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## Conference Description

Nurses have forever known what nursing is and indeed why nurses matter. Every day in all the settings nurses practice, our value and importance are both affirmed and challenged. Circumstances, history, and systems can foster or hinder core values and expectations of who we are and what we do. Some are suggesting a re-visioning of nursing; inviting us to celebrate the essence of our profession and its timeless commitments, while simultaneously urging us to lift our voices and energies to create the change we want to see. Ethics asks us to develop clarity on our meaning and purpose, to use our Code of Ethics for Nurses to reinforce what we are called to do, and to not just work around systems but to change them to reflect an ethic of caring. Nurses can make an immediate difference in their care of both patients, families, and colleagues. Nursing's impact can ripple across society in addressing some of the most pressing issues of our time: the epidemic of isolation and loneliness, inequities in health care, safe staffing, care of the most vulnerable, clinician burnout and the exodus from the nursing profession. Reconnecting to meaning and purpose become a wellspring to empower us to disrupt the status quo. Nursing's contributions matter more than ever. Using the power of story and embracing the narrative of nurses, we hope that you will join us to reflect, dialogue, and celebrate who we are, what we can do, and how we can transform our profession in mighty ways.

### Objectives

- Examine how meaningfulness is found in caring, through both the relational aspect and as a moral imperative.
- Discuss the essential elements in the nursing profession that honor timeless commitments and position nurses to play a leading role in improving health outcomes.
- Identify two essential ethical competencies for moral agency for healthcare providers to create and sustain health care systems responsive to peoples' needs.
- Integrate nursing's primary meaning, purpose, and values into systems, solutions, and societal views of caregiving.
- Demonstrate strategies that will powerfully communicate to ourselves, our colleagues, and our patients, families, and communities, that we all "matter."

## CNE

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Contact Hours will be provided for each full day attended: Includes POSTER SESSIONS DAILY

16.50 CNE for both days. Day #1: 8.25 CNE Day #2: 8.25 CNE

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## OUR COMMITMENT

- Welcoming participants of all backgrounds to create an environment that is respectful and inclusive
- Healthy farm-to-table Californian cuisine - buffet breakfasts and lunches each day (built-in to registration fee)
- A beautiful environment surrounded by art and wellness practices
- One breakout session each day that allows for an immersion & depth of understanding in the topic of choice
- Opportunity for discussion and practical guidance
- Acknowledgment of excellence in ethics through the Nursing Ethics Leadership Award
- Ending Day One with a wine & hors d'oeuvre reception on the terrace

