

Representative Assembly Announces ASPAN Election Results

Congratulations to the New ASPAN 2018-2019 Board of Directors!

President Susan Russell is proud to announce the incoming Board of Directors:

President:

Regina Hoefner-Notz, MS, RN, CPAN, CPN

Vice President/President-Elect:

Amy Dooley, MS, RN, CPAN, CAPA

Secretary:

Jennifer Kilgore, BSN, RN, CPAN

Treasurer:

Deborah Bickford, BSN, RN, CPAN

Immediate Past President:

Susan Russell, BSN, RN, JD, CPAN, CAPA

Regional Director-Region 1:

Shay Glevy, BSN, RN, CPAN

Regional Director-Region 2:

Susan Norris, BSN, RN, CAPA

Regional Director-Region 3:

Sylvia Baker, MSN, RN, CPAN

Regional Director-Region 4:

Bronwyn Ship, BSN, RN, CPAN

Regional Director-Region 5:

Kimberly Godfrey, BSN, RN, CPAN

Director for Clinical Practice:

Diane Swintek, MSN, RN, CPAN

Director for Education:

Linda Beagley, MS, BSN, RN, CPAN

Director for Research:

Elizabeth Card, MSN, APRN, FNP-BC, CPAN, CCRP

ASPAN Chief Executive Officer:

Kevin Dill, MBA, BS

Nominating Committee:

Kimberly Flake, BSN, RN, CAPA

Rebecca Hartley, MSN, RN, NEA-BC, CPAN

Sarah Hessling, BSN, RN, CPAN

Diane Perrone, ADN, BA, RN, CPAN, CAPA

Marche' Tucker, BSN, RN, CPAN, CAPA

Download the Free National Conference App

Keep track of your sessions, personalize your schedule, reach colleagues, and receive important conference updates by downloading the National Conference app. Download "ASPAN 2018" or access the app at <https://www.eventmobi.com/aspan2018/> while on the laptop, smart phone, or tablet you will be using at conference.

National PartiCUIArS

Read the ***National PartiCUIArS*** every day for news and updated information about the day's conference activities. ***PartiCUIArS*** will be available each morning at the Registration Desk, and at www.aspan.org.

PANAC Hospitality Table

Check out the PANAC hospitality table for guides to restaurants and attractions. Get a **2018 Conference Commemorative Pins, \$5.00 each**. Look for the roving sellers wearing green sashes. A portion of the proceeds from the sale of each pin will go to support *Mary's Kitchen*, in Orange, California.

Monday Events

First Timers Orientation

Get all you can out of this great experience! **Monday, April 30** from 7:00 – 8:00 am in Grand Ballroom E.

Committee and SWT Meetings

If you have been selected for a committee or SWT for 2018-2019, these groups will be meeting this morning from **7:00-8:00 am in Grand Ballroom F**.

All Specialty Practice Groups (SPGs)

Meet today from **8:00-8:30 am
Grand Ballroom F**

Opening Ceremonies and Keynote Speaker

Come to the **Opening Ceremonies at 9:00**. Stay for the keynote speaker! **Marriott Platinum 1-6**.

CPAN®/CAPA® Celebration Luncheon

Be recognized, along with other CPAN and CAPA certified nurses on **Monday, April 30. Grand Ballroom F-K. Tickets must be purchased in advance.**

Exhibit Hall

Exhibits open at 5:00 pm today in the Marquis Ballroom. Meet the vendors and see the latest and greatest in technology and healthcare. ***Please be sure to thank all of our fine ASPAN exhibitors for their support!***

Silent Auction – Come Shop!

Benefiting ASPAN Development scholarships, the Silent Auction features unique items just waiting for your bid! Located in the Exhibit Hall.

ASPAN Shoppe

The ASPAN Shoppe is open daily, Sunday through Wednesday, in Rooms Elite 1-2. Hours posted at the Shoppe.

