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Program Schedule

February 1–2, 2014

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 1, 2014

12:00 pm–1:00 pm	REGISTRATION AND LUNCH (provided) Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4
1:00 pm–1:15 pm	WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS Conference Co-Chairs: Sally S. Cohen , PhD, RN, FAAN; and Gabe Sanchez , PhD Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4
1:15 pm–1:30 pm	OPENING REMARKS Susan B. Hassmiller , PhD, RN, FAAN, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Senior Adviser for Nursing, and Director, Future of Nursing: Campaign for Action Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4
1:30 pm–2:35 pm	KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Why Nurses Are Fundamental to Democratic Health Policy Speaker: Colleen Grogan , PhD Moderator: Nancy Ridenour , PhD, APRN-BC, FAAN Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4
2:35 pm–2:50 pm	Break
2:50 pm–3:50 pm	PANEL PRESENTATION: Report of RWJF Collaborative Survey on Health Policy and Doctoral Nursing Programs Moderator: Bobbie Berkowitz , PhD, RN, NEA, FAAN Speakers: Richard Kimball , PhD, RN, MSN/MPH, PHCNS-BC; Janice Phillips , MS, PhD, RN, FAAN; and Laura Brennaman , MSN, RN, CEN Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4
3:50 pm–4:45 pm	OPEN FORUM: Critical Issues Regarding Integration of Health Policy into Doctoral Nursing Curricula Moderator: Norma Martinez Rogers , PhD, FAAN, RN Commentator and Facilitator: Michael R. Bleich , PhD, RN, FAAN Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4
4:45 pm–5:00 pm	CONCLUDING REMARKS: Synthesis of Major Themes Speaker: Barbara Damron , PhD, RN, FAAN Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4
5:00 pm–6:30 pm	RECEPTION AND POSTER SESSION Poster Sub-Committee: Carol Ellenbecker , PhD, RN; Janice Phillips , PhD, RN, FAAN; and Gabe Sanchez , PhD Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Foyer

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 2, 2014

- 8:00 am–8:30 am **CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST** (provided)
Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4
- 8:30 am–9:30 am **PANEL PRESENTATION:** Building a Program of Research that Shapes Health Policy
Moderator: Margaret Wilmoth, PhD, MSS, RN, FAAN
Speakers: Jacquelyn Campbell, PhD, RN, FAAN; and Matthew McHugh, PhD, JD, MPH, RN, CRNP, FAAN
Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4
- 9:30 am–9:45 am **Break**
- 9:45 am–11:15 am **PANEL PRESENTATION:** Interdisciplinary Health Policy Education
Moderator: Suzanne Miyamoto, PhD, RN
Speaker: Glenn Flores, MD, A Journey from Jungle Lizards to Eliminating Health and Health Care Disparities: Implications for Interdisciplinary Health Policy Education
Speaker: Susan Chapman, PhD, RN, FAAN, Doctoral Nursing and Interdisciplinary Health Policy Education
Respondents: Shana Judge, JD, PhD; Gabriel Sanchez, PhD; and Dorinda Welle, PhD
Participant Discussion
Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4
- 11:15 am–11:30 am **Break**
- 11:30 am–12:30 pm **OPEN FORUM AND LUNCH** (provided): Major Issues, Lingering Questions, and Future Directions
Moderator: Margaret Moss, PhD, JD, FAAN, RN
Commentator and Facilitator: Barbara Damron, PhD, RN, FAAN
Location: Waldorf Astoria Hotel, Orchid Rooms 2, 3, 4

General Information

Attire

Appropriate dress for this conference is business casual. Because meeting room temperatures and personal comfort levels vary, we recommend that you bring a sweater or jacket.

Cell Phone Protocol

Please ensure cell phone ringers are turned off during all sessions of the conference.

Continuing Education

This activity is approved for 6.25 contact hours by the University of New Mexico Office of Continuing Medical Education, an approved provider by the New Mexico Nurses' Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

Credit can be awarded on a per-day basis. If you are not attending the entire conference, please stop by the Registration Desk and request a Partial Credit Form. Certificates of nursing credit will be awarded once the evaluation process is completed. For additional information regarding the evaluation process, please refer to the evaluation section.

