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International Visitors from Tanzania

Dr. Damien, Nurse Lucas and colleagues from Tanzania visited Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing on March 25, 2013. They were seeking support to start a nursing school at St. Raphael's Hospital. The first school term will begin October 2013. Good luck Dr. Damien to you and your team in this very exciting endeavor. Ann Farmer, (left) FPB alum, is the contact person with Tanzania.



International Visitor from Ireland

Dr. Margaret Landers from University College Cork, Ireland, visited the nursing school and attended one intensive course August 12-23, 2013.



Postdoc / Channel / Exchange students



Egypt

**Dr. Samah Eltahir
(Postdoctoral Fellow)**

October 1, 2012-April 30, 2013

Email: sfe18@case.edu

Advisor: Dr. Claire Andrews

Thailand

**Panisara Songwatthanayuth
(Channel program)**

January 1-June 30, 2013

Email: panisara.song@yahoo.com

Advisor: Dr. Shirley Moore



China

(Exchange students)

Four BSN nursing students are currently at FPB for the Fall semester from HOPE Nursing school at Wuhan University, China. They will be finishing their studies this December, 2013.



New International Students Fall 2013



China
Chujun Zhao
BSN Student



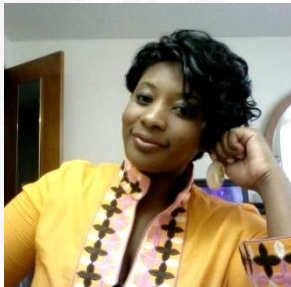
China
Xinyi Xu
BSN Student



South Korea
Susanna Ahn
BSN Student



South Korea
Wookyung Jung
BSN Student



Zimbabwe
Kumbirai Madiye (Kumbi)
DNP Student



Nigeria
Oluwatomisin Olaykinya (Tomisin)
DNP/PhD Student



India
Mary Variath*
PhD Student

**Ms. Variath also is the Continuing Nursing Education Coordinator and Instructor at FPB*

New FPB International Graduates



India

Sumy Anthony (MSN)

Email: sxa400@case.edu

Advisor: Dr. Carol Kelley



China

Xin Xin Meng (MSN)

Email: xxm8@case.edu

Advisor: Dr. Carol Savrin



Jordan

Arwa Alsaraireh (DNP)

Email: ama100@case.edu

Advisor: Dr. Gretchen Mettler



Jordan

Sami Aloush (PhD)

Email: sma91@case.edu

Advisor: Dr. Mary Dolansky

New FPB International Graduates



Taiwan
Ya-Fen Wang (PhD)

Email: yxw29@case.edu
Advisor: Dr. Jaclene Zauszniewski



Thailand
Suparat Phisaiphant (PhD)

Email: sxp340@case.edu
Advisor: Dr. Carol Musil

Congratulations to All!

The IHCNO Conference in June 25-27, 2013 (International Home Care Nurses Organization)

The Inaugural IHCNO Conference was a huge success. Sixty home care nurses from 10 different countries attended the conference. 31 papers and posters were presented. The 2nd IHCNO Conference will be held in Singapore in Fall 2014-plans are in process.



Dean Mary Kerr welcomed everyone to the conference and was very happy to have FPB as the host for this conference.



Mr. David Fleshler, JD, Associate Provost for International Affairs, gave a welcome speech at the conference.

The IHCNO Conference in June 25-27, 2013



Business meeting and closing remarks



Wine and cheese welcome reception



FPB student volunteers at the conference.
Thanks to all FPB students who did a great job at the conference.

The IHCNO Conference in June 25-27, 2013



Home care around the world presentations

Five (5) countries presented on home care in their own country: India, Qatar, Thailand, Singapore, and the United States.



The IHCNO Conference in June 25-27, 2013



Gala dinner to celebrate the success of the inaugural home care conference.

Many positive responses were received from participants. Plans for the next conference are in process.



Dr. Madigan giving Joshua (FPB alum from Uganda) the certificate for attending the conference (as an international attendee)



Colleagues from Suriname who joined the conference



Attendees with their national traditional costumes



Congratulations

Dr. Judith Shamian, former president of the Victorian Order of Nurses and the Canadian Nurses Association, has been elected as the 27th President of the International Council of Nurses (ICN). She is the first Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing graduate to be elected to this position.

