



**San Diego Nurse Networking Night**  
Saturday, March 16 at 6:30pm  
Sheraton San Diego Hotel & Marina (Nautilus 1 Room)

In conjunction with the California Association for Nurse Practitioners, the UCLA School of Nursing is calling all alumni and friends to attend our Nurse Networking Night! Bring your business cards as there will be a raffle with UCLA School of Nursing alumni giveaways, and information and updates about the School. There will be hors d'oeuvres, refreshments, and a cash bar, but most importantly, a chance for you to reconnect with School of Nursing classmates, faculty and staff.

If you have questions about this event, please contact [jadrias@sonnet.ucla.edu](mailto:jadrias@sonnet.ucla.edu)

## Save the Date

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### **Apply to be in our next DNP Cohort by April 2019!**

The deadline for applications to the Doctor of Nursing Practice program is April 1st. Please visit the [link](#) to submit an application.

For more information, please visit our [website](#) or contact Soo Kwon at [skwon@sonnet.ucla.edu](mailto:skwon@sonnet.ucla.edu) or (310) 267-5803.

### **70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Open House, Dinner, & Gala Saturday, April 27, 2019**

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## UCLA Luskin Conference Center

Along with celebrating 70 years of excellence in education and scholarship, we are proud to continue the tradition of recognizing our alumni for their nursing leadership and achievements.

Registration for the gala is now live and open. Click [here to RSVP](#) for early-bird pricing.

For more information, please visit our [website](#) or contact Jonathan Adrias at [jadrias@sonnet.ucla.edu](mailto:jadrias@sonnet.ucla.edu) or 310-983-1140.

Planning on staying overnight at the UCLA Luskin Hotel? There are limited rooms available, so lock in our special discounted rate ASAP by emailing [nursing.alumni@sonnet.ucla.edu](mailto:nursing.alumni@sonnet.ucla.edu)

## News

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### How a Nursing Perspective Plus a Scientific Approach Can Refine Patient Care

In 1988, Kimberly Pyke-Grimm MN '91, and her husband, Paul Grimm, MD, now a pediatric nephrologist, both attended the University of California-Los Angeles. He completed a fellowship in pediatric transplant immunology, and she earned a masters' degree in nursing, an experience that hooked her on nursing research. Pyke-Grimm has been a pediatric oncology nurse for more than 30 years and recently earned a PhD in nursing. Her work is part of a larger trend in which more nurses are conducting clinical research, bringing their unique perspective from the front lines of clinical care to For more information, [click here](#).

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### **Dr. Nancy Pike's Involvement With Cardiovascular Nursing**

Dr. Pike was part of an expert panel on "Behavioral, Mental Health, and Neurological Concerns in Congenital Heart Disease." This was a prestigious international panel of neurologists, psychologists, cardiologists, cardiac surgeons and nurse scientists that work and perform research in the CHD population. Dr. Pike also gave the 19th Annual Featured Lecture in Cardiovascular Nursing: T. Garrett Rauch Memorial Lecture, "Nursing Research Journey: Understanding the Heart and the Mind in Single Ventricle Heart Disease", sponsored by the Rauch Family who lost their child shortly after birth with single ventricle heart disease.



### **A Matter of Mind: When Patients With Cancer Have Psychiatric Comorbidities**

The prevalence of mental illness in the United States can have a downstream effect on cancer care and patient outcomes, and with these statistics, oncology nurses may encounter patients with cancer who have pre-existing psychiatric disorders.

To read the full article, [click here](#)

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**Make A Gift To Support  
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## UCLA School of Nursing Innovation Fund

Gifts to the Innovation Fund provide immediate funds for the School to use for our most urgent priorities, such as the Simulation Lab, the enhancement of student life, academic programs, faculty research, and other critical needs.

[Make your gift online here or contact \[jadrias@sonnet.ucla.edu\]\(mailto:jadrias@sonnet.ucla.edu\).](#)

## Job Board

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### UCLA Health

At UCLA Health, our success is measured by the quality of the patient experience. When you join our team, you'll play a vital role in moving our organization forward and maintaining our reputation for excellence in patient care. Please visit [UCLAHealthCareers.org](https://UCLAHealthCareers.org) for more information.

### AltaMed

AltaMed seeks qualified and passionate individuals to lead, guide, and support their team to help eliminate health care disparities in the communities they serve. If you are committed to making a difference in people's lives and ready to take your career to the next level, AltaMed invites you to join their team! View current job openings [here](#).

### CSU Long Beach, School of Nursing - TT Positions

California State University, Long Beach is pleased to announce the opening of two tenure track faculty positions. For more information please visit the [website](#) or contact Kathy Engberg at (562) 985-8241 or [Kathleen.engberg@csulb.edu](mailto:Kathleen.engberg@csulb.edu).

### Los Angeles Valley College

Los Angeles Valley College is looking for a full time tenure track pediatric instructor. For more information please contact Mario at [marioucla@yahoo.com](mailto:marioucla@yahoo.com).

### Superior Home Health Services, Inc.

Superior Home Health Services, Inc. is searching for RNs, LVNs, and CHHAs. For more information please contact Andre at (818) 957-9991.

### Atlas Health Services: A Hospice Company

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Atlas Health Services is searching for RNs, LVNs, and CHHAs. For more information please call 818-352-0038 and ask for Dan or Chris.

**Care Pacific Hospice**

Care Pacific Hospice is searching for RNs, LVNs, and CHHAs. For more information please call 818-353-1999 and ask for Andre or Chris.

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