Inaugural Indigenous Nursing Lead - Tania Dick

Tania Dick, a member of Dzawada’enuxw First Nations of Kingcome Inlet, has been appointed as UBC Nursing’s inaugural Indigenous Nursing Lead. Ms. Dick, also a member of the UBC Nursing Indigenous Advisory Circle and a UBC School of Nursing Alumna, will be working with faculty, staff, and students to support strategies to reduce Indigenous-specific racism in healthcare.
The UBC School of Nursing's annual research report is now available online. The report highlights research activities and successes of UBC School of Nursing faculty, students, and staff in 2020 with a particular focus on COVID-19 related research.
2021 Marion Woodward Lecture & Symposium

Dr. Denise Wilson, Professor of Māori Health at Auckland University of Technology, New Zealand, presented the 53rd Marion Woodward Lecture on November 4.

The lecture was followed by a symposium panel dialogue which included Tania Dick, Chloe Crosschild, Dr. Denise Wilson and moderated by Dr. Saima Hirani.

A recording of the 53rd Marion Woodward Lecture & Symposium Dialogue is available on the UBC School of Nursing's YouTube channel. Dr. Wilson has provided access to her presentation slides, which are now available on the event webpage.

Promoting Health Equity in the Cancer Care Sector

UBC CriHHI and BC Cancer are co-hosting a presentation on 16 November. This presentation by post-doctoral fellow Dr. Tara Horrill (supervised by Dr. Annette Browne, and Dr. Kelli Stajduhar) will discuss health inequities in the cancer care sector.

In the presentation, Dr. Horrill will address the root causes of these inequities, the organizational and system-level changes that need to be implemented and the potential impact of these changes.

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UBC Hampton - New Faculty Grants

Congratulations to Dr. Emmanuela Ojukwu and Dr. Lillian Hung for being the recipients of the UBC Hampton - New Faculty Grants.

Dr. Ojukwu received the grant for the project titled: Social Determinants of Health and Impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic on HIV Treatment Engagement and Quality of Life for African, Caribbean and Black Women Living with HIV.

Dr. Hung received the grant for the project titled: Technology risks and ethical implication of using assistive technologies in Long Term Care.

CANO/ACIO 2021 Awards of Excellence

Congratulations to Dr. Kristen Haase for being the recipient of the 2021 Canadian Association of Nurses in Oncology Award for Excellence in Reviewing Peer Reviewed Manuscripts for the Canadian Oncology Nursing Journal.

Dr. Haase is also the recipient for the 2021 Pfizer Award for Excellence in Nursing Research for her clinical research and practical application in the field of nursing and oncology.
Fellowship at Canadian Academy of Nursing

Congratulations to Marcia Carr and Kris Gustavson for their induction into Fellowship at the Canadian Academy of Nursing.

Marcia Carr and Kris Gustavson are both adjunct faculty at the UBC School of Nursing and are recognised for their outstanding work as Canadian nursing leaders.

Research in Focus: John Oliffe

UBC School of Nursing professor, Dr. John Oliffe, shared his research on men’s health behaviors and illness management in UBC Today. His work seeks to advance men’s health promotion in the fields of psychosocial prostate cancer care, smoking cessation, and male suicide prevention.
Improvement of Mealtime Practices in Long Term Care Unit

Dr. Lillian Hung's Happy2Eat practice improvement project worked with the VCH Minoru Residence long-term care facility in Richmond.

Dr. Hung's research revolved around how staff at the Minoru Residence collaborated to better serve residents. They attended to the residents who stayed in their rooms during mealtimes so as to mitigate feelings of isolation and loneliness while dining.

CRAB Project Finalist for MEDEA Award

The CRAB Project, spearheaded by UBC School of Nursing's Kathy O'Flynn-Magee, has been nominated for a MEDEA Award 2021. The project was started to reduce the prevalence of workplace harassment and bullying in the field of nursing.

The project's Bullying in Nursing Scenario Videos are under consideration for the award.

Voting remains open until 18 November.
Master of Science in Nursing student Raymond Chhun, supervised by Dr. Helen Brown and Dr. Elisabeth Bailey, is researching trauma experienced by nursing students during their undergraduate education. The project aims to study students' resilience and responses to trauma.

The project was selected for funding through the UBC President's Pandemic Recovery Initiative for its focus on how the COVID-19 pandemic is collectively impacting nursing students.
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N. Crier, Kelsey Timler, P. Keating, P. Young, Helen Brown, Elder Roberta Price

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JBI Evidence Synthesis

Jillian Harding, K. MacKinnon, E. Sangster-Gormley, C. Gordon

MEDIA COVERAGE

Inside the mental health crisis facing college and university students

UBC nursing associate professor Dr. Emily Jenkins says about 70 per cent of mental disorders first arise in adolescence and young adulthood, which coincides with students' arrival on campus and often their departure from home.

The Walrus

Vancouver medical project using robots for virtual visits in long-term care

Researchers at the UBC IDEA lab in the faculty of applied science have launched a new study examining virtual visits using mobile robots to help reduce social isolation in long-term care. Project lead Dr. Lillian Hung, a UBC nursing professor and a research associate at the Centre for Health Evaluation & Outcome Sciences, was interviewed.

The Squamish Chief, CFOX

‘Social jetlag’: How daylight saving time can impact our health

UBC Nursing professor emeritus Dr. Wendy Hall spoke about the impact of daylight saving time on our health.

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