

# NU**T**S & BO**L**T**S**

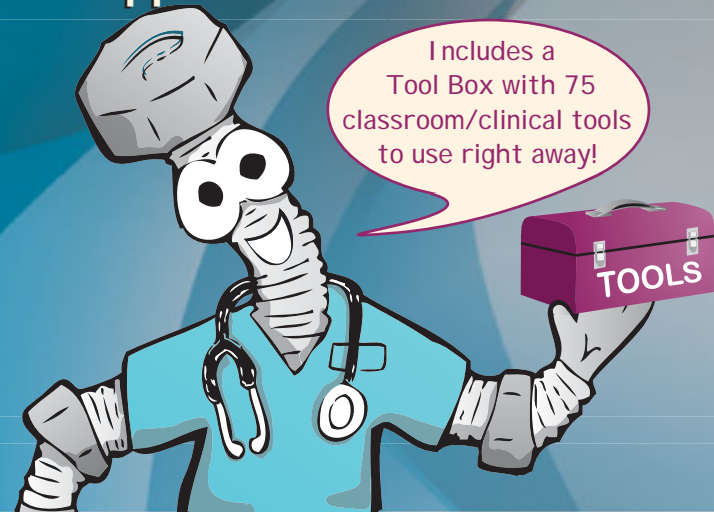
For Nurse Educators

*Essentials of E-learning*

and

*Strategies for NCLEX<sup>®</sup> Success*

A “hands-on” approach for curricular success



Pre-conference February 2

**Feb. 3-4, 2012**

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## An Active Learning Approach

Nuts and Bolts for Nurse Educators is a unique conference experience that will guide nursing faculty through the process of developing learning and assessment strategies using technology and the NCLEX® Test Plan as a guide. Participants will receive conference notes and tools, including a variety of learning activities and assessments that can be used across the nursing curriculum. Sessions will focus on actively practicing a variety of techniques that include time-saving methods to assist faculty in workload management while enhancing student success. Free wi-fi is available and some activities will be accessible online.

**Tool Box:** Every participant will receive the one-of-a-kind Tool Box. This Tool Box includes 75 tools that can be implemented in the classroom. It contains everything from learning activities to scoring guides and syllabi policies. Many of these tools will be used during the conference and are ready for immediate classroom and clinical use. The great thing about this Tool Box is that it is very portable and will fit nicely in your curriculum.

## Target Audience










This conference is designed for Nurse Educators in PN/VN, ADN, Diploma, and BSN programs. Because of the active learning focus, other Health Care Educators will benefit as well.

## Attire

Business-casual attire is appropriate for the conference. *Please note that the temperature in the meeting rooms varies; dress in layers to ensure your comfort.*

## Conference Objectives:

*Upon completion of the conference the participant will be able to:*

-  Create learning activities for clinical reasoning.
-  Develop effective learning strategies for the classroom and clinical environment.
-  Identify assessment strategies that provide valid and reliable data for learner success and program improvement.
-  Create e-learning activities to promote student success in the classroom, clinical, and lab environments.
-  Use technology tools to promote quality and safety concepts in nursing education.
-  Connect the NCLEX® Test Plan Client Needs to learning experiences.
-  Identify factors that create barriers to NCLEX® success.
-  Describe strategies to support NCLEX® success.
-  Begin to develop an action plan for NCLEX® success that can be used in your school.

## NURSING CONTACT HOURS

This activity has been submitted to Illinois Nurses Association Approver Unit for approval to award contact hours. Illinois Nurses Association is accredited as an approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

### Contact hours:

- 2.75 Session A – Creating Test Items to Promote NCLEX® Success
- 2.75 Session B – Course Conversion/Creation: Taking It Online
- 5.5 Session C – Simulation Strategies and the NCLEX® Test Plan: A Blueprint for Success
- 12.5 Two days of Nuts & Bolts for Nurse Educators

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February 2, 2012

## Session A

8:30 – 11:30am

### **Creating Test Items to Promote NCLEX® Success**

**JoAnn Zerwekh, EdD, RN**

Using a multi-step process, you will learn to develop test items which can be easily modified for other courses or subsequent exams. Following a test blueprint, you will develop items based on key nursing concepts, not trivial information. We will explore writing the items for clarity, using effective distractors, and thinking like a student--all to improve your item writing skills. Attendees are invited to bring a sample of faculty-written test items to apply what you learn!

## Session B

1:00 – 4:00pm

### **Course Conversion/Creation: Taking It Online**

**Tim Bristol, PhD, RN, CNE**

Enhancing the learning experience, flexibility for learners, access to education, a lack of faculty and many other situations can lead to a desire to take it online. While some programs are putting an entire program or course online, others are developing hybrid and blended learning environments. We will cover the steps needed to successfully convert an existing course as well as create a new e-Learning course. Come with syllabi and learning objectives ready to start your e-journey.

