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➤ President's Message

PET - Practice question, Evidence and Translation



Hello to our old Fellows and welcome to our new Fellows! The Hong Kong College of Education and Research in Nursing (HKCERN) consists of 134 Fellows, serving in different sectors, including university settings (47%), schools of nursing in Hospital Authority or post-secondary institutions (32%) and clinical care or management (21%). Though our Fellows are practising in different work places or settings, all have been awarded the title of Fellow by the Provisional Hong Kong Academy of Nursing [FHKAN (Education and/or Research)], thus being well versed in education and/or actively engaged in research. The ultimate goal of education and research in nursing is to support healthcare services in order to achieve the best possible quality of care and optimal health outcomes.

In the first two years, the HKCERN had admitted Fellow members who were mainly involved in

pre- or post-registration nurse education. We have continued to have outstanding individuals who are in the above category but in this year, we have also admitted clinicians/managers who have demonstrated outstanding performance in patient and family education. The realization of the significant and intertwined relationships between nursing education, research and practice can probably be expressed through the process of PET (i.e., Practice question, Evidence and Translation process) advocated by Johns Hopkins Nursing Evidence-based Practice Model and Guidelines (Newhouse et al 2007). The HKCERN now has good representation of Fellows who can pose meaningful practice questions, generate evidence through research and translate new knowledge into practice. Through the PET process, we can enhance the competence of learners of our next generation and optimize health of the clients that we serve. The HKCERN should definitely take advantage of this multi-talented team to make nursing in Hong Kong stronger, together hand-in-hand with other Academy Colleges of the PHKAN.

Two main objects of the PHKAN are to facilitate the exchange of information in the art of science of nursing and protect the public by regulating the standards of advanced nursing practice. To achieve the ultimate statutory status and these objects, we need to set up examinations to confirm and uphold the competence and standards of our advanced practice nurses in Hong Kong. The PHKAN has recently set up an Education Committee to ensure that the training and examinations set by the Academy Colleges are of good standard, being comparable to the international standards of recognized academy and professional associations of nursing. The HKCERN needs input from each of the Fellows to contribute in various capacities, including being mentors, educators and examiners. Please do take the initiation to approach us in the area that you can offer help. Let us join hands and make our nurses be a strong professional group to serve the community of Hong Kong, being a city that shines and shares international pride!

Reference : Newhouse, R.P., Dearholt, S.L., Poe, S.S., Pugh, L.C., & White, K.M. (2007). Johns Hopkins nursing evidence-based practice model and guidelines. Indianapolis, IN: Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing.

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Prof Wai Tong CHIEN Dr Winnie KW SO Prof Frances WONG

Activity Highlights !!

Charity Film Show (13 August 2013)



The Provisional Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (PHKAN), in collaboration with her 14 Colleges and The Hong Kong Polytechnic University organized a charity film show entitled "Go Grandriders". The show was well received and raised HK\$310,000 for the PHKAN

The 50th Anniversary Nursing Conference

(11 January 2014)

The 50th Anniversary Nursing Conference of the College of Nursing Hong Kong was held on 11 January 2014 at Panda Hotel to celebrate The College's 'golden' Anniversary. The theme of the conference was "Nurses: A force for change • A vital resource for health".

(Photo 1: The 4th person from the right)
Prof. Frances Wong, President of HKCERN with the Conference Organizing Committee members and the delegates

(Photo 2): Prof. Frances Wong (middle) with the College Presidents of College of Nursing of Taiwan (left) and China (right)



Photo 1



Photo 2

HKCERN would like to hear from our Fellows!

If you have any news or anything that you would like to share with other Fellows, please let us know and we can feature it in the upcoming HKCERN newsletter!

Please contact us at hkcern@gmail.com

MCQ Workshop II

(18 Jan 2014 and 15 February 2014)



The MCQ Workshop II held by the HKCERN was conducted on two days in the beginning of this year for meeting the demands of nurse educators and members of the PHKAN's Colleges for learning examination questions setting. Dr Marie Tarrant, Fellow of the HKCERN and Associate Professor of School of Nursing, The University of Hong Kong was invited to be the guest speaker. Similar to the previous workshops, this workshop was held successfully and well-received by 82 participants.

Enhancement of Teaching and Learning in Specialty Nursing Programs (February 2014)



The Hospital Authority (HA) commissioned course “Enhancement of Teaching and Learning in Specialty Nursing Program” was conducted for the nurses working in the HA. Its aim was to enhance the competence of nurses in clinical teaching and mentoring in their nursing specialty and uphold the quality of clinical teaching to nurse learners. A total number of 40 nurses attended two sets of the 3-day program. The speakers were the HKCERN fellows, including Ms. Kitty Chan, Ms. Sharon Cheung, Prof. Wai-tong Chien, Dr. Betty Chung, Dr. Enid Kwong, Dr. Sharron Leung, Mr. Roger Ng, and Prof. Frances Wong.

Health Carnival (9 April 2014)



The HKCERN participated in the Health Carnival organized by the PHKAN themed “Vector-borne Disease”. It was held on 9 April 2014.

A group of nursing students from Grantham Hospital and The Hong Kong Polytechnic University assisted and ran the booths of the HKCERN, using creative games and colourful presentations.



