



American Board of Nursing Specialties

Promoting Excellence in Nursing Certification

*ABNS 2017 Spring
Conference*

March 2-4, 2017

Clearwater Beach, Florida

Save the Date

ABNS Fall Conference

October 13-14, 2017

The Westin O'Hare
6100 North River Road
Rosedale, IL 60018



Spring Conference Information

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The conference evaluation is located in the meeting folder documents. Please complete the survey and return it to the ABNS registration table prior to departure.

NOTE: In order to receive your certificate of completion and continuing education credits, you must complete the evaluation for ONLY those sessions that you attended. Even if you do not require continuing education credit, we kindly ask that you complete this evaluation as your comments and suggestions are very valuable to us.

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ABNS awards contact hours for nurses and advanced practice nurses and association executives.

ABNS calculates the maximum number of education credit hours (per person) for the assembly to be 10.0 hours per person.

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Friday Afternoon Break

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Our collective mission of advancing expert care in serious illness takes on a greater meaning as we look to the future of an ever-changing healthcare landscape. Our goal is to enable certification for all nurses.

Spring Conference Schedule

Agenda

(Subject to change)

Time	Thursday, March 2	Room
9am - 5pm	Accreditation Board for Specialty Nursing Certification, Inc. Meeting (for elected Board members)	Sandpiper I
Time	Friday, March 3	Room
7:45am - 9am	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	Dunes Foyer
8am - 8:30am CE/CAE: 0.5	<p><i>Accreditation Overview and Q & A by ABSNC Board of Directors</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>James Stobinski, PHD, RN, CNOR®</i> • <i>Dottie Roberts, EdD, MSN, MACI, RN, OCNS-C®, CMSRN®, CNE</i> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review revisions to the ABSNC certification program accreditation standards 4, 5, 6, 7, 11 & 12. 	Dunes IV
8:45am - 12noon CE/CAE: 3	<p>ABNS Assembly Meeting (Led by Leslie Ann Patry unless otherwise noted below)</p> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To describe key initiatives that ABNS is exploring. • To discuss open elected positions in the organization. <p>Call to Order</p> <p>Review/Approval of Agenda</p> <p>Announcements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sponsorships • Contact and CAE Hours • ABNS Board of Directors/Staff • 1st Time Participants • Auditors • Speakers <p>Appointments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parliamentarian (1) 	Dunes III

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Election Tellers (2) <p>Approval of Consent Agenda:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spring 2016 meeting minutes • ABNS organizational report • ABNS statement of financial position <p>Committee/Liaison Reports and Updates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awards and Recognition Committee - Bob Blackwood • Research Committee • Update on the Value of Convening • Nominations and Elections - Adele Foerster <p>Celebrating Milestones and Anniversaries of ABNS Member Organizations</p> <p>Unfinished Business</p> <p>New Business</p> <p>ABSNC Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction of ABSNC Board members • Recognition of outgoing Board member • Recognition of accreditation/reaccreditation • ABSNC election 	
12noon - 1:30pm	LUNCH	Dunes IV
1:30pm - 3:30pm CE/CAE: 2	<p><i>Organizational Sharing</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Leslie Anne Patry, RN, BScN, MScN</i> • <i>C. Lynne Grief, PhD, RN, CEN</i> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To describe innovative models of certification. • To discuss different models of organizational collaboration. <p>Regular Members:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Discuss the different issues you are experiencing regarding certification, renewals, testing... Coping with disgruntled users and making the process easy and understandable. 	Dunes III

	<p>2. Developing standards for continuing competence for recertification.</p> <p>3. What has been the impact of the convening meetings and value of certification discussion? Has your organization pursued any new research topics and have there been any outcomes? What are the perceived values and what types of obstacles have you been presented with in the pursuit of your initiatives?</p> <p>Affiliate Members:</p> <p>1. What technological innovations has your company implemented or is considering for certification?</p> <p>2. What technological trends do you see in the future that may change certification (i.e. live on-line proctoring)?</p> <p>Q & A and Dialogue (30 minutes)</p>	
2:45pm - 3pm	BREAK	
3:30pm - 5pm CE/CAE: 1.5	<p>Keynote Presentation - The Changing Landscape of Health Care: The Impact of US Political Paradigm Shifts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gloria Donnelly, PhD, RN, FAAN; Drexel University <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> To discuss the potential impact to certification secondary to US political leadership change. To analyze potential market driven changes that may impact certification. 	Dunes III
5pm	RECESS	
5:30pm - 6:30pm	WELCOME RECEPTION	Pelican
Time	Saturday, March 4	Room
7:30am - 8:30am	CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	Dunes Foyer
8:30am	RECONVENE	
8:30am - 10am CE/CAE: 1.5	<p>Panel Discussion on the 2016 Presidential Election (Moderated by Lisa Thiemann, PhD, CRNA, FNAP; NBCRNA) with Perspectives from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hospital/healthcare Perspective - <i>Albert Rudio, Jr., PhD, DNP, RN, ARPN, NEA-BC, CARN-AP, FNAP, FIAAN, FAAN; ABNS</i> Certification/Credentialing Perspective - <i>Diane Thompkins, MS, RN; American Nurses Credentialing Center</i> University & Higher Education Perspective - <i>Gloria Donnelly, PhD, RN, FAAN, FCPP; Drexel University</i> 	Dunes III

