

## Meet Our New Co-Chairs for 2019-2020!

Greetings HSPI RIG Members!

We are honored to serve you as the co-chairs for 2019-2020. First, we would like to acknowledge Karen Dunn-Lopez and Said Abusalem for their <u>three years</u> of service leading our RIG. We would also like to thank Amany Farag and Lisiane Pruinelli for their leadership over the past year. We are lucky to have their continued support and mentorship during our year as co-chairs.

It is our pleasure to introduce our new co-chair elects: Robin Austin and Kimberly Powell. Thank you for stepping up and volunteering to serve our large, and very accomplished RIG!

This year we are excited to offer a variety of opportunities for members to engage in a variety of RIG activities. We look forward to recognizing the excellence within our RIG through RIG awards and promoting members' research through competitive symposia. Also, a newsletter will be used to keep members informed of opportunities within and outside of the RIG, introduce and spotlight members, and highlight publications and grant awards from our colleagues.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve you. Please don't be a stranger – reach out whenever you have questions, comments, or just want to say "Hi!"

It's going to be a great year! Sarah Brzozowski (<u>slciganek@wisc.edu</u>) Clayton Shuman (<u>clayshu@umich.edu</u>)

#### Sarah Brzozowski, MBA, BSN, RN, NEA-BC



Sarah is a PhD student at the University of Wisconsin – Madison, School of Nursing and is interested in leadership, organizational culture, and advancement of nursing practice. These concepts drive her research exploring nursing leadership, nursing practice, and the

support of nurses in primary care settings. Outside of school, Sarah is the Director of Magnet and Nursing Excellence at UW Health in Madison, Wisconsin and a mom to a 4-year-old and 6-yearold.

### Clayton J. Shuman, PhD, RN



Clayton is an Assistant Professor in the Systems, Populations, and Leadership Department at the University of Michigan School of Nursing. Clayton's program of research is embedded in implementation science, health service research, and evidence-based practice, with specific attention to the role of

context in implementation and sustainability of evidence-based programs and interventions. He is father to a 4-year-old, 2.5-year-old, and 4-month-old.



# Member Engagement Opportunities!

Please take advantage of our new engagement opportunities! These provide an opportunity to serve the RIG and network with members.

### Awards Subcommittee

We are looking for reviewers for RIG awards. The review process will occur in December and we will meet 1-2 times to discuss the nomination and review process. Please contact Sarah Brzozowski if you are interested (slciganek@wisc.edu).

### **Competitive Symposia Subcommittee**

We need members to help us plan 2-3 competitive symposia for our RIG members. We will meet 1-2 times in May/June to discuss topics and ideas that would be of interest to our members. We will also meet once in July to review submitted abstracts. Please contact Clayton Shuman if you are interested (clayshu@umich.edu).

## **Call for Papers!**

The Journal of Gerontological Nursing has released a call for papers for a special issue on "Health Technology to Support Care of Older Adults." Manuscripts are due August 1, 2019 with publication planned for Spring 2020. Additional details including a publication timeline can be found in the attached call. Please contact co-chair elect Kimberly Powell, PhD, RN, CNE (kpowel25@utk.edu) if you have questions or interest in contributing a paper.



## **Research Notes**

We want to promote and celebrate you! If you have a recently published paper, funded grant, or received a new award or recognition, PLEASE LET US KNOW!

### Email Sarah Brzozowski

(slciganek@wisk.edu) or Clayton Shuman (clayshu@umich.edu) and we will distribute these accomplishments in our newsletter as "Research Notes."

# Call for "Member Spotlight" submissions

Each quarter we spotlight one of our members in the newsletter and on our website. This is a great opportunity for members to meet you and your work. Member Spotlights enable networking and can be the start of a great collaboration. If you would like to be spotlighted, or want to nominate a member, please email the cochairs: Sarah Brzozowski

(slciganek@wisk.edu) or Clayton Shuman (clayshu@umich.edu)

### 2019 HSPI Networking

Thank you all who attended the HSPI networking event at No Other Pub in Kansas City! We hope to see everyone at next year's event!



## **Member Spotlight**



#### Megan Czerwinski, BA, BSN, RN University of Michigan | PhD Candidate

maczerwi@umich.edu Meg Czerwinski is a PhD candidate at the University of Michigan School of Nursing

interested in environmental justice, sustainability education, and community health promotion. Her dissertation research explores the development of sustainability competencies among nursing students, including a literature review of evaluated sustainability learning interventions in nursing curriculum, a cross-sectional study of nursing student sustainability competencies, and a randomized pilot of a sustainability learning intervention focused on a local water quality issue. On the Michigan Sustainability Cases team at the University of Michigan School for Environment & Sustainability, she contributes to the development of open source, multimedia sustainability education tools on the gala platform. Her background includes training in art & design and environmental education, as well as interdisciplinary collaboration to organize a community-sustainability-solutions exchange at the Albert Schweitzer Hospital in Lambaréné, Gabon. Meg is an avid trail runner, aspiring climber, and lover of most outdoor activities.

## **Recap of 2019 HSPI RIG**

Total RIG members – 91 Annual meeting attendance – 35

- AWARDS
  - Dissertation Award: Kimberly Powell
  - Senior Investigator Award: Karen Monsen
- SYMPOSIUMS
  - Competitive Technology Infused Teaching, Research, and Practice: Uses, Opportunities, and Challenges (Gregory Alexander, Rebecca Davis, Ronald Hickman, Amany Farag)
  - Guaranteed Population Health Approaches: Quality, Safety and Human Factors Considerations (Gregory Alexander, Rebecca Davis, Karen Lopez, Jennifer ORourke)
- Short paper to CIN (Title: The Symbiotic Collaboration between Family Nursing and Data Science) reporting out the combined symposia last year between Family RIG and HSPI RIG

Please visit our RIG website!

https://mnrs.org/members-center/rigs/health-systems-policy-informatics/

Have an opportunity you'd like to share with the RIG? Going to a conference that may be of interest to our members? Looking for collaborators? Send the information to our Communication Lead! Sarah Brzozowski (<u>slciganek@wisc.edu</u>)

Save the Date! MNRS 44<sup>th</sup> Annual Research Conference April 1-4, 2020 Renaissance Schaumburg Convention Center Hotel Schaumburg, IL

