

Scholarly Accomplishments
Students of the PhD Program
University of Pittsburgh
School of Nursing
2023-2024



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This document summarizes the outstanding scholarly accomplishments for which the current students in the PhD Program at the University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing received notification in academic year 2023-2024. This extensive list of scholarly accomplishments is a testament to the extraordinary students in our program, the dedication of our PhD Program faculty, and their contributions to the development of nursing science. We applaud your exceptional work and look forward to your achievements in the 2024-2025 academic year.

Sincerely,

Heidi Donovan, PhD, RN
Professor and PhD Program Director

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AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

Larissa Allen

- Emergency Nurses Association
 - 2024 ENStrong Award Recipient (\$5000)
- University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing
 - 2024 Leslie A. Hoffman Award Recipient (\$7125)
 - 2024 Cameos of Caring Nursing Scholarship (\$1255)

Katherine Cahir

- University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing
 - Rose Constantino Endowed Scholarship, 2023-2024
 - Enid Goldberg Sigma Eta Chapter Scholarship, 2024-2025
 - Abraham A. Constantino Jr. M.D. Endowed Scholarship, 2024
 - Margaret M. Dick Endowed Scholarship, 2024

Katrina Carr

- University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing
 - Ruth and Bill Fincke, PhD Student Scholarship Award
- Achievement Rewards for College Scientists (ARCS) Foundation
 - ARCS Scholar

Myeong-ga Cho

- Summer Institute in Statistical Genetics (provided by a grant from the National Science Foundation)
 - Bruce Weir Summer Institute in Statistical Genetics Scholarship
- University of Pittsburgh Dietrich School of Arts & Sciences Graduate Studies (supported by Pitt Seed projects)
 - TC²: True Co-equal x Transformative Collaborations Finalist Showcase Award
 - TC²: True Co-equal x Transformative Collaborations Award
- Oncology Nursing Foundation
 - 2024 Oncology Nursing Society Congress Scholarship
- University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing
 - Janice Scully Dorman Endowed Omics Research Award

Alice Cline

- Achievement Rewards for College Scientists (ARCS) Foundation - Pittsburgh Chapter
 - ARCS Foundation Scholar
- University of Pittsburgh, School of Nursing
 - Beryl B. Haughton Jackson Scholarship
 - Nursing Student Financial Aid Scholarship
- Nightingale Awards of Pennsylvania
 - PhD Scholarship

Meredith Cummings

- Oncology Nursing Foundation
 - Doctoral Scholarship
- University of Pittsburgh
 - Elizabeth Lloyd Noroian Scholarship

Lauren Narbey

- Sigma Theta Tau, ETA Chapter
 - Ruth Perkins Kuehn Award
- University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing
 - Elizabeth Bayer Baxter Scholarship
- University of Pittsburgh
 - Provost's Diversity in the Curriculum Award
 - Center for Civil Rights and Racial Justice Student Scholar
 - Provost's Dissertation Completion Fellowship
- Pittsburgh Chapter of the ARCS Foundation, Inc. (Achievement Rewards for College Scientists)
 - Jeanne Berdick ARCS Scholar Achievement Award
- The Association of Women's Health, Obstetric and neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)
 - 2024 Every Woman, Every Baby Researcher Award
- Nightingale Awards of Pennsylvania
 - PhD Scholarship
- Jewish Healthcare Foundation
 - Salk Health Activist Fellowship

Yuchen Zhang

- University of Pittsburgh
 - Ruth and Bill Finck PhD Student Research Award FY24
- Jewish Healthcare Foundation
 - Death & Dying Feinstein Fellowship
- Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, Eta Chapter
 - Enid Goldberg Scholarship Award in Nursing Leadership
- Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health
 - Episummer@Columbia Scholarship

Hector Salazar

- University of Pittsburgh
 - K. Leroy Irvis Fellowship

Morteza Shamsizadeh

- University of Pittsburgh, School of Nursing
 - Ruth and Bill Fincke, PhD Student Scholarship Award

Youjia Wang

- IMIA Nursing Informatics Conference 2024
 - Virginia K Saba Student Scholarship (\$1580)
- University of Pittsburgh, School of Nursing
 - Judith A. Erlen Nursing PhD Student Research Award

Kai-Lin You

- National Institutes of Health/National Cancer Institute
 - NIH/NCI F99/K00 Award

GRANTS

Mujahid Altamimi

- University of Pittsburgh
 - Margaret E. Wilkes Award FY24 for dissertation: “The Association of Patient Portal Use with Diabetes Care and Healthcare Utilization”
 - September 1, 2023 – August 31, 2024
 - \$3,000