## Session C

8:30am – 4:00pm

### **Simulation Strategies and the NCLEX® Test Plan: A Blueprint for Success**

**James Wright, BA.M, MSN, RN, CNE**

**Karin J. Sherrill, RN, MSN, Med, CNE**

Shuttle bus leaves at 7:45 am  
from Embassy Suites to  
**Gateway Community College**  
**Nursing Clinical Simulation Laboratory**  
108 North 40th St., Phoenix



Student success on the NCLEX® exam remains the primary program outcome assessment criterion for nursing programs. Learn how to design simulation experiences for your students based upon the NCLEX® Test Blueprint. Tips for using simulation as a remediation strategy will be offered and linking the experiences to program outcome assessment tests will be reviewed.

*This is an active learning hands-on experience. Dress comfortably.*

*This all-day workshop includes a morning and afternoon session. Lunch is provided.*



**Friday, February 3**

## **Essentials for E-Learning: From QSEN\* to Clinical Reasoning**

- 7:00 **Registration\*\***  
Exhibits and posters open
- 8:00 Welcome, disclosures and overview
- 8:15 **Plenary – QSEN\* and E-learning: Technology for Educators**
- 9:30 Break\*\*
- 10:00 Concurrent Sessions  
**1A - Classroom Technology for Beginners**  
**1B - Advanced ePresentation Strategies**
- 11:30 Lunch provided
- 12:30 Concurrent Sessions  
**2A - Asynchronous and Hybrid Learning**  
**2B - E-Assessment: Exams, Papers, and Projects Ohhh My!**
- 1:45 Break\*\*
- 2:15 Concurrent Sessions  
**3A - Cheating and Technology: Prevention Works**  
**3B - QSEN\*-Based Informatics Strategies**
- 3:30 **Plenary – E-learning and Your Sanity: Next Steps**
- 4:30 Enjoy Phoenix!

\* QSEN- *Quality and Safety Education for Nurses*



## Saturday, February 4 Strategies for NCLEX® Success

- 7:30 Registration\*\***  
Exhibits and posters open
  
- 8:00 Management of Care/Coordinated Care**
  
- 8:45 Safety and Infection Control**
  
- 9:45 Break\*\***
  
- 10:15 Health Promotion and Maintenance**
  
- 11:00 Psychosocial Integrity**
  
- 11:45 Lunch provided**
  
- 12:45 Basic Care and Comfort**
  
- 1:30 Pharmacological and Parenteral Therapies**
  
- 2:15 Break\*\***
  
- 2:30 Physiological Adaptation**
  
- 3:15 Reduction of Risk Potential**
  
- 3:45 Wrap-up and evaluation**
  
- 4:00 Conference complete**



\*\* refreshments with exhibitors and posters

## SPEAKERS

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### **Tim Bristol, PhD, RN, CNE**

Tim is a nurse educator and educational consultant. He has taught at all levels of nursing in both public and private institutions. He has also consulted with the health care industry through public health, acute care, long-term care, and professional trade organizations. He shares his work through a number of written works on e-learning and faculty development. Specializing in instructional design with an emphasis in curricular innovation, Tim is owner of NurseTim, Inc. and a faculty member at Walden University.

### **Karin J. Sherrill, RN, MSN, MED, CNE**

Karin is the Simulation Coordinator at Maricopa Community Colleges and specializes in simulation and technology integration into nursing curriculum. She has been involved with the development of the first online ADN program, participation in the NLN's Health Information Technology Scholars program, and lead author for the Informatics Module for NCSBN's Transition to Practice study. Karin has consulted for multiple publishing companies on simulation and informatics; served as chair of the Simulation Integration Management Committee for the Maricopa Nursing Program and is founding president of the Arizona Simulation Network.



### **James Wright, BA.M, MSN, RN, CNE**

James 'SimJim' Wright has a variety of nursing experience including Med-Surg, Cardiovascular, Telemetry, Peri-operative and Nursing Administration. At GateWay Community College, Jim has grown the program from a 'one dummy' lab, to a comprehensive program of nursing clinical simulation using self-developed and packaged programs and multiple simulation tools and techniques. James is an active member of the Arizona and American Nurses Associations, the NLN, Society for Simulation in Healthcare, and International Nursing Association for Clinical Simulation and Learning. He is a founding member of the Arizona Simulation Network and a Peer Educator for Elsevier Learning.