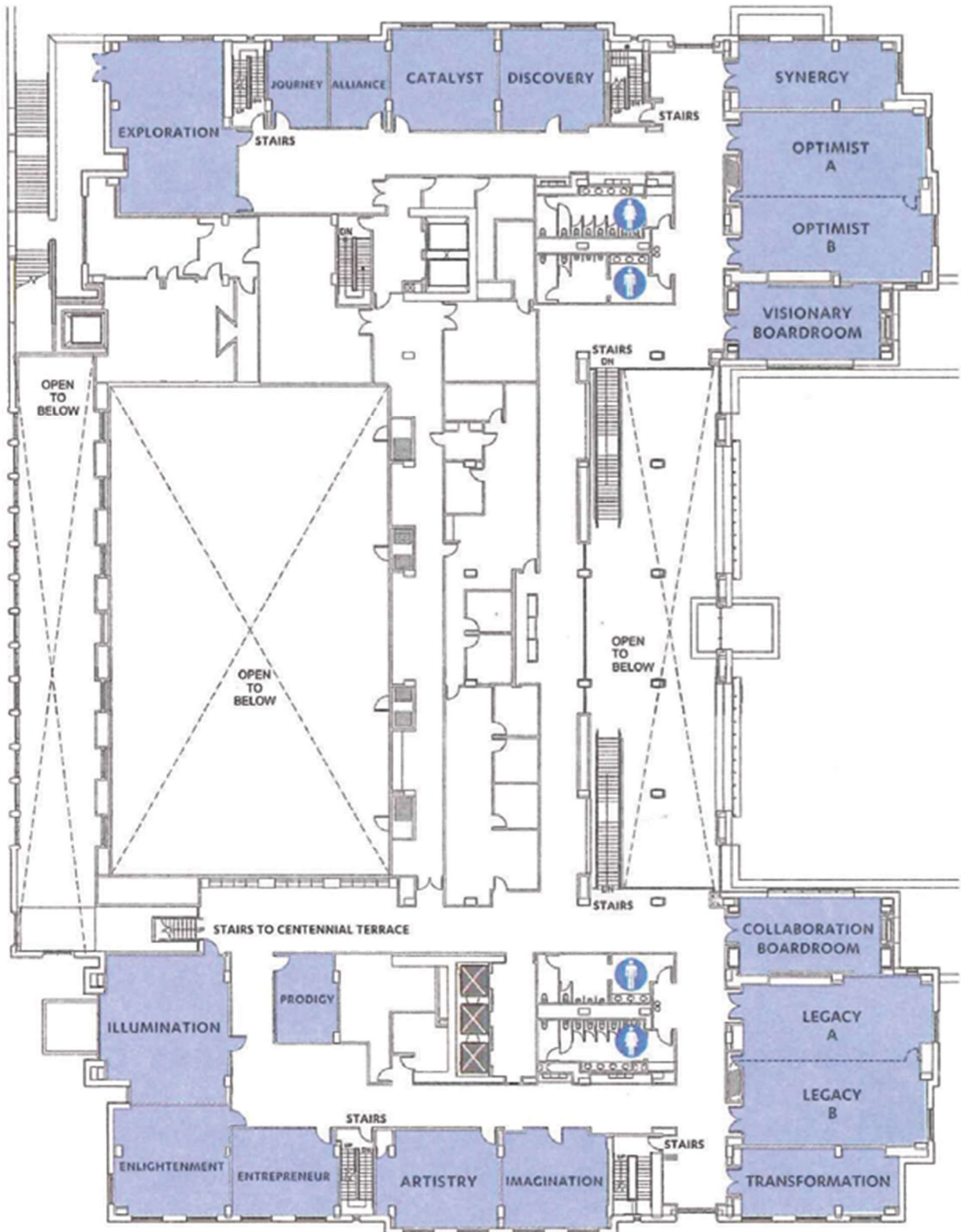
## CONFERENCE MEALS

Full Breakfast Buffet: 6:30 AM Thursday and Friday in the Centennial Foyer

Lunch Buffet: Thursday and Friday on the verandah (Centennial Terrace)

Reception: Thursday evening on the Centennial Terrace

Breakout Rooms, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, LUSKIN CONFERENCE CENTER FLOOR PLANS



*"The purpose of life is to discover your gift. The work of life is to develop it.  
The meaning of life is to give your gift away."*

DAVID VISCOTT



## DAY ONE: Agenda & Speakers

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LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA  
APRIL 4-5, 2024

**Thursday, April 4, 2024**

TIME	The Story of Nursing: Ethical Competence and Agency
6:30-7:30	Buffet Breakfast
7:45-8:00	Welcome – Katherine Brown-Saltzman, RN, MA
8:00-9:15 Centennial Ballroom	<p>Keynote</p> <p><b>Taking Care: The Story of Nursing and its Power to Change Our World</b></p> <p>Sarah DiGregorio Author</p>
9:15-9:45	Break and Poster Session - <i>Coffee, Tea &amp; Snacks</i>
9:45-11:00 Centennial Ballroom	<p>Plenary</p> <p><b>A Foundation of Moral Strength</b></p> <p>Christine Grady, MSN, PhD Chief, Dept of Bioethics, NIH Clinical Center</p>
11:00-11:10 Centennial Ballroom	Introduction to Discussion Session Competency Building
11:10 – 11:25	Break – <i>Coffee, Tea &amp; Snacks</i>
11:25-12:30 Centennial Ballroom	<p>Discussion Sessions for Competency Building</p> <p><b>Using Nursing Opportunities to Cultivate Cultures of Connection and Belonging</b></p> <p>NNEC Faculty &amp; Speakers</p>