Katherine Cahir

- University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing
 - Predoctoral Fellow, T32 2NR008857: Technology Research in Chronic and Critical Illness
 - PI: Young Ji Lee
 - 2023-2025

Katrina Carr

- Genetics T32 Grant
 - Predoctoral Fellowship
 - Award Period: 8/1/2024-8/1/2025

Myeong-ga Cho

- University of Pittsburgh Dietrich School of Arts & Sciences Graduate Studies (supported by Pitt Seed projects)
 - TC²: True Co-equal x Transformative Collaborations Finalist Showcase Award
 - Title: A Mixed Method Study on Menopausal Experience among the East Asian Immigrants in the United States
 - MPI: **Cho, M.**, Yang, Z
 - Years Inclusive: 2024-
 - \$10,000
 - TC²: True Co-equal x Transformative Collaborations Award
 - Title: A Mixed Method Study on Menopausal Experience among the Asian Migrants in the United States
 - MPI: **Cho, M.**, Yang, Z
 - Years Inclusive: 2023-2024
 - \$4,000
- University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing
 - Janice Scully Dorman Endowed Omics Research Fund
 - Title: Exploratory Analysis of the Relationship between DNA Methylation of BDNF and RASA2 Genes and Processing Speed in Women with Early-stage Breast Cancer Receiving Endocrine Therapy
 - PI: **Cho, M.**
 - Years Inclusive: 2023-2024
 - \$1,572

Alice Cline

- National Institutes of Health
 - T32 2NR008857: Technology Research in Chronic and Critical Illness
 - PI: DeVito Dabbs
 - Pre-Doctoral Fellow May 1, 2023 – April 30, 2025

- Primary Mentor: Grant Martsolf

Jeong Eun Kim

- University of Pittsburgh
 - Margaret E. Wilkes Scholarship Fund
- Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing Eta Chapter
 - Jackie Dunbar-Jacob Research Award

Lauren Narbey

- University of Pittsburgh
 - Provost's Dissertation Completion Fellowship
 - Title: Patterns of Breastfeeding Among Individuals with Opioid Use Disorder and Integration of Lactation Support into Opioid Use Recovery Programs Across the United States
 - Funding Period: Fall 2024
 - Award Amount: \$23,000
 - Center For Civil Rights and Racial Justice
 - Title: Lactation Support For Individuals With Perinatal Substance Use: Increasing Access For a Marginalized Population
 - Funding Period: May 2024 – August 2024
 - Award Amount: \$1,000
- Jewish Healthcare Foundation
 - Maternal Health Innovations Grant (Co-I)
 - Title: Addressing barriers midwives face in caring for pregnant people with opioid use disorder: An engaged scholarship approach
 - Funding Period: March 2024 – February 2025
 - Award Amount: \$43,000
- Achievement Rewards for College Scientists (ARCS) Foundation
 - ARCS Foundation Scholarship, Pittsburgh Chapter
 - Title: Perinatal Opioid Use Disorders: Care planning and prevention
 - Funding Period: August 2021 – May 2024
 - Award Amount: \$15,500
- The A.C.N.M. Foundation, Inc.
 - Dianne S. Moore Midwifery Research Scholarship
 - Title: Perinatal Opioid Use Disorders: Care planning and prevention
 - Funding Period: May 2023 – April 2024
 - Award Amount: \$2,500

PUBLICATIONS

Larissa Allen

1. **Allen, L.** & Zelazny, J. (2024). Suicidal ideation and behaviors among LGBTQ+ adolescents and young adults (AYA) who have experienced sexual violence: a scoping review of the literature. *Journal of Forensic Nursing*. doi: 10.1097/JFN.0000000000000505.
2. Constantino, R., Braxter, B., Hui, C., **Allen, L.**, Wolfe, L., Endres, K., Cutamora, J., Garcia, L., Palompon, D., Thimsen, K., Kameg, B. and Zalon, M. (2024) Resilience, the 6th vital sign: conceptualizing, contextualizing, and operationalizing all six vital signs. *Health*, 16, 657-673. doi: 10.4236/health.2024.167046.