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACA Change and Impact to APRNS – <i>Maureen Cahill, NCSBN</i> • Global and International Perspective – <i>Leslie Ann Patry, RN, BScN, MScN; NBCRNA & President, ABNS</i> • Business Perspective – <i>Jeffrey LaRiche, MA; Castle Worldwide, Inc.</i> <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To discuss various organizational leadership perspectives on the changing political landscape in the USA. • To describe how organizations can better prepare themselves in a changing political environment. 	
10am - 10:15am	BREAK	
10:15am - 11:45am CE/CAE: 1.5	<p>Roundtable Discussions (rotate at 10:45 am)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group 1: ACA change and impact to APRNs - <i>Moderated by Maureen Cahill, MSN, RN, APN-CNS, AOCNS; NCSBN</i> • Group 2: Changing hospital revenues, impact to certified nurses, and factors your board should consider – <i>Moderated by Albert Rudio, Jr., PhD, DNP, RN, ARPN, NEA-BC, CARN-AP, FNAP, FIAAN, FAAN; ABNS</i> • Group 3: Promoting the value of recertification during uncertain times – <i>Moderated by Diane Thompkins, MS, RN; American Nurses Credentialing Center</i> • Group 4: The mystery topic drawn from the Keynote and Panel – <i>Moderated by Gloria Donnelly, PhD, RN, FAAN, FCPP; Drexel University</i> • Group reports and summary (final 30 minutes) <p>Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To explore through think tank round table discussions strategies to consider in changing environments. • To analyze selected strategies as a method to improve organizational performance. 	Dunes III
12noon	ADJOURN	

Organizational Trends and Updates

Regular Members

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American Board of Neuroscience Nursing			
American Board of Perianesthesia Nursing Certification, Inc.			
American Nurses Credentialing Center			
Board of Certifications for Emergency Nursing			

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Competency & Credentialing Institute			
Hospice and Palliative Credentialing Center			
Infusion Nurses Certification Corporation			
Medical-Surgical Nursing Certification Board			
MSNCB & AMSN			

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National Board for Certification of School Nurses			
National Council of State Boards of Nursing			
National League for Nursing, Inc.			
NBCRNA			
Nephrology Nursing Certification Commission			

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Oncology Nursing Certification Corporation			
Orthopaedic Nurses Certification Board			
Pediatric Nursing Certification Board			
Rehabilitation Nursing Certification Board			
Wound Ostomy Continence Nursing Certification Board			

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Spring Conference Faculty

Maureen Cahill, MSN, RN, APN-CNS, AOCNS

Following a career as an oncology nursing leader and specialist, Maureen joined NCSBN to lead the Campaign for APRN Consensus. She works closely with state action coalitions, the members of LACE [licensure, accreditation, certification, and education], as well as individual state Boards of Nursing to assist states in adopting the major elements of APRN Consensus.

Gloria Donnelly, PhD, RN, FAAN, FCPP

Gloria is graduate of St. Maria Goretti High School and a leader in nursing education, both regionally and nationally, is Professor of Nursing and was the founding Dean of the College of Nursing and Health Professions at Drexel University from 2002 to 2016. Before coming to Drexel University, she served as founding Dean of the School of Nursing, La Salle University, and Philadelphia, PA. A native Philadelphian, Dr. Donnelly earned her Bachelor of Science in Nursing from Villanova University, Villanova, PA. She holds a Master of Science in Nursing from the University of Pennsylvania, School of Nursing with specializations in psychiatric nursing and nursing education. In 1985 she was awarded a federal National Service Research Pre-Doctoral Fellowship to attend Bryn Mawr College where she received the Ph.D. in Human Development in 1985. In 1982, she was elected to fellowship in the American Academy of Nursing and in 2010 to fellowship in the Philadelphia College of Physicians, the oldest medical society in the United States. Dr. Donnelly is the author of five textbooks, the winner of two American Journal of Nursing Book of the Year awards. She is currently the editor of *Holistic Nursing Practice*; a refereed journal published by Lippincott, Williams and Wilkins and has published more than 300 articles and chapters. Further, she continues to teach and design courses particularly online. Dr. Donnelly serves on many corporate boards including the Board of Hahnemann University Hospital, the Advisory Board of the Nurses Services Organization, a professional liability company and the Philadelphia Convention and Visitors Bureau. For nine years, Dr. Donnelly served as Chairman of the Board of Directors for Horizon House Inc., an organization that serves residents of the Delaware Valley who are experiencing mental illness and intellectual disabilities. She has been honored as a March of Dimes, Woman of Achievement and as a Philadelphia Business Journal Woman of Distinction. She served as national Chair of the Council of Baccalaureate and Higher Degree Programs and as a member of the Executive Committee of the Board of Governors of the National League for Nursing from 1995 to 1997 and as a Middle States evaluator. Finally, Gloria Donnelly is a Stand Up Comedian who has used her comedic talents to raise funds to assist Drexel University students.

