



AACN STUDENT POLICY SUMMIT

MARCH 25-27, 2018 | WASHINGTON, DC

All Sessions will be held at the Park Hyatt Hotel's Gallery Ballroom, located at 1201 24th St. NW, Washington, DC 20037, unless otherwise noted

Sunday, March 25, 2018

10:30am-12:00pm

Registration Check-In

Please note the Ballroom will not open until the Welcome Luncheon.

12:00-12:45pm

Welcome Luncheon

12:45-1:15pm

Welcome Remarks

Anita Hufft, PhD, RN, FAAN

Chair, Government Affairs Committee
AACN

Suzanne Miyamoto, PhD, RN, FAAN

Chief Policy Officer
AACN

1:15-2:30pm

Transforming a Culture of Health Equity: Putting Policy into Action

Keynote Speaker

Alexis Bakos, PhD, MPH, RN

Senior Advisor to the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Minority Health
Acting Director, Division of Policy and Data
Office of Minority Health
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

2:30-2:45pm

Stretch Break

2:45-4:00pm

Words Matter: The Power of Messaging in Policy

This session provides attendees with an overview on how to use appropriate messaging to advance policy goals. This session will include time for students to connect with each other and strategize how to advance messaging through grassroots advocacy.

Lauren Inouye, MPP, RN
Director of Government Affairs
AACN

4:00-4:15pm

Stretch Break

4:15-5:30pm

Preparing for Your Capitol Hill Visits

This session will provide attendees with an overview on how the skills to be gained during the Summit will help set the groundwork for professional advocacy throughout one's nursing career. Guided instruction on making Capitol Hill visits will prepare attendees for constructive dialogue with Hill staff on Monday afternoon.

Rachel Stevenson, MA
Legislative Director
Polsinelli

Robert Daley
Legislative Director
Polsinelli

6:00-7:00pm

Student Policy Summit Evening Reception

Light appetizers will be served. Please check in with Ellie as drink tickets will be available. A cash bar will also be available.

Monday, March 26, 2018

Note: A bus service will circulate between the Fairmont Hotel and Capitol Hill to take you to your meetings on Monday afternoon. Please refer to bus schedule for times and locations.

8:15-9:30am

Joint Session with AACN Deans: Preparing for Capitol Hill Visits

*Location: Grand Ballroom or Kennedy Ballroom at [Fairmont Hotel](#)
([2401 M St. NW](#))*

Students will be seated with their state delegations. Student attendees will have the opportunity to convene with AACN member deans prior to making Hill visits during the afternoon. A review of the talking points for the meetings as well as best strategies for effective visits will be shared.

Suzanne Miyamoto, PhD, RN, FAAN
Chief Policy Officer
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Rachel Stevenson, MA
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Lauren Inouye, MPP, RN
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Julie Shroyer, MSW
Senior Policy Advisor
Polsinelli

10:00-11:15am

Translating Nursing Research into Policy

Attendees will hear how nursing science informs health policy that directly impacts care delivery. Students will consider how their own research initiatives can impact the broader healthcare system.

Patricia Grady, PhD, RN, FAAN
Director

National Institute of Nursing Research, National Institutes of Health

