COLLEGE OF NURSING | CLASS OF 2023 PINNING AND WHITE COAT CEREMONY

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ROSEMAN UNIVERSITY
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PINNING AND WHITE COAT CEREMONY

WELCOME AND GREETINGS

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INTRODUCTION OF COLLEGE OF NURSING FACULTY & STAFF

Dr. Brian C. Oxhorn, Dean, College of Nursing

KEY NOTE SPEAKER

Blake J. Romero, MSN, RN, NE-BC, Southern Hills CNO

TRADITION OF THE PINNING CEREMONY AND LIGHTING OF THE CANDLE

Ms. Eliza Michel, Assistant Professor

CLASS OF 2023 STUDENT SPEAKER

Mr. Jason Hyla

PRESENTATION OF BSN STUDENTS

Dr. Delos Jones, Associate Dean of Faculty Affairs and Learning Innovation – College of Nursing, Director – Center for Innovation in Health Professions Education

PINNING

Dr. Brian C. Oxhorn, Dean, College of Nursing

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLE

Ms. Augusta Arato, Assistant Professor

TRADITION OF THE WHITE COAT CEREMONY

Dr. Federico Calixtro, Associate Professor

CLASS OF 2023 GRADUATE STUDENT SPEAKER

Thao Thi Ut Vo

PRESENTATION OF MSN/FNP STUDENTS

Dr. Federico Calixtro, Associate Professor Mr. Robert Fox, Assistant Professor

OATH

Ms. Augusta Arato, Assistant Professor

RECOGNITIONS

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Kevin Minh Banho

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Karlee Danielle Beltran + 40

Bianca Daimonae Boyt

Jeffrey Thomas Breci

Cyrell Ann Doronio Bueno ** * * * o

Jaishree Corpuz Cabatu

Haleigh Elise Carter + 4 1 50

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Tyler Gee Ho Ching

Mariah Davis * o

Stephen Michael Demlow

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Daniel Hunter Fite ^

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Chantal Rita Guederian + ♥ \$ • o

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*Denotes RNPC Scholars | *Denotes Student Nurses Association | *Denotes Veteran

PINNING AND WHITE COAT CEREMONY

THE PROFESSION OF NURSING

The profession of nursing is recognized as both an art and a science. The utilization of research-based knowledge, professional judgment and critical thinking skills are the science of nursing. The art of nursing is reflected in the therapeutic nurse-client relationship that incorporates interpersonal components, such as caring and compassion. Together, the art and science of nursing empower the professional nurse to provide high quality holistic nursing care. Roseman University of Health Sciences (Roseman) College of Nursing is dedicated to preparing students to become proficient professionals who will provide the utmost service to the community by maintaining their integrity as professionals through principled actions and ethical decision making. This is accomplished by presenting an innovative curriculum that provides students with the knowledge needed to practice their profession and to become life-long learners.

HISTORY OF THE NURSING PIN

In the 11th century, various military and religious orders of hospitallers who cared for the sick and wounded Crusaders were honored with badges. Later in the 1860s, Florence Nightingale devoted herself to caring for casualties of the Crimean War. In recognition of her service, she was awarded The Cross of St. George. Florence then extended the honor by presenting a medal of excellence to the most deserving student graduates at The Nightingale School of Nursing – London. Today, nursing schools around the world give a Nursing Pin to represent a medal of excellence to their student nurses upon graduation. Each school of nursing pin has its own distinct design which represents the symbols, colors and phrases that illustrate the mission and philosophy of the school.



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ROSEMAN NURSING PIN

The Roseman Nursing Pin is designed in the University colors of burgundy and silver. The shape of the pin symbolizes the unique "Block" curriculum of the Roseman program. Moreover, the four sides of the pin represent the College of Nursing Core Values - Service, Integrity, Innovation and Knowledge. The Lamp of Knowledge on the lower half of the pin signifies the nurse's science-based knowledge and commitment to life-long learning, which are the foundation of professional nursing practice. The lamp's bright flame is reserved for those who, like Florence Nightingale, strive to light the way for others through knowledge and compassion. A glorious sunrise against the Intermountain West is displayed on the upper half of the pin. This image serves to remind Roseman graduates that although they started their nursing career in the Intermountain West, with every new day, they have limitless opportunities to better the life of others all over the world.

