



**School of Nursing**

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON

**Doctoral  
Graduation Celebration &  
Hooding Ceremony**

**May 13, 2022**

Signe Skott Cooper Hall  
701 Highland Avenue  
Madison, Wisconsin

*In collaboration, in caring, in research, in innovation, we lead to the future of health and health care—for Wisconsin and the world. Developing leaders for the profession and society—we make discoveries, enhance systems, and improve health through research, education, and practice.*



## **Processional**

### **Welcome**

**Linda D. Scott, PhD, RN, NEA-BC, FNAP, FAAN**  
*Dean and Professor*

### **Remarks to the Graduates**

**Nancy Joan Beale, MSN, RN, RN-BC**  
*PhD Candidate*

**Ashley Jane Fielek, BSN, RN, CNOR**  
*DNP Candidate*

### **Presentation of Awards**

#### **DNP Excellence Award**

Rachel Philipps Chenoweth, BSN, RN, DNP Candidate

#### **Signe Skott Cooper Writing Award**

Nisreen Alnuaimi, MSN, RN, PhD Candidate

### **Announcement of Graduates**

**Kristine L. Kwekkeboom, PhD, RN, FAAN**  
*PhD Program Director*

**Pamela A. McGranahan, DNP, PHNA-BC, PMHNP-BC**  
*DNP Program Director*

*Please no photography during the hooding so all guests can see and enjoy the event. Dean Scott will be available for photos with graduates and guests immediately following the ceremony.*

### **Alumni Welcome**

**Mary Francois, DNP '16, RN**  
*Nurses Alumni Organization Board Member*

### **Closing Remarks**

**Linda D. Scott, PhD, RN, NEA-BC, FNAP, FAAN**  
*Dean and Professor*

## **Recessional**

## **Doctor of Philosophy** **Graduates and Dissertation Titles**

**Nancy Joan Beale** <sup>Σ</sup>  
*Technology Acceptance in Nursing*

**Andrea Strayer**  
*Older Peoples' Social Processes of Living with Degenerative Spine Disease*

## **Doctor of Nursing Practice** **Graduates and Scholarly Project Titles**

**Lisa Jean Fick Bermant** <sup>Σ</sup>  
*Improving Educational Material Quality and Access for Adults with Substance Use*

**Laura J. Bradstreet** <sup>Σ</sup>  
*Enhancing Pediatric Readiness Among Registered Nurses in an Urban Community Emergency Department*

**Katherine C. Brey**  
*Increasing Nurse Knowledge of Electronic Resources at Meriter Hospital*

**Sarah Jo Brosman**  
*Quality Improvement of Pain Assessments in an Inpatient Setting*

**Rachel Philipps Chenoweth** <sup>Σ</sup>  
*Project SENDing IT (Safety Enhancement through Naloxone Distribution in Treatment) Safely*

**Alexandra Leigh DiFulvio**  
*Peer Support Groups to Reduce Burnout in Outpatient Behavioral Health Nurses at UW Health*

**Anna Kathryn Doughty** <sup>Σ</sup>  
*Improving Nurse Assessment & Documentation of Pressure Injury in Patients with Dark Skin Tones: A Quality Improvement Project, Phase Two*

**Brenda Lea Ellickson**  
*Implementing Best Practices to Reduce Physical Restraint Use in the Intensive Care Unit*

**Ashley Jane Fielek** <sup>Σ</sup>  
*Developing Processes to Enhance Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation Quality, Guideline Adherence, and Clinician Practice*

**Laura Anne Goggins** <sup>Σ</sup>

*Evaluation of Drug Treatment Court in Marathon County*

**Rhiannon Gunther** <sup>Σ</sup>

*Early Mobilization in a Surgical/Trauma Pediatric Intensive Care Unit*

**Dannielle Harmsen**

*Increasing Enrollment of Pediatric Providers into the Wisconsin Child Psychiatry Consultation Program*

**Alyssa Holcombe**

*Improving Nursing Education, Assessment, and Intervention to Prevent Respiratory Device-Related Pressure Injuries – A Quality Improvement Project*

**Oren Jacobs**

*Promoting Emergency Department Uptake of the Geriatric Falls and Mobility Protocol*

**Allison Joy Johnson**

*Empowering the Frontline: A Structured Staff Input Program to Improve Nurse Engagement*

**Alexandra Christine Koch**

*Using TeamSTEPPS to Improve RN-NA Teamwork and Communication for HAPI Prevention*

**Tenzin Lhamo**

*Evaluation of Tibetan Health Council and Health Information Center*

**Emily Ruth Lichte** <sup>Σ</sup>

*Evaluating and Supporting an Individualized Workplace Wellness Program*

**Erin Elizabeth MacMillan**

*Decreasing Provider Burnout and Frustration through Implementation of EPIC's Synopsis View*

**Michael Matye**

*Improving discharge protocols to reduce VH a psychiatric readmissions*

**Rose Marie Mayo** <sup>Σ</sup>

*Implementing an Early Childhood Health Consultation Program in Wisconsin: Outreach to Early Care & Educator Providers*

**Samantha Fay Mazur**

*Wait and See Treatment for Pediatric Acute Otitis Media: Assessing Rates of Antibiotic Usage*

**Danielle McClone**

*Human Trafficking Education in Wisconsin Pre-Licensure Nursing Programs*

**Hasmik Morales**

*Identification of At-risk Patients for Perioperative Neurocognitive Disorders and Multimodal Interventions to Reduce Incidence Rates*

**Hannah Lucile Tepsa Peterson**

*Improving Symptom Monitoring at Pleasant View Nursing Home*

**Nick Pflum**

*Evaluating Documentation Practices of Nurses at UW Hospital: A Review of the Utility of Surge Documentation*

**Larissa Reinen** <sup>Σ</sup>

*Creating a Wisconsin Medicaid Policy to Cover Device Used in the Treatment of Glioblastoma Multiforme Brain Tumors*

**Matthew David Reuter** <sup>Σ</sup>

*Infusion Rate Monitor Use in Oncology with Peripheral Venous Vesicant Administration*

**Corey Smith**

*Implementation of the Push-Pull Method for Blood Draws of ICU Patients with Central Lines*

**Emily Tyl**

*Second Syphilis Screening for Pregnant Patients*

**Katherine Bernice Walczak**

*Post Discharge Phone Calls for Patients Released from an Inpatient Medical Oncology Unit*

**Garrett Williams**

*Evaluating Supports Provided to Informal Caregivers of People Living with Dementia Admitted to a Dementia Crisis Stabilization Unit*

**Padao Yang** <sup>Σ</sup>

*Exposure, Relaxation, and Rescripting Therapy for Hmong Clients with Trauma-Related Nightmares in Madison, WI*

## Honorary Degree Recipient

### **Earnest J. Grant PhD, RN, FAAN, ANA President**

Dr. Earnest Grant will be awarded an honorary degree at the University of Wisconsin-Madison Doctoral Commencement. Dr. Grant is the current president of the American Nurses Association and a burn care expert known for his work treating victims of 9/11.

*“Dr. Grant’s life-altering impact on health through fire and burn prevention, treatment and education is inspirational. Equally, Dr. Grant was entrusted to lead the country’s largest association of nurses at a critical turning point in history when nurses were unsustainably overburdened by their efforts on the frontlines of the COVID-19 pandemic. The impact of his leadership has been profound.”*

*– Linda D. Scott*





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