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### EDUCATION

PhD - Nursing	University of Colorado Denver, College of Nursing; Denver, Colorado	2007-2011
MSN – Nursing, Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP)	University of Nevada, Las Vegas, School of Nursing (UNLV SON); Las Vegas, Nevada	2001-2003
BSN – Nursing	Saint Louis University, SON; Baguio City, Philippines	1987-1991

### LICENSURE & CERTIFICATION

Texas RN License	Active	2023 to Present
Nevada APRN License	Active	2004 to Present
Nevada Board of Pharmacy	Active	2004 to Present
Drug Enforcement Administration	Active	2004 to Present
Nevada RN License	Active	1992 to Present

<u>Certificate</u>	Certifying Body	Inclusive Dates
Certified Nurse Educator	National League for Nursing	2013 to Present
FNP Board Certification	American Nurses Credentialing Center	2004 to Present
PALS	American Heart Association	1998 to Present
ACLS	American Heart Association	1995 to Present
CPR	American Heart Association	1992 to Present

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Institution	Position title	Inclusive Dates
Valley Hospital Medical Center, LV, NV	RN	1992-1995
Sunrise Hospital and Medical Center, LV, NV	RN	1996-2000
University Medical Center, LV, NV	RN (Part time)	1998-2000
St Rose Dominican Hospital, Sienna Campus, Henderson, NV	RN	2000-2004
Las Vegas Pain Institute and Spring Valley Surgery Center	NP and Administrator (Part time from 2007)	2004-2011
	Lecturer/Clinical Instructor	2007-2011

UNLV SON	Assistant Professor	2011-2017
FirstMed Health and Wellness Center, LV, NV	FNP (Part time)	2012-2023
National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR)	Guest Researcher	2014
UNLV Center for Biobehavioral Interdisciplinary Sciences	Coordinator	2015-2017
UNLV SON	Associate Professor, Tenured	2017-2023
	Doctoral Program Director	2018-2019
	Emerita	2024 to Present
UTHealth Houston, Cizik SON	Professor, Tenured	2024 to Present
	Lee and Joseph Jamail Distinguished Professor in Nursing	

#### HONORS & AWARDS

Award	Awarding Organization	Date
Academic Scholar and Dean's List	Saint Louis University, Philippines	1998-1991
Cum Laude: BSN	Saint Louis University, Philippines	1991
Ambassador of Courtesy	LV, NV	2001-2002
Customer Service Excellence	St Rose Dominican Hospital, Henderson, NV	2002
Masters Academic Award, Rebecca Lahr Scholarship	American Association of Critical Care Nurses	2002-2003
Nurse Practitioner Recognition Award	Clark County Medical Society, LV, NV	2004
Mordecai Doctoral Award	University of Colorado, Denver, College of Nursing	2007-2010
Doctoral Scholarship Award	Mountain States Chapter of the Paralyzed American of America	2011
Faculty Doctoral Project Award	UNLV, SON	2011
Senatorial Recognition	Nevada Nurses Association	2012
Congressional Recognition	Nevada Nurses Association	2012
Certificate of Recognition	Asian American Pacific Islander Nurses Association (AAPINA)	2012
Tenure Track Research Award	UNLV SON	2012
Nursing Leadership Education	Sigma Theta Tau International	2013
Senatorial Commendation	Office of Senator Harry Reid	2014
Poster Presentation Award	Interdisciplinary Research Scholarship Day, LV, NV	2014
UNLV Barrick Scholar Award	UNLV SON Nominee	2015
Certificate of Commendation	AAPINA	2015
Young Investigator Award	American Pain Society	2016

Nurse of the Year in Research	March of Dimes	2016
Fellow, Leadership for Academic Nursing Program	American Association of Colleges of Nursing	2016-2017
Leadership Fellow	Okura, AAPINA	2016-2017
50 under 50 Future of Nursing	Nevada Nurses Foundation	2017
UNLV Regents' Rising Researcher Service Award	UNLV, SON Nominee AAPINA	2017, 2014 2018
Nurse of the Year, Pain Specialty	March of Dimes	2018
State Excellence Award (NV Nominee)	American Association of Nurse Practitioners	2019
Team Award (Virtual Clinical and Simulation Evaluations)	UNLV, SON	2021
Nevada Healthcare Heroes	UNLV, SON Nominee	2022, 2020
Outstanding Research Award	UNLV, SON	2022, 2014
Research Award	UNLV	2023
Fellow (FAAN)	American Academy of Nursing	2023
Certificate of Recognition	Office of the NV Governor and AAPINA	2024

## **GRANTS**

### Research Grants

<b>TITLE</b>	Self-Management and Self-Management Support on Chronic Low Back Pain in a Primary Care Setting
<b>FUNDING AGENCY</b>	UNLV School of Nursing Intramural Grant
<b>AIMS/GOALS OF GRANT</b>	The overall purpose of the study was to elucidate the impact of self-management (SM) and self-management support (SMS) on patients with chronic low back pain (CLBP). The specific aims were: (1) To describe SM behaviors, the level of SM, amount of perceived SMS, mental health state, functional ablement, and mean pain intensity in patients with CLBP; (2) To examine the influences of perceived SMS on SM, and perceived SMS and SM on functional ablement, pain intensity, and mental health state, after controlling for potential demographical covariates; (3) To evaluate whether SM mediates perceived SMS and functional ablement, mean pain intensity, and mental health state; and (4) To describe patient perceptions of their SM, SMS, and functional ablement.
<b>PI/CO-PI/ OTHER</b>	Kawi, J. (PI)
<b>% TIME CONTRIBUTION</b>	100%
<b>TERM OF GRANT</b>	March 2012 - March 2014 (Completed November 2012)
<b>TOTAL AWARD</b>	\$5,000.00

<b>TITLE</b>	The effect of a progressive exercise program on functional activity and quality of life for older overweight women with knee osteoarthritis
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<b>FUNDING AGENCY</b>	School of Nursing and School of Allied Health
<b>AIMS/GOALS OF GRANT</b>	This interprofessional feasibility research was awarded in 2012 to provide training on two low to moderate exercise strategies for older overweight women with knee osteoarthritis and compare these exercises (progressive walking and progressive stepping) in terms of knee ROM, strength gain, physical function, disability, quality of life, and self-management. This study included an online self-management course component provided to the participants for a period of 6 weeks, approximately 2 hours/week.
<b>PI/CO-PI/OTHER</b>	Scheurman, S. (Co-PI) Kawi, J. (Co-PI)
<b>% TIME CONTRIBUTION</b>	50%
<b>TERM OF GRANT</b>	May 2012 - May 2014 (Completed December 2013)
<b>TOTAL AWARD</b>	\$29,251.00 (\$24,251.00 + \$5,000 Intramural Grant Award from School of Nursing)

