Research & Scholarship Seminars 2022-2023

1) **Baylor University’s Honors Program: Engaging students in Research and Scholarship**
   - September 7, 2022 12:00pm-1:00pm CT
   - **Guest Speakers:**
     - Dr. Albert “Al” Beck, PhD
       Honors Program Assistant Director, Baylor University
     - Mary Moore, MA
       Honors Program Advisor, Baylor University
   - **Moderator:** Dr. Alona Angosta
   - **Objective:** Dr. Beck and Ms. Moore will present a general overview about the Baylor Honors Program, benefits for the undergraduate (UG) nursing students and faculty, program curriculum, responsibilities of the UG thesis mentors and students, and other resources.

2) **Choosing a Conference for Podium/Poster Presentations and Writing a Stand-Out Abstract**
   - October 5, 2022 12:00pm-1:00pm CT
   - **Guest Speakers:**
     - LHSON
     - Dr. Rebecca Meraz, PhD, MSN, RN
       Assistant Professor, Tenure Track
     - Dr. Kathryn Osteen, PhD, RN, CMSRN, CNE
       Clinical Associate Professor
   - **Moderator:** Dr. Ethany Howden
   - **Objective:** Speakers will discuss the process of selecting conferences for podium and poster presentations, elements of a high-quality abstract, and provide tips including abstract writing and formatting, and the importance of following the criteria/guidelines.
3) **Top Tier, Reputation and Academic Excellence**

   **November 9, 2022 12:00pm-1:00pm CT**

   **Guest Speaker:**
   *Dr. Wesley J. Null, PhD*

   Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education, and Institutional Effectiveness
   Baylor University

   **Moderator:** Dr. Alona Angosta

   **Objective:** Dr. Null will speak on how BU defines and promotes top tier initiatives for academic excellence that focus on teaching and scholarship and other initiatives that support teaching.

4) **Manuscript Development: Choosing a Journal, Writing an Inquiry Letter, & Other**

   **January 25, 2023 12:00pm-1:00pm CT**

   **Guest Speakers:**
   *LHSON Panel presentation*
   *Dr. Shelby Garner, PhD, RN, CNE, FAAN*
   Tenured Associate Professor

   *Dr. Ethany Howden, DNP, APRN, FNP-C*
   Clinical Assistant Professor

   *Dr. Lynn Prater, PhD, RN, CNE*
   Clinical Professor

   *Dr. Meagan Soltwisch, DNP, APRN, FNP-C*
   Clinical Assistant Professor

   *Dr. Lori Spies, PhD, APRN, FNP-C, FAANP*
   Tenured Associate Professor

   **Moderator:** Dr. Alona Angosta

   **Objective:** The speakers will present on the nuts and bolts of manuscript development from start to finish, including structuring a manuscript, choosing a journal, submission and review process, and time management.
5) **How to Develop a Quality Poster**

**February 8, 2023 12:00pm-1:00pm CT**

**Guest Speaker:** TBA

**Moderator:** Dr. Lori Spies

**Objective:** What makes quality poster? The speakers will discuss the essential elements of a good poster and provide pearls, including structuring, formatting, content selection, poster size/dimension, selecting quality images and copyright, and the importance of following the criteria/guidelines.

6) **Engaged Learning and Curriculum Approaches: Contribution to Baylor’s R1 and Top Tier Mission**

**March 15, 2023 12:00pm-1:00pm CT**

**Guest Speaker:**
*Dr. Sara Dolan, PhD*
Associate Dean for Professional Development  
Professor, Department of Psychology and Neuroscience  
Baylor University

**Moderator:** Dr. Alona Angosta

**Objective:** Dr. Dolan will speak about engaged learning, program evaluation and curriculum, student learning as methods for contributing to the R1 and top tier mission.

7) **Identifying and Developing Mentors, How to Approach Clinical Institutions about Partnerships**

**April 5, 2023 12:00pm-1:00pm CT**

**Guest Speakers:**
*LHSON Panel presentation*
*Dr. Lisa Jones, DNP, MNP, RN*  
Associate Dean for Pre-Licensure Programs  
Clinical Assistant Professor

*Dr. Kelly Rossler, PhD, RN, CHSE, CNE*  
Tenured Associate Professor
Dr. Deborah Shirey, DNP, APRN, FNP-BC  
Associate Dean for the Online Graduate Program  
Clinical Associate Professor  

Moderator: Dr. Meagan Soltwisch  

Objective: The speakers will talk about the qualities of a good mentor, discuss the process of identifying and developing quality mentors, tips for successful mentoring, and mentoring under-represented minority faculty. They will also discuss approaches for establishing and sustaining clinical partnerships.