Katherine Cahir

1. Norful A. A., Brewer K. C., **Cahir K. M.**, & Dierkes A. M. (2024). Individual and organizational factors influencing well-being and burnout amongst healthcare assistants: A systematic review. *International Journal of Nursing Studies Advances*, 6, 100187. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijnsa.2024.100187>

Myeong-ga Cho

1. Bender, CM., Sereika, SM., Gentry, AL., Cuglewski, C., Duquette, J., Grove, G., Cummings, **M.**, **Cho, M.**, Brufsky, AM., McAuliffe, P., Budway, RJ., Diego, EJ., Evans, S., Rosenzweig, MQ., Marsland, AL., Conley, YP., Erickson, KI. Effects of aerobic exercise on neurocognitive function in postmenopausal women receiving endocrine therapy for breast cancer: the Exercise Program in Cancer and Cognition randomized controlled trial.
2. **Cho, M.**, Sereika, SM., Cummings, MH., Erickson, KI., Bender, CM., Conley, YP. (2024) DNA Methylation of BDNF and RASA2 Genes Is Associated with Cognitive Function in Postmenopausal Women with Breast Cancer. *Oncology Nursing Forum*. 51(4), 349-360. <https://doi.org/10.1188/24.ONF.349-360>

Alice Cline

1. Lee, Y. J., Palmer, J., **Cline, A. C.**, & Lee, H. (2023). Factors Influencing the Health Care Utilization Among People With Depression and/or Anxiety Symptoms. *Journal of the American Psychiatric Nurses Association*, 10783903231197655. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1177/10783903231197655>
2. Narbey, L., Ingalls, R., **Cline, A. C.**, McGahey, E. C., Shafton, A. and Amsley-Camp, K. (2024), Organizational Engagement: One State's Experience With Invigorating Affiliate Membership and Building a Sustainable Fundraising Model. *Journal of Midwifery & Women's Health*, 69: 593-599. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jmwh.13623>
3. Narbey, L., **Cline, A. C.**, & Demirci, J. R. (2024). Lactation Support for Birthing People With Perinatal Opioid Use Disorder. *The Journal of perinatal & neonatal nursing*, 38(2), 131-134. <https://doi.org/10.1097/JPN.0000000000000818>
4. Lee, H., Kameg, B., Palmer, J., & **Cline, A. C.** (2024). Pharmacokinetic Changes in Medications After Bariatric Surgery: A Scoping Review. *The Journal for Nurse Practitioners*, 20(7), 105043. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nurpra.2024.105043>
5. Narbey, L. & **Cline, A. C.** (2024) Challenges for Antepartum Care of the Individual with Perinatal Substance Use. *Journal for Midwifery & Women's Health*. (in press)

Meredith Cummings

1. Cho, M., Sereika, SM., **Cummings, M.**, Erickson, KI., Bender, CM., Conley, YP. (2024) DNA Methylation of BDNF and RASA2 Genes Is Associated with Cognitive Function in Postmenopausal Women with Breast Cancer. *Oncology Nursing Forum*. 51(4), 349-360. <https://doi.org/10.1188/24.ONF.349-360>
2. **Cummings, M.**, Bender, C., Sereika, S., Cho, M., Nilsen, M. Trajectories of symptom severity in patients receiving treatment for head and neck cancer. *Oncology Nursing Forum*, 51(2), 4. Podium presentation. "Best of the Research Abstracts"
3. **Cummings MH**, You K-L, Nilsen ML. From Ramsay Hunt to Parotid Cancer: A Case Report. *ORL-Head & Neck Nursing*. 2024;42(2):29-32.
4. Bender CM, Sereika SM, Gentry AL, Cuglewski, C, Duquette, J, Grove, G, **Cummings, M**, Cho, M, Brufsky, AM, McAuliffe, P, Budway, RJ, Diego, EJ, Evans, S, Rosenzweig, MQ, Marsland, AL, Conley, YP, Erickson, KI. Effects of aerobic exercise on neurocognitive function in postmenopausal women receiving endocrine therapy for breast cancer: the Exercise Program in Cancer and Cognition randomized controlled trial. *Psychooncology*. 2024:e6298. <https://doi.org/10.1002/pon.6298>

Jeong Eun Kim

1. **Kim, J.**, Sereika, S. M., Tamres L. K., & Lingler, J. H. (2024). Predictors of decisional capacity in AD biomarker test. *Nursing Research*. (In press)

Karina Kraevsky-Phillips

1. Riek, N. T., Gokhale, T. A., Martin-Gill, C., **Kraevsky-Phillips, K.**, Zègre-Hemsey, J. K., Saba, S., Callaway, C. W., Akcakaya, M., & Al-Zaiti, S. S. (2024). Clinical usability of deep learning-based saliency maps for occlusion myocardial infarction identification from the prehospital 12-Lead electrocardiogram. *Journal of Electrocardiology*, 87, 153792. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jelectrocard.2024.153792>