<b>TITLE</b>	Predictors of effective self-management in chronic low back pain
<b>FUNDING AGENCY</b>	Nurse Practitioner Healthcare Foundation (NPFH)/Purdue Pharma L. P. Pain Management Award program
<b>AIMS/GOALS OF GRANT</b>	This study conducted a secondary analysis of data gathered from two previous primary research studies completed by the PI. The primary aim of this study was to identify the predictors of effective SM in CLBP. Second, this study evaluated the differences in predictors between participants in specialty pain centers and primary care clinics.
<b>PI/CO-PI/OTHER</b>	Kawi, J. (PI)
<b>% TIME CONTRIBUTION</b>	100%
<b>TERM OF GRANT</b>	February 2013 – February 2015 (Completed August 2014)
<b>TOTAL AWARD</b>	\$5,000.00

<b>TITLE</b>	Association of the Heat Shock Protein and Symptom Burden among adults with Fibromyalgia Syndrome
<b>FUNDING AGENCY</b>	School of Nursing Intramural Grant
<b>AIMS/GOALS OF GRANT</b>	The purpose of this study was to examine the association of heat shock protein (HSP90AA1) in the ubiquitination pathways and the burden of symptoms (e.g., pain, fatigue, sleep disturbance, cognitive dysfunction) among adults with fibromyalgia syndrome. The specific aims were: (1) To examine the associations between plasma HPS90AA1 levels and various symptoms (pain, fatigue, sleep disturbance, and cognitive dysfunction) among adults with fibromyalgia syndrome; and (2) To investigate the difference in HPS90AA1 levels among fibromyalgia syndrome adults with high and low pain intensity.
<b>PI/CO-PI/OTHER</b>	Kawi, J. (PI) Lukkahatai, N. (Co-I)

<b>% TIME CONTRIBUTION</b>	75%
<b>TERM OF GRANT</b>	March 2015 - March 2017 (Completed August 2016)
<b>TOTAL AWARD</b>	\$5,000.00

<b>TITLE</b>	Influence of Epigenomic Alterations on Chronic Low Back Pain
<b>FUNDING AGENCY</b>	American Association of Nurse Practitioners
<b>AIMS/GOALS OF GRANT</b>	The aims of this study included: (1) Evaluate the associations between epigenomic alterations (i.e., global Deoxyribonucleic Acid [DNA] methylation) and pain impact among adult females with nonspecific chronic low back pain (cLBP); (2) Identify contributions of behavioral risk factors (exercise and smoking) to epigenomic alterations among individuals with cLBP; and (3) Explain the relationships between epigenomic alterations and biomedical risk factors (Basal Metabolic Index [BMI] and opioid use) in cLBP.
<b>PI</b>	Kawi, J.
<b>% TIME CONTRIBUTION</b>	100%
<b>TERM OF GRANT</b>	August 2016 - December 2017
<b>TOTAL AWARD</b>	\$2,500.00

<b>TITLE</b>	Pilot Testing a Theory-Driven Self-Management Intervention for Chronic Musculoskeletal Pain
<b>FUNDING AGENCY</b>	National Institutes of Health - National Institute of Nursing Research 1R56NR019813-01
<b>AIMS/GOALS OF GRANT</b>	The purpose of this multi-site study is to test a theory-driven, auricular point acupressure (APA) intervention based on Bandura's self-efficacy theory to facilitate self-management of chronic musculoskeletal pain in a 3-arm RCT. Based on the theory, the aims include: (1) Evaluating the effect of APA on chronic musculoskeletal pain on pain and pain-related outcomes; and (2) Examine the sustainability of patients' adherence to APA practice and satisfaction using APA.
<b>PI/CO-PI/OTHER</b>	MPIs: Kawi, J. (co-PI); Yeh, C.H. (Contact PI)
<b>% TIME CONTRIBUTION</b>	50% in grant writing with co-PI, 100% effort in site study implementation
<b>TERM OF GRANT</b>	September 2021 – October 2022
<b>TOTAL AWARD</b>	\$333,954 (\$96,537)

<b>TITLE</b>	Management of Chronic Low Back Pain in Older Adults Using Auricular Point Acupressure
<b>FUNDING AGENCY</b>	National Institutes of Health - National Institute on Aging R01 AG056587
<b>AIMS/GOALS OF GRANT</b>	The specific aims of the study were to: (1) Determine the efficacy of APA for cLBP at 1-month after completion of APA (primary endpoint) and explore monthly follow-up to 12-months to assess sustained effects; (2) Determine effects of APA

	on inflammatory signaling in cLBP; and (3) Examine the relationship among potential mediators and moderators that influence the beneficial effects of APA on cLBP.
<b>PI/CO-PI/OTHER</b>	Kawi, J. (co-I) Yeh, C.H. (PI) > NCE MPIs: Johnson, C; Lukkahatai, N
<b>% TIME CONTRIBUTION</b>	20%
<b>TERM OF GRANT</b>	May 2024 - April 2025
<b>TOTAL AWARD</b>	\$3,863,334 (\$49,631.)

<b>TITLE</b>	Personalized Auricular Point Acupressure for Chronic Pain Self-Management in Rural Populations
<b>FUNDING AGENCY</b>	National Institutes of Health - National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health, National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke 1UG3AT012728-01
<b>AIMS/GOALS OF GRANT</b>	This project will facilitate the refinement of our Auricular Point Acupressure-Self-Management (APA-SM) program for chronic musculoskeletal pain through community-engaged research, followed by pilot testing of the program in rural pain care. We will: (1) Conduct focus group interviews to elicit stakeholders' perspectives on our APA-SM program and it's integration into pain care, and (2) Pilot test the refined APA-SM program to explore participants' experiences and barriers in self-administering APA.
<b>PI/CO-PI/OTHER</b>	PI: Kawi, J. (contact); MPIs (Wu, H.; Bolin, J.)
<b>% TIME CONTRIBUTION</b>	25%
<b>TERM OF GRANT</b>	September 2024 – August 2025
<b>TOTAL AWARD</b>	\$817,483

### Educational Grants

Summer Genetics Institute Training Program, NINR, Awardee, 2014

Jonas Nursing and Veterans Healthcare Education Grant, American Association of Colleges of Nursing, Project Director, \$30,000 for Jonas Scholars, 2018-2019

### Other Funded Projects Including Contracts for Service

Mountain West Clinical Translational Research-Infrastructure Network (CTR-IN) Award (1U54GM104944), National Institute of General Medical Sciences, Visiting Scholar Award, \$7,757, 2014