Fellowship Conferment (10 May 2014)



The Third Fellowship Conferment of the PHKAN and her Colleges was held in May 2014 at the Academy of Medicine. A total of 61 Fellows of the HKCERN were conferred in the ceremony. The Council members of the HKCERN had set up a booth there to welcome and support the new Fellows.



International Nurses Day (IND) dinner (9 May 2014)

The day before the Fellowship Conferment, over 1,200 nurses gathered at Kowloon Bay International Trade and Exhibition Centre to celebrate the International Nurses Day.



A List of 61 new fellows of the HKCERN in 2014



CHAN, Hin Cheong	CHAN, Keung Sum	CHAN, Mei Fung Wendy	CHAN, Mei Yuen Natalie
CHAN, Sau Man Conny	CHAN, Yee Han	CHANG, Mang Chi	CHENG, Kin Fong
CHEUNG, Yuen Yee Sophia	CHIANG, Chung Lim Vico	CHUI, Miu Ling	CHUNG, Oi Kwan
FUNG, Suk Fun Janny	FUNG, Wai Man Olivia	HONG, Wai Lin Athena	HUNG, Tao Ying
KAN, Ching Yee Eva	KWAN, Si Chee	KWOK, Che Ying	LAI, Tze Kwan Theresa
LAM, Ching Yee	LAM, Lai Wah	LAM, Mui Ying Wendy	LAM, Sin Ting Phenita
LAM, Suk Fun	LAM, Yin Ming	LAU, Tak Yin	LAW, Man Ching
LAW, Sheung Lan Winnie	LEE, Chu Kee Angel	LEE, Kam Man	LEUNG, Yee Man Angela
LI, Ho Cheung William	LIT, Siu Wan	LIU, Yat Wa Justina	LIU, Ye Wah Eva
LO, Sau Kuen	LUK, Leung Andrew	MAK, Chui Ling	NG, Ting Yan Bernadette
NGAI, Fei Wan	PANG, Chui Ping Phyllis	SHIU, Yui Fai	SIU, Sau Mei Esther
TANG, Hing Wan Stephen	TANG, May Ling	TANG, Yuet Mei	TSANG, Kam Wing Edwin
TSO, Shing Yu Alice	TSOI, Yuen Yee Candy	WAN, Shuk Yin Ava	WANG, Shao Ling
WONG, Cheung Kwan Cynthia	WONG, Ka Po	WONG, Suk-ying Peggy	
WONG, Tip Ching Sally	WONG, Tze Wing	WONG, Yee Man, Rebecca	
WONG, Yuen Fung	YIP Ka Huen	YU, Lei King	



Upcoming

Event !!

The HKCERN AGM and scientific meeting 2014

Topic: Holistic Nursing -- to care with soul

(全人護理 - 照顧與自顧)

Date: 22 November 2014.

Time: 10am – 2pm

Invited speaker:

Rev. Van Wai-chuen Lo,

Associate General Secretary, Association of Hong Kong Hospital Christian Chaplaincy Ministry Ltd.

Ms. Lucy Chung RN, RM, MSc (Psychosocial Palliative Care),

Family Therapist, Somatic Experiencing Practitioner (Trauma therapy),

Director, Health Care & Communication Consultants Ltd.



**PLEASE MARK DOWN ON YOUR DIARY!
MORE INFORMATION WILL BE
ANNOUNCED VERY SOON!**

Announcements

Election of HKCERN Council Members

2015-17



An invitation letter for nomination has been sent to Fellows of HKCERN. There are a total of 20 seats in this election. Please nominate suitable candidates for the 2015 - 2017 Council election!

Academy Fellowships and Specialist Titles

The following Academy Fellowships are quotable qualifications approved by the PHKAN

Designation in Full	College Specialties & Abbreviations
Fellow of the Provisional Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (Education & Research) 臨時香港護理專科學院院士 (教育及科研)	FHKAN (Education & Research) 香港護專院士 (教育及科研)
Fellow of the Provisional Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (Education & Research - Education) 臨時香港護理專科學院院士 (教育及科研 - 教育)	FHKAN (Education & Research- Education) 香港護專院士 (教育及科研 - 教育)
Fellow of the Provisional Hong Kong Academy of Nursing (Education & Research - Research) 臨時香港護理專科學院院士 (教育及科研 - 科研)	FHKAN (Education & Research- Research) 香港護專院士 (教育及科研 - 科研)

CONGRATULATION MESSAGE

Congratulations to Dr. Angela McBride, the honorary advisor of the HKCERN, who received honorary doctorate 'Doctor of Science' from Indiana University, USA on 11 May 2014.



President Michael McRobbie (left) described the contributions of Dr Angela McBride (right) being recognised with an honorary doctorate.



(From left to right): President Michael McRobbie, Dr Angela McBride, Dean Marion Broome, and Chancellor Charles Bantz.

Congratulations to Prof. Diana Lee, Fellow of the HKCERN and the Chair Professor of the Nethersole School of Nursing at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, has been elected as the Chairman of the Hong Kong Nursing Council.



9th International Council of Nurses (ICN) International Nurse Practitioner / Advanced Practice Nursing Network (INP/APNN) Conference

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