Emergency & First Aid

The Waldorf Astoria Naples is fully prepared to handle different types of situations to assist our guests. The following is information on our emergency procedures:

- The hotel internal emergency number is 0.
- The hotel has an emergency response team 24 hours a day. In the event of an emergency, calling the emergency number 0 will initiate the appropriate response.
- Paramedics, Fire Department, and the Police Department are all located approximately 5 minutes from the hotel.
- Our Security Department, as well as a small number of other employees, are trained in CPR and First Aid.
- Emergency evacuation routes and procedures are located on the inside of all guest room doors.
- Nearest emergency room: Naples Community Hospital
- Nearest hospital: Naples Community Hospital

Hotel Information

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Check out: 11:00 am

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4805 Tamiami Trail North
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Check in: 3:00 pm
Check out: 12:00 pm

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Business Center

The business center is located on the ballroom level.

Parking

Valet parking: \$22.00/day
Self-parking: \$10.00/day
In/Out Privileges: Available
Secured: Not Available
Covered: Available
Parking Information: Parking Garage

Photography

A professional photographer will be on-site during entire conference. We will be requesting attendees to sign releases at registration.

Conference Contact Information

For general information or assistance, contact Michelle Casias, Program Manager, by phone at 505-417-1785 or email at mrccasias@salud.unm.edu or Antoinette Sabedra, Program Coordinator, at 505-270-8458 or email at asabedra@salud.unm.edu.



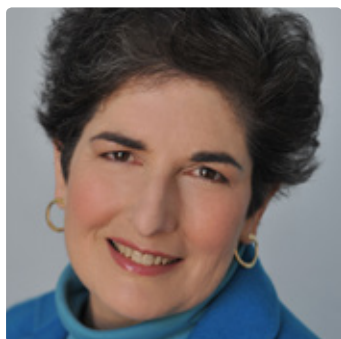
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Background

For more than 40 years the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation has worked to improve the health and health care of all Americans. We are striving to build a national culture of health that will enable all Americans to live longer, healthier lives now and for generations to come. For more information, visit www.rwjf.org. Follow the Foundation on Twitter at www.rwjf.org/twitter or on Facebook at www.rwjf.org/facebook.

The Human Capital portfolio prepares health professionals for leadership, supports scholars in their research, and promotes diversity in order to build a skilled health care workforce ready to address the health, cost, and quality challenges facing the nation.

Biographies

Co-Chairs



***Sally S. Cohen, PhD, RN, FAAN**

Dr. Cohen is Director of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Collaborative at the University of New Mexico (UNM) and Virginia P. Crenshaw Endowed Chair at the UNM College of Nursing. Before coming to UNM, she was a tenured faculty member at Yale University, where she established and directed the Nursing Management, Policy and Leadership Specialty, was a member of the Executive Committee for the Yale Interdisciplinary Center for Bioethics, co-led its working group on the rights of children. She was also faculty at the Edward Zigler Center in Child Development and Social Policy. She is Deputy Editor for *Policy, Politics, & Nursing Practice* and a member of the New York Academy of Medicine. She holds a BA from Cornell University, a MSN from Yale University, and a PhD from Columbia University.



***Gabe Sanchez, PhD**

Dr. Sanchez is Associate Professor of Political Science at the University of New Mexico and Interim Executive Director of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Center for Health Policy at UNM. He is also Director of Research for Latino Decisions and Director of the American Economic Association Summer Training Program.

His research explores the relationship between racial/ethnic identity and political engagement, Latino health policy, and minority legislative behavior. He is a co-author of *Hispanics and the U.S. Political System*, one of the most popular Latino politics textbooks in colleges today. A leading expert on Latino and New Mexico politics, he has provided political commentary to several state, national, and international media outlets. He received his PhD from the University of Arizona.

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Speakers



Bobbie Berkowitz, PhD, RN, CNAA, FAAN

Dr. Berkowitz is the Dean and Mary O'Neil Munding Professor of Nursing at Columbia University School of Nursing and Senior Vice President of the Columbia University Medical Center. She is Professor Emerita at the University of Washington, where she was the Alumni Endowed Professor of Nursing and Chair of the Department of Psychosocial and Community Health and Adjunct Professor in the School of Public Health and Community Medicine. She directed the Center for the Advancement of Health Disparities Research and the National Program Office for the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Turning Point Initiative. She served as Deputy Secretary for the Washington State Department of Health and Chief of Nursing Services for the Seattle-King County Department of Public Health. Dr. Berkowitz is an elected member of the Institute of Medicine and holds a PhD degree from Case Western Reserve University and master's and bachelor's degrees from the University of Washington.