Health for Nevada Award, State of Nevada in collaboration with UNLV, PI, 10% effort, 2018-2019

Municipal Support Grant Program Award: Drug Deactivation Units to Combat Opioid Abuse, AmerisourceBergen Foundation, PI in collaboration with community partner, FirstMed Health and Wellness Center, 10% effort, 2018-2019

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## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Published, Refereed Journal Articles**

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**Kawi, J.** (2013). Self-management and support in chronic pain subgroups: Integrative review. *Journal for Nurse Practitioners*, 9, 110-115.e5. doi:10.1016/j.nurpra.2012.12.020

**Kawi, J.** (2014). Influence of self-management and self-management support on chronic low back pain patients in primary care. *Journal of the American Association of Nurse Practitioners*, 26(12), 664-673. PMID: 24688002

**Kawi, J.** (2014). Headache and neck pain from cervicocranial fibromuscular dysplasia. *Clinical Scholars Review*, 7(2), 148-153. doi:10.1891/1939-2095.7.2.148

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Thomason, D., Lukkahatai, N., **Kawi, J.**, Connelly, K., & Inouye, J. (2016). A systematic review of self-management and weight loss. *Journal of Pediatric Health Care, 30*(6), 569-582. PMID: 26818905

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**Kawi, J.**, Lukkahatai, N., Inouye, J., Thomason, D., & Connelly, K. (2016). Effects of exercise on select biomarkers and associated outcomes in chronic pain conditions: Systematic review. *Biological Research for Nursing, 18*(2), 147-159. PMID: 26276511

Silvestri-Elmore, A., Alpert, P., **Kawi, J.**, Feng, D. (2017). The predictors of cultural competence among new baccalaureate degree nursing graduates: Implications for nursing education. *Journal of Nursing Education and Practice, 7*(5), 33-44. <http://dx.doi.org/10.5430/jnep.v7n5p33>

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**Kawi, J.**, Yeh, C. H., Li, M. C., Caswell, K., Mazraani, M., Lukkahatai, N., Mensah, S., Taylor, J., Budhathoki, C., Christo, P. (2021). Auricular point acupressure smartphone application to manage chronic musculoskeletal pain: A longitudinal, one-group, open pilot trial. *Global Advances in Health and Medicine, 10*. doi:10.1177/2164956120987531.

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**Kawi, J., & Yeh, C. H.,** (2022, April). Qualitative content analysis of a virtually delivered auricular point acupressure intervention for self-managing chronic pain. Abstract retrieved from the 31st ASPMN national conference proceedings, *Pain Management Nursing*, 23(2), 239.  
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**Kawi, J.** (2024, April). Addressing chronic musculoskeletal pain among health disparity populations: A randomized controlled trial. Abstract retrieved from the 33<sup>rd</sup> American Society for Pain Management Nursing national conference proceedings, *Pain Management Nursing*, 25(2), E160.  
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#### Media Contributions

Self-Management in Chronic Low Back Pain, Featured in UNLV Today, February 2015

Chronic Pain Research and Management, Guest Speaker in Research Files: UNLV TV, June 2015

Exercise and Chronic Pain Biomarkers, Featured in Practical Pain Management journal by Thomas G. Ciccone, October 2015

Pain Research, Profiled in the UNLV News Center, November 2016

Nurse Practitioner, Profiled in the Online Nurse Practitioner Based in Nevada, Online 2016

Chronic Low Back Pain, Guest Speaker for the UNLV KUNV Radio Station on Faculty Experts hosted by Michael Easter, March 2017

Hiking with Arthritis, Content expert in an Interview for Article in Practical Pain Management by Rosemary Black, October 2019

Chronic Pain, Medical Minute, UNLV SON in partnership with 91.5 FM, August 2020,

Pain Management, Medical Minute, UNLV SON in partnership with 91.5 FM, August 2020,

Living With Pain: How to Identify and Treat Chronic Conditions, UNLV SON Rebel Nursing Notes, September 2021

Becoming Pain-Free: Jennifer Kawi Of UNLV School of Nursing On How to Alleviate Chronic Pain, Authority Magazine, March 2023

#### PRESENTATIONS

##### International Presentations (Refereed)

**Kawi, J.** (2013, July). *Self-management and self-management support on chronic low back pain patients in primary care*. Oral session presented at the STTI's 24<sup>th</sup> International Nursing Research Congress, Prague, Czech Republic. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2014, July). *Predictors of self-management for chronic low back pain*. Oral session presented at the STTI's 25<sup>th</sup> International Nursing Research Congress, Hong Kong. (Primary Author/Presenter)

Sparks, T., **Kawi, J.**, Menzel, N. M., & Hartley, K. (2015, November). Fibromyalgia: Implementation of Health Information Technology in Routine Care, A Pilot Study. In J. Inouye (Organizer), *Technology Enhanced Self-Management Across the Illness Trajectory*. Symposium conducted at the 43<sup>rd</sup> STTI Biennial Convention, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Co-Author)

Thomason, D., **Kawi, J.**, Lukkahatai, N., Connelly, K. E., & Inouye, J. (2015, November). Self-Management and Weight Loss in Adolescents: A Systematic Review. In J. Inouye (Organizer), *Enhancing Social Support for Self-Management*. Symposium conducted at the 43<sup>rd</sup> STTI Biennial Convention, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Co-Author)

**Kawi, J.** (2016, March). *Symptom burden and protein expression (Heat Shock Protein) in fibromyalgia syndrome*. Oral session presented at the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, AAPINA, Ensenada, Baja, Mexico. (Primary Author/Presenter)

Lukkahatai, N., & **Kawi, J.** (2016, March). *Ethnicity differences of symptoms profile in patients with fibromyalgia*. Oral session presented at the 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, AAPINA, Ensenada, Baja, Mexico. (Co-Author)

**Kawi, J.**, & Ruckdeschel, A. (2017, March). Evidence-Based Online Information on Opioids. In J. Inouye (Organizer), *mHealth and Wearable Technology Application for Global Health*. Symposium conducted at the 14<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference, AAPINA, Honolulu, Hawaii. (Primary Author/Co-Presenter)

