

The Center for Nursing Research

CELEBRATING SUCCESSES! In the News!

SPRING 2011

• Susan Taft, PhD, MSN, RN, course, *Methods of Online Education* has received quality certification from, Quality Matters. Quality Matters is a national faculty-centered, inter-institutional peer review organization designed to certify the quality of online courses and components. Janeen Kotsch and Karen Zapko from the Salem campus have participated in the development and teaching of the course.

• LouAnn Bailey has been elected as a fellow in the American Academy of Nurse Practitioners. She also received the 2011 Nurse Practitioner Clinical Excellence Award from the Northeast Ohio Nurse Practitioner Group.

• Gina Severino (*Trumbull Campus*) received the Excellence in Nursing Education Award District Three Ohio Nurses Association.

• Tracy Motter, MSN, RN and Jay Hays received \$100,000 in grant scholarships from Robert Wood Johnson New Careers in Nursing.

• Congratulations to all our faculty who presented at the Midwest Nursing Research Society (MNRS) in Columbus, OH in April. We are proud of our "presence". Hope to see you in Dearborn!

Wendy Lewandowski
Carol Sedlak
Peggy Doheny
Claire Draucker
Donna Martsolf
Ratchneewan Ross
Barb Drew
Mary Anthony
Anthony Sterns
Cyndi Roller
Denice Sheehan
Elaine Thomas
Andrea Warner-Stidham

• Ratchneewan Ross received the 2011 Giovanna Jackson Faculty Award for International Culture Phi Beta Delta, Zeta Chapter, Kent State University

Dear Colleagues

After a seemingly endless winter and way too rainy spring, we are concluding what has been a productive year for us. During this time, members of our faculty have been awarded a total of 13 grants that include awards from NIH, Robert Wood Johnson and other professional organizations. This achievement helps to position us for future successes. Despite the budgetary challenges that have been part of daily life, faculty have remained committed to advancing the research and scholarship mission of the college of nursing. Toward that end, we have finalized a working strategic plan. Look for it soon on our website.

I personally want to thank each of you for your contributions to our research and scholarship mission. I hope your summer is relaxing, rejuvenating, and productive.

Regards,
Mary K. Anthony, PhD, RN, CS
Associate Dean for Research



FUNDING ALERTS!!!

INTERNAL FUNDING

Research & Graduate Studies University Research Council: Information is on the Website: <http://www.kent.edu/research/committees/urc.cfm>. (Requests are due the 1st of every month during Academic Year for all Full Time Faculty). Be ready for September!

EXTERNAL FUNDING

Sigma Theta Tau International/National League for Nursing Submission deadline is JUNE 1, 2011

Sigma Theta Tau
Joan K Stout CAN
ATI Educational Assessment
Hill-Rom Environment of
Elder Care METI Simulation
Submission Deadline is
July 1, 2011

COMMUNITY OF SCIENCE

If you haven't recently updated your COS alert and need help, contact Mary Anthony.

NEWS YOU CAN USE: RESEARCH BROWN BAGS

Thanks to all who presented an Engagement Series this year. We appreciate your contributions to our faculty development.

Ann Jacobson
Sue Taft
Andrea Warner-Stidham
Denice Sheehan
Ratchneewan Ross
Jane Ragozine
Toni Scacco-Neumann
Diana Fleming
Jeremy Jarzembak

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CELEBRATING SUCCESSES! Faculty Notes

RECENT PUBLICATIONS

Jacobson, A.F., Lewandowski, W.A., Palmieri, P., & Myerscough, R.P. (2011). Feasibility trial of guided imagery and control interventions in mock subjects. *Applied Nursing Research*, 24, 45-52.

Ross, R., Sawatphanit, W., Mizuno, M., & Takeo, K. (2011). Depressive symptoms among HIV-positive postpartum women in Thailand. *Archives of Psychiatric Nursing* (25), 36-42.

Sterns, A., Sterns, H., Sterns, R., & Lax, G (2011). Bridging the intergenerational gap in therapeutic activity delivery between younger professional caregivers and older adults living with dementia. *Journal of Intergenerational Relationships*, 9, 161-175.