C. Lynne Grief, PhD, RN, CEN

Dr. Lynne Grief is a nationally recognized subject matter expert with diverse experience and demonstrated abilities in administrative, education, and clinical nursing within emergency and trauma healthcare settings. She has served as Chair of the Board of Certification for Emergency Nursing (BCEN) in addition to an invited member of American Board of Nursing Specialties Research Committee (ABNS), the ABNS Institute of Medicine's (IOM's) Task Force on the Future of Nursing, and the IOM's Planning Committee for a Workshop on Future Directions of Credentialing Research on Nursing. She is currently President-elect for ABNS. Dr. Grief holds a PhD (Nursing) from the University of South Florida. She received her BScN and MN degrees from the University of Alberta in Edmonton, Canada. She has a proven capacity to manage multiple projects and administrative responsibilities and promote effective collaborative relationships. She has well-regarded success in optimizing clinical operations, organizing and improving care delivery systems, patient care services, patient safety, and patient satisfaction. She is a dedicated professional with a commitment to quality and has proven success assuring regulatory compliance and accreditations. Dr. Grief is consistently recognized for effective critical thinking and bringing innovation and realistic solutions to complex problems.

Jeffrey LaRiche, MA; Chairman and CEO, Castle Worldwide, Inc.

Previously the company's vice president for investor relations, Mr. LaRiche was promoted to chairman of the board and Chief Executive Officer in October 2000. He has led Castle to become one of the leading companies in the development and administration of certification and licensure examinations for trade and professional organizations. His more than 40 years of management experience include serving in public positions in Washington, D.C., and abroad, interacting with the highest levels of United States and foreign governments, Wall Street, and the media. His previous positions include Associate Director for Finance and Administration at the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, acting president of the United States International Cultural and Trade Center Commission (a presidential commission appointed by President George H.W. Bush), and Deputy Assistant Secretary for External Affairs at the Smithsonian Institution. Active in the arts and a past board member of several nonprofit organizations, Mr. LaRiche was a founding trustee of the Asian Heritage Foundation (New Delhi, India) and served as the chair for many years on the Board of Directors of Counterpart International (Washington, DC). He currently serves on the boards of North Carolina Arts-in-Action (Chapel Hill, NC), on which he served as chair for nine years, and the Goathouse Animal Refuge (Pittsboro, NC). A graduate of the University of Pennsylvania with degrees in History (BA) and Cultural Anthropology (MA), Mr. LaRiche served as a Peace Corps volunteer teacher in Afghanistan from 1969 through 1971.

Leslie Anne Patry, RN, BScN, MScN

Leslie Anne Patry is a graduate of the University of Ottawa for both her undergraduate and graduate nursing degrees. Leslie Anne has many years of clinical nursing experience in pediatric critical care, cardiac surgery, telehealth and toxicology. She managed the only bilingual national nursing certification program in Canada for the Canadian Nurses Association. Currently, Leslie Anne is a Patient Advocacy Specialist at The Ottawa Hospital, within their Patient Advocacy and Risk Management Department. As ABNS President, Leslie Anne is a consultant and representative with the National Board of Certification and Recertification for Nurse Anesthetists, and has worked on a variety of credentialing projects. Leslie Anne lives in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada with her wonderful husband and three great kids. She is an enthusiastic runner, having completed numerous events including 6 marathons and 25 half marathons.

Dottie Roberts, EdD, MSN, MACI, RN, OCNS-C®, CMSRN®, CNE

Dottie began her professional life as a high school English teacher, enjoying the exceptional opportunity of teaching English as a second language to dependent wives and German national employees during her husband's assignment at Hahn AB, Germany. In the mid-1980s, she returned to college to pursue a nursing degree. She quickly learned that her teaching and writing experience would be valuable in the nursing profession. Dottie earned her BSN in 1991 and her MSN (Adult Health Nursing) in 1996, both from Beth-El College of Nursing and Health Sciences (now part of the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs). In 1999, Dottie received a Master of Arts in Curriculum and Instruction from Colorado Christian University. She completed her EdD (Healthcare Education) in 2016 from Nova Southeastern University. Dottie has served as Executive Director of the Orthopaedic Nurses Certification Board since 2005 and editor of *MEDSURG Nursing*, official journal of the Academy of Medical-Surgical Nurses, since 2003. She is also the Accreditation Manager for the Accreditation Board of Specialty Nursing Certification. Dottie continues to speak and write on various musculoskeletal health topics, with special interest in all forms of arthritis.