Lauren Narbey

1. **Narbey, L.**, Cline, A., & Demirci, J. R. (2024). Lactation Support for Birthing People With Perinatal Opioid Use Disorder. *The Journal of Perinatal & Neonatal Nursing*, 38(2), 131–134. <https://doi.org/10.1097/JPN.0000000000000818>
2. **Narbey, L.**, Ingalls, R., Cline, A., McGahey, E. C., Shafton, A., & Amsley-Camp, K. (2024). Organizational Engagement: One State's Experience With Invigorating Affiliate Membership and Building a Sustainable Fundraising Model. *Journal of Midwifery & Women's Health*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jmwh.13623>
3. Niemczyk, N. A., Humphreys, E., & **Narbey, L.** (2024). Research and Professional Literature to Inform Practice, January/February 2024. *Journal of Midwifery & Women's Health*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jmwh.13607>
4. Niemczyk, & **Narbey, L.** (2023). Research and Professional Literature to Inform Practice, May/June 2023. *Journal of Midwifery & Women's Health*, 68(3), 391–394. <https://doi.org/10.1111/jmwh.13506>

Hector Salazar

1. Fischer, B., Van Hulle, C. A., Langhough, R., Norton, D., Zuelsdorff, M., Gooding, D. C., Wyman, M. F., Johnson, A., Lambrou, N., James, T., Bouges, S., Carter, F. P., **Salazar, H.**, Kirmess, K., Holubasch, M., Meyer, M., Venkatesh, V., West, T., Verghese, P., Yarasheski, K., ... Gleason, C. E. (2023). Plasma Aβ42/40 and cognitive variability are associated with cognitive function in Black Americans: Findings from the AA-FAIM cohort. *Alzheimer's & dementia (New York, N. Y.)*, 9(3), e12414. <https://doi.org/10.1002/trc2.12414>

- Gooding, D. C., Carter, F. P., Umucu, E., Van Hulle, C. A., Lewis, J. P., Zuelsdorff, M., Bouges, S., James, T. T., **Salazar, H.**, Floyd, L., Bester, J., & Gleason, C. E. (2024). Factors affecting the willingness of African-American and American Indian/Alaska Native communities to engage in genetic and biomarker research: The UBIGR study. *Biomarkers in Neuropsychiatry*, 10, 100090. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.bionps.2024.100090>

Morteza Shamsizadeh

- Hosseini SA, Karampourian A, **Shamsizadeh M**, Mohammadi Y. Application of Haddon strategy training on self-care behavior and disease consequences in heart failure. *Journal of Vascular Nursing*. 2023,1;41(2):41-6.
- Sharifian P, Khalili A, **Shamsizadeh M**. Effects of physical activity by the teach-back educational method on the physical ability and quality of life in hemodialysis patients: a clinical trial. *Frontiers of Nursing*.;10(2):223-31.

Youjia Wang

- Thomas, T. H., Campbell, G., Tan, K. R., Murray, P. J., Loughlin, K., Roberge, M. C., **Wang, Y.**, Lee, Y. J., DiLello, R., & Donovan, H. S. (In press). Integrating family caregivers into cancer care: Implementation of evidence-based caregiver protocols into gynecologic oncology practice. *JCO Oncology Practice*.
- You, K. L., **Wang, Y.**, Zhang, Y., Bender, C. M., Fennimore, L. A., Rosenzweig, M., Dierkes, A., Terry, M. Ann, Raina, K., & Thomas, T. H. (In press). Nurses' returning to work after cancer: A focus group study. *Nursing Outlook*.

Kai-Lin You

- You, K. L.**, Sereika, S. M., Bender, C. M., Hamilton, J. B., Mazanec, S. R., Brufsky, A., & Rosenzweig, M. Q. (2024). Health-related quality of life over chemotherapy course among individuals with early-stage breast cancer: the association of social determinants of health and neighborhood socioeconomic disadvantage. *Supportive Care in Cancer*, 32(4), 224. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s00520-024-08429-y>
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- You, K. L., Wang, Y., Zhang, Y., Bender, C. M., Fennimore, L. A., Rosenzweig, M. Q., Dierkes, A. M., Terry, M. Ann, Raina, K. D., & Thomas, T. H. (In press). Nurses' returning to work after cancer: A focus group study. *Nursing Outlook*.
- Williams, K. S., Hui, V., Ross, M., Zamanzadeh, D. J., Nguyen, V., Khan, Z. A., **You, K. L.**, ...& Grando, A., (In press). Empowering diversity: Striving for inclusivity by leveraging the American Medical Informatics Association's "For Your Informatics" podcast. *JAMIA Open*.

