

Meeting minutes Family RIG

April 14, 2018

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		Competitive Symposia	Awards
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Meeting Minutes

Introductions

Brief introduction by all attendees (names, institution, research/scholarship/clinical focus)

Business

Announcements:

- Encourage all RIG members to have an ORCID – as we can track publications from RIG members. Chair and Past Chair will send out information following up to all members.
- Check membership status to make sure part of RIG

Presentation of awards

New Investigator Award awarded to Michele Polfuss, PhD, RN, APNP-AC/PC

Dissertation Award awarded to Jennifer Weathersbee Steinberg, Ph.D., R.N.: Dr. Steinberg provided a wonderful presentation and overview of her work understanding narratives of mothering children diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder.

Review of Goals

Review goals for 2017-2018

1. **Competitive symposium** - theme and a chair of the symposium
Thank you's to the Family committee members: Kim Whitmore, Monique Ridosh, Wendy Looman
2. **Award 2 recipients for RIG awards**
3. **Identify chair-elect** - *Kristen Abbott-Anderson*

New goals for 2018-2019

1. **Competitive symposium** -- there was interest in developing a competitive symposium and engaging another RIG to co-sponsor (maybe with peds, adolescence, or gero RIGs). Dr. Kathy Knafl suggested a follow up to the big data panel session with a session on common data elements and connecting with family nursing research across the lifespan. Some ideas: focus could be on ways to use established common data elements; PROMIS measures; thinking what already is common data elements and what the process is to get a measure used as a PROMIS; NINR center directors – p20 and p 30 have promoted common data elements.....last call for the p20/p30 have to use at least 2.

Rachel Schiffman offered to follow up after a Center director meeting on May 1st to expand on this idea.

We will email the full RIG and the individuals who noted interest in being part of the development of the symposium to develop a work group to develop. Will need to identify a chair for this group.

2. **Chair elect** = Monique Ridosh put her name forward to be chair-elect (unanimously supported at the meeting!); Kim Whitmore will be co-chair- also unanimously supported by attendees.
3. **Award committee for 2 awards** – next year we are scheduled for the Dissertation & Senior Scientist Award. The group discussed awards and members thought the idea of having a mid-career award would be a good idea. We will follow up for guidelines (Health of Diverse Populations RIG offers this award). The members thought the following schedule would make sense – 3 awards/year:
New investigator every year;
Dissertation every year;
Every other year mid-career and senior scientists
4. Develop a shared document that includes members name, research focus, and link to profile. Susie Breitenstein will follow up.

Other announcements:

Sonja chairs (and is president elect) next conference committee – DC August 13-16th 2019; international family nursing conference – theme: social determinants of family health (abstracts in fall) – encouraged all to get involved. Link: <https://internationalfamilynursing.org/2017/12/07/ifnc14/>

International short break association – respite care – conference...caregiver issues across the lifespan;
Conference Fall 2018 in Iceland; members encouraged to attend.
Link: <http://www.isba.me>