

PENNSYLVANIA LEAGUE FOR NURSING

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

Please provide the following information about yourself. This information will be used in preparing the ballot for the upcoming elections. Thank you.

Name: Mary Ann Durant

Degrees and credentials: RN, BSN, MSN, M.Ed., DNP

Educational background: Pottsville Hospital School of Nursing, Pennsylvania State University, American Sentinel University

Present or most recent employment position: Assistant Professor of Nursing, Alvernia University

Current memberships and offices held in professional organizations:

Sigma Theta Tau Upsilon Zeta #460 Faculty Counselor (2019-2021)
Transcultural Nursing Society NE Chapter Recording Secretary (2018-2020)

Offices held in professional organizations within the past 5 years:

Sigma Theta Tau Upsilon Zeta #460 Faculty Counselor (2017-2019)

Alvernia University: RN-BSN Completion Program Nursing Advisory Board Member, DNP Advisory Board Member

Research and publications:

Annual Review of Nursing Research. (2019, Volume 37, pp. 43-117). Transcultural and Social Research. Chapter 3 (Marianne Jeffreys): Evidence-based updates and universal utility of Jeffreys' cultural competence and confidence framework for nursing education (and beyond) through TIME. [In-Press].

Panel Presentation: International Transcultural Nursing Society 44th Annual Conference:
October 20, 2018 at San Antonio, TX

Title: The Enhancement of Non-Nursing Students' Perceived Self-Efficacy and Cultural Competence Through Use of Innovative Transcultural Activities

Podium Presentation: International Transcultural Nursing Society 44th Annual Conference:
October 19, 2018 at San Antonio, TX

Title: Irish Travellers: Exploration of the Social Determinants of Health Related to Cultural Barriers and Health Inequities

Podium Presentation: International Transcultural Nursing Society 43rd Annual Conference:

October 18-21, 2017 at New Orleans, LA

Title: Utilizing Data Mining, Zip Codes, Websites, and Other Resources to Educate Nurses About Health Disparities in Culturally and Ethnically Diverse Populations

Panel Presentation: International Transcultural Nursing Society 42nd Annual Conference:

October 12-15, 2016 at Cincinnati, OH

Title: Using Standardized Patients to Enhance Physical Assessment Knowledge & Skills in a Transcultural Nursing Course

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*****Completed forms are due NO LATER THAN MAY 17, 2019**