Monday-Thursday

Attend **educational sessions** on a variety of topics. Visit the **Research and Celebrate Successful Practices posters** in the Exhibit Hall.

Membership/Marketing SWT Meets May 1

Membership/ Marketing SWT on Tuesday, May 1 from 7:30-8:45 am in Grand Ballroom B. Come meet the new coordinator, Lori Silva, from PANAC.

Development Breakfast. Wednesday, May 2, 6:30 – 8:30 am. Platinum 9-10.

Support ASPAN, earn .75 contact hour, honor your friends and colleagues, and enjoy breakfast. Listen to ASPAN Past President Chris Price, MSN, RN, CPAN, CAPA, speak on *The Impact of Paying It Forward*. **Tickets must be purchased in advance.**

President's Reception. Wednesday, May 2, at 7:00 pm. Grand Ballroom. Join outgoing President Susan Russell as she celebrates with you the conclusion to a very successful year for ASPAN! All attendees are invited!

Seating in Educational Sessions

All sessions require an admission ticket. Check your registration materials carefully when you receive them. **Lost or forgotten tickets will not be replaced.**

Perianesthesia Surveys!

There are several paper surveys out in the Registration area. Please take time to assist your colleagues in sharing your practice processes with them. This is one of the great benefits of national conference, to get ideas from other units!

ABPANC Election News: Congratulations!

Kim Beckman, Katherine Houle, Teresa Salley, Louise Zeller were elected to the ABPANC Board of Directors.

Congratulations to the following people on their re-election for another term:

Celeste Jones Lyon, Stuart ("Stu") Smith, Beverly Harrelson, Kathleen Lombardo.

ABPANC TOP 5 RECERTIFICATION MYTHS

Myth 2: I was selected for Audit because ABPANC has something against me.

Fact: Audit selection is **random** and is required to maintain accreditation by the Accreditation Board for Specialty Nursing Certification (ABSNC) for the CPAN/CAPA programs.

<https://cpancapa.org/recertification/faqs/>

Component Corner

ILSPAN: Members Night Out with drinks and appetizers on Tuesday May 1 7:30-9:30 pm at Bubba Gump Shrimp Company, 321 W. Katella, Anaheim.

RMPANA: RMPANA is hosting a breakfast on Tuesday from 7:00 – 9:00 am in the La Jolla Room.

TAPAN and RMPANA: TAPAN and RMPANA will be getting together to celebrate current president Susan Russell of TAPAN and incoming president Regina Hoefner-Notz of RMPANA. Join this celebration Tuesday, 7:00– 8:00 pm in Grand Ballroom B.

WISPAN: Tuesday evening get-together at Bubba Gump Shrimp Company, 321 West Katella Avenue. RSVP Marlene via text/call at 608-235-3435 or email at marlenen@mail.com. Bring CASH for dinner.

CSPAN: Meet and Greet, Wednesday, May 2. Meet in Hotel lobby at 7:00 pm. Restaurant TBD.

VT/NH APAN: Dinner Monday, April 30. Meet in the lobby at 7:15 pm. Restaurant TBD.

CBSPAN: Breakfast Tuesday, May 1, 6:30-8:30 am. Gold Key I-II.

PAPAN: Happy Hour Tuesday, May 1, at N-fuse bar area in the hotel lobby. RSVP to Ursula Mellinger 724-612-4846 call or text.

ISPAN: Dinner Tuesday, May 1. Meet at the exhibit arch outside Marquis Ballroom at 6:30 pm.

PANAC: Reception Tuesday, May 1, from 6:30-7:30 pm in Grand Ballroom A.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST: Silver oval disc pendant with gold aspen leaf. Turn in to Registration or Debby Niehaus.

====

News Items for National PartICUIArS

While at conference, please bring news items to the marked box at the ASPAN Registration Desk. You may also email news items to bgodden@aspan.org. **Items must be submitted by 11:00 AM to be included in the NEXT day's newsletter. May be edited for space.**