Ramirez, A. (2014, March). *Implementation of a culturally sensitive Diabetic education program to increase knowledge of Diabetes in adult Hispanics*. Poster presentation at the CANP 37th Annual Educational Conference, Boston, MA.

Reavis, K. and Georges, J. (2015, April). *The Respiratory Distress Observation Scale: Are Three Minutes Necessary?* Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Reyes, R. (2015, April). *Eat, Play, Grow: Parent Child Education to Combat Childhood Obesity*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Roces, B.A. (2014, April). *Patients with advanced lung cancer quality of life and perception of dyspnea*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Roces, B.A. (2015, November). *Patients with Advanced Lung Cancer Quality of Life and Perception of Dyspnea*. Paper presentation at the 43rd Biennial Sigma Theta Tau Convention in Las Vegas, NV.

Romo, R. D., Smith, A. K., **Mayo, A.M.**, Dawson-Rose, C. S., & Wallhagen, M. I. (2015). *Perceived control in end of life decision making*. Paper presentation at the Scientific Meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL, November, 2015.

Rosenstein, M., **Barger, M.**, Thiet, M. P., Nakagawa, S., & Cheng, Y. W. (2014, February). *Repeat vaginal birth after Cesarean or repeat Cesarean: Which is more common in the third pregnancy?* Poster presentation at the Society for Maternal and Fetal Medicine, New Orleans, LA.

Scott, J. (2014, April). *Moving to an assisted living facility within a planned retirement community*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

San Miguel, D. (2015, April). *Promoting Advance Directive Completion among Hispanics: An EBP Project*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Saucier, J.L. (2015, April). *Psychiatric Emergency Service Suite: Design & Implementation in the ED*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

Semino-Asaro, S. (2015, August). *Association of maternal self-report and observational data at three points postpartum: The case for multiple measurements*. Podium presentation at the 2015 Mixed Methods Conference, Engaging Patients in Health Care Systems: A Pragmatic, Mixed Methods Approach, San Antonio, TX.

Shoemaker, S. (2014, April). *Barriers to receiving acupuncture during chemotherapy*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Sitzer, V. & Bradebura, J. (2014, October). *Open to interpretation: Impacting staff knowledge of and satisfaction with language interpretation services*. Podium presentation at the National Magnet Conference, Dallas, TX.

Spalding, C. (2014, April). *Initiating end of life conversations in pediatrics: The meaning of the words*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.

Spalding, C. (2015, April). *Clinician Perceptions of Pediatric Hospital Deaths, Supports, and Stress*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.

- St. Julien, T.** (2015, April). *Diabetes Prevention the Hard Way: Modified Diet and Increased Exercise*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Stichler, J. & Ecoff, L.** (2014, October). *The influence of an academic partnership on nursing research, evidence-based practice and knowledge dissemination*. Paper presentation at the National Magnet Conference, Dallas, TX.
- Szymanski, T., Clark, M. J., & Bowles, S.** (2014, April). *Best practice: Implementation of a positive patient and specimen bar coding system*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.
- Templet, T.** (2015, April). *Reducing Antipyretic Use for Low Grade Fevers in Otherwise Healthy Children*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Thebo, R.** (2015, April). *Improving Asthma Symptoms Using Asthma Action Plans*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Thompson, C.** (2014, April). *Pneumococcal vaccine administration for inflammatory bowel disease on immunosuppressive agents*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.
- Thompson, C., Sandborn, W., Evans, E., & Burkard, J.** (2014, April). *Inflammatory bowel disease: Emphasis on pneumococcal vaccine administration*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.
- Tobin, E.** (2015, April). *Transitional Care for Adult Patients with Diabetes Mellitus*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Tse, Y.** (2015, April). *Managing End-Of-Life Pain Using a Rectal Medication Administration Device*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Urden, L., Mayo, A.,** Fulton, J. S., Walker, J., & Harwood, K. (2014, March). *Optimizing educational partnerships: Schools, clinical agencies, and preceptors*. Podium presentation at the National Association of Clinical Nurse Specialist 2014 Annual Conference, Orlando, FL.
- Vignato, J.** (2015, April). *Perinatal Post Traumatic Stress Disorder: A Concept Analysis*. Poster presentation at the WIN 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Walter, K. H., **Bormann, J.,** Oman, D., & Johnson, B. D. (2014, November). *Mantram Repetition Improves Mindfulness Awareness in Military Veterans with Posttraumatic Stress Disorder: A Randomized Trial*. Poster presentation at the 30th Annual International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies Conference, Miami, Florida.
- Warlan, H.** (2014, April). *Post Traumatic Stress Disorder symptoms: Identification in post-ICU patients*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.
- Weaver-Carnahan, L., Portillo, J., & **Mayo, A. M.** (2014, May). *Cognitive impairment in veterans referred for pulmonary rehabilitation*. Poster presentation at ATS International Conference, San Diego, CA.
- Wedel, S.** (2015, April). *Improving HPV Vaccination in Military Women*. Poster presentation at the Western Institute for Nursing 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- White, A.** (2014, April). *Using teach-back to improve knowledge of health care navigation among HIV + adolescents*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.
- Willis, V.** (2013). *High risk infant follow-up: A golden opportunity for PNP's to champion neurodevelopmental outcomes in the NICU and beyond*. Poster presentation at the 29th Annual Educational Conference of the National Association of Neonatal Nurses, October, Nashville, TN; and (2014) Poster presentation at the 35th Annual NAPNAP Conference, Boston, MA.
- Wolf, M.** (2014, April). *Improving asthma knowledge using the Physician Asthma Care Education (Pace) Program*. Poster presentation at the WIN 47th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Seattle, WA.
- Yao, C.** (2014, May). *Analyzing the impacts of Christianity on Chinese nursing development between 1920 and 1928*. Podium presentation at the Barbara Bates Center for the study of the history of nursing, Santa Barbara, CA.
- Yip, E.** (2015, April). *Effectiveness of Weight Management Programs among Veterans*. Poster presentation at the Western Institute for Nursing 48th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Albuquerque, NM.
- Zakarni, Y.** (2013). *Health-related quality of life in Arab Americans with Diabetes*. Podium presentation at the 2013 Sigma Theta Tau Odyssey Conference, San Diego, CA.

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