

# Celebrating Accomplishments

**Armiel Suriaga** was selected as a recipient of the Edna Hicks Scholarship, by the Florida Nurses Foundation.

**Drs. Cheryl Krause-Parello, Nancy Harris and Kathi Harvey** were selected to receive a 2019 Florida Nurses Association Icon Award for their significant achievements in nursing research, nursing education and community health.

**Dr. Marlene Brennen** was selected by the National Advisory Committee of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration for the Minority Fellowship Program at the American Nurses Association.

**Dr. Sareen Gropper** and her colleagues won first place for nursing at the FAU Research Showcase competition.

**Drs. Beth King and Donna Linette** received an award for Article of the Year from the Journal of Psychosocial Nursing.

Philanthropist **Christine E. Lynn** received the 2019 President's Talon Award.

FAU's Student Nurses Association attended the Florida Nursing Student Association convention. **Jessica Yoder, Nicole Petro and Hannah Wexler** were elected to state-wide office. **Tatiana Cavarrette** won an FNSA scholarship. The chapter won the Community Health Outreach award; Legislative Advocacy award; Breakthrough to Nursing award; Communications award, and prestigious Diamond Chapter for Florida award.

The U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services Named **Dr. María Ordóñez** to the Advisory Council on Alzheimer's Research, Care, and Services.

**Dr. Terry Eggenberger** and **Dean Safiya George** were both elected as a Distinguished Fellow of the National Academies of Practice.

**Dr. Cheryl Krause-Parello** was selected as a recipient of the Barbara Lumpkin Institute Scholarship to attend FNA Advocacy Days.

**Isabel Cruz, DeShauna Dixon, and Marlon Michel** received scholarships from the Boca Woods Women's Club.

**Dr. Dee Ray** received an Honorary Doctorate of Laws from McMaster University.

**Barika Williams** was awarded the Emma Jane Dion Scholarship from the Foundation of the National Student Nurses Association.

**Dean Safiya George** was elected to a two-year term on the Board of Directors of the Nursing Consortium of South Florida.

**Dr. Cheryl Krause-Parello** was named a recipient of the FAU Presidential Award for Faculty-led Community Engagement.

**Dr. Tarsha Jones** received FAU's Excellence and Innovation in Undergraduate Teaching Award.

FAU's Student Nurses Association was recognized as the Student Organization of the Year by FAU's Division of Student Affairs, and **Dr. Rhonda Goodman** was named Faculty Advisor of the Year.

The Student Nurses Association was named 2020 Program Award Winners by the National Student Nurses Association. They received the 2019-20 Stellar School Chapter Recognition, as well as the Breakthrough to Nursing Award.

**Alaiya Dewji** was named the Core Values Award Winner for best exemplifying the core values and ethics of NSNA.

**Ma. Aileen Go, Delique Haymon, Darrell Henry, Philomena Mafeni, Marcco Petit-Bien, Rachelle Pigeot, Myesha Ponder, Tyler Rapaport, Tashia Richards, Dwayne Williams, Nicole Zender, Michael Ugarte, Asheria Jackson, Joane Lisma, and Edwouitte Noel** received the Florida Blue Nursing Scholarship, provided by the Florida Blue Foundation.

The American Association of Critical-Care Nurses presented **Dr. Rose Sherman** with its AACN Pioneering Spirit Award.

FNA recognized award recipients at their Virtual Membership Assembly. **Dr. Lisa Wiese** was selected to receive the 2020 Florida Nurses Association Nurse Educator Icon Award. **Dr. Cheryl Krause-Parello** received the 2020 Florida Nurses Association Nursing Innovation and Creativity Icon Award. **Dr. Rhonda Goodman** was selected to receive the 2020 Florida Nurses Association Heather Scaglione Award. **Dr. Beth Pratt** was a recipient of the Blanche Case Research Fund. **Mr. Armiel Suriaga** was a recipient of the Edna Hicks Research Fund. **Dr. Marlaine Smith** was inducted into The Florida Nurses Association Hall of Fame.

## FELLOWS



**Dr. Susan Bulfin, DNP, ARNP, FNP-BC**, was inducted as a Fellow into the American Association of Nurse Practitioners in June 2020 for her national impact as a nurse practitioner and educator. Dr. Bulfin has been affiliated with FAU's College of Nursing since 1983 and currently serves as Director of the Doctor of Nursing Practice program.



**Dr. Rhonda Lynn Goodman, PhD, APRN, FNP-BC, AHN-BC, FAANP**, Associate Professor, was inducted as a Fellow into the American Academy of Nursing in October 2020. She is a board-certified Family Nurse Practitioner and a Fellow of the American Association of Nurse Practitioners. In her study abroad and service-learning programs, Dr. Goodman has taken hundreds of nursing students to Guatemala and Ecuador, providing indigenous populations with culturally-appropriate health care. She also serves as faculty advisor to FAU's Student Nurses Association, and mentors students in policy and advocacy.