



Welcome to the 14th Biennial Neuman Systems Model Symposium

Program and Registration*

June 6-8, 2013

Westin Bayshore

Vancouver, British Columbia

Canada

***The Neuman Systems Model: A Force for Energizing
Nursing Practice, Research, Teaching and Administration***

Sponsored by:

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Douglas College, Faculty of Health Sciences, Department of Psychiatric Nursing

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Registration Information

Registration, Fees, Accommodations and Transportation

The NSM symposium is being held at the Westin Bayshore in scenic downtown Vancouver, British Columbia on the west coast of Canada. The Westin Bayshore is located on the shores of Coal Harbour, overlooking the 1000 acre Stanley Park with its famous seawall, the North Shore Mountains and the nearby Cruise Ship Terminal. The thriving downtown area of Vancouver is just blocks away from the Westin Bayshore with shops, restaurants, cultural and art galleries.

For air transportation, out of town guests can arrive at the Vancouver International Airport and take a taxi to the Westin Bayshore or alternatively take the Canada Line rapid transit train from the airport to downtown Vancouver and then take cab from the station to the Westin Bayshore.

Hotel Registration Information:

Westin Bayshore
1601 Bayshore Drive, Vancouver BC
Phone: 604 682 3377



Please click on the following link to book a room at the Westin Bayshore and receive the conference rates. Conference rates for symposium attendees are available for three days before and three days after the symposium for those attendees who wish to spend time exploring Vancouver and surrounding area.

[Neuman 2013 Symposium](#)

Or copy the following link into your web browser

<https://www.starwoodmeeting.com/StarGroupsWeb/booking/reservation?id=1212284961&key=3019>

Registration Fees:

Full Conference Fee -----\$380.00
(includes 1 evening reception, 2 breakfasts, 2 health breaks, 1 lunch)

Student Rate for Full Conference-----\$150.00
(with proof of student status)

One Day Fee-----\$200.00

Student One Day Fee-----\$75.00
(with proof of student status)

Conference Presenter/Speaker reduced fee-----\$350.00

Registrations received after May 15, 2013-----\$425.00

**All fees are in Canadian funds.

Cancellation Policy:

Cancellation requests must be received in writing by the symposium organizers by May 15, 2013. No refunds will be issued after May 15, 2013.

All registrations will be received ONLINE ONLY Final program details and the online registration form will be available April 15.

Thank you.

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Program at a Glance

Thursday, June 6 1900-2100 (Westin Bayshore—Currents Restaurant)

- Registration
- Welcome Reception and Plenary Speaker

Friday, June 7

0700-0800	Breakfast and Registration (<i>Salon 1</i>)
0800-0900	Welcome and Keynote Speaker (<i>Salon 2</i>)
0900-1000	Concurrent Sessions A (<i>Breakout rooms</i>)
1000-1030	Refreshment Break (<i>Salon 2</i>)
1030-1130	Concurrent Sessions B (<i>Breakout Rooms</i>)
1130-1230	Plenary (<i>Salon 2</i>)
1230-1330	Lunch and Awards (<i>Salon 1</i>)
1330-1430	Concurrent Sessions C (<i>Breakout Rooms</i>)
1430-1500	Conversations with Betty (<i>Salon 2</i>)
1500-1700	Silent Auction/Poster Presentations (<i>Salon 1</i>)

Saturday, June 8

0700-0800	Breakfast (<i>Salon 1</i>)
0800-0900	Plenary (<i>Salon 2</i>)
0900-1000	Concurrent Sessions D (<i>Breakout Rooms</i>)
1000-1030	Refreshment Break (<i>Salon 2</i>)
1030-1130	Panel Presentation: <i>International Experiences with NSM</i> (<i>Salon 1</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Confirmation of Panel Presenters TBA
1130-1230	Closing (<i>Salon 2</i>)

Plenary and Invited Speakers

Sarah Beckman, MSN, RN

- *Undergraduate Education and NSM*

Jacqueline Fawcett PhD, ScD (hon), RN, FAAN

- *Neuman Systems Model Research: A Retrospective and a Prospective.*

Eileen Gigliotti, RN, PhD

- *Writing a Theoretical Rationale in Research*

Lois W. Lowry, DNSc, RN, ANEF

- *Vision, Values and Verities: A View of the Neuman Systems Model*

Betty Neuman, RN, BSN, MSN, PhD, PLC, FAAN

- *Conversations with Betty*

Poster Presentations

1. Alona Angosta

- *Application of the Neuman Systems Model in Caring for Filipino Americans with Metabolic Syndrome*