<p><b>12:30-13:30</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Lunch – Served on the Veranda</b></p>
<p><b>13:30-15:15</b></p> <p>Optimist A</p> <p>Visionary Boardroom</p> <p>Catalyst</p> <p>Illumination</p> <p>Exploratory</p> <p>Optimist B</p> <p>Discovery</p>	<p><b>BREAKOUT SESSIONS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> <p>▪ <b><u>Building Skills and Competencies to Navigate the World of Advocacy and Healthcare Policy</u></b>  <b>Anna Dermenchyan, PhD, RN, CCRN-K, CPHQ</b>  Interim Chief Quality Officer of the Department of Medicine  UCLA Health</p> </li> <li> <p>▪ <b><u>Introduction to Nursing Ethics: A Relational Framework</u></b>  <b>Erin Marturano, MBE, MSN, RN</b>  Ethics Manager,  Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania</p> </li> <li> <p>▪ <b><u>Seeing Near and Seeing Far: Powerful Op-ed Writing for Nurses</u></b>  <b>Sarah DiGregorio</b>  Author</p> </li> <li> <p>▪ <b><u>Understanding Patients’ Perspectives About Ethical Challenges</u></b>  <b>Christine Grady, MSN, PhD</b>  Chief, Dept of Bioethics, NIH Clinical Center</p> </li> <li> <p>▪ <b><u>Enhancing Moral Agency and Decreasing Moral Distress: Hospital Policy is a Viable Tool for Clinicians</u></b>  <b>Ellen M. Robinson, RN, PhD, HEC-C, FAAN</b>  Nurse Ethicist &amp; Co-Leader, Optimum Care (Ethics) Committee/  Consultation Service Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA  <b>Brian P. Cyr, MSN, RN-BC</b>  Nurse Director and Ethicist, Massachusetts General Hospital  <b>Joan Henriksen, PhD, RN, HEC-C</b>  Clinical Ethicist, Allina Health  Faculty, University of Minnesota Center for Bioethics</p> </li> <li> <p>▪ <b><u>The Paradox of Over-responsibility and the Social Covenant of Nursing</u></b>  <b>Katie Boston-Leary, PhD, MBA, MHA, RN, NEA-BC</b>  Director, Nursing Programs American Nurses Association</p> </li> <li> <p>▪ <b><u>Mattering: Applications for Spiritual Self Care and Patient Care</u></b>  <b>Elizbeth Johnston Taylor, PhD, RN, FAAN</b>  Professor, Loma Linda University School of Nursing</p> </li> </ul>
<p><b>15:15-15:45</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Break &amp; Poster Session – Coffee, Tea &amp; Snacks</b></p>

15:45-16:45  
Centennial Ballroom



Closing:

**When the Nurse is a Patient: Employing Ethical Competence as We Advocate for Self and Others**

Melissa A. Fitzpatrick, MSN, RN, FAAN  
President,  
Kirby Bates Associates

16:45-17:30  
Centennial Ballroom



**Learning from an Ethics Leader – Interview with Award Recipient of the Ethics of Caring National Nursing Leader Ethics Award.**

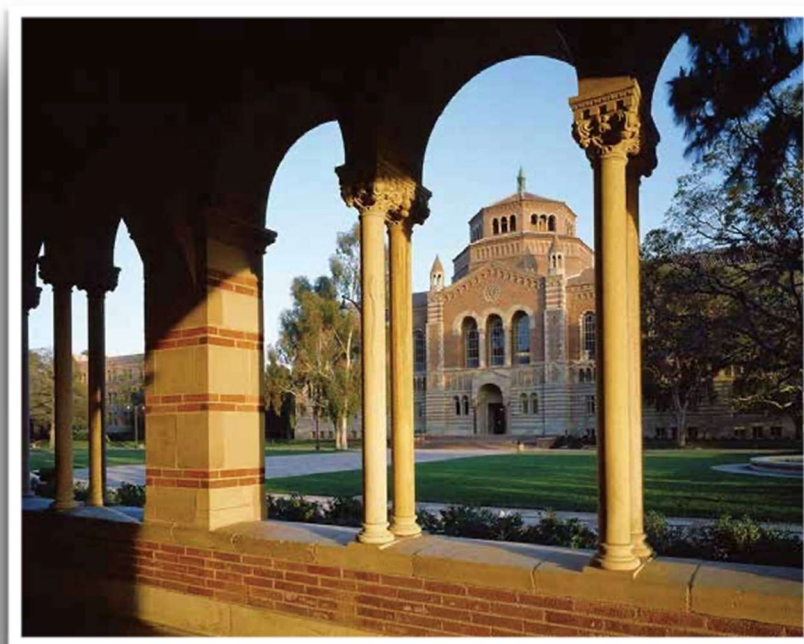
Lucia D. Wocial, PhD, FAAN, RN, HEC-C  
Senior Clinical Ethicist and Assistant Director John J. Lynch, MD Center for Ethics  
Senior Affiliate Faculty, Charles Warren Fairbanks Center for Medical Ethics, Indiana University  
Health Adjunct Professor, Georgetown University School of Nursing