Michael R. Bleich, PhD, RN, NEA-BC, FAAN

Dr. Bleich is the Maxine Clark and Bob Fox Dean and Professor of Nursing at the Goldfarb School of Nursing at Barnes-Jewish College, Vice President of BJC Healthcare and Professor at Washington University in St. Louis. He was also Chair and Professor in Health Policy and Management and has served as CEO and Executive Director for a clinical enterprise associated with the University of Kansas. Dr. Bleich served on the Institute of Medicine committee that issued the 2011 report, *The Future of Nursing: Leading Change, Advancing Health*. He serves on several boards, including the Friends of the National Institute for Nursing Research and the Council on Graduates of Foreign Schools of Nursing. He was named a scholar and fellow of the National Academies of Practice.



Laura Brennaman, MSN, RN, CEN

Ms. Brennaman is a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) Nursing and Health Policy Fellow at the University of New Mexico College Of Nursing. She is completing her dissertation research studying disparities of access to behavioral health emergency and crisis care in Florida. Her 30-year career in nursing has focused on delivery of emergency nursing care. In addition to working on the RWJF Collaborative study on health policy content in doctoral nursing programs, she is adjunct faculty for Nova Southeastern University College of Nursing. Laura earned a master's in Nursing Education from the University of New Mexico and a BSN from the University of Kansas.



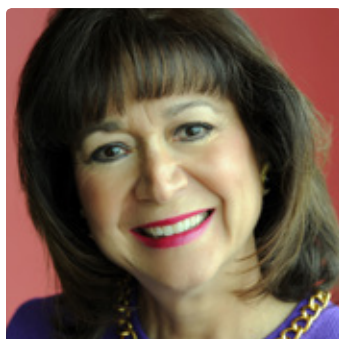
***Jacquelyn Campbell, PhD, RN, FAAN**

Dr. Campbell is Professor and Anna D. Wolf Chair in the Department of Community Public Health at Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing and Director of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Nurse Faculty Scholars Program. She is a national leader in research and advocacy in the field of intimate partner violence (IPV). Elected to the Institute of Medicine (IOM) in 2000, Dr. Campbell was an IOM/American Academy of Nursing/American Nurses' Foundation Senior Scholar-in-Residence and currently serves as Co-Chair of the IOM Forum on the Prevention of Global Violence. She is the current Chair of the Board of Directors for Futures Without Violence and was also a member of the congressionally appointed U.S. Department of Defense Task Force on Domestic Violence. She obtained her BSN, MSN, and PhD degrees from Duke University, Wright State University, and the University of Rochester, respectively.



Susan Chapman, PhD, RN

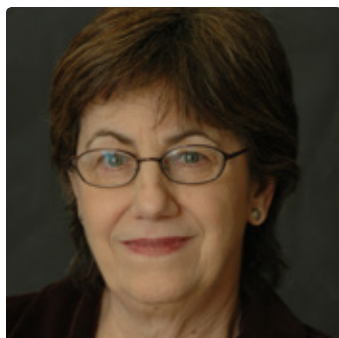
Dr. Chapman is Associate Professor in the Department of Social and Behavioral Sciences, University of California (UC), San Francisco, School of Nursing and Senior Research Faculty at the Center for Health Professions and the Institute for Health Policy Studies. She is Co-Director of the master's and doctoral programs in Health Policy at the School of Nursing. Her scholarly work focuses on health workforce research, health policy analysis, and program evaluation. Her workforce research focuses on transforming models of primary care to address health reform, education, and new roles for allied health workers, and meeting population demands for increased care in home- and community-based services. She served on a study committee for the Institute of Medicine (IOM) on the health care workforce for an aging U.S. population and chaired an IOM workforce on the allied health professions. Susan received her BS from the University of Iowa, her MS from Boston College, her MPH from Boston University, and her PhD from UC Berkeley.



