

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

*All events will take place in the Senior Common Room, 305 Founders College,
and in the Brian Cragg Room, 303 Founders College*

FRIDAY 13 JUNE 2014

Registration: 3:30 – 5:00pm

CAHN Executive Board Meeting (Board Members Only) 4:00-5:00
Stedman 114G

Panel 5:30 – 7:00pm

Welcoming Remarks, Margaret Scaia, 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: TBA

Welcoming Reception and Celebration of New Research in Nursing History, 7-8 pm

SATURDAY 14 JUNE 2014

Registration: 8:00 – 9:00

Session 1: Saturday 9:00 – 10:15

Panel: Educating Nurses

Chair: Anne-Marie Arsenault

Presenters:

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

Chair: Florence Melchior

Presenters:

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 12:00 – 1:30

Session 3: Saturday 1:30 – 2:45
Panel: Unequal Exchange?

Chair: Susan Armstrong-Reid

Presenters:

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

“Grannies, Midwives, and Infant Welfare in the Post-slavery British Caribbean”

Dr. Juanita De Barros, McMaster University

Banquet – Boulevard Cafe 6:00 – 9:00

SUNDAY 15 JUNE 2014

Session 4: Sunday 9:00 – 10:15

Panel: Nursing Across Borders

Chair: TBA

Presenters:

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

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

Lydia Wytenbroek, York University, “The Development of Trained Nursing in Iran, 1920-1960”

Coffee Break 10:15-10:30

Session 5 10:30 – 11:45

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

Chair: Judith Young

Presenters:

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?”