17:30-17:40  
Centennial Ballroom

Evaluation and Closing Comments

17:40-18:45

**Reception on the Veranda**



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**NNEC DAY TWO: Agenda & Speakers**  
**Friday, April 5, 2024**

TIME	Reconnecting to Our Meaning and Purpose
06:00-07:00	Wellness Option Campus Morning Walk with (Ms. Soo Kwon Meet in Lobby)
06:30-07:30	Buffet Breakfast
07:45-08:00 Centennial Ballroom	Welcome – Angie Knackstedt, BSN, RN, NPD-BC
08:00-09:15 Centennial Ballroom	Keynote: <b>Lost and Found: Belonging through Meaning and Purpose</b> Katherine Brown-Saltzman, MA, RN  Emeritus, Co-director UCLA Health Ethics Center President, Ethics of Caring
9:15-9:45	Break and Poster Session - <i>Coffee, Tea &amp; Snacks</i>
9:45-11:00 Centennial Ballroom	Plenary: <b>The Necessary Transformation and Reshaping of Healthcare</b>  Katie Boston-Leary, PhD, MBA, MHA, RN, NEA-BC Director of Nursing Programs, American Nurses Association
11:00-11:15	Break - <i>Coffee, Tea &amp; Snacks</i>
11:15-12:30 Centennial Ballroom	Discussion Sessions for Competency Building Looking in the Mirror: Recognizing Our Past and Moving Forward with our Personal and Professional Stories NNEC Faculty & Speakers
12:30-13:30	Lunch – Served on the Veranda



<p><b>13:30-15:00</b></p> <p>Optimist B</p> <p>Discovery</p> <p>Catalyst</p> <p>Optimist A</p> <p>Exploratory</p> <p>Illumination</p>	<p><b>Breakouts</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> <p>■ <b><u>Infusing Joy in Our Ethical Framework of Leadership and Caring</u></b>  <b>Melissa A. Fitzpatrick, MSN, RN, FAAN</b>  President, Kirby Bates Associates</p> </li> <li> <p>■ <b><u>The Healing Power of Storytelling: Sharing Our Work, Our Words, and Our Humanity</u></b>  <b>JoAnne Auger, RN, CHPPN</b>  Caritas Coach© Supportive Care Nurse  Coordinator, Rady Children’s Hospital</p> </li> <li> <p>■ <b><u>Destigmatizing Substance Abuse Disorder in Nursing</u></b>  <b>Nancy Blake, PhD., RN, NEA-BC, FACHE, FAONL, FAAN</b>  Chief Nursing Officer, Angeles General Medical Center  Associate Adjunct Professor, UCLA School of Nursing</p> </li> <li> <p>■ <b><u>Early Arrivals: What Premature Birth Can Teach Us About Being Human</u></b>  <b>Sarah DiGregorio</b>  Author  <b>Elizabeth Kohlberg, MSHCE, BSN, RN, HEC-C</b>  St Louis Children’s Hospital</p> </li> <li> <p>■ <b><u>How Ethical Challenges Shape Who We Hope to be as Nurses</u></b>  <b>Lucia D. Wocial, PhD, FAAN, RN, HEC-C Senior</b>  Clinical Ethicist and Assistant Director, John J. Lynch, MD Center for Ethics  Senior Affiliate Faculty,  Charles Warren Fairbanks Center for Medical Ethics, Indiana University Health  Adjunct Professor, Georgetown University School of Nursing</p> </li> <li> <p>■ <b><u>Nursing Ethics Programs: Meaning, Purpose, &amp; Magnet Too</u></b>  <b>Heather Fitzgerald, DBe, MS, RN, HEC-C</b>  Director, Office Professional Fulfillment &amp; Resilience,  Stanford Children’s Health</p> <p><b>Karen Jones MS, RN, HEC-C</b>  Clinical Ethics Program Manager,  Children’s Hospital Colorado  Faculty, CU Center for Bioethics and Humanities and CU School of Medicine</p> <p><b>Angela Knackstedt, BSN, RN, NPD-BC</b>  Program Manager, Health Literacy &amp; Nursing Bioethics &amp; Director,  Certificate Program in Pediatric Bioethics, Children’s Mercy Kansas City</p> </li> </ul>
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<p><b>15:00-16:00</b> Centennial Ballroom</p> 	<p><b>Interview with recipients for the ANA DAISY Awards® for Ethics in Nursing Practice and Leadership</b></p> <p>Liz Stokes, PhD, JD, RN Director, Center for Ethics and Human Rights American Nurses Association</p> <p>Joined by Bonnie and Mark Barnes, Co-founders of the DAISY Foundation and Cynda Rushton, PhD, MSN, BSN, RN, FAAN, John Hopkins School of Nursing</p>
<p><b>16:00-16:15</b></p>	<p><i>Break - Coffee, Tea &amp; Snacks</i></p>
<p><b>16:15-16:40</b> Centennial Ballroom</p> 	<p><b>Ethics of Caring: Inspiring a Future Dialogue for Nursing Ethics</b></p> <p>Moderated by D. Wolfe, Ph.D., RN, HEC-C, Director of Ethics, Clinical Ethics Department, Children's Minnesota</p>
<p><b>16:40-17:25</b> Centennial Ballroom</p> 	<p><b>Closing: Lessons from the Rearview Mirror</b></p> <p>Brenda Barnum, MA Bioethics, BSN, RNC-NIC, HEC-C Clinical Ethicist &amp; RN Clinical Supervisor in NICCU Children's Hospital Los Angeles</p>
<p><b>17:25-17:30</b> Centennial Ballroom</p>	<p><b>Evaluation and Closing Comments</b></p>