Yuchen Zhang

- Zhang, Y.**, Engberg, S. J., Courtney, K. L., Kariuki, J. K., & Matthews, J. T. (2024). Effect of a Bladder Control Self-Management Program Delivered Through a Health Kiosk. *Journal of wound, ostomy, and continence nursing: official publication of The Wound, Ostomy and Continence Nurses Society*, 51(3), 213–220. <https://doi.org/10.1097/WON.0000000000001073>
- Zhang, Y.**, Lingler, J. H., Bender, C. M., & Seaman, J. B. (2024). Dignity in people with dementia: A concept analysis. *Nursing ethics*, 9697330241262469. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1177/09697330241262469>
- Alsbrook, K. E., Wesmiller, S. W., Diego, E. J., Scott, P. W., Harpel, C. K., Keelan, E. V., Patzak, S. A., **Zhang, Y. U.**, & Thomas, T. H. (2024). Lifetime Pain Management

Experiences of Female Breast Cancer Survivors Aged 65+ Years. *Pain management nursing: official journal of the American Society of Pain Management Nurses*, S1524-9042(24)00231-5. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.pmn.2024.08.004>

4. You, K. L., Wang, **Y.**, **Zhang**, Y., Bender, C. M., Fennimore, L. A., Rosenzweig, M., Dierkes, A., Terry, M. Ann, Raina, K., & Thomas, T. H. (In press). Nurses' returning to work after cancer: A focus group study. *Nursing Outlook*.

PRESENTATIONS

Larissa Allen

1. **Allen, L.** & Zelazny, J. (2023, November 11). Suicidal Ideation and Behaviors in LGBTQIA+ Adolescents and Young Adults (AYA) Who Have Experienced Sexual Violence: A Scoping Review of the Literature. Poster presented at the Global Conference on Emergency Nursing and Trauma Care, Gothenburg, Sweden.
2. **Allen, L.**, Zelazny, J., & Sereika, S. (2024, August 28). Associations Between Suicidal Ideation and Behaviors, Sexual Violence Victimization, and Sexual Identity in Youth: A Secondary Data Analysis of the 2021 YRBS. Podium presentation at the International Association of Forensic Nurses Annual Conference in Denver, Colorado.

Katherine Cahir

3. Hwang S-Y., Song Y-M., Heo P-H., Kim S., **Cahir K.**, & Lee H. (2024, April). Patient characteristics and cardiovascular health behaviors for community-dwelling adults with schizophrenia in Korea. Poster presented at the Schizophrenia International Research Society (SIRS) 2024 Congress, Florence, Italy.

Katrina Carr

1. **Carr K.**, Methé B, Patel A, Fitch A, Li K, & Wesmiller S. (2024). Association of Gut Microbiota Variation and Gastrointestinal Symptoms in Women Treated for Breast Cancer. Oncology Nursing Society (ONS) Annual Congress. Washington, DC. [Podium]
2. **Carr K.**, Sereika S, Bender C, Conley Y, & Wesmiller S. (2023). The Trajectory of Anxiety in Women Following Surgery for Breast Cancer. International Society of Nurses in Genetics (ISONG) World Congress. Providence, RI. [Podium]

Myeong-ga Cho

1. **Cho, M.**, Bender, CM., Conley, YP., Sereika, SM. (2023, September). *Exploratory Analysis of the DNA Methylation Profiles of Brain-derived Neurotrophic Factor (BDNF) and RAS p21 Protein Activator 2 (RASA2) Genes with Processing Speed in Women with Early-stage Breast Cancer (ESBC)*. Poster presentation at the UPMC Hillman Cancer Center 35th Annual Scientific Retreat, September 2023, Pittsburgh, PA.
2. **Cho, M.**, Bender, CM., Conley, YP., Sereika, SM. (2023, November). *Exploratory Analysis of the DNA Methylation Profiles of Brain-derived Neurotrophic Factor (BDNF) and RAS p21 Protein Activator 2 (RASA2) Genes with Processing Speed in Women with Early-stage Breast Cancer (ESBC)*. Podium presentation at the 2023 International Society of Nurses in Genetics World Congress, November 2023, Providence, RI.
3. **Cho, M.**, Sereika, SM., Cummings, M., Erickson, KI., Bender, CM., Conley, YP. (2024, April). DNA Methylation of *BDNF* and *RASA2* Genes is Associated with Processing Speed and Perceived Cognitive Function in Postmenopausal Women with Early-stage Breast Cancer Prescribed Endocrine Therapy. Poster presentation at the 49th Oncology Nursing Society Congress, April 2024, Washington, D.C.