2. Carol Burkhardt-Fuentes

- *Creating a Reflection Room and Strengthening the Spirituality Variable on an Inpatient Adult Psychiatric Unit: A Multi-Phase Quality Improvement and Research Project by an Interdisciplinary Team*

3. Karen Reed Gehrling

- *The Reconstitution Process of Divorced Women: Getting to a New Normal*

4. DeLyndia Green-Laughlin

- *Caregivers and Nurses' Support of Family Members in Transition from Hospital to Nursing Home*
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5. Victoria Pham Randazzo

- *Application of Neuman Systems Model to Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Exacerbation*

6. Barbara Smith-Johnson

- *Perceived Stress of African-American Family Caregivers of Stroke Survivors*

CONCURRENT SESSIONS AT A GLANCE (Friday June 7, 2013—Morning Sessions)

Time:	Session Title:	Presenter(s)/Author(s):	Room
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Session A1 Theme: NSM and Practice

0900-0930	Hispanic Nurses' Perception of Pain - Assessment and Management	Carol Bloch	Salon 3
0930-1000	Energizing Practice: Lessons Learned from the Field	Barbara Freese	Salon 3

Session A2: Theme: NSM and Education

0900-0930	Theory-driven Faculty/Student Engagement, Cultural Competence, Quality/Safety Goals	Sarah Beckman	Salon 1
0930-1000	Identifying Nursing Student Stressors and Interventions Using the Neuman Systems Model	Heidi Buffenbarger	Salon 1

Session A3: NSM and Research

0900-0930	Doctoral Graduate Study as a Created Environment	Kelley Conrad	Chehalis
0930-1000	The Neuman Systems Model Applied to the Social Issue of Domestic Violence	Betsy McDowell	Chehalis

Session B1 Theme: NSM and Practice

1030-1100	Role Stress, Eating Behavior, and Obesity in Clergy	Nancy Manister	Salon 3
1110-1130	Calcium Channel Blockers As Initial Therapeutic Agents in Hypertension: Relationship to Incident Heart Failure	Denise Shields	Salon 3

Session B2: Theme: NSM and Education

1030-1100	The Spiritual Variable in a NSM Based Curriculum	Rene van Leeuwen	Salon 1
1110-1130	The Effects of Electronic Medical Record Use in the Clinical Laboratory Setting on Perceived Self-Efficacy in Electronic Nursing Documentation by Baccalaureate Nursing Students	Theresa Gunter Lawson	Salon 1

Session B3: NSM and Research

1030-1100	A Beginner's Guide to Writing the Theoretical Rationale	Eileen Gigliotti	Chehalis
1110-1130			

CONCURRENT SESSIONS AT A GLANCE (Friday June 7, 2013—Afternoon Sessions)

Time:	Session Title:	Presenter(s)/Author(s):	Room
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Session C1 Theme: NSM and Education

1330-1400	Hole in a Holistic Assessment: Environmental Health in Nursing	Joan Crisp	Salon 3
1400-1430	NSM in Education: Energizing Teacher and Student Learning Outcomes	Maria Wright	Salon 3

Session C2: Theme: NSM and Education

1330-1430	Neuman Systems Model as the Basis for Education in Changes and Innovations in the Dutch Health Care System	Marlou deKuiper	Salon 1
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Session C3: NSM and Research

1330-1400	The Orthopedic Nurse Residency Program: A Qualitative Study	Carolyn Tinio	Chehalis
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CONCURRENT SESSIONS AT A GLANCE (Saturday June 8, 2013—Morning Sessions)

Session C1 Theme: NSM and Practice/Education

0900-0930	Utilizing a Neuman-Based Clinical Evaluation Tool for 25 Years - How it Begun and What it is Today	Cheryl Bruick Sorge	Salon 3
0930-1000	Sailing the High Seas	Melissa Watkins	Salon 3

Session C2: Theme: NSM and Education

0900-0930	International Service-Learning in Nursing Education	Leslie MacTaggartMyers	Salon 1
0930-1000	Nursing Students and Spiritual Care in the Netherlands: Baseline Measurement	Annemiek Schep-Akkerman	Salon 1

Session C3: NSM and Research/Administration

0900-0930	Cultural Competency Intervention Program for Healthcare Workers	Carolyn Bloch	Chehalis
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