## Breakout Speakers



**JoAnne Auger,**  
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MSHCE, BSN, RN, HEC-C

# 2024 National Nursing Ethics Conference Poster Presenters

**Vanessa Amos**

“Moral Distress Consultation Services: Insights from consultants” by Vanessa Amos, MSN, RN, CNL;  
Phyllis Whitehead, PhD, APRN, ACHPN, PMGT-BC, FNAP, FCNS, FAAN; Beth Epstein, PhD, RN, HEC-C,  
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**Jennifer Bartlett**

“Teaching moral agency: A model for education” by Jennifer L. Bartlett, PhD, RN-BC, CNE, CHSE;  
Catherine E. Robichaux, PhD, RN

**Dyane Bunnell**

“A Moral Distress Consult Service in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit” by Dyane Bunnell, DNP, APRN,  
AOCNS, CPON, NPD-BC

**Helen Chapple**

“Help wanted in maintaining humanity: Technology, ICU nurses and death” by Helen S. Chapple, PhD,  
MA, MSN; Megan Gillen, RN

**Julia Chou**

“The nature of ethical conflicts and moral distress in the NICU and PICU” by Julia Chou, BSN, RN; Carol  
Lynn Pillsbury Pavlish, PhD, RN; Katherine A. Brown-Saltzman, MA, RN

**Darcy Copeland (2 posters)**

“A hospital-based inter-disciplinary ethics fellowship” by Darcy Copeland, PhD, RN

“A model of moral ecology in nursing” by Darcy Copeland, PhD, RN

**Kara Curry**

“The 2025 Code of Ethics for Nurses: Relational, iterative, and forward-thinking” by Kara Curry, MA, RN,

HEC-C and Jennifer L. Bartlett PhD, RN-BC, CNE, CHSE

Hilary Gorgol

“An educational program to address levels of moral distress in inpatient oncology nurses” by Hilary Gorgol, BSN, RN CHPN; Ellen Robinson PhD, RN; Katharine M Gerne MA, M. Div, BCC; Jennifer Mulqueen M. Div; Christine Marmen MEd, MSN, RN, OCN; Lauren DeMarco LISCW, ACHP-SW; Debra Lundquist PhD, RN

Katy Hall

“Exploring nurses’ perceptions of mattering within the hospital work environment” by Katy Hall, PhD candidate, MSN, RN; Beth Epstein, PhD, RN, HEC-C, FAAN

Shika Kalevor

“Everyday ethics and equity at the bedside” by Shika Kalevor, MBE, BSN, RN; Angela Knackstedt, BSN, RN, NPD-BC

