

Nila Reimer

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Education

Indiana University	Ph.D.	Nursing
Purdue University	M.S.	Nursing Administration
Purdue University	B.S.	Nursing

Professional

Assistant Professor	Indiana University Purdue University Fort Wayne	2014-present
Continuing Lecturer	Indiana University Purdue University Fort Wayne	2005-2014
Visiting Instructor	Indiana University Purdue University Fort Wayne	2004-2005
Director of Nursing	Parkview Oaks, Columbia City	2001-2004
Clinical Instructor	Indiana University Purdue University Fort Wayne	2001-2005
Division Director	Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne	1999-2001
Clinical Manager	Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne	1997-1999
Registered Nurse	Lutheran Hospital Intensive Care Units, Fort Wayne	1994-1997
Registered Nurse	Parkview Whitley Constant Care Unit, Columbia City	1990-1994

Teaching Experience

- Director of Undergraduate Nursing Program (2010-present)
- Undergraduate Program:
 - Sixty-eighty undergraduate nursing students in the following courses:
 - Evidence-based Practice and Research in Healthcare
 - Interdisciplinary Gerontological Healthcare (also developed this course)
 - Introduction to Nursing (course leader)
 - Professional Seminars I and II
 - RN to B.S. Transitional Course
 - Nursing clinicals with eight to nine nursing students in various nursing care environments
 - Led Undergraduate nursing curriculum design and revision.
- Graduate Program :
 - Developed Transformative Leadership Cognate courses for Doctor of Nursing Practice Program (Will begin teaching Cognate courses in Summer 2016)
 - Nursing Executive students 2009-2012
 - Assisted with graduate program curricular design and development

Scholarly Publications

Reimer, N. (2015, June) Why become a nurse? Carlson, Alicia Ed. Next Indiana: Life after high school. *IBJ Media and the Indiana Commission for Higher Education*.

Reimer, N. (2009, December). The journey through nursing doctoral education: An inside story. *Transformative Dialogues: Teaching and Learning Journal*.

Book Reviews

Reimer, N. (2015, March) Reviewed simulation scenarios for *Fundamentals of Nursing: The Art and Science of Nursing Care 8th Ed.* (new edition). Philadelphia, PA: Wolters Kluwer Health.

West, K. (2009). Chapter 34: Infection prevention and control. In Potter, P. & Perry, A. (Eds.), *Fundamentals of nursing*, (7th ed.) (pp. 641-685).

Certification

American Heart Association CPR

Major Interests

Research in the following areas: Transformative leadership for healthcare professionals, cutting-edge teaching and learning models, person centeredness in long-term care facilities. Nursing research methods nursing curriculum design.

Academic/Professional Honors

- Selected as Surveyor for Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) Residency Program (July 2015-present).
- Recipient of Health Sciences Student Faculty Collaborative Research Award (2015, May).
Reimer, N., Swaney-Berghoff, L. (2015). Unfolding case studies used to stimulate students' deeper learning.
- Recipient of Indiana League for Nursing Scholarship (2012, June).
- Selected by Indiana University School of Nursing for Midwest Nursing Research Society Annual Conference Student Presenter (2011, Mar).

Presentations

- Kaskel, B., Reimer, N., Rockwell, C., & Salmon, B. (2015, October 17-18). *NCLEX readiness-remediation across the curriculum: Begin with the end in mind*. Poster and podium presentation at Nurse Tim Conference, Orlando, FL.
- Reimer, N. (2015, March 23-27). *Things that matter to residents in nursing homes and the nursing care implications*. Poster presentation at the Aging in America 2015 Annual Conference of the American Society on Aging. Hyatt Regency, Chicago, IL.
- Reimer, N. (2015, Feb. 27). *Things that matter to residents in nursing homes and the nursing care implications*. Podium presentation at the Association for Gerontology in Higher Education. Sheraton, Nashville, TN.
- Reimer, N. & Kamp, A. (2015). *Integration into practice*. Indiana Center for Nursing residency curriculum. Feb. 2015.
- Reimer, N. (2014, Nov. 18). *Things that matter to residents in nursing homes and the nursing care implications*. Xi Nu at Large, STTI. Xi Nu Research Showcase. IPFW Walb Union, Fort Wayne, IN.
- Reimer, N. (2011, Mar. 26). Residents Descriptions of Meaningful Experiences in Nursing Homes. *Midwest Nursing Research: Optimizing Environments for Health*. Conference held at The Hyatt Regency in Columbus, OH.
- Reimer, N. (2010, April 26). *A Heideggerian Hermeneutic Phenomenological Approach to Understanding Residents' Perceptions of Meaningful Care in Nursing Home*. Presented at The University of Toledo, Toledo, OH.
- Reimer, N. (2010, March 4). *Utilizing Nursing Procedure Log Tracking in the Student Nurse Clinical Role* presented online at <http://nursetim.com/webinars.php>
- Reimer, N. (2008, May). *Early Instrument Development for Measuring Long-Term Care Residents' Perceptions of Nursing Caregiver Therapeutic Relationships*. Presented at SoTL Conference, Indiana University Purdue University Fort Wayne, Fort Wayne, IN.
- Reimer, N. (2008, April). *Evaluation of the Aging Process and Exercise*. University of Toledo Nursing Research Conference, Toledo, OH.
- Reimer, N. (2003, Aug. 12). *An Examination of the Effects of Exercise on Quality of Life of Elderly Residents*. Presented at the 4th U.S.- Russian Nursing Conference in St. Petersburg, Russia.

Professional Services

- Surveyor for Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education (CCNE) Residency Program (July 2015-present).
- Reimer, N. (2015, June). Selected from Instructional leadership network member: AACN Reviewer for Faculty Awards.
- Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society / Xi-Nu Chapter At Large (Vice-President 2015, May-present).
- Parkview Residency Program (2014-2015). Assisted with development of Parkview Residency Program Curriculum.
- Member of Indiana Center for Nursing Residency Committee:
- Parkview Whitley Patient Family Advisory Council (2014-present)
- Sigma Theta Tau International Alpha Chapter (2013-present)
- Midwest Nursing Research Society (2006-present)
- Coordinator of Healthy Cities Health Fair Program (2006-2009)
- Board Member for Parkview Whitley Hospital (2005-2014) Long-Term Care Task Force, Parkview Whitley (Chair 2009-2012)
- Board of Quality Committee, Parkview Whitley Hospital (Vice-Chair 2010-2013)
- Gerontological Society of America (2006-present)
- Northeast Indiana Organization of Nurse Executives (1998-2008)
- Indiana State Nurses Association (1990-present)
- National League for Nurses (2004-present)
- Allen County Medical Reserve Corps (2004-present)

Papers Presented

Reimer, N. (2010, November). *The journey through nursing doctoral education: An inside story*. Published article presented at the Student Spectacular Indiana University Purdue University, Fort Wayne, IN.

Grants

Parkview Health Systems: Healthy Cities Health Fair (2011, October). \$9,000.

Parkview Health Systems: Healthy Cities Health Fair (2010, October). \$9,000.

Parkview Health Systems: Healthy Cities Health Fair (2009, October). \$13,000.

Department of Labor Stand Down Events (2010, October) \$7,000.

Department of Labor Stand Down Events (2009, August). \$7,000.

American Association of Colleges of Nursing /Geriatric Nursing Education Consortium grant for training Institute (2009, January). \$3,000.

DECCO grant for developing Gerontology on-line course (2006, February).