Barbara Damron, PhD, RN, FAAN

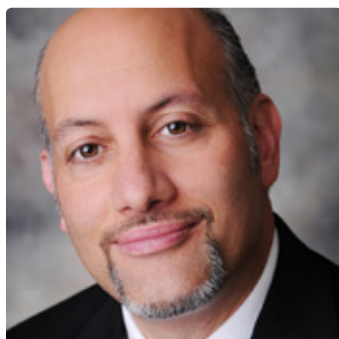
Dr. Damron is Associate Professor at the University of New Mexico (UNM) College of Nursing and a Senior Fellow at the UNM Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) Center for Health Policy. She also developed and is Director of the Office of Community Partnerships and Cancer Health Disparities and is a Full Scientific Member in Cancer Control and Population Sciences at the UNM Cancer Center (the only National Cancer Institute-designated cancer center in New Mexico). She is also an RWJF/Institute of Medicine Health Policy Fellow and served on the U.S. Senate Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions (HELP) Committee in Washington, DC. Under her leadership at the UNM Cancer Center, more than 15,000 New Mexico underserved minority community members are provided cancer education, screening, and referral services on an annual basis. Dr. Damron received her BSN from Union College in Lincoln, Nebraska, her MSN from The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, and her PhD from the University of Texas at Austin.

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***Carol Hall Ellenbecker, PhD, RN**

Dr. Ellenbecker is a Professor and Director of PhD Nursing Programs and Health Policy at the University of Massachusetts, College of Nursing and Health Sciences. She has worked to expand the knowledge of health care delivery systems in the areas of regulation, the development of health policy, and health care policy implementation. In initial studies, she explored the delivery of home health care services. Dr. Ellenbecker's expertise includes conducting large surveys with representative samples, instrument development, and model testing. Her work has implications for improving the work environment for nurses and developing policies for retaining nurses. Dr. Ellenbecker received her BSN from the University of New Mexico, her MSN from Boston College, and her PhD from Brandeis University.



Glenn Flores, MD

Dr. Flores is Professor of Pediatrics, Clinical Sciences, and Public Health; Director of the Division of General Pediatrics; and the Judith and Charles Ginsburg Endowed Chair in Pediatrics; and Director of the Academic General Pediatrics Fellowship at the University of Texas Southwestern and Children's Medical Center Dallas. He is a member of the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force, the editorial board of *Journal of Health Care for the Poor and Underserved*, and the National Advisory Committees of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Amos Medical Faculty Development and Aligning Forces for Quality Programs. He has been a consultant/National Advisory Council member for the U.S. Surgeon General, Institute of Medicine, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, and many other organizations.



Colleen Grogan, PhD

Dr. Grogan is Professor in the School of Social Service Administration; Co-Chair of the Center for Health Administration Studies; and Faculty Chair of Graduate Programs in Health Administration and Policy at the University of Chicago. Her areas of research interest include health policy, health politics, participatory processes, and the American welfare state. She has written several book chapters and articles on health policy and politics in the United States and has co-authored a book with Michael Gusmano, *Healthy Voice/Unhealthy Silence: Advocating for Poor Peoples' Health* (2007). Dr. Grogan is currently working on a book titled *America's Hidden Health Care State*, which examines the historic growth of a publicly funded health care state in the United States, despite the rhetoric of a predominantly private health care system. Another project under way focuses on the potential of the nonprofit sector to address problems of political inequality. She is Editor of the *Journal of Health Politics, Policy and Law* and Academic Director of the Graduate Program in Health Administration and Policy at the University of Chicago.

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Susan B. Hassmiller, PhD, RN, FAAN

Dr. Hassmiller joined the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) in 1997 and is presently the Senior Advisor for Nursing. She also serves as Co-Director of the Future of Nursing Scholars program. In partnership with AARP, Dr. Hassmiller directs RWJF's *Future of Nursing: Campaign for Action*, which strives to implement the recommendations of the Institute of Medicine's report, *Future of Nursing: Leading Change, Advancing Health*. Dr. Hassmiller serves as the report's study director. Previously, she was a member of the National Board of Governors for the American Red Cross, serving as Chair of the Disaster and Chapter Services Committee. She is now a member of the National Nursing Committee and is the Board Chair for the Central New Jersey Red Cross. Dr. Hassmiller served with the Health Resources and Services Administration as Executive Director of the U.S. Public Health Service Primary Care Policy Fellowship. She taught public health nursing at the University of Nebraska and George Mason University in Virginia.