### **JoAnn Zerwekh, EdD, RN**

JoAnn is an educator, author, and consultant primarily teaching graduate-level nursing courses online. She is the executive director of Nursing Education Consultants, Inc., a nursing education consultant company that publishes books and provides NCLEX® review courses for graduate nurses. JoAnn is the author of numerous textbooks including *Nursing Today: Transition and Trends*, NCLEX® review books, *e-Learning: Essentials for Nurse Educators*, and the *Memory Notebooks of Nursing* and *Memory Notecards of Nursing* series. She also consults with nursing programs on curriculum development and analysis, as well as test construction and incorporating e-Learning into the curriculum.



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**Rate: \$169** for a single/double room + 13.27% tax/night. A block of rooms has been reserved under ***Nuts and Bolts for Nurse Educators*** until Jan. 12<sup>th</sup>.

To ensure group room pricing, register early before the room block is full.  
Complimentary Internet provided.

*Participants are responsible for their own hotel reservations and should make payments for lodging and other hotel services directly to the Embassy Suites Phoenix Biltmore.*

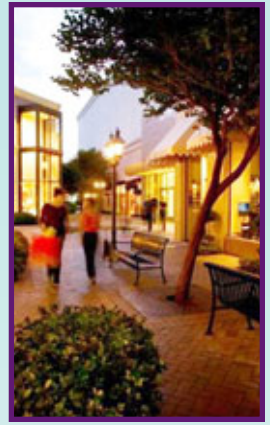
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## CALL FOR POSTERS

**Submit by December 1**

Consider submitting a poster related to nursing education or an evidence-based clinical study with implications for nursing education. Abstracts will be peer-reviewed and notification of acceptance will occur by Dec. 15. For complete poster presentation guidelines, you may download information at [www.NurseTim.com](http://www.NurseTim.com). For questions, please e-mail [deanneblach@nursetim.com](mailto:deanneblach@nursetim.com) or call 870.715.7508.



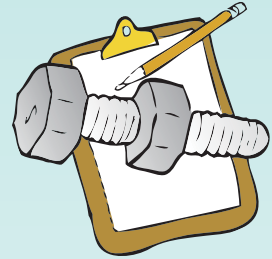
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**Deadline December 1<sup>st</sup>**

## Group Discounts

Three or more faculty registrations will qualify your group for a discount. Further discounts are available for large groups of six or more. *Registrations must be mailed together with fees prior to conference registration deadline.*



## Registration Deadline – January 20<sup>th</sup>

Since conference registration and hotel rooms are limited, please register early. Confirmation is sent if your registration form and payment are received two weeks before the conference begins.

## Cancellation Policy

An administrative fee of \$100 will be charged for changes to registrations (cancellations and refunds) prior to January 20<sup>th</sup>. No refunds issued after January 20<sup>th</sup>.

## Photography

We reserve the right to photograph attendees for use in promotional materials.

## Vendors

This conference has received commercial support from a variety of vendors. This commercial support shall not influence the design and scientific objectivity of this educational activity. A complete list of vendors will be available at the conference. The educational event will be kept separate from promotional activities.

## CONTACT INFORMATION:

### Make Check or Money Order Payable To NurseTim, Inc.

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### EARLY BIRD RATES – Postmarked by Dec 1

#### Main Conference (February 3 and 4)

Individual: \$449 (USD) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Group: \$435 each (USD) (3 or more registrations mailed together) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Large Group: \$425 each (USD) (6 or more registrations mailed together) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### AFTER DEC 1 – Main Conference (February 3 and 4)

Individual: \$499 (USD) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Group: \$485 each (USD) (3 or more registrations mailed together) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Large Group: \$475 each (USD) (6 or more registrations mailed together) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### CHOOSE ANY ONE DAY

#### \$275 postmarked by Dec. 1 • \$299 after Dec. 1

Friday, Feb. 3 – Essentials of E-learning \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday, Feb. 4 – Strategies for NCLEX® Success \$ \_\_\_\_\_

#### Indicate which concurrent sessions you would like to attend on Friday, Feb. 3

10:00  1A  1B 12:30  2A  2B 2:15  3A  3B

#### Pre-conference Sessions (February 2)

Session A (8:30 – 11:30am) - Creating Test Items to Promote NCLEX® Success \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\$150 (USD)

Session B (1:00 – 4:00pm) - Course Conversion/Creation: Taking It Online \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\$150 (USD)

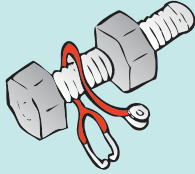
Session C (8:30 – 4:30pm) - Simulation Strategies and the NCLEX® Test Plan \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
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