



Western North-western Region Canadian
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PERSPECTIVES, PEDAGOGY, AND POSSIBILITIES FOR NURSING EDUCATION

WNRCASN Conference 2017

Victoria, BC

February 15-17, 2017

Program

WNRCASN Conference: The Edge of Tomorrow
Hotel Grand Pacific, Victoria
February 15 – 17, 2017

Conference Goals:

1. Network with colleagues to discuss/share scholarly and research interests.
2. Inspire students and those new to nursing education by engaging in scholarly discourse about nursing education.
3. Explore/discuss a range of **perspectives** about educating nurses, including the thrust to integrate Indigenous perspectives into nursing curricula and preparing nurses within and for uncertain futures.
4. Explore innovative approaches to teaching nursing such as contemplative **pedagogies**, mindfulness-based knowing, and professional identity formation.
5. Explore **possibilities** for expanding our horizons for nursing education including philosophical inquiry and knowledge synthesis for curriculum development and evaluation.

Wednesday, February 15, 2017

EXECUTIVE MEETING AND MEMBERS-AT-LARGE DINNER

1600-1900

- Executive Meeting/MAL dinner (**North Pender Room**)
- Registration Check In (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)

- 1900 – 2100: Welcome Reception & Awards (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)
Welcome by the Eye sqa'lewen Singers from Camosun College

The Eye Squa'lewen Singers from Centre for Indigenous Education & Community Connections will open our conference in song. Eyēt Sqā'lewen is a Lkwungen word that references "good heart, good mind, and good feelings".

Thursday February 16, 2017

- 0630-0800 City Walk/Jog on the Edge of the Ocean/Yoga on the Edge of the Harbour
*Registration for these events are first come first serve; sign-up sheets at conference registration desk **outside the Vancouver Island Ballroom.***
- 0800-0900 Breakfast (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)
- 0800-0900 Registration Check In (*for those who have not already done so*) (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)
- 0900-0930 Introductions and Welcome from the Deans (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)



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Patricia Marck (Dean Faculty of Human and Social Development, U Victoria)

Cynthia Smith (Dean School of Health and Human Services, Camosun College)

- 0930-1015 Keynote Speaker: Charlotte Loppie (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)
What does it mean to "indigenize" the nursing curriculum?
- 1015-1100 Refreshment Break (**Saturna Room**)
Poster Viewing (South/North Pender Rooms with Exhibitors)
- 1100-1130 Concurrent Sessions A (20 min, 5 min questions, 5 min move time) (second floor)
(see Concurrent Session schedule for room name/numbers)
- 1130-1200 Concurrent Sessions B 5 breakout rooms (second floor)
(see Concurrent Session schedule for room name/numbers)
- 1200-1230 Concurrent Sessions C 5 breakout rooms (second floor)
(see Concurrent Session schedule for room name/numbers)
- 1230-1330 Lunch (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)
- 1330-1400 Concurrent Sessions D 5 breakout rooms (second floor)
(see Concurrent Session schedule for room name/numbers)
- 1400-1430 Concurrent Sessions E 5 breakout rooms (second floor)
(see Concurrent Session schedule for room name/numbers)
- 1430-1500 Concurrent Sessions F 5 breakout rooms (second floor)
(see Concurrent Session schedule for room name/numbers)
- 1500-1545 Refreshment Break (**Saturna Room**)
Poster Viewing (**South/North Pender Room** with Exhibitors)
- 1600-1700 Nursing Legacy Panel: Brenda Cameron, Marion Clauson, Jane Milliken, Janet Storch
In this moderated dialogue with four recently retired nurse educators, with a range of teaching and nursing expertise, we will honour their legacy and glean advice and direction.
(Vancouver Island Ballroom)

Dinner Groups (optional): A time for new and old friends and colleagues to share the best of Victoria hospitality and conversation. Sign up at the conference registration desk outside the Vancouver Island Ballroom.

NOTE: Each registrant is responsible for her/his own dinner. Dinner groups are optional.

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- 0800 -0900 AGM and Breakfast (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)
- 0900 – 0945 Second Keynote: Lynne Young (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)
What is nursing? Reflections on foundations, fallacies, and the future (includes panel)
- 0945-1015 Refreshment Break (**Saturna Room**)
Exhibitors (**South/North Pender Room**)
- 1015 -1045 Concurrent Sessions G 5 breakout rooms (second floor)
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- 1045 – 1115 Concurrent Sessions H 5 breakout rooms (second floor)
(see Concurrent Session schedule for room name/numbers)
- 1115-1145 Concurrent Sessions I 5 breakout rooms (second floor)
(see Concurrent Session schedule for room name/numbers)
- 1145-1230 Closing Keynote: Dianne Tapp (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)
Provocation for the Edge of Tomorrow: Toward Canadian Nursing Education in 2030
- 1230-1330 Closing remarks, lunch & door prizes (**Vancouver Island Ballroom**)

END OF CONFERENCE