Elizabeth Kantor

“Crafting ethical cultures and cultivating moral agency in clinical environments to promote resiliency practices” by Elizabeth Kantor, BSN, RN, HEC-C

Erin Keith-Chancy (2 posters)

“Integration of trauma-informed practices for end-of-life care in the NICU” by Erin Keith-Chancy DNP (c)

“Seeing beyond ourselves: Using VR with activity bundles to inspire perspective-taking and expand moral agency” by Erin Joy Keith-Chancy DNP(c)

Erin Marturano

“Supporting nurse leaders with ethics education & leadership development” by Erin Marturano, MBE, MSN, RN, HEC-C; Aliza Narva, JD, MSN, RN, HEC-C; Meghan Fitzpatrick, DNP, RN, NEA-BC; Christina Salemo, DNP, RN, AGCNS-BC



**Sarah Merkle**

**“Role of nursing leadership in supporting nurses with moral distress” by Kelly Sanchez MSN OCN; Sarah Merkle MSN RN CNS-BC NE-BC**

**Alyssa Morris**

**“Strategies to enhance resilience for nurses in pediatric acute care settings” by Alyssa Morris, Ph.D.; Seirra Kuzava, Ph.D.; Karolina Grotkowski Reed, Ph.D.; Corrina Klein, Ph.D.; Alyssa Palmer, Ph.D.; Agustina Bertone, Ph.D.; Catherine Mogil, PsyD**

**Joyce Neumann**

**“Development of a program to promote nurses’ moral agency and empower them to identify and assist in the resolution of ethical issues” by Joyce L. Neumann, PhD, AOCN, HECOC, FAAN**

**Laura Nold**

**“Enhancing student confidence and competence in ethical decision making to reduce burnout” by Laura Nold, MSN, RN, CPN, CNE**

**Linda Olson**

**“Ethical climate as a force for nurse retention and moral agency” by Linda L. Olson, PhD, RN, NEA-BC, FAAN**

**Caitlin Reaves**

**“Impact of staffing models on nurse well-being” by Caitlin Reaves, BSN, RN, CPN; Kaitlyn Trevino, MSN, APRN, ACCNS-P, CPN; Jessica Roumillat, MA, LCSW, HEC-C; Elaine Beardsley, MN, ACCNS-P**

**Jessica Rong**

**“Providing nurse residents the tools to recognize and respond to ethical dilemmas in practice” by Jessica Rong, MSN, RN, CCRN**

**Christine Samual-Nakamura**

**“Ethics in conducting empirical research with American Indians” by C. Samuel-Nakamura, PhD and Felicia Schanche Hodge, DrPH.**

**Bettina Shank**

**“Everyone matters! Nurses leading the way through the ethical principles of practicing CIVILITY” by Bettina Shank DNP, RN, CNE; Amy Black DNP, APRN, FNP-C; Eve Rice DNP, MSN, CPNP-PC**

**Felicia E. Stokes**

**“Empowering nurses’ moral agency in the care of persons with IDD” by Catherine E. Robichaux, PhD, RN; Kathleen M. Fisher, PhD, CRNP; Felicia E. Stokes, MA, JD, RN; Jeanie L. Sauerland, MA, RN**

**Sandi Strome**

**“Multidisciplinary collaborative ethics education program at an academically affiliated federal healthcare system” by Sandi Strome, MSN, PHN, RN; Elissa Brown, MSN, RN, PMHCNS-BC; Jason Overby, MS, GNP-BC, HEC-C; Robert Simonet, Jr., MPA, VHA-CM**

**Sarah Sumner**

**“Moral Injury and moral resilience among ICU nurses: Differences by ethics activities” by Sarah Sumner PhD RN CCRN OCN CHPN; Eva Ahmad BSN RN CCRN; Karis Pickett BSN RN CCRN**

**Lieutenant Whitlock**

**“The vulnerability of cancer: nurses bringing expertise to patients with urgent needs” by Kimberly J. Whitlock, DNP, FNP-C, ACNP-BC; Daniela J. Casbourne, FNP-BC, AGACNP-BC, AOCNP; Ashley Glenn, MSN, RN, CNL; Tricia Mignott, BSN, RN, BMTCN**

**Ian Wolfe**

**“Intractable conflict in pediatric critical care: A case examination and analysis of futility” by Ian D. Wolfe, PhD, RN, CCRN**

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