**Kawi, J.**, Lukkahatai, N., & Lee, H. (2018, September). *Biobehavioral Correlates: Women in Low Socioeconomic Class with Chronic Low Back Pain*. Oral session presented at the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference, AAPINA, Durham, North Carolina. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.**, Reyes, A. T., Serafica, R., & Arenas, R. A. (2019, July). Resilience: Understanding How Asian Immigrants Manage in the Face of Chronic Pain. In J. Kawi (Organizer), *Exploring Resilience Among Asian Immigrants Toward Improving Global Healthcare*. Symposium conducted at the 30<sup>th</sup> STTI Nursing Research Congress, Calgary, Alberta, Canada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.**, Yeh, C. H., Serafica, R., & Reyes, A.T. (2022, July). Development, Implementation, and Evaluation of Virtually-Delivered, Theory-Based Intervention to Self-Manage Chronic Pain and Address Disparities. In J. Kawi (Organizer), *Leveraging Digital Healthcare Interventions in Research to Evaluate Clinical Outcomes: Applications to Global Nursing Knowledge*. Symposium conducted at the 33<sup>rd</sup> STTI Nursing Research Congress, Edinburgh, Scotland. (Primary Author/Presenter)

Evangelista, L. S., **Kawi, J.**, Serafica, R., & Reyes, A. T. (2023, July). Health Promotion Practices among Medically Underserved Filipinos. In L. S. Evangelista and J. Kawi (Organizers), *Philippines' Struggle against Systemic Racism and Health Disparities, Reducing Structural Racism and Health Disparities in the Philippines*. Symposium, 34<sup>th</sup> STTI Nursing Research Congress, United Arab Emirates. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.**, Cacciata, M., Reyes, A. T., Serafica, R., & Evangelista, L. (2024, July). Chronic Pain and Social Determinants of Health among Adult Filipinos from Rural Communities in the Philippines. In A. T. Reyes (Organizer), *Addressing Global Health Inequities and Challenges in Rural Filipino Communities*. Symposium conducted at the 35<sup>th</sup> STTI Nursing Research Congress, Singapore. (Primary Author/Presenter)

### **International Presentations (Invited)**

**Kawi, J.** (2018, August). *Epigenomics and exercise among disadvantaged women with chronic low back pain*. Poster session presented at the 39<sup>th</sup> University of the Philippines Nursing Alumni Association International Education Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

#### **National Presentations (Refereed)**

**Kawi, J.,** Jauregui, A., Vapor, V., & Xu, Y. (2008, May). Transition of international nurses to practice. In Y. Xu (Organizer), *Transition, adaptation & integration of international nurses*. Symposium conducted at the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, AAPINA, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2012, March). *Self-Management in chronic illness care: A concept analysis*. Poster session presented at the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, AAPINA, Las Vegas, NV. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2012, March). *Self-management and self-management support on functional ablement in specialty pain care settings*. Poster session presented at the 9<sup>th</sup> Annual conference, AAPINA, Las Vegas, NV. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2013, March). *Self-management and support in chronic low back pain*. Oral session presented at the 10<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference, AAPINA, Honolulu, Hawaii. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2013, June). *Nurse practitioner specialty role in managing the epidemic of non-malignant chronic pain*. Poster session presented at the American Association of Nurse Practitioners 28<sup>th</sup> National Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2014, March). *Predictors of self-management for chronic pain*. Oral session presented at the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference, AAPINA, San Diego, California. (Primary Author/Presenter)

Talusan, R., **Kawi, J.,** & Candela, L. (2014, September). *Opioid monitoring clinic for high risk patients on chronic opioid therapy at Las Vegas Southern Nevada Healthcare System*. Poster session presented at the PAINWeek National Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Co-Author)

**Kawi, J.,** Lukkahatai, N., Inouye, J., Thomason, D., & Connelly, K. (2015, March). Exercise and biomarkers in chronic pain conditions: Systematic review. In J. Inouye (Organizer), *Enhancing Self and Symptom Management of Chronic Illnesses in Vulnerable Populations*. Symposium conducted at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference, AAPINA, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

Lukkahatai, N., Inouye, J., **Kawi, J.,** Connelly, K., & Thomason, D. (2015, March). Predictors of cognitive behavioral therapy in chronic diseases: Integrative review. In J. Inouye (Organizer), *Enhancing Self and Symptom Management of Chronic Illnesses in Vulnerable Populations*. Symposium conducted at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference, AAPINA, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Co-Author)

Thomason, D., **Kawi, J.,** Lukkahatai, N., Connelly, K., & Inouye, J. (2015, March). Self-management and weight loss in adolescents: An integrative review. In J. Inouye (Organizer), *Enhancing Self and Symptom Management of Chronic Illnesses in Vulnerable Populations*. Symposium conducted at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference, AAPINA, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Co-Author)

Ulep-Reed, M., & **Kawi, J.** (2015, March). Prader-Willi Syndrome in older adulthood in primary care. Poster session presented at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference, AAPIN, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Co-Author)

- Kawi, J.,** Lukkahatai, N., Inouye, J., Thomason, D., & Connelly, K. (2015, September). *Effects of exercise on select biomarkers and associated outcomes in chronic pain conditions: Systematic Review*. Poster session presented at the PAINWeek National Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)
- Kawi, J.,** Lukkahatai, N., Espina, A., Walitt, B., & Saligan, L. (2016, May). *Associations between Heat Shock Protein and symptom burden in fibromyalgia syndrome*. Poster session presented at the 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Pain Society, Austin, Texas. (Primary Author/Presenter)
- Lukkahatai, N., Kaur, K., Walitt, B., **Kawi, J.,** Espina, A., & Saligan, L. (2016, May). *Differences in plasma levels of Heat Shock Proteins between persons with and without fibromyalgia*. Poster session presented at the 35<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Pain Society, Austin, Texas. (Co-Author/Presenter)
- Kawi, J.,** Meneses, J., Sood, K., & Tesfagiorgis, E. (2018, March). *Association between global DNA methylation and exercise in chronic low back pain*. Poster session presented at the 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Summit of the American Pain Society, Anaheim, California. (Primary Author)
- Kawi, J.,** Tesfagiorgis, E., Sood, K., & Meneses, J. (2018, September). *Influence of Biomedical Risk Factors on Chronic Low Back Pain among Women*. Oral session presented at the 28<sup>th</sup> ASPMN National Conference, Bonita Springs, Florida. (Primary Author/Presenter)
- Strong, M., Kowal, I., Hill, J., Cohen, M., **Kawi, J.,** & Donahue, B. (2019, November). *A Comprehensive Examination of the Relationship between Psychiatric Symptoms and Substance Use in College Athletes*. Poster session presented at the 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual Convention, Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies, Atlanta, GA. (Co-Author)
- Kawi, J.** (2020, October). *Women with Chronic Low Back Pain and Low Socio-economic Status: Self-efficacy and Multisite Pain Predictors*. Oral session presented at the 30<sup>th</sup> ASPMN National Conference, Virtual. (Primary Author/Presenter)
- Reyburne-Orne, T., **Kawi, J.,** Renner, L., Vaughan, J., & Wittmayer, K. (2020, October). *Where's the Curriculum? APN ALERT (Advanced LEArner Training)*. Panel session presented at the 30<sup>th</sup> American Society for Pain Management Nursing National Conference, Virtual. (Co-Author/Co-Presenter)
- Kawi, J.,** & Yeh, C. H. (2021, October). *Qualitative content analysis of a virtually delivered auricular point acupressure intervention for self-managing chronic pain*. Oral session presented at the 31<sup>st</sup> ASPMN National Conference, Virtual. (Primary Author/Presenter)
- Kawi, J.** (2022, September). *Educational innovations leveraging technology for nurse practitioner students to learn pain management*. Poster session, 32<sup>nd</sup> ASPMN Conference, Indian Wells, California. (Primary Author)
- Bauer, M., **Kawi, J.,** Lukkahatai, N., Dodd, T., & St. Marie, B. (2023, September). *Auricular Point Acupressure: A Complementary Medicine Treatment for Pain Management*. Pre-conference Workshop (1/2 day) presentation, 33<sup>rd</sup> ASPMN Conference, Minneapolis, MN. (Co-Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2023, September). *Addressing Chronic Musculoskeletal Pain among Health Disparity Populations: A Randomized Controlled Trial*. Oral session, 33<sup>rd</sup> ASPMN Conference, Minneapolis, MN. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.,** Wu, H., Huang, X., & Johnson, C. (2024, June). Results of a randomized controlled trial: Auricular Point Acupressure for chronic low back pain among older adults after six months. In N. Lukkahatai and J. Kawi (Organizers), *Scientific Basis and Efficacy of Auricular Point Acupressure*. Symposium conducted at the 2024 CANS State of the Science Congress on Nursing Research, Washington, DC. (Primary Author/Presenter)