Shana Judge, JD, PhD

Dr. Judge is a Visiting Assistant Professor with the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Nursing and Health Policy Collaborative at the University of New Mexico (UNM) College of Nursing, where she researches the impact of public policies on the health of women and children. Before coming to UNM, Dr. Judge served as a Postdoctoral Research Associate at the Taubman Center for Public Policy & American Institutions at Brown University. She has also worked in the public, private, and nonprofit sectors as an attorney, reporter, and editor. She worked as an attorney for the Texas state legislature, and a clerk with the New Mexico Supreme Court and the American Bar Association's Public Services Division. She received a juris doctor degree from UNM, master's degrees from the Catholic University of America and Duke University, and a PhD from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.



Richard Kimball, PhD, RN, PHCNS-BC

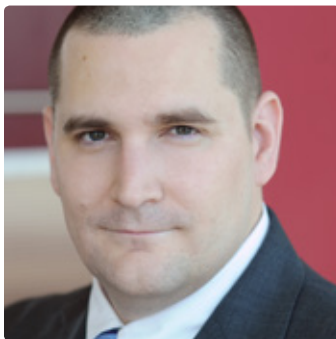
Dr. Kimball is an Assistant Professor at the University of New Mexico (UNM) College of Nursing. He is a founding board member of The Truth About Nursing, a nursing advocacy organization. He came to UNM from the Department of Neurology at the Johns Hopkins University, School of Medicine, where he held a joint appointment with the JHU School of Nursing. He practiced for more than 10 years as a research and clinical care nurse in the nurse-directed Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) Clinic at the JHU School of Medicine. He also worked as a psychiatric nurse at the Johns Hopkins Hospital and with terminally ill patients as the coordinator of a health care decision-making study at the JHU School of Nursing. He holds a PhD from the University of Maryland, Baltimore County, master's degrees from the Johns Hopkins University (JHU) School of Nursing and Public Health, and a BSN from JHU.

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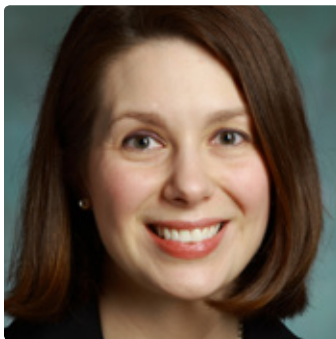
***Norma Martinez Rogers, PhD, RN, FAAN**

Dr. Martinez Rogers is Professor in the School of Nursing, Family and Community Health Systems at the University of Texas Health Sciences Center. She has made it a commitment to lead in eliminating health disparities among vulnerable populations. She is the founder of Juntos Podemos, a mentorship program for nursing students to assist with retention, which has grown by more than 460%. She is the past President of the National Association of Hispanic Nurses and was appointed by the U.S. Government Accountability Office to be a member of the Medicaid and CHIP Payment and Access Commission (MACPAC). She is the only nurse on this committee and the only Latina. She was nominated by Dr. Mary Wakefield to be a member of the National Advisory Council of the National Health Service Corps. Dr. Martinez Rogers' areas of expertise are cultural diversity; mentoring, recruitment, and retention of nursing students; and preventing relapse and recidivism in female federal offenders.



***Matt McHugh, PhD, JD, MPH, RN, CRNP, FAAN**

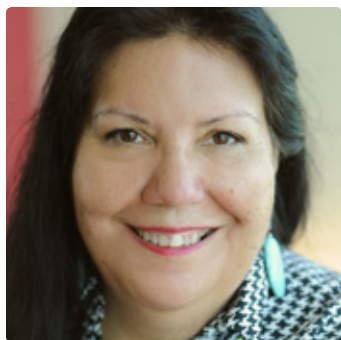
Dr. McHugh is Associate Professor of Nursing at the University of Pennsylvania (Penn) School of Nursing and Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Nurse Faculty Scholar. He was recently named The Rosemarie Greco Term Endowed Associate Professor in Advocacy. He is Associate Director at Penn's Center for Health Outcomes and Policy Research, a Senior Fellow of the Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics, a Senior Fellow at Penn's Center for Public Health Initiatives, and a Fellow at Penn's Institute on Aging. Dr. McHugh was a Fulbright Scholar with the World Health Organization Regional Office for Europe in Denmark. He received his doctorate from Penn, his master's degree from the Harvard School of Public Health, and his juris doctor degree from the Northeastern University School of Law.