Alice Cline

1. **Cline, A. C.** & Lee, H. Y. (2023, July). Comparison of cardiovascular risk between those with severe mental illness and those without: NHANES 2017-2018. [Poster]. Sigma 34th International Nursing Research Congress, Dubai, UAE.
2. Lee, H., **Cline, A. C.**, & Moon, E. (2023, July). Cardiovascular Risk Factors Among People With Serious Mental Illness. [Podium presentation]. Sigma's 34th International Nursing Research Congress, Dubai, UAE.

3. **Cline, A. C.** (2024, June). Maternal Health Outcomes Following Medicaid Expansion: An Analysis of PRAMS Data from 2020. [Poster]. Academy Health Annual Research Meeting, Baltimore, MD.

Meredith Cummings

1. **Cummings, M.**, Bender, C., Sereika, S., Cho, M., Nilsen, M. Trajectories of symptom severity in patients receiving treatment for head and neck cancer. *Oncology Nursing Forum*, 51(2), 4. Podium presentation. "Best of the Research Abstracts"

Jeong Eun Kim

1. **Kim, J.**, Ren, D., Cohen, A., Lopez, O. L., Lingler, J. H. (2024, July). *Emotional Distress Following Amyloid PET Disclosure: A Preliminary Analysis Across Cognitive Spectrum*. Poster presentation at the Alzheimer's Association International Conference, Philadelphia, PA, U.S.A.

Karina Kraevsky-Phillips

1. Hravnak, M.; Aqtash, S.; **Kraevsky-Phillips, K.**, Lagattuta, T., Pinsky, M. Clermont, G., Al-Zaiti, S.S. (2024, January 21-23). *Distribution of continuous vital sign monitoring alerts at the bedside*. Society of Critical Care Medicine Critical Care Congress 2024, Phoenix, AZ, United States.

Lauren Narbey

1. **Narbey, L. T.** Barriers and Facilitators to Supporting Lactation in individuals with Perinatal Substance Use. *Wayside Recovery Center*. 28, August 2024. Virtual Presentation.
2. **Narbey, L. T.**, Kasula, K. & Krans, E. Patterns of Interpersonal Violence Among Individuals with Opioid Use Disorder Throughout the First Year Postpartum. *American Society of Addiction Medicine*. 6 April, 2024. Poster Presentation.
3. Ramatu Hamid Alhassan, Sara Baumann, Ruth Sally Kodam, George Nketia, Timothy Laari, Delali Kemavor, Janet Tiah, Claire Couturier, **Lauren Narbey**, Nancy Niemczyk, Victoria Bam, Martina Anto-Ocrah. Male midwives in the maternal health paradigm: A Literature Review. Oral Presentation: American Public Health Association (APHA) 2023 Annual Meeting and Expo. Atlanta, USA. November 2023
4. **Narbey, L. T.** Perinatal Pain Management for the Opioid Tolerant Patient. Magee Women's Hospital, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center, Consumer Education. April, 1st, 2024.
5. **Narbey, L. T.** Lactation Support for Birthing People with Substance Use Disorders. Midwest SUPper Club. February 13th, 2024.
6. **Narbey, L. T.** Lactation Support for Birthing People with Substance Use Disorders. Wayside Recovery, Project ECHO. January, 18, 2024.

Xueying Pei

1. Sereika, S. M., Moore, K., Stotz, S., **Pei, X.**, Wang, Y., Charron-Prochownik, D., the Stopping GDM Group. (2024 Jun 22). *Reproductive health (RH) and gestational diabetes (GDM) knowledge mediates the intervention effect on the intention to communicate in dyads of American Indian and Alaska Native (AI/AN) female adolescents and young adults (FAYAs) at risk for GDM and their adult female caregivers*. Poster presentation at the American Diabetes Association's 84th Scientific Sessions, Orlando, FL

2. **Pei, X.**, Mazanec, S., Bender, C., Sereika, S. M., Brufsky, A., Rosenzweig, M. Q. (2024 Apr 27). *The effects of baseline social demographic factors and patient-reported outcomes on projected overall dose intensity of early-stage breast cancer (ESBC) chemotherapy*. Podium presentation at the 2024 49th Oncology Nursing Society Congress, Washington, D.C.
3. Wang, Y., **Pei, X.**, Charron-Prochownik, D., Moore, K., Stotz, S., **Sereika, S. M.** (2024 Apr 19). *Dyadic approach for a mother and daughter (M-D) behavioral intervention study to reduce the risks of gestational diabetes (GDM) among female American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) adolescents/young adults (AYA)*. Poster presentation at the 2024 Sigma Theta Tau Eta Chapter Scholar's Night, Pittsburgh, PA.
4. **Pei, X.**, Wang, Y., Charron-Prochownik, D., Moore, K., Stotz, S., Sereika, S. M. (2024 Apr 4). *Dyadic approach for a mother and daughter (M-D) behavioral intervention study to reduce the risks of gestational diabetes (GDM) among female American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) adolescents/young adults (AYA)*. Poster presentation at the 2024 36th Eastern Nursing Research Society, Boston, MA.