#### **Regional and State Presentations (Refereed)**

Jauregui, A., **Kawi, J.,** Vapor, V., Xu, Y., & Zizzo, K. (2008, May). Transition of international nurses to practice: Facilitators and barriers. In Y. Xu (Organizer), *Transition, adaptation & integration of international nurses: Overview*. Symposium conducted at the WIN 41<sup>st</sup> Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference, Orange County, California. (Co-Author)

Carron, R., Handley, S., **Kawi, J.,** & Thibault, E. (2009, November). *Health care decision making during an economic recession*. Poster session presented at the University of Colorado Denver Research Conference, Denver, Colorado. (Co-Author)

Carron, R., Handley, S., **Kawi, J.,** & Thibault, E. (2010, March). *Health care decision making during an economic recession: A qualitative descriptive study*. Poster and podium session presented at the 21st Annual Rocky Mountain Regional Multidisciplinary Research & Evidence-Based Practice Symposium: Evidence-Based Practice for the Clinician, Denver, Colorado. (Co-Author)

**Kawi, J.** (2011, April). *Concept analysis: Self-management support in chronic illness care*. Poster session presented at the WIN Annual Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2011, April). *Self-management and self-management support on functional ablement in chronic low back pain*. Poster session presented at the WIN Annual Conference, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2012, April). *Self-management and self-management support in chronic pain subgroups: Integrative review*. Poster session presented at the Gardner-Webb University in co-sponsorship with NCNA District 29, Boiling Springs, NC. (Primary Author)

Benfield, R. D., **Kawi, J.,** Lee, H., Poston, B. J., Duncan, C. (2021, Spring). *Using repetitive transcranial magnetic stimulation to reduce opioid cravings in opioid use disorder*. Poster session presented at the WIN Annual Conference, Portland, Oregon. (Co-Author)

Zvonar, S., Benning, S. D., Reyes, A. T., **Kawi, J.,** & Serafica, R. C. (2023, April). *Fear of recurrence or progression as a mediator of illness perception and perceived stress in acute myocardial infarction survivors*. Podium session presented at the WIN Annual Conference, Tucson, Arizona. (Co-Author)

Akpati, F., & **Kawi, J.** (2023, April). *Acculturation predicted health-promoting lifestyle among Nigerian immigrants: A cross-sectional study and impact on educational innovations*. Poster session presented at the WIN Annual Conference, Tucson, Arizona. (Co-Author/Presenter)

**Local Presentations (Refereed)**

**Kawi, J.** (2009, April). *Facilitators and barriers to the adjustment of international nurses: An integrative review*. Poster session presented at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Interdisciplinary Research Scholarship Day at the UNLV, SON and Allied Health, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2012, April). *Self-management and self-management support in chronic pain subgroups: Integrative review*. Poster session at the Annual Interdisciplinary Research Scholarship Day, UNLV SON, Allied Health, and Community Health Sciences, Las Vegas, NV. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2013, April). *Self-management and self-management support on chronic low back pain patients in primary care*. Poster session presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Interdisciplinary Research Scholarship Day, UNLV SON and School of Community Health Sciences, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J., Schuerman, S., Alpert, P., & Young, D.** (2014, April). *Activation to self-management and exercise in overweight and obese older women with knee osteoarthritis*. Poster session presented at the 7th Annual Interdisciplinary Research Scholarship Day, UNLV Division of Health Sciences, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J., Lukkanatai, N., Espina, A., Walitt, B., & Saligan, L.** (2016, October). *Associations between Heat Shock Protein and symptom burden in fibromyalgia syndrome*. Poster session presented at the Sigma Theta Tau: Zeta Kappa-at-large Chapter scholarship meeting, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Local Presentations (Invited)**

**Kawi, J.** (2011, April). Concept analysis: Self-management support in chronic illness care. Poster session presented at the UNLV Annual Interdisciplinary Research Scholarship Day, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**Kawi, J.** (2011, April). Self-management and self-management support on functional ablement in chronic low back pain. Poster session presented at the UNLV Annual Interdisciplinary Research Scholarship Day, Las Vegas, Nevada. (Primary Author/Presenter)

**PROFESSIONAL SERVICE****Consultations**

Organization	Location	Role	Inclusive dates
Spring Valley Surgery Centers	Las Vegas and Henderson, NV	Consultant: center development, accreditation, and pain management	2011-2014
UNLV Research Grant	UNLV SON	NP Consultation: Lab Results	2017

**Editorial Boards/Panels**

Asian/Pacific Island Nursing Journal	Editorial Board Member	2014-2016
Center for Biobehavioral Interdisciplinary Sciences	Advisory Board Member	2015-2017
National Council of Ethnic Minority Nurse Associations	Board Member	2016-2017

AAPINA	Board of Director	2018-2021
Nevada Office of Minority Health and Equity	Advisory Board Member	2018-2022
Frontiers in Pain Research	Journal Review Editor	2021-2023
American Society for Pain Management Nursing	Board of Director	2022-Present