***Suzanne Miyamoto, PhD, RN**

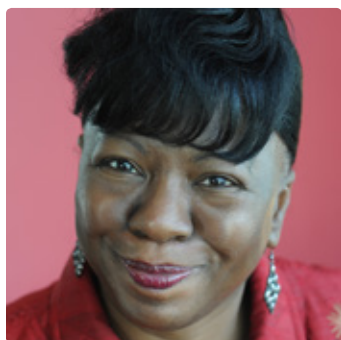
Dr. Miyamoto is Director of Government Affairs and Health Policy at the American Association of Colleges of Nursing (AACN). She is also the convener for the Nursing Community, a coalition of 58 national professional nursing organizations that collaborate on a wide spectrum of health care and nursing policy issues. Dr. Miyamoto is Adjunct Assistant Professor at Georgetown University School of Nursing and Health Studies, and at the University of Maryland School of Nursing. Prior to this, she held policy positions at the state and federal levels with the National State Commission on Patient Safety for the Michigan Health and Safety Coalition and the Michigan Nurses Association. She previously served as lecturer at the University of Michigan School of Nursing. Dr. Miyamoto received her bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees from the University of Michigan.

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***Margaret Moss, PhD, JD, RN, FAAN**

Dr. Moss is Associate Professor and Director of the Nursing Management, Policy, and Leadership Specialty at the Yale University School of Nursing (YSN) and Director of YSN's DNP program. Dr. Moss was a 2008-2009 Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Fellow and staffed the Senate Special Committee on Aging under Senators Martinez and Corker. She completed a 2-year postdoctorate fellowship at the Native Elder Research Center, a National Institutes of Health-funded Resource Center for Minority Aging Research based at the University of Colorado. Dr. Moss was appointed by Governor Pawlenty to the Minnesota Board on Aging and was a delegate for the National Congress of American Indians to the 2005 White House Conference on Aging. She received her PhD from the University of Texas at Houston and then obtained a JD, focusing on Federal Indian law, elder law, and health law. She is one of only 20 doctorally prepared American Indian nurses in the country and the first and only American Indian to hold both nursing and juris doctorates.



***Janice Phillips, PhD, RN, FAAN**

Dr. Phillips is the Director of Government Affairs and Global Regulations at CGFNS International. Previously, she was Associate Professor in Adult Health and Gerontological Nursing, Rush University and Carter-Fleck Visiting Scholar at the University of New Mexico, College of Nursing. She was a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) Health Policy Fellow, working in the office of Senator John D. Rockefeller IV (D-WV). As part of her RWJF fellowship, Dr. Phillips built support for implementing the Affordable Care Act. She has led efforts in support of the Prescription Drug Abuse and Treatment Act of 2011. Previously, she was the Manager of Nursing Research at the University of Chicago Medical Center. As Assistant Professor at the University of Maryland School of Nursing, she was the first African American nurse in the country to receive an American Cancer Society Oncology Nursing Professorship. Dr. Phillips holds a bachelor's degree from North Park College, a master's degree from St. Xavier College, and a doctoral degree from the University of Illinois College of Nursing.



Nancy Ridenour, PhD, APRN, BC, FAAN

Dr. Ridenour is Dean and Professor at the University of New Mexico (UNM) College of Nursing. She was a Robert Wood Johnson Health Policy Fellow with the Committee on Ways and Means in the U.S. House of Representatives. She continues her health policy work at UNM by heading the Health Policy Council and contributing to the Nursing and Health Policy Collaborative at the College of Nursing. She is an expert in health workforce and health care reform. Prior to the health policy fellowship, she served as Dean and Professor at the College of Nursing at Illinois State University, Associate Dean at Texas Tech Health Sciences Center, and Assistant Professor at the University of Colorado. Dr. Ridenour is a certified family nurse practitioner and has held leadership positions in the American Nurses Association, American Association for the Advancement of Science, American Public Health Association, Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, Society of Primary Care Policy Fellows, and National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties. The author of numerous journal articles and contributions to books, she has focused her career on health policy and improving primary health care for underserved populations.