PRESENTATIONS

Brandy, C. (April, 2011). *Early prep for NCLEX readiness*. Poster presentation at the ATI National Nurse Education Summit (Orlando, FL)

Doheny, M., Adamle, K., Jacobson, A., Ludwick, R., & Sedlak, C. (March, 2011). *Incorporating emerging standards for Clinical Nurse Specialist education in a CNS online curriculum*. Invited poster presentation at the 2011 National Association of Clinical Nurse Specialists (Clinical Nurse Specialist: Conference, Baltimore, MD).

Regan-Kubinski, M., Cunningham, P., & Drew, B. (March, 2011). Interactive Panel: *Report of the ISPN/APNA task force on licensure, accreditation, credentialing and education (LACE)*. Paper presented at the 13th Annual Conference of the International Society of Psychiatric Mental Health Nurses (Tucson, AZ).

Roller, C. (May, 2011). *Moving beyond the trauma: Womens's responses to the perinatal period after childhood sexual abuse*. Paper presentation at the ACNM 56th Annual Meeting (San Antonio, TX).

Saunders, T. (April, 2011). In the home stretch: *Capping off your RN-to-BSN program with an evidence based project*. Poster presentation at the OLN Education Summit

Shelestak, D., Meyers, T., & Jarzembak, J (April., 2011). Assessing clinical judgment during simulation using the situated clinical decision making framework. Poster Presentation at the 2011 ATI National Nurse Educator Summit (Orlando, FL)

Shelestak, D., Jarzembak, J., & Meyers, T. (March, 2011). *Assessing clinical judgment during simulation using the situated clinical decision making framework*. Poster Presentation at the National Dissemination Symposium ELITE Workshop (Pittsburgh, PA). Awarded the Best of Show Poster .

Yoost, B. (Nov, 2010) Infection Control. Continuing Education Presentation at American Hospital, Dubai, UAE

Yoost, B (Nov, 2011) Critical Thinking for Safer Patient Care. Continuing Education Presentation at American Hospital, Dubai, UAE

STUDENT CORNER

Greer, S. F., Sethi, A. J., Hecker, M. T., McKinney, B. L., Dumford, D. M. (2011). Survey of patients' knowledge and opinions regarding the use of indwelling urinary catheters. *Infection Control and Hospital Epidemiology*, 32, 174-176.

Graduate Student News

Congratulations to Robin Brian who defended her dissertation on February 28, 2011, entitled: *The Experienced of Living with Obesity as an Adolescent: Everyday Life and Health Care Encounters*.

Congratulations to all our graduates and best wishes for success in your career.

NEW GRANTS AWARDED

EXTERNAL AWARDS

Lewandowski, W. & Jacobson, A.F. (March, 2011). *Pilot study of guided imagery effects for total knee replacement*. \$23,763. Ohio Board of Regents Research Incentive.

Jacobson, A. & Lewandowski W. (March, 2011). *Pilot study of guided imagery effects for total knee replacement*. \$1,500. Sigma Theta Tau Delta Xi Chapter

Jacobson, A.F., Lewandowski, W.A., Palmieri, P.A., Myerscough, R.P., & Draucker, C. *Factors affecting guided imagery response in total knee replacement* (\$569,654)(1R21AT003913-01A2). 3/1/2011 to 2/28/2014.

Jacobson, A.F. & Lewandowski, W.A. *Pilot study of biobehavioral model of guided imagery's effect on total knee replacement outcomes* (\$4988) Sigma Theta Tau International Small Grants. March, 2011.

INTERNAL AWARDS

Lewandowski, W.A. & Jacobson, A.F. *Pilot study of effectiveness of guided imagery in total knee replacement* (\$1,500). Kent State University College of Nursing Dean's Faculty Research Incentive Award. December, 2010.

NEWS YOU CAN USE

SAVE-THE-DATE

The Kent State Advisory Committee Coordinating Center for Quantitative Methodology is planning the following workshops:

-Hierarchical Linear Modeling (August, 2011 and co-sponsored by the College of Nursing)

-Missing Data (October, 2011)
Does it matter which NIH review cycle to submit ?

REVIEW CYCLES for new RO1 applications are:

Cycle 1: Feb 5; Cycle 2: June 5;
Cycle 3: October 5 .

For each cycle there are considerations to factor in to your submission such as whether a budget has been approved, paylines established, resubmission in the current or next fiscal year. For more detailed information, see: http://funding.niaid.nih.gov/ncn/grants/charts/timeline_cycles.htm