Hector Salazar

1. 2023 ADRC OSCAR Poster Symposium: Creating Inclusive Research Through a Culturally Aware Data Collection Site
2. 2024 Health Disparities and Social Justice Poster Presentation: Creating Inclusive Research Through a Culturally Aware Data Collection Site
3. Title: Café y Conversaciones: In collaboration with Casa San Jose, Hector Salazar gave a presentation to the Latino community of Pittsburgh regarding healthy aging and memory loss

Morteza Shamsizadeh

1. **Shamsizadeh M**, Tan K, Jamehbozorgh M, Azizi A, Kamyari N. 2024. Preliminary results of an educational intervention on caregiver burden in caregivers of patients with multiple sclerosis (MS). 3rd Conference on Caregiving Research, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA.
2. Tan K, Deng Zh, Waters A, **Shamsizadeh M**, Ren D, Donovan H, Boehmer U. 2024. Differences in caregiving impact on financial outcomes between LGBT and not-LGBT caregivers in the United States. 3rd Conference on Caregiving Research, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA.
3. **Shamsizadeh M**, Seaman J, Kordi M, Borzou SR, Khazaei S. 2024. The Effect of Education and Telephone Follow-Up on the Caregiver Burden of Caregivers of Patients with COVID-19. 3rd Conference on Caregiving Research, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

Youjia Wang

1. You, K. L., **Wang, Y.**, Zhang, Y., Bender, C. M., Rosenzweig, M. Q., & Thomas, T. H. (2024, April 24-28). *"It's just the stress of going into work and not really knowing when I was going to be triggered": A focus group study of return-to-work experiences of nurses diagnosed with cancer*. [Poster]. Oral poster presented in *the 49th Oncology Nursing Society Congress*, Washington, D.C., USA.
2. **Wang, Y.**, Thaker, K., Hui, V., Brusilovsky, P., He, D., Donovan, H., Lee, Y.J. (2024, August). Utilizing Digital Twin to Create Personas Representing Ovarian Cancer Patients and their Families. [Poster]. Oral poster presented in the 16th International Congress in Nursing Informatics 2024, Manchester, UK.

3. **Wang, Y.**, Hu, H., DiLello, R.A., Klinger, J., Thomas, T., Lee, Y.J., Loughlin, K., Murray, P.J., Tan, K., Parmanto, B., Campbell, G., Donovan, H. (June 2024). [Symposium]. Integrating a Digital Risk Assessment Tool into the Clinical Practice: Usability Testing. Symposium presentation at the Council for the Advancement of Nursing Science (CANS) State of the Science Congress on Nursing Research, Washington, DC.
4. Hui, V., **Wang, Y.**, Kunsukg, H., Donovan, H., Brusilovsky, P., He, D., Lee, Y.J. (2024, August). [Poster]. Towards Building a Personalized E-Librarian System: Exploring the Preference of Recommendation System Among Ovarian Cancer (OvCa) Patients and Caregivers: A Qualitative Study. [Poster]. Oral poster presented in the 16th International Congress in Nursing Informatics 2024, Manchester, UK.
5. Thaker, K., Brusilovsky, P., Hui, V., Luo, Z., **Wang, Y.**, Brusilovsky, P., He, D., Donovan, H., Lee, Y.J. (2024, August). [Poster]. HELPeR: Interface Design Decision and Evaluation. [Poster]. Oral poster presented in the 16th International Congress in Nursing Informatics 2024, Manchester, UK.

Kai-Lin You

1. **You, K. L.**, Wang, Y., Zhang, Y., Bender, C. M., Rosenzweig, M. Q., & Thomas, T. H. (2024, April). "It's just the stress of going into work and not really knowing when I was going to be triggered": A focus group study of return-to-work experiences of nurses diagnosed with cancer, oral poster presented in the *Oncology Nursing Society Congress*, Washington, D.C.
2. Zurlo, H., Karkenny, O., Thomas, T. H., **You, K. L.** (2024). Addressing Online Recruitment Challenges for Research Studies: A practical example utilizing Research Electronic Data Capture (REDCap) platform features, poster presented at the *National Conference on Undergraduate Research*, California.

