

School of Nursing
Professional Development and Lifelong Learning

Adelphi University School of Nursing
and
Alpha Omega Chapter of
Sigma Theta Tau International

Present the

**Fourth Annual Nursing
Leadership and
Research conference**
**The Art of Leadership through
Education, Technology, and Service**

Thursday, April 3, 2008
The Woodlands, Woodbury, New York



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Professor at the University of
clinical specialist with 33
years experience in nursing, she is also the past president of the Honor Society of
Nursing, Sigma Theta Tau International. Most recently, Dr. Picard chaired the Futures
Advisory Council, charged with setting the strategic directions for the organization.
Her publications and presentations include areas related to leadership, international
collaboration in nursing, the use of the arts and humanities in nursing, as well as
clinical issues of chronic mental illness, and nursing education.

Conference Agenda

The Art of Leadership through Education, Technology, and Service

Thursday, April 3, 2008

8:00 a.m.–8:30 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m.–9:00 a.m. Welcome
Deborah Ambrosio-Mawhirter, R.N., M.S.
Conference Co-Chair
Clinical Assistant Professor
Adelphi University School of Nursing
Patrick Coonan, Ed.D., R.N., CNAA
Dean and Professor
Adelphi University School of Nursing

9:00 a.m.–10:15 a.m. Keynote Address
Carol Picard, Ph.D., R.N., CS
"Leadership and Collaboration: An Artful, Caring
Approach to Nursing Excellence"

10:15 a.m.–10:45 a.m. Break
Exhibitors, Posters, and Silent Auction*

10:45 a.m.–11:45 a.m. Breakout Sessions

11:45 a.m.–12:30 p.m. "Lead or Get Out of the Way"
Diane Mason, Ph.D., R.N., FAAN
Editor-in-Chief, *American Journal of Nursing*
Fellow, American Academy of Nursing and the
New York Academy of Medicine

12:30 p.m.–1:45 p.m.



Lunch and Presentation
Alpha Omega Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau
Lifetime Achievement Award to Claire Schulman
Claire Schulman, R.N., currently serves on the board of
directors at New York Hospital Queens and St. Mary's
Healthcare System for Children. She was the first woman
president of Queens Borough, New York City, from 1986
to 2002. An alumna and friend to the Adelphi University
School of Nursing, Ms. Schulman has furthered our
working relationship with the Queens Hospital Center,
which provides clinical placements for our students as
well as onsite educational programs for registered nurses
who wish to acquire their B.S. degree.

1:45 p.m.–2:45 p.m.

"The Art of Practice"
Pearl John-Stiell, M.A., R.N., CNA
Deputy Executive Director, Patient Care Services,
Kings County Hospital Center

2:45 p.m.–3:00 p.m.

Break
Exhibitors, Posters, and Silent Auction*

3:00 p.m.–3:45 p.m.

"Hardwiring Trust in an Organization"
Akram Boutros, M.D., FACE
Executive Vice President
Chief Administrative Officer,
St. Francis Hospital–The Heart Center
Roslyn, New York

3:45 p.m.–4:30 p.m.

Closing Remarks
Wine and Cheese Reception
Evaluations and Silent Auction Results

*Proceeds go toward research and nursing scholarships.

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Conference Registration

Confirmations will not be sent. Please make a copy of your registration form for
your records.
Check-in and registration is at 8:00 a.m.
Program starts at 8:30 a.m.
Continental breakfast and lunch are included.

Name: (Last, First, and Degree): _____
Title: _____
Affiliation/Organization: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____
Telephone/Fax: _____
Email: _____

Breakout Sessions (10:45 a.m.–11:45 a.m.)

Please indicate your first and second choice Breakout Session.
(Sessions will be filled based on registrations.)

First Choice: A B C

Second Choice: A B C

Session A: Informatics: The Digital Palette to Support Leadership
William Dan Roberts, DNSc, ACNP-BC
Assistant Professor,
Director of Master's Program
Adelphi University School of Nursing

Session B: Sparking the Passion: Mentoring in
Nursing Leadership
Michele Unger, M.S., R.N., CCRN, CNNA, BC; Director of Nursing
Practice, Rochester General Hospital

Session C: Prolonged Ventilator Dependence:
The C.O.P.D. Patient's Perspective
Maryann Forbes, Ph.D., R.N.
Associate Professor,
Adelphi University School of Nursing