

The monthly organizational update for IACRN members.

In the Loop...

August 2014



Time is running out!



The early-bird deadline for conference registration is **August**

31st!

Don't wait another day - [register now!](#)

Hotel rooms are going fast due to city-wide conferences the weekends before and after our November dates. We are not able to hold rooms once the hotel is sold out. Please book your room today!

Hotel Information:

Revere Hotel, Boston, Massachusetts USA

Discounted Room Rate: \$249/night

IACRN Room Block is from November 4-November 7

To reserve your room online, [click here.](#)

If you have any questions or difficulties in registering, please send a message to hlabovitz@iacrn.org for assistance.



Upcoming Special Webinar:

Developing Your Presentation: Tips for Success

Tuesday, September 9, 2014

1:00 - 2:00 PM EDT (USA)

Approved for one (1.0) contact hour

Presented by:

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Webinar Objectives:

- After listening to this presentation, attendees will be able to:
- a. Discuss components of being an effective presenter.
 - b. Discuss ways to improve your PowerPoint presentation.

System Requirements

PC-based attendees require: Windows® 8, 7, Vista, XP or 2003 Server

Mac®-based attendees require: Mac OS® X 10.6 or newer

Mobile attendees require: iPhone®, iPad®, Android™ phone or Android tablet

Reserve your Webinar seat now by clicking the link below or copy and paste the link into your browser.

<https://www3.gotomeeting.com/register/204009342>

Please share this notice with any colleagues who may be interested in attending this presentation.

Space is limited.

The cost is \$15.00 for IACRN Members / \$25.00 for Non-members, and due upon registration. You will be directed to a payment web page after you have completed your registration. Within two business days of making payment, you will receive a computer link/information via email from gotowebinar@citrixonline that will enable you to join the webinar. Check your spam folder if you do not receive a confirmation email. Contact Pam Vogel at pam.vogel@iacrn.org with any questions.

This continuing nursing education activity was approved by the Georgia Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

Call for Nominations

Positions to be filled:

Secretary:

The Secretary shall maintain all records as required by law; oversee the proper recording of the proceedings of the general membership and of the BoD; shall submit minutes to the BoD for approval and shall make approved minutes available to the general membership within 30 days of the meeting; shall manage and direct activities of the Association as approved by the BoD and shall be responsible to the BoD and shall perform other duties as assigned by the Bylaws and the BoD, including but not limited to the following:

1. Maintaining correspondence for the Association by answering IACRN email
2. Notifying members of meetings
3. Supporting the duties of the President & BoD
4. Coordinating nominations and elections
5. Appointing an alternate when unable to participate in a meeting

Board Member-at-Large:

The Members-at-Large shall serve on the BoD and shall complete requests by the BoD to edit documents, provide feedback or provide information. They shall be required to participate in at least one Association committee as a BoD liaison. They shall assist with raising awareness about the mission and goals of the Association to the community and complete specific tasks and assignments of the BoD as needed. There shall be two Members-at-Large at any given time, each serving a two-year term which shall expire on alternating years.

Please [click here](#) for further details regarding nominations and the Application Form.

All nominations are due by Monday, September 15th.

Conference Agenda

The Conference Planning Committee has been hard at work creating a conference schedule that is jam-packed with useful and interesting information.

Our pre-conference day of Wednesday, November 5th has numerous options for everyone.

The two full conference days of Thursday, November 6th and Friday, November 7th are overflowing with speakers and sessions insured to pique your interest!

To view the **TENTATIVE** conference agenda, [click here](#).



[Annual Conference Sponsorship](#)

Do you know an organization, university or hospital which may be interested in helping to sponsor our IACRN Conference? There are many ways that a group can be part of this great event! They can rent an exhibitor table, be a part of University Row, or explore another sponsorship opportunity. [Click Here](#) for a link to our Exhibitor Prospectus and please feel free to pass it on...

Welcome to our newest members!

The Membership, Marketing and Communications committee would like to cordially welcome the following members who joined IACRN since July 1st, 2014:

Fatima Glee Cabales	Ministry of Health, United Arab Emirates
Lisa Marshall	Southern New Hampshire Health Systems
Emily Pierce	Wilmot Cancer Institute, University of Rochester
Susan Tse	MD Anderson Cancer Center, University of Texas
Zejuan Wang	Beijing Shijitan Hospital, China



IACRN Members:

**How would you like to win a
FREE conference?**

There's still time left!!!

Beginning May 19th through September 15th, for each new or reinstated* member that you refer to IACRN you will earn a chance to win a free conference registration for the 6th Annual Conference to be held in Boston, MA, November 5-7, 2014! The drawing will be held on September 30th. Registration fees already paid will be reimbursed.

So, Grab a Member and Go!

By tapping into your network of colleagues and recruiting them to become members of IACRN, you are contributing to the development and growth of our organization. Membership and growth are vital components of a healthy association and multiply our efforts to produce meaningful membership benefits. Growing IACRN means more resources and support for our members and a larger network of professionals dedicated to clinical research nursing.

Simply ensure that the individuals that you refer to IACRN provide your name on their membership application when joining so that you can receive credit for your efforts. All new member applications & reinstated member* applications received with your name on it between May 19th and September 15th, 2014 will give you a chance to win. So please, keep talking to your colleagues about IACRN!

**Reinstated members are defined as members who have not been active since December 2012 or earlier.*

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