#### Professional Service

Touro University, Henderson, NV	Guest Speaker	2007
Boys and Girls Club of Southern Nevada	Volunteer (Health Exams)	2008
UNLV SON Alumni Association	Faculty Representative	2008-2011
Various Students and Faculty	Mentor	2008-Present
UNLV SON FNP Students – Comprehensive Exams	Coordinator	2009
Nevada Nurses Association	Representative	2010
UNLV Simulated Patients	Co-Trainer (and 2009)	2012-2013
STTI Zeta Kappa Chapter	Faculty Counselor	2012-2014
FirstMed Health and Wellness Center	Volunteer (Pain Program)	2012-2014
AAPINA Various Committees	Member, Organizer	2012-2017
Various Journals	Journal Reviewer	2012-Present
Filipino-American APRN Association	Founding Member	2013
UNLV SON FNP Joint Injection Session	Speaker	2013-2023
UNLV Interdisciplinary Scholarship	Abstract Reviewer	2014
AAPINA	Treasurer	2014-2017
Various NP Students	Preceptor	2014-2019
NEXus Research Methods Cluster Group	Member	2016-2017
UNLV Interdisciplinary Integrated Course	Guest Speaker	2017, 2015
UNLV Research Week	SON Representative	2017
Fairfield University	Keynote and Plenary Speaker (Chronic Pain)	2018
American Pain Society-Nursing SIG	Statement Contributor (Pain and Opioid Crisis)	2018
UNLV School of Allied Health Sciences	Fellowship Reviewer	2018
AAPINA	Abstracts and Grant Reviewer	2018-2019
NEXUS	Treasurer	2018-2019
UNLV SON NLN Center of Excellence Application	Key Contributor	2018-2019
ASPMN Education Committee	Co-Chair	2018-2020
AAPINA-NV	Founding Member	2018-Present
AAPINA	Finance Committee Chair	2018-2021
AHRQ Report on Nonopioid Pharmacologic Treatments for Chronic Pain	Expert Panel Reviewer	2019
NV HealthCARES Warmline	Volunteer (Pandemic)	2020-2021
ASPMN Education Committee	Chair	2020-2022
ASPMN Journal Club	Co-Lead	2020-2022
Sigma Theta Tau	Abstracts and Grant Reviewer	2022, 2020, 2018
NIH CTR-IN Grants	Grant Reviewer	2023
NCCIH	Reviewer	2024

Professional Memberships

American Association of Colleges of Nursing	2007-Present
American Association of Nurse Practitioners	2002-2024
American Nurses Association	2007-2024
American Society for Pain Management Nursing	2016-2024
Asian American Pacific Islander Nurses Association, Inc.	2008-2024
Asian American Pacific Islander Nurses Association of Nevada Chapter	2018-2024
Nevada Advanced Practice Nurses Association	2013-2024
Nevada Nurses Association	2007-2024
Phi Kappa Phi	2003-2024
Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing	2003-2024
University of Nevada Las Vegas School of Nursing Alumni Association	2007-Present
US Association for the Study of Pain	2023-2024
UTHealth Houston Institute for Implementation Science	2024-Present

Institutional ServiceInstitution (UNLV)

SON Faculty Affairs Committee	Member	2007-2010
SON MSN Admissions Committee	Member	2008-2021
NeXus program Student Advisory Committee	Representative	2010
SON MSN-FNP Committee	Member	2010-2023
SON Faculty Affairs Council	Chair-Elect	2011-2012
SON Bylaws Committee	Member	2012-2018
University Diversity Leadership Forum	Moderator	2013
SON MSN Curriculum Revision Committee	Member	2013-2014
SON Research Strategic Plan Committee	Member	2013-2015
SON PhD Admissions Committee	Member (Led 2019)	2013-2022
SON PhD Curriculum Revision Committee	Member	2014-2015
SON MSN Culminating Projects Committee	Chair	2014-2015
Nevada Institute of Personalized Medicine	Affiliate Faculty	2014-2016
PhD Interdisciplinary Health Science Program	Member	2016
SON Dean Search Committee	Member	2016-2017
SON MSN Program Review Task Force	Member	2016-2017
University Research Council	Member	2017-2019
University Graduate Programs Committee	Member	2018-2019
Institutional Review Board	Member, Alternate	2018-2023
SON DNP Admissions Committee	Chair	2019
SON Promotion and Tenure Committee	Chair	2019-2022
	Member 2017-2023	
Faculty Senate Special Hearing Committee	Member	2019-2023
University Research Council	Member	2020-2021
SON Academic Calendar Task Force	Member	2020-2021
SON Mentoring Task Force	Member	2021
University Top Tier Doctoral Graduate Research	Reviewer	2022
Assistantship Grant Program		
University Promotion and Tenure Committee	Member	2022-2023
	Alternate 2021	

SON Bylaws Committee	Member	2023
<u>Institution (UTHealth)</u>		
PhD Scholarship Committee	Member	2024
PhD Candidacy Committee	Member	2024-Present
<u>Community Service</u>		
Opportunity Village, LV, NV	Staff Volunteer	2007-2008
Susan G. Komen, NV	Participant	2008
Desert Springs Hospital, LV, NV (Chronic Pain)	Guest Speaker	2009
St Luke's Episcopal Church, NV	Health Fair	2010-2012
St Mary's Home Health Care (Pain, Documentation)	Guest Speaker	2012
Community Health Fair	Co-Chair	2012
St Rose Hospital and Stanford Chronic Disease Self-Management Program Workshop (Chronic Pain)	Co-Facilitator	2013
Stephen Ministry Workshop, NV	Guest Speaker	2016
United States Bone and Joint Initiative (Arthritis)	Guest Speaker	2017, 2013
Chronic Disease Prevention and Management in Primary Care, NV	Guest Speaker and Panelist	2017
Lifelong Learning Club, NV (Pain Management)	Guest Speaker	2019
Senior Living Center, NV (Chronic Pain)	Guest Speaker	2019
National Academy of Medicine's Action	Volunteer	2020
Collaborative on Countering the US Opioid Epidemic		
Medical Reserve Corp of Southern Nevada	Volunteer	2020-2021
Nevada Office of Minority Health and Equity on AAPI Inequities and Disparities	Co-Organizer	2021

