

Local Work, Global Health and the Challenge of Transnational Nursing

Canadian Association for the History of Nursing/
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Annual Conference

York University, Toronto, ON

June 13-15, 2014

Preliminary Program (as of 7 March 2014)

All events will take place in the Senior Common Room, 305 Founders College, York University

FRIDAY 13 JUNE 2014

Registration Open: 3:30 – 5:00pm

CAHN Executive Board Meeting (Board Members Only) 4:00-5:00

Panel 5:30 – 7:00pm

Welcoming Remarks, Lydia Wytenbroek, Vice-President, CAHN

“Rethinking Nursing in the First World War”

Andrea McKenzie, York University

Cynthia Toman, University of Ottawa (retired)

Mélanie Morin-Pelletier, Canada War Museum

Chair and Commentator: Myra Rutherford, York University

Welcoming Reception, 7-8 pm

SATURDAY 14 JUNE 2014

Breakfast/Registration: 8:00 – 9:00

Session 1: Saturday 9:00 – 10:15

Panel: Educating Nurses

Brandi Vanderspank-Wright, University of Ottawa, “‘By gosh and by golly’: Canadian Historical Perspectives on Learning and Knowledge Development in Intensive Care Nursing”

Margaret Scaia, University of Victoria, “Educating Nurses, 1958-1977: Indentured Servitude or Canary in the Emancipatory Birdcage?”

Carol Helmstadter, University of Toronto, “Lady Probationers at the Nightingale Training School 1860-1895”

Coffee Break 10:15-10:30

Session 2: Saturday 10:30 – 11:45

Panel: Knowing Nursing

Dana Walsh, Lakehead University, “Vera Roberts and the Image of the Northern Nurse”

Evy Nazon, University of Ottawa, “The Construction of Nursing Discipline in Canada: A Different Perspective”

Sheila Rankin Zerr, University of British Columbia, “Oral Histories Examine the Challenges Faced by the Nurse in Canada’s North: Millicent Colman’s Story”

Deb Neill, York University, “Borders and Boundaries in African Nursing”

Lunch & AGM & Book Launch 12:00 – 1:30

Session 3: Saturday 1:30 – 2:45

Panel: Unequal Exchange?

Salimah Valiani, University of Toronto, “Local Causes of the Global Nurse Migration from the Late Twentieth Century to the Present”

Sandria Green-Stewart, McMaster University, “Caribbean Women and Community Health Care in Toronto, 1970s-1990s”

Isabel Kaprielian-Churchill, CSU Fresno, “Pioneer Nurses in the Ottoman Empire Before World War I”

Coffee Break 2:45 – 3:00

AMS Hannah Annual Lecture 3:00 – 4:30

“Maternal and Infant Health Policy in the British Caribbean”
Juanita De Barros, McMaster University

Banquet 5:30 – 9:00

SUNDAY 15 JUNE 2014

Session 4: Sunday 9:00 – 10:15

Panel: War and Militarism

Michelle Filice, Wilfrid Laurier University, “Male Nursing in Canada, Britain and the United States of America, 1900-1960”

Amy Zroka, University of California San Diego, “‘A Piece of Home on the Front’: German Red Cross Nurses’ Experiences in Field Hospitals”

Susan Armstrong-Reid, University of Guelph, “A Marriage of Convenience: Nursing the with the China Convoy, 1941-46”

Coffee Break 10:15-10:30

Session 5 10:30 – 11:45

Panel: Oral History and Qualitative Research Expectations: Should They Match?

Catherine Haney, University of British Columbia, “What is Critical in Critical Oral History Research?”

Geertje Boschma, University of British Columbia, “How Many Oral History Interviews?”

Jennifer Stephens, University of British Columbia, “Multicultural Oral History: What Does it Mean?”