TRADITION OF THE WHITE COAT CEREMONY

The White Coat Ceremony is the oldest, and most well-known program of the Gold Foundation. The Arnold P. Gold Foundation established the White Coat Ceremony in 1993. The first White Coat Ceremony took place in 1993 at the Columbia University Vagelos College of Physicians & Surgeons. At the time, Dr. Arnold Gold was a Professor of Clinical Neurology and Professor of Clinical Pediatrics there. He noted that the existing practice of having students take the Hippocratic Oath at the end of their medical training occurred four years too late.

In 2014, recognizing the vital role nurses play in the healthcare team, the Gold Foundation partnered with the American Association of Colleges of Nursing to adopt a White Coat Ceremony for Nursing. More than 360 schools of nursing now participate, and the number continues to grow.

The Gold Foundation instituted the White Coat Ceremony to emphasize humanism in medicine. Like physicians, the white coat ceremony is an event that many nurse practitioner students take part in to commemorate nursing graduates who are to assume new roles in advanced practice nursing. To symbolize this transition, students are "coated" by their faculty using the iconic white coat often worn by healthcare professionals, symbolizing the nurse's transition to the role as healthcare provider.

In addition to the white coat, students will be given a pin provided by the Gold Foundation that commemorates the White Coat Ceremony. Featured on the pin, is a gold Mobius loop that symbolizes the continuous bond of trust, respect, and communication, when ultimately humanism is to be the very center of patient care.



BEATRIZ AGUIRRE

Quiero agradecerle a mi familia y mis amistades por apollar me en este viaje para mi carrera en enfermeria. Le andamos pegando duro y puro pa delante. Este es mi momento y lo logre!



LEANNE AGBAYANI AMORES

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KEVIN MINH BANH

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BREE SHANICE BEASLEY

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JEFFREY THOMAS BRECI



CYRELL ANN DORONIO BUENO

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JAISHREE CORPUZ CABATU

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HALEIGH ELISE CARTER

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ARIYANNA JANESE CASHEN

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MICHAEL SCOTT CHIN

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STEPHEN MICHAEL DEMLOW

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SHARON LORRAINE DRYSDALE

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KAYLA GRACE GRUNBERG

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CHANTAL RITA GUEDERIAN

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ALEXANDER FRANKLIN HELM
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HAIT. HUYNH TRAN

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DANIELLE LEE LYONS

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SAMANTHA ISABEL ROMERO

"She doesn't even go here!" ... anymore - Mean Girls



SYDNEY MAY CAYABYAB SABATEN

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JIAXIN TIAN



EMILY THUY-DUYEN VU

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LYZEL TABLADILLO YADAO

Hi I'm Lyzel and I'll be your nurse for today! Without my family and friends for endlessly supporting this little dream of mine, I would not be able to say those words and add three special letters to the end of my name! Thank you all, I love you! ♥

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CHELSEY LYNNE COOK

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CHRISTINA MARIE MOHAMMED

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SAMAREEA DAQUATOR TESIA SAUNDERS



THAO THI UT VO

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NURSING OATH

In full knowledge of the obligations I am undertaking,
I promise to practice professional nursing with all my skills
and the understanding I possess, without regard to race, creed,
color, politics, or social status of those entrusted to my care,
sparing no effort to preserve quality of life, alleviate suffering,
and to promote health as affirmed by the person.

I will respect at all times the dignity and beliefs of the patients under my care, holding in confidence all personal information entrusted to me, and refraining from any action which may endanger life or health.

I will endeavor to keep my professional knowledge and skills at the highest level, and to give support and cooperation to all members of the healthcare team.

I will do my utmost to honor the International Code of Ethics applied to nursing, and to uphold the integrity of the profession.

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