## **OPTIONAL APPENDICES**

### **Teaching Experience (UNLV)**

NURS 140	Medical Terminology
NURS 299	Nutrition and Development across the Lifespan
NURS 319L	Nursing Care of Older Populations (Clinical)
NURS 320	Foundations in Pharmacology and Pathophysiology across the Lifespan
NURS 329	Health Assessment of Diverse Populations (Lab)
NURS 342	Fundamental Nursing Skills (Lab)
NURS 415L	Nursing Care of Acutely Ill Population (Clinical)
NURS 401L	Nursing Care of Older Adults (Clinical)
NURS 420	Evidence-Based Practice and Research in Nursing
NURS 425	Managing Complex Nursing Care in Diverse Populations
NURS 425L	Managing Complex Nursing Care in Diverse Populations (Clinical)
NURS 426	Advanced Pathophysiology (Distance Education)
NURS 703L	Advanced Physical Assessment (Lab)
NURS 704	Pathophysiology for Advanced Nursing Practice
NURS 707	Nursing Research Methods and Utilization
NURS 719	Health & Public Policy for Advanced Practice Nursing
NURS 730	Advanced Pharmacology and Genetics II

NURS 740R	FNP Adult and Women's Health
NURS 749L	Primary Care of the Family I (Clinical)
NURS 752	Nurse Practitioner Business and Roles
NURS 759L	Primary Care of the Family II (Clinical)
NURS 750R-L	FNP Children and OB (Clinical)
NURS 760R-L	FNP Geriatric and Chronic Illness (Clinical)
NURS 761	Clinical Synthesis
NURS 769	Primary Care of the Family III
NURS 769L	Primary Care of the Family III (Clinical)
NURS 773	Clinical Practicum
NURS 780	Quantitative Research Methods in Nursing
NURS 788	DNP Project
NURS 789	Independent Study (PhD Students)
NURS 798	Independent Study (PhD Students)
NURS 797	Dissertation Credits (PhD Students)

### Non-Credit Instruction (UNLV)

NURS 342	Open Laboratory
NURS 788	DNP Projects
NURS 789	Independent Study (PhD Students' Dissertation Studies)
NURS 798	Independent Study (PhD Students' Dissertation Studies)
NURS Canvas	Chronic Pain, Pain Management, Opioid Use Disorder, and Joint Injections

### Directed Student Learning

Member (External), Dissertation Committee (International Student: Hong Kong Polytechnic University, School of Nursing): Traditional Chinese Medicine Health Preservation Program for Depression: Program Development and Evaluation (Spring 2024 – Present); Advised: Jiayin Ruan

Chair, Dissertation Committee: VA healthcare providers' experiences in exploring sexual health with their older patients (Fall 2021 – Fall 2023); Advised: Andrew White

Chair, Dissertation Committee: Adapting to the rural healthcare context as a new nurse practitioner (Fall 2021 – Fall 2023); Advised: Candace Stidolph

Member, Dissertation Committee: Fear of Recurrence as a Mediator of Illness Perception and Perceived Stress in Acute Myocardial Infarction Survivors (Fall 2021 – Spring 2023); Advised: Sarah Zvonar

Chair, Dissertation Committee: Effect of a Healthcare Simulation Escape Room on Clinical Judgment: A Randomized Controlled Trial (Fall 2020 – Fall 2023); Advised: Jennifer Serratos Peltier

Member, Dissertation Committee: Nurse Practitioner in Rural Areas (Fall 2020 – Summer 2021); Advised: Candace Stidolph

Graduate College Representative, Thesis Committee: Cultural Identification among College Students across Seven Cultural Domains (Spring 2020 – Spring 2022); Advised: Michelle Strong

Graduate College Representative, Thesis Committee: Mental Health Optimization in Diverse Youth from Low-Income Neighborhoods: A Controlled Multiple Baseline Analysis (Spring 2020 – Summer 2021); Advised: Karolyne Stucki

Member, Dissertation Committee: Opioid Use Disorder and Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation (Fall 2019 – Spring 2022); Advised: Cameron Duncan

Member: Dissertation Committee: Teaching and Evaluation Strategies in the Development of Undergraduate Nursing Students' Clinical Judgment (Fall 2019 – 2022); Advised: Shophia Tserotas

Graduate College Representative, Dissertation Committee: Placentophagy and Chronic Pain (Fall 2019 – 2023); Advised: Jacob White

Chair, Dissertation Committee: Relationships between Mindfulness, Nonacademic Factors, Stress, and Test Performance: A Cross-Sectional Study (Spring 2019 – Summer 2021); Advised: Rebecca Baumeister (UNLV SON PhD Dissertation Funding)

Chair, DNP Project: The Impact of Culturally-Tailored Education on Knowledge and Behavior Related to Screening and Lifestyle Management of Blood Pressure in African Immigrants (Spring 2019 – Spring 2020); Advised: Sarah Deredza (UNLV SON DNP Project Funding)

Graduate College Representative, Dissertation Committee: The Impact of Alzheimer's Disease on Semantic Knowledge (Spring 2019 – Fall 2022); Advised: Maileen Ulep-Reed

Advisor, MSN FNP students (2019 - 2023)

Supervised Research Activities: Graduate Assistant (Fall 2018 – Spring 2019); Advised: Alexandra Duke (PhD Student, Nursing; Graduate Assistant Funding)

Member, Dissertation Committee: Exploration of Numeracy Skills Required for Safe, Quality Nursing Practice (Summer 2018 – Fall 2020); Advised: Anna Wendel

Member, Dissertation Committee: The Effect of Benson's Relaxation Technique to Psychological and Physiological Responses among Patients with COPD (Spring 2018 – Fall 2019); Advised: Crista Reaves (NLN Funding)

Graduate College Representative, Thesis Committee: Associations between Opioid-Related Hospitalizations and Intravenous Drug Users (2018); Advised: Jacklynn De Leon (School of Community Health Sciences)

Supervised Research Activities: Graduate Assistant (Spring 2018); Advised: Trevor Pollom (PhD Student, Anthropology; Graduate Assistant Funding)

Member, Dissertation Committee: Triglyceride Metabolism Following Oral Fat Tolerance Tests of Varying Fat Content among Young, Healthy, Sedentary, and Active Adults (Fall 2017 – Spring 2019); Advised: Nathaniel Bodell (Interdisciplinary Health Sciences PhD Student)

Graduate College Representative, Thesis Committee: Cocoa, Postprandial Lipoproteins, and Inflammation in Type 2 Diabetes – A Secondary Data Analysis (Fall 2017 – Fall 2018); Advised: Rickelle Tallent (Department of Kinesiology-Exercise Physiology)

Chair, Dissertation Committee: Investigating Acculturation, Health-Promoting Lifestyle, and Health Status among Nigerian Immigrants in the United States (Summer 2017 – Fall 2021); Advised: Frank Akpati (UNLV SON PhD Dissertation Funding)

Supervised Research Activities: Graduate Assistant (Fall 2017); Advised: Roger Arenas (PhD Student, Anthropology; Graduate Assistant Funding)

