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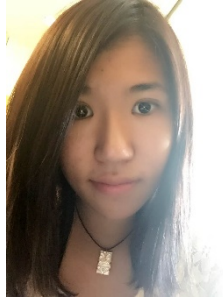
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New International Students Fall 2015



Liuting Jiang (Wendy)
BSN Student (China)



Jiaxun Zou (Tina)
BSN Student (China)



Tung Ho Lin (Dennis)
BSN Student (Hong Kong)



Fatimah Alnass
MSN student (Saudi Arabia)



Reham Bakhsh
MSN student (Saudi Arabia)

New FPB International Graduate



Thailand

Pimrat Boonyapuk earned her PhD

Email: pxb247@case.edu

Advisor: Dr. Faye Gary

Title of her study:

"The Impact of Population Characteristics and Health Behaviors on Missing School Days and Emergency Department Visits Among Children and Youth Diagnosed With ADHD in the United States"

Educational Services for Students (ESS)



FPB Graduate Students Participate in English Seminar

The School of Nursing's international graduate students learned more about American culture, food and restaurants, idiomatic language, English writing skills, social interaction and American history during a seminar by [Educational Services for Students](#) (ESS). Seven students from five different countries participated in the six-week seminar. Elise Geither conducted the sessions.

Alumni News



Dr. Muayyad Ahmad, FPB alumnus from Jordan, received the 2015 Distinguished Researcher Award in the Health Field from the University of Jordan.



Dr. Sunida Preechawong, FPB alumna from Thailand, was awarded "Outstanding Research Award in Tobacco Control," during the 10th Anniversary of the Tobacco Control and Knowledge Management Center (TRC). This center has been supported by Thai Health Promotion Foundation.

Post doctoral Fellow



SPAIN

Cristina Noriega Garcia

Post-doctoral Fellow

May 11, 2015-August 14, 2015

Research area: Grandparents project

Email: cxn137@case.edu

Advisor: Dr. Carol Musil

FPB Faculty International Activities

- **Dean Mary Kerr:** reviewer at nursing school at the National University of Ireland, Galway, Ireland. February 1-6, 2015
- **Elizabeth Madigan:** keynote speaker at the Damman University, Saudi Arabia. February 4-5, 2015
- **Shirley Moore:** member, defense committee at Burapha University, Thailand. May 25-June 1, 2015
- **LaTonya (Stergis) Martin:** training OB/GYN at UH Global Health Program, Guyana. May 23-30, 2015
- **Deborah Lindell:** teaching courses at Wuhan University HOPE School of Nursing, China. June 5-20, 2015 and Oct 12-21, 2015
- **Celeste Alfes:** presenter at the International Nursing Association of Clinical Simulation and Learning Conference in Atlanta, Georgia, United States. June 10-13, 2015



Joyce Fitzpatrick, PhD, MBA, RN, FAAN represented ICN President Judith Shamian at the UN launch of the Primary Health Care Performance Initiative (PHCPI) on September 26, 2015 in New York. The event was hosted by Germany's Chancellor Angela Merkel, Norway's Prime Minister Erna Solbery, and Ghana's President John Dramani Mahama.

Exchange students

Hong Kong



Eight exchange students from the University of Hong Kong visited FPB from April 13-26, 2015. Students attended classes, visited local health care facilities, and met local officials including Cleveland Mayor Frank Jackson (fifth from right). The next program will be March 21-April 10, 2016.

Ireland



Two exchange students from National University of Ireland, Galway visited FPB from May 15-June 12, 2015. Dr. Mary Quinn Griffin mentored the group and arranged their clinical experience at the Cleveland Clinic. The students also visited local health centers.

Educational Training Programs: Flight Nursing



Dr. Jorge Corchado Cruz with a group of 29 students from the EDP University of Puerto Rico visited FPB and attended the Flight Summer Camp July 16-19, 2015. Plans are in process to repeat this experience in summer 2016. An agreement between FPB and the University of Puerto Rico is in process.

Geriatric Nursing Education Program



The FPB School of Nursing hosted a group of eight nursing students from Taipei Medical University, Taiwan for the month of July for the second educational program in geriatric nursing. The program included presentations by FPB faculty on geriatric nursing, visits to local nursing homes, and the Visiting Nurses Association (VAN). Each participant was given a certificate for successfully completing the program.

Guatemala Trip August 1- 8, 2015

Nine MSN students went to Guatemala as volunteers with Refuge International August 1-8, 2015.

Drs. **Margaret Bobonich** and **Chris Winkelman** were their preceptors.

This primary care team consisted of nurse practitioners specialized in family practice and critical care. They provided services in a rural area where there is no access to health services.

Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing organizes two trips per year, one in August and another in October.

See FPB students in action below.



Welcome our new faculty members



Mary F. Terhaar, DNSc

Professor and Associate Dean for Academic Affairs

Dr. Terhaar directed the Doctor of Nursing Practice Program at Johns Hopkins University. Her research focus is on workforce and neonatal scholarship development and she has considerable experience with curriculum design and ongoing evaluation.



Joachim Voss, PhD, RN, ACRN

Director, Sarah Cole Hirsh Institute

Dr. Voss is a former associate professor in bio-behavioral nursing and health systems and adjunct associate professor in global health at the University of Washington. His research portfolio has focused on HIV-related symptom management of fatigue, and the identification of biomarkers for fatigue.

Faculty Awards and Announcements



Stephanie Steiner, MSN, RN, ACNP, director of the Dorothy Ebersbach Academic Center for Flight Nursing, was voted onto the Air and Surface Transport Nurses Association (ASTNA) Board of Directors. She also received the 2015 Katz-Mason Award from the ASTNA. The award is for demonstrated excellence and significant contributions in transport nursing.



Elizabeth Madigan, PhD, RN, FAAN, Independence Foundation Professor, received an R25 Research Education Grant from the National Institute of General Medical Sciences, National Institutes of Health for her project, "Bridges to the Doctorate in Nursing for Northeastern Ohio."

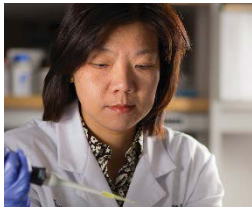


Ronald L. Hickman, Jr., PhD, RN, ACNP-BC, associate professor, received an R01 Research Grant from the National Institute Nursing Research, National Institutes of Health, for his project, "A Clinical Trial of Decision Support for End of Life Care Among Surrogate Decision Makers of the Chronically Critically Ill."



Donna Dowling, PhD, RN, professor, received the Distinguished Service in Neonatal Nursing Award from The National Association of Neonatal Nurses (NANN).

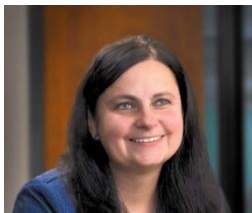
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Chao-Pin Hsiao, PhD, RN, assistant professor, received a grant award from the National Institute of Nursing Research, National Institutes of Health for her research, "Mitochondrial Bioenergetics Mechanism of Cancer-Related Fatigue."



Sonya D. Moore, MSN, CRNA, director of the Nurse Anesthesia Program, received a Nurse Anesthetist Traineeship grant funded by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA).



Jaclene A. Zauszniewski, PhD, RN-BC, FAAN, Kate Hanna Harvey Professor in Community Health Nursing, and the director of the PhD in Nursing Program, received a Nurse Faculty Loan Program grant funded by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA).



Shirley M. Moore, RN, PhD, FAAN, the Edward J. and Louise Mellen Professor of Nursing; Associate Dean for Research, received a grant award for "Multiple Chronic Conditions: Interdisciplinary Nurse Scientist Training," from the National Institute of Nursing Research, National Institutes of Health.



Evanne Juratovac, PhD, RN, GCNS-BC, assistant professor, received an Alumni Legacy Award from the University of Cincinnati College of Nursing and Health.



Nirmala Lekhak, BSN, RN, PhD student, won the Next Generation of Care Award at the Faces of Care Gala, hosted by *Cleveland Magazine* and the Greater Cleveland Nurse Association. The fifth annual Faces of Care Gala honored Northeast Ohio area nurses who are making a difference.



Ana Laura Solano López, PhDc, BSN, RN, PhD student, received an award from the Alumni Association of the Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing for her study, "The Relationships Among Body Awareness, Self-Regulation, Self-Management, and Blood Pressure in Adults with Hypertension."

2016 NATIONAL FORUM



The 2016 QSEN Conference: The New Frontier: Forging Partnerships for Lifelong Learning in Quality and Safety

Conference Objectives

- Disseminate innovations in curricular design and teaching strategies that accomplish QSEN competency development in academic and/or practice settings.
- Describe research findings related to quality and safety education and competency integration in academic and/or practice settings.
- Share innovations that translate or evaluate QSEN competencies (patient-centered care, evidence-based practice, quality improvement, safety, teamwork, and informatics) in academic and/or practice settings.

Call For Abstracts

September 21, 2015- December 31, 2015

Submit Abstract [Here](#) . Notice of Acceptance will be no later than February 8, 2016.

Conference Information

May 25-27, 2016

San Antonio Visitors Guide

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