Yuchen Zhang

1. **Zhang, Y.**, Lingler, J.H., Seaman., J.B. (2023, October). Dignity in People with Dementia: A Concept Analysis [Poster]. University of Pittsburgh Alzheimer's Disease Research Center 2023 OSCAR Symposium.
2. **Zhang, Y.**, Lingler, J.H., Seaman., J.B. (2024, April). Dignity in People with Dementia: A Concept Analysis [School Selected PhD representative Poster]. Eastern Nursing Research Society's Annual Conference. Boston, MA, USA
3. You, K. L., Wang, Y., **Zhang, Y.**, Bender, C. M., Rosenzweig, M. Q., & Thomas, T. H. (2024, April). "*It's just the stress of going into work and not really knowing when I was going to be triggered*": A focus group study of return-to-work experiences of nurses diagnosed with cancer, oral poster presented in the *Oncology Nursing Society Congress*, Washington, D.C., USA.
4. **Zhang, Y.**, Sereika, S., Lingler, J.H., Seaman., J.B., Pettigrew, C., Albert, M. (2024, July). Factors Associated with Caregivers' Perceptions of Advance Care Planning for People Living with Dementia [Poster]. Alzheimer's Association International Conference. Philadelphia, PA, USA

OTHER SCHOLARLY ACTIVITIES

Larissa Allen

- Allegheny County Forensic Council Member
- UPMC Forensic Council Member
- Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh Emergency Department Forensic Council Member
- PA IAFN Member

Katherine Cahir

- American Public Health Association (APHA), 2024
- American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS), 2024
- Prevention Point Pittsburgh
 - Active participation in packaging and distributing harm reduction kits, 2022-present

Myeong-ga Cho

- International Society of Nurses in Genetics
- Oncology Nursing Society
- Sigma Theta Tau International
- National Conference of Undergraduate Research (NCUR) 2024, The council on undergraduate research, Apr 8-10, 2024
 - 2024 Abstract Reviewer (Voluntary)
- Oncology Nursing Forum (ONF)
 - 2024- Manuscript Reviewer
- Biological Research for Nursing (BRN)
 - 2024- Manuscript Reviewer

Alice Cline

- Journal of Midwifery & Women's Health
 - Manuscript Reviewer
- Journal of Addictions Nursing
 - Manuscript Reviewer
- University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing, Graduate Nursing Student Organization
- PhD Representative

Meredith Cummings

- University of Pittsburgh IRB
 - Scientific Reviewer
- Sigma Theta Tau
 - ETA Chapter Governance Committee

Sondos Eqylan

- University of Pittsburgh, Graduate Global Ties
- Sigma Theta Tau International, ETA Chapter
- Doctoral Student Ambassador to the 3rd Biennial Conference on Caregiving Research

Karina Kraevsky-Phillips

- Sigma Theta Tau International, ETA Chapter
 - Webmaster

- UPMC
 - Evidence Based Practice Council
- G4 Alliance
 - Pain Working Group Fellow

Lauren Narbey

- Allegheny County Breastfeeding Coalition
 - Invited speaker
- Association for Multidisciplinary Education and Research in Substance use and Addiction (AMERSA)
- Sigma Theta Tau International Nursing Honor Society
- Association of Women's Health, Obstetrical and Neonatal Nurses (AWHONN)
- American Society of Addiction Medicine
- American College of Nurse Midwives (ACNM)
 - Fellow (FACNM)
 - Pennsylvania Affiliate: President, Board Member, Planning Committee Member
- University of Pittsburgh
 - Center for Civil Rights and Racial Justice Student Scholar
 - Clinical Faculty, BSN Mother Baby
- Baylor University
 - Clinical Faculty, Midwifery Program
- Yale University, University of Cincinnati, Frontier University, Capella University
 - Graduate student midwife preceptor

Xueying Pei

- Sigma Theta Tau International, ETA Chapter
 - Leadership Succession Committee
- Eastern Nursing Research Society
- Oncology Nursing Society
- University of Pittsburgh
 - Graduate Global Ties

Morteza Shamsizadeh

- 3rd Conference on Caregiving Research (2024)
 - Student Ambassador

Kai-Lin You

- Graduate Nursing Student Academy Liaison of the University of Pittsburgh

Yuchen Zhang

- Eastern Nursing Research Society (ENRS)
- International Society to Advance Alzheimer's Research and Treatment (ISAART)
- Gerontological Society of America (GSA)
- School of Nursing Evaluation Steering Committee
 - PhD Student Representative