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Hemodialysis Stressors and Coping Strategies Among Jordanian Patients On Hemodialysis: A Qualitative Study



*Eman Al Nazly
Muayyad Ahmad*

*Carol Musil
Manar Nabolsi*



Dr. Muayyad Ahmad, nursing school alum, **Dr. Carol Musil** and other colleagues published an article entitled "Hemodialysis Stressor and Coping Strategies Among Jordanian Patients On Hemodialysis: A Qualitative Study" in *Nephrology Nursing Journal*, Vol.40, No. 4 July-August 2013.

Guatemala Trip in August 2013

Twelve advanced practice nursing students traveled to Guatemala's San Raymundo in August 2013. They worked with Refuge International, as well as nursing students and physicians from other institutions. Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing takes the lead in nursing for this volunteer project which has become an annual experience for the school's MSN students. A second group of volunteers will be headed there in October. The two groups will give presentations on their experiences to faculty, staff, and students.



Faculty Highlights

Gertrude Perkins Oliva Professor in Oncology Nursing [Barbara J. Daly, PhD, RN, FAAN](#) has received funding for a T32 Training Grant, "Symptom Management and Palliative Care Research in Adults with Advanced Disease," from the National Institute of Nursing Research, National Institutes of Health.

Dr. Daly has been selected as an inductee into the Sigma Theta Tau International Nurse Researcher Hall of Fame.

Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Independence Foundation Professor [Elizabeth Madigan, PhD, RN, FAAN](#) has received the Ruth Corcoran and Nancy Langston Nursing Education Research Grant for her project, "Development of a Behavioral Observation Instrument for Teamwork and Collaboration in Pre-licensure Nursing Students to Support Quality and Safety Education in Nursing Competencies" from the National League for Nursing.

Assistant Professor [Ronald L. Hickman, Jr., PhD, RN, ACNP-BC](#) is the recipient of the J. Bruce Jackson Award of Excellence in Undergraduate Mentoring from Case Western Reserve University.

Assistant Professor [Celeste M. Alfes, DNP, MSN, RN](#) has been awarded the Joyce Griffin-Sobel Education Research Grant for her project, "The NLN Leadership Development Program for Simulation Educators," from the National League for Nursing.

[Shirley M. Moore, PhD, RN, FAAN](#), the Edward J. and Louise Mellen Professor of Nursing and Associate Dean for Research, has received the 2013 Faculty Distinguished Research Award from Case Western Reserve University.

Associate Professor [Mary Dolansky, PhD, RN](#) received \$31,500 from Cardinal Health Foundation for her project "Hidden Safety Resource: Family Caregiver Participation in Medication Reconciliation Across Care Transitions."

Associate Professor, [Patricia Higgins, PhD, RN](#) was named a fellow of the Gerontological Society of America. The new fellows will be formally recognized during GSA's 66th Annual Scientific Meeting, which will be held in November.

Associate Professor [Chris Winkelman, PhD, RN](#) has been inducted into the Fellows of the American Association of Nurse Practitioners.

(For more information see: <http://fpb.case.edu/News/announcements.shtm>)

Faculty Highlights

Five Professors Named Among 20 Top-Notch Nursing Professors in Ohio by StateStats.org



Kate Hanna Harvey Professor in Community Health Nursing and PhD Program Director [Jaclene A. Zauszniewski, PhD, RN-BC, FAAN](#) received the Best Faculty Paper Award from the Midwest Nursing Research Society and the Western Journal of Nursing Research for her paper, "Resourcefulness Training for Grandmothers Raising Grandchildren: Establishing Fidelity."

Dr. Zauszniewski also has been selected as an Editorial Board Member for the *Journal of Nursing Measurement*.

[Mary Quinn Griffin, PhD, RN](#) and [Marilyn "Lynn" Lotas, PhD, RN](#) were named fellows of the American Academy of Nursing. Joining them are FPB alumni Rey Rivera, DNP'10 and Laura Wagner, BSN'97 and several FPB friends and former faculty -- Karen Kauffman, Sue Sendelbach and Jill Kilanowski.

Professor [Carol M. Musil, PhD, RN, FAAN](#) was invited to the University of São Paulo, Brazil as a Guest Lecturer on the longitudinal effects of stress on physical and mental health.

Marvin E. and Ruth Durr Denekas Professor [May L. Wykle, PhD, RN, FAAN, FGSA](#) is the honored recipient of the 2013 Nell J. Watts Lifetime Achievement in Nursing Award from Sigma Theta Tau International.



Dr. Wykle also presented a tribute to former First Lady Rosalynn Carter on the 25th anniversary of the Rosalynn Carter Institute for Caregiving in Americus, Georgia.