Albert Rundio, Jr., PhD, DNP, RN, ARPN, NEA-BC, CARN-AP, FNAP, FIAAN, FAAN

Dr. Rundio has held various faculty positions in Pennsylvania and New Jersey. He has taught across the curriculum in BSN Programs and Graduate Nursing Programs. He practices part-time as a nurse practitioner in a chemical dependency treatment center in southern New Jersey. He is an experienced clinician, administrator, and educator. Dr. Rundio is the former Vice President of Nursing at Shore Medical Center, Somers Point, New Jersey. Dr. Rundio was awarded the Governor's Nursing Merit Award for Advanced

Practice Nursing in New Jersey in 1999 by Governor Christine Todd Whitman, former governor of New Jersey. He received the DON Award from the Institute Foundation of Nursing on October 24, 2012 for positively impacting nursing in New Jersey. He was inducted into the National Academies of Practice in 1999; the International Academy of Addictions Nursing in 2014 and the American Academy of Nursing in 2015. Dr. Rundio has conducted certification review courses preparing nurses for certification in medical-surgical nursing, addictions nursing, advanced practice nursing and nursing administration. Dr. Rundio is a Past President of the International Nurses Society on Addictions (IntNSA). He was appointed as a Hospital Trustee on the Inspira Health System Board in 2015 and currently serves on 4 boards at this health system. He is the only nurse to serve on this health system's board. Dr. Rundio was recently appointed the Practice Editor for the *Journal of Interprofessional Education and Practice* and he also serves as a Column Editor for the *Journal of Addictions Nursing*. He has published numerous books and articles in nursing, nursing leadership and addictions nursing.

James Stobinski, PHD, RN, CNOR®

Jim Stobinski has in excess of 25 years' experience as an operating room nurse; his pre-licensure education was a Diploma of nursing from the Toledo Hospital School of Nursing. His education also includes a BSN and MSN from East Carolina University. He earned his PhD in International Health Research from Touro University International in June of 2011 for a study of competency and skill acquisition in perioperative nurses. Since 2011 he has been employed as the Director of Credentialing and Education at the Competency and Credentialing Institute in Denver, Colorado. He also works as adjunct faculty at Nova Southeastern University in Ft. Lauderdale Florida teaching graduate courses for nurses. Jim is the current President of the ABSNC Board of Directors and he is very active in nursing certification research to include patient outcome studies.

Lisa Thiemann, PhD, CRNA, FNAP

Lisa Thiemann is the Chief Compliance and Innovations Officer for the National Board of Certification and Recertification for Nurse Anesthetists (NBCRNA) where she is responsible for the oversight of program accreditation, quality assurance/quality improvement, and implementation of the NBCRNA's outcomes research agenda. Previously, she most recently held the role of Chief Credentialing Officer with the NBCRNA for three years where she provided oversight leadership for all certification- and recertification-related activities for nurse anesthetists and new program development. Lisa has also previously held the position of Senior Director of Professional Practice with the American Association of Nurse Anesthetists (AANA), the sole, national membership organization for nurse anesthetists, where she was responsible for nationwide nurse anesthesia practice-related issues, facility accreditation, and performance measurement. Lisa has over 25 years of nursing experience with almost 20 years of specialty practice in nurse anesthesia. She has held numerous clinical and managerial positions during the course of her career including staff nurse anesthetist positions at Mayo Foundation in Rochester, MN and Duke University Medical Center in Durham, NC, as well as several nurse anesthesia educational program administrator faculty roles. Lisa holds a PhD in Nursing from Villanova University, a Masters in Nurse Anesthesia from the Mayo School of Health-Related Sciences, and a BSN from the University of Cincinnati.

Dianne Thompkins, MS, RN

Diane joined ANCC in 2004 as the Assistant Director, Certification Services and began the journey into the certification. In 2015 she assumed the position as the Manager, Accreditation and provides the oversight for the accreditation of ANCC's certification programs. She served 2 terms on the ABSNC Board from 2007-2013. Diane received the ABNS Leaders Legacy Award in October 2013. She has also presented at numerous national forums on the APRN Consensus Model and serves as ANCC primary representative on this topic. Prior to joining ANCC, her experience included serving as a Nurse Educator at the National Institutes of Health Clinical Center for 14 years and in the US Air Force for 3 years. She received a Bachelor's of Science in Nursing from SUNY at Buffalo, a Master's of Science in Nursing Education from the University of Maryland at Baltimore, and a Certificate in Flight Nursing from the US Air Force School of Aerospace Medicine.

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