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Dorinda Welle, PhD

Dr. Welle is an Assistant Professor with the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Nursing and Health Policy Collaborative at the University of New Mexico (UNM) College of Nursing. She is an anthropologist who has studied public health issues, including homelessness, in-patient and community mental health services, drug treatment programs for women, alternatives to incarceration, and HIV prevention and treatment for adolescents. She participated in research of the first U.S. Census count of street homeless people in 1990, which became a model for subsequent Census counts. She studied behavioral HIV risk at the National Development and Research Institutes and led a team of physicians, nurses, and sociologists at Kunming Medical College in a study of HIV risk behavior among indigenous youth in Yunnan Province, China. Before joining the University of New Mexico, Dr. Welle served as a program officer in Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights at the Ford Foundation. Dr. Welle earned her MA and PhD degrees from The New School for Social Research.



Peggy Wilmoth, PhD, MSS, RN, FAAN

Dr. Wilmoth is the inaugural Dean and Professor of the Byrdine F. Lewis School of Nursing and Health Professions at Georgia State University. Her work in the area of sexuality as it intersects with chronic illness has influenced and complemented the work of others to form the subspecialty of psychosexual oncology within the field of psychosocial oncology. She has had a concurrent career in the U.S. Army Reserve, where she served as the first nurse and female commanding general of a medical brigade, with responsibility for wartime readiness of all the U.S. Army Reserve medical assets in the southeastern United States. Her most recent assignment was at the Pentagon, where she was assigned to the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs as the Assistant for Mobilization and Reserve Affairs. She was named a Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health Policy Fellow and had the opportunity to work in the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives during the enactment of the Affordable Care Act.

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Nursing and Health Policy Fellows

Cohort 2008



Kelly Buettner-Schmidt

Graduated Spring 2013

<http://www.nursinghealthpolicy.org/fellow/kelly-buettner-schmidt/>



Carolyn Montoya

Graduated Spring 2013

<http://www.nursinghealthpolicy.org/fellow/faculty-member/>



Mark Siemon

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Cohort 2009



Demetrius Chapman

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Elisa Patterson

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Cohort 2010



Laura Brennaman

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Laurie Lineweaver

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Lisa Palucci

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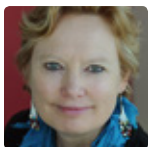
Regina Eddie

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LisaMarie Turk

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Suzanne Gagnon

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Cohort 2012



Stacie Pozernick

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Cohort 2012



Nicole Adams

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Elizabeth Dickson

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Mariah Wood

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RWJF Nursing and Health Policy Collaborative at the University of New Mexico

Program Overview

The purpose of the RWJF Nursing and Health Policy Collaborative at the University of New Mexico is to prepare a new generation of nurses who will take their place among policy makers to meet our nation's health and health care challenges. With a focus on nurses from diverse backgrounds, the Collaborative provides academic and programmatic support through its core component: the Health Policy Concentration in the UNM Nursing PhD Program. The other components of the Collaborative provide leadership for innovative partnerships and programmatic initiative in nursing and health policy.

Fellowship Benefits

The RWJF Nursing and Health Policy Fellows receive a generous package of financial support and other benefits that includes:

- Tuition and student fees
- \$2,000 monthly stipend
- Travel to and registration for national health policy conferences
- Required textbooks
- Dissertation research award funding (\$6,000)
- Travel for the required 3 credit health policy field placement course
- Laptop computer and printer (while enrolled as a PhD student)
- Student health insurance
- Mentorship
- Writing assistance
- Statistical support
- Professional development workshops

For BSN to PhD RWJF Nursing and Health Policy Fellows, this benefit is offered for 44 months; for MSN to PhD Fellows, it covers 36 months of support.

Additional information about the RWJF Nursing and Health Policy Collaborative can be found at our website at www.nursinghealthpolicy.org or contact us at CON-RWJF@salud.unm.edu.

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