Member, Dissertation Committee: Immigrant Health Effects in First Generation Nigerians living in the US (Fall 2016 – Spring 2017); Advised: Frank Akpati

Supervised Research Activities: Graduate Assistant (Fall 2016); Advised: Angela Ruckdeschel (PhD Student, Nursing)

Member, Dissertation Committee: Assessing Long-term Effects of an International Immersion Experience on Nursing Practice (Fall 2015 – Spring 2019); Advised: Karen de la Cruz

Advisor, MSN students' FNP Portfolios for N761 Clinical Synthesis (2015 - 2018)

Graduate College Representative, Dissertation Committee: Investigation into the Possible Effects Performance Thresholds have on Coordination Patterns and Variability during Endurance Training (Fall 2015 – Fall 2017); Advised: Joshua Bailey (Department of Kinesiology-Exercise Physiology)

Chair, Dissertation Committee: Relationships between Mindfulness, Cognition Style, and Safety among Nurses in Acute Setting (Fall 2015 – Fall 2016); Advised: Margaret Lacey

Member, Dissertation Committee: Student Evaluations of Teaching: Are the Tools Reliable and Valid (Summer – Fall 2015); Advised: Wendy Zeiher

Member, Dissertation Committee: Nurse Managers' Hiring Selection of Newly Licensed RNs: A Grounded Theory Approach (Spring 2015); Advised: Susan Adamek

Chair, MSN Capstone: Prader-Willi Syndrome in Older Adulthood in Primary Care (Fall 2014 – Spring 2015); Advised: Maileen Ulep-Reed

Member, MSN Capstone: Metabolic Syndrome, A Case Study (Fall 2014 – Spring 2015); Advised: Shannon Southwick

Member, Dissertation Committee: Teaching Methods and Cultural Competence of Nurses (2013 – Spring 2015); Advised: Angela Silvestri

Member, Dissertation Committee: Survival of the Fittest: The Role of Linguistic Modification in Nursing Education (2013 – Spring 2015); Advised: Brenda Stauch Moore

Member, Dissertation Committee: Mentoring, Job Satisfaction, Occupational Commitment among Family Nurse Practitioners (2012 – Fall 2014); Advised: Patricia Bartley Danielle

Member, Professional Paper: Nursing Knowledge of Pain Management (Fall 2013 – Summer 2014); Advised: Susan Drosullis

Supervised Teaching Activity: Graduate Teaching Practicum (Spring 2014); Advised: Angela Silvestri-Elmore (PhD Student, Nursing)

Chair, DNP Capstone: Evaluation of an Opioid Monitoring Clinic (2013 – Spring 2014); Advised: Richard Talusan

Chair, DNP Capstone: Merging Educational Technology into Routine Care for Patients Living with Fibromyalgia (2013 – Spring 2014); Advised: Toni Sparks

Chair, MSN Capstone: A Comprehensive Presentation of a Patient with Systemic Lupus Erythematosus and Irritable Bowel Syndrome (2013 – Spring 2014); Advised: Peggy Beller

Graduate Faculty Representative, Thesis Committee: Holistic Approaches to Health Care in Nursing Home (2013 – Spring 2014); Advised: Judy Goldman (School of Community Health Sciences)

Supervised Research: Undergraduate Student (Spring 2013 – Summer 2013); Advised: Christy Long

Chair, Master's Thesis Committee: A comparison study of nursing experience and pain management knowledge (2012 – Summer 2013); Advised: Susan Drosullis

Member, Dissertation Committee: Testing a Reflection Education Intervention on Baccalaureate Nursing Students' Level of Reflection during Online Clinical Post Conference (2012 – 2013); Advised: Jaime Hannans

Member, DNP Capstone Committee: DNP Project on developing a system of follow-up on spinal cord stimulation patients (2012 – 2013); Advised: Irina Rajala

Member, MSN Capstone Committee: Managing Metabolic Syndrome in the Primary Care Setting (2012 - 2013); Advised: Ann Warren

Member, MSN Capstone Committee: Caring for the Patient with Complicated Diabetes Mellitus Type 2: The Role of the APN (2012 – 2013); Advised: Maria Burgess

Member, DNP Capstone Committee: The Relationship between Self-efficacy and Fluid and Dietary Compliance in Hemodialysis Patients (2012); Advised: Ansy John

Directed Individual/Independent Study: Graduate Student (Fall 2012); Advised: Eun Ae Sung

Supervised Teaching Activity: Graduate Student Teaching Practicum (Fall 2012); Advised: Heather Strasser

Supervised Research: Undergraduate Student (March 2012 – May 2012); Advised: Melissa Glasper

Advisor: MSN students (2008-2011)

Supervised Teaching Activity: Graduate Student Teaching Practicum (Summer 2011); Advised: Nikki Takeya

Supervised Research: Graduate Student (Spring 2011); Advised: Jennifer Nicholas Orozco

Supervised Research: Graduate Student (Spring 2011); Advised: Lucus Wassira

Member, MSN Capstone Committee: A Client-Based Case Study on Metabolic Syndrome (2010-2011); Advised: Heather Amante

Member, MSN Capstone Committee: Hypertension, Diabetes Mellitus, Atherosclerosis, Coronary Artery Disease, and Hyperlipidemia (2010); Advised: Deborah Baranowski

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Member, MSN Capstone Committee: Hypertension and Diabetes Mellitus (2009-2010); Advised: Leah Henry

Member, MSN Capstone Committee: Breast Cancer in an Elderly Female with Multiple Sclerosis (2009); Advised: Dolores Hernandez

Member, MSN Capstone Committee: Chronic Pancreatitis (2009); Advised: Ma. Lourdes Rodriguez

Member, MSN Capstone Committee: Pulmonary Tuberculosis and Diabetes (2009); Advised: Mario Godoy

Member, MSN Capstone Committee: Fibromyalgia and its Co-Morbid Conditions (2009); Advised: Ma. Ralph Aquino

Member, MSN Capstone Committee: Lung Cancer Management and its Challenges (2009); Advised: Ma. Lucia Aligaen

Advisor, Undergraduate BSN students (2008 – 2017)

Member, MSN Capstone Committee: A Hispanic Perspective on Type 2 DM and HTN (2008-2009); Advised: Rosa Hayek

Member, Thesis Committee: Job Satisfaction Comparison Between Foreign Educated Nurses and US Educated Nurses (2008); Advised: Kari Zizzo

Member, Thesis Committee: Filipino Physician-turned Nurses: A Phenomenological Study (2008); Advised: Victor Vapor

Supervised Undergraduate Student's Presentation to Level 1 and Level 2 Nursing Students: Medication Administration Safety and Preventing Medication Errors (Fall 2007 – Spring 2008); Advised: Daryl Mamauag