

Job Opportunities, Roles, and Connections for PhDs

Canadian Doctoral Nursing Network Conference

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Canadian
Doctoral Nursing
Network Conference

History

- Annual conference, hosted by the Faculty of Nursing at the University of Regina
- Inaugural conference hosted in Spring 2014
- First virtual conference hosted in Spring 2021
- Typically, RN graduate students from a variety of disciplinary programs participate
 - Graduate students intending to pursue doctoral studies welcome



Goals of the Conference

- Bring together doctoral students engaged in research for networking, scholarly discussions, and learning opportunities;
- Provide doctoral students with the opportunity to submit an abstract and present their research; and
- Provide support, encouragement, and mentoring of doctoral students (Faculty of Nursing, 2021).

Opportunities:

Be Inspired by Leaders & Scholars

Your Dissertation, From Idea to Reality and Beyond (2021)

- Dr. Elan Paluck, BSP, MSc, PhD
- Dr. Sally Thorne, PhD, RN, DSc (Hon), FAAN, FCAHS
- Dr. Bukola Salami, RN, MN, PhD

Doctoral Success Through Leadership (2019)

- Dr. Claire Betker, RN, NM, PhD, CCHN(C)
- Dr. Alex Couros, BEd, MEd, PhD
- Dr. Maura MacPhee, RN, MSc, BSc, PhD

Leveraging Your PhD for Success (2016)

- Dr. Alexander M. Clark, PhD, RN, FCAHS
- Dr. Colleen Varcoe, PhD, RN

The Doctoral Journey- Learning for the Future (2015)

- Dr. Ruth Martin-Misener, RN-NP, PhD
- Dr. Florence Myrick, RN, PhD
- Dr. Sally Thorne, PhD, RN, DSc (Hon), FAAN, FCAHS

Opportunities:

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Doctoral Nurse Education in a Global World: Challenges and Opportunities

Dr. Sonja McIlpatrick- Head of School of
Nursing, Ulster University

Working with your Supervisor and Thesis Committee: Some Practical Points to Ponder and Questions to Consider

Dr. Florence Myrick- Faculty of Nursing,
University of Alberta

Open Access & Predatory Publishing

Cara Bradley- Research &
Scholarship Librarian, University of
Regina

Panel: The Good, the Bad, and The Ugly- Learn From Us!

Dr. Laurie Clune, Univesrity of Regina;
Sarah Flogen, University of Toronto;
Dr. Bukola Salami, Univesrity of Alberta

Opportunities:

Be Inspired,
Connect &
Learn From
Each Other

- Submit an abstract and present your research
 - Gain essential KT experience
 - Receive supportive feedback from student participants and faculty
 - Connect about common interests
- Networking
 - Many opportunities to connect
 - Conference attendees
 - University of Regina faculty & staff
 - Keynote and guest speakers
- Attendance scholarships available

Participant Feedback

"Your conference is the perfect blend of social, scientific and teaching about important issues relevant to PhD journey."

"It was a wonderful opportunity to engage with others who understand the lived experience of being a doctoral student."

"I was very inspired by all my doctoral colleagues but also very inspired by the fantastic line up of keynote speakers."

"I enjoyed meeting all the PhD students and faculty. The most valuable part of the conference was the breakout sessions."

Join Us This Spring, 2022!

- Hosted by the Faculty of Nursing, University of Regina, every Spring season
- Looking for conference information?
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