

# 2023 Council Meeting

November 9, 2023

New Deans/Directors/Chairs  
virtual information session

November 13-14, 2023

Council Meeting



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# CASN Council Program 2023

## General Information

The Annual General Meeting and elections take place at the Council meeting, along with the Graduate Education Forum and the Undergraduate Education Forum.

The annual Council meeting is an opportunity for nursing administrative leaders and faculty to discuss issues facing nursing education, and to collaborate with other educators in Canada. Each member school is invited to bring associate/assistant deans/directors and faculty members to the Council meeting, in addition to the voting dean/director/chair.

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We encourage participants to engage in both plenary and small group discussions in the official language of their choice. Informal translation by bilingual CASN Board of Directors members and staff will be available throughout the meeting.

**All times are in Eastern Standard Time (Ontario/Quebec time).**

### Thursday, November 9

1415 - 1515 New Deans/Directors/Chairs virtual Information session

### Monday, November 13

#### Annual General Meeting

730 - 830	<b>Breakfast</b>
830 - 900	<b>Welcome and Indigenous blessing</b> Welcome and announcements Indigenous Blessing
900 - 925	<b>Call to order</b> Approval of the 2023 agenda Approval of minutes, November 2022 President's report
925 - 945	<b>Report on strategic plan highlights for 2022-2023</b> TRC calls to action report Anti-racism report Residency program report Francophone committee report
945 - 1000	<i>Q&amp;A with audience</i>
1000 - 1015	<i>Break</i>
1015 - 1040	<b>Treasurer's report</b> Status report on budget Financial statements Auditor's report
1040 - 1055	<b>Report from the Awards and Nominations Committee</b>

1055 - 1100

1100 - 1105

1105 - 1200

1200 - 1300

1230

1300 - 1330

1330 - 1420

1420 - 1430

1430 - 1435

**Appointment of auditor**

**Wrap up and adjournment of the Annual General Meeting**

**Cross-country check-up**

Discuss current opportunities and key issues in groups  
Report group discussion  
Wrap up/adjournment

*Lunch break*

**Online elections open** (voting members only)

**National Student and Faculty Survey results**

*Q&A with audience*

**Key challenges for nursing and potential solutions**

Lisa Little, CEO, Lisa Little Consulting, 1st Vice-President, Board of Directors, International Council of Nurses (ICN) Chair Board of Directors, Rural Healthcare Innovations

Sylvain Brousseau, President, Canadian Nurses Association

Liliana Canadic, Saskatchewan Chief Nursing Officer, co-chair of the national Principal Nursing Advisors Task Force

Karima Velji, Ontario Chief Nursing Officer

Denise LeBlanc-Kwaw, Chief Executive Officer of the Nurses Association of New Brunswick (NAAB)

*Q&A with audience*

**Wrap-up and conclusion**

1435 - 1515 **Quality Advancement in Nursing Education - Avancées en formation infirmière (QANE-AFI): 10-year celebration**  
Reflections on QANE-AFI's contributions to the quality of nursing education research and scholarship  
Reflections on the contributions of special editions to the quality of nursing education

1515 - 1530 *Break*

1530- 1725 **Awards recognition event**

CASN will be honouring the 2023 recipients of the following awards:

- Nursing Education Excellence (Tenured) Award
- Nursing Education Excellence (Non-Tenured) Award
- Nursing Research Excellence Award
- Academic Administrative Excellence Award
- Wendy McBride Award for Accreditation Reviewer Excellence
- Ethel Johns Award

Pat Griffin Research Grant Recipients

Woodend Clinical Education Research Grant Recipient

## Tuesday, November 14

730 - 830 **Breakfast**

830 - 845 **Welcome and opening remarks**

0930 **Online elections close**

### Graduate Education Forum

*Changing landscape in graduate education in nursing*

845 - 930 **Topic #1: Generalist and specialist education for APNs: Current and future challenges**

Mohamed El-Hussein, Mount Royal University

Denise Bryant-Lukosius, Professor, McMaster University

Ruth Martin-Misener, Professor, Director, Assistant Dean Research, Dalhousie University

Leigh Chapman, Canada's Chief Nursing Officer

930 - 945 *Q&A with audience*

945 - 1000 *Break*

1000 - 1035 **Topic #2: Updates on doctoral nursing programs: Sharing challenges and successes**

Sandra Davidson, Dean, University of Calgary

Robyn Stremler, Professor and Associate Dean, University of Toronto

Sheryl Reimer-Kirkham, Dean, Trinity Western University

1035 - 1050 *Q&A with audience*

1050 - 1100 **Topic #3: Promoting the academic preparation for the next generation of faculty**

Facilitators:

Nancy Carter, Assistant Dean of Graduate Nursing Programs, McMaster University

Sithokozile Maposa, Assistant Professor, University of Saskatchewan

1100- 1130 **Breakout groups**

1130 - 1155 **Report breakout group discussions**

1155 - 1200 **Wrap Up and Conclusion**

1200- 1300 *Lunch break*

### Undergraduate Education Forum

*Nursing Education's Response(ibility) to address the nursing shortage*

1300 - 1355 **Topic #1: Mentoring new faculty and supporting student retention**

Damilola Iduye, Senior Instructor and President of the Pan Canadian Association of Nurses of African Descent

Helen Harrison, Professor, Fanshawe College

Lorelli Nowell, Associate Professor and Assistant Dean Graduate Programs, University of Calgary

Janet Montague, Professor, Centennial College

Rani Srivastava, Dean, Thompson Rivers University

1355 - 1410 *Q&A with audience*

1410 - 1445 **Topic #2: Preparing for a new type of workplace**

Charlene Chu, Assistant Professor, University of Toronto

## Tuesday, November 14

Claire Mallette, Associate Professor,  
York University

Michelle Lobchuk, Associate Professor,  
University of Manitoba

1445 - 1500

*Q&A with audience*

1500 - 1515

*Break*

1515 - 1550

**Topic #3: Student Success: Outreach to rural and remote areas**

Cheryl Pollard, Dean, University of Regina

Heather Bensler, Assistant Dean,  
Academic Partnerships, University of Calgary

1550 - 1610

*Q&A with audience*

1610 - 1615

**Wrap-up and conclusion**

### 2023 Council Wrap-up

1615- 1645

**Election results**

**Introduction of the new board of directors/committee members**

**Thank you to outgoing board members/committee members**

**Announcement of silent auction winners**

1645- 1650

**Wrap-up and closure**

**Note:** Credentials (diplomas and university degrees) are not translated; they are published in the original language that they were submitted.

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