



31<sup>st</sup> Annual  
**CHARLESTON ANESTHESIA CONFERENCE**  
April 26th – April 29th

Francis Marion Hotel  
387 King Street, Charleston SC

**EVERARD HICKS ALUMNI LECTURE**

The lecture was established in memory of Everard Hicks, the founder of the Anesthesia for Nurses program at MUSC. This year, our featured speaker is Kyle Comley, MSNA, CRNA; Heather Highland, MSNA, CRNA; Kim Kirby, MSNA, CRNA; Hannah Secunda, MSNA, CRNA.

**25 CE credits.**

This program has been prior approved by the American Association of Nurse Anesthetists for 25.00 Class A CE credits; Code Number 1035625; Expiration Date 4/29/2018.

**For more info, please visit: [muscedu/chp/afn/cac](http://muscedu/chp/afn/cac)**



**Thursday, April 26th**

1:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. **Optional Pre-Conference Workshop: Difficult Airway Management and Evaluation**  
*Candace Jaruzel, PhD, CRNA and Michele Ballister, CRNA, DNP, APRN*

4:00 pm - 7:00 p.m. **Registration**

9:45 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. **Mergers and Acquisitions: What Every CRNA Should Know**  
*Larry Hornsby CRNA*

10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. **Now You See Them, Now You Don't: The Case for Fast-Tracking Ambulatory Surgery Patients**  
*Charles Vacchiano PhD CRNA*

**Friday, April 27th**

6:30 a.m. - 7:20 a.m. **Registration and Breakfast**

7:20 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. **Welcome and Announcements**

7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. **AANA Update**  
*Bruce Weiner DNP CRNA, AANA President*

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. **Anesthesia Consideration for Robotic Surgery**  
*Bruce Weiner DNP CRNA, AANA President*

9:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. **Break**

9:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. **Hot Topics in Regional Anesthesia**  
*Franklin McShane DNP, MSN, BSN, CRNA*

11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. **Lunch**

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. **Anesthesia in Austere Environments**  
*CPT Charlotte Gardner MNA CRNA*

2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. **Blood conservation program and obstetric patient**  
*Jorge Valdez DNP, MNA, CRNA*

3:00 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. **Break**

3:15 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. **Opioid free cesarean section can it be done?**  
*Jorge Valdez DNP, MNA, CRNA*

4:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. **Preoperative Risk Assessment for Patients with Cardiac Disease**  
*Kelly Wiltse Nicely PhD CRNA*

5:15 p.m. - 6:15 p.m. **Cardiac Electrophysiology for the Anesthetist**  
*Kelly Wiltse Nicely PhD CRNA*

6:15 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. **Opening Reception**

**Saturday, April 28th**

7:00 a.m. - 7:25 a.m. **Registration and Breakfast**

7:25 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. **Welcome and Announcements**

7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. **History of AANA Supervision and Opt-out**  
*Larry Hornsby CRNA*

9:30 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. **Break**

11:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. **Lunch**  
 11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. **Clinical Luncheon**

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. **Hepatic Physiology**  
*Charles Vacchiano PhD CRNA*

2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. **Taking it on the Road: The Pediatric Non-Operating Room Anesthesia (NORA) Experience, Part I**  
*Kyle Comley MSNA CRNA  
 Heather Highland MSNA CRNA  
 Kim Kirby MSNA CRNA  
 Hannah Secunda MSNA CRNA*

3:00 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. **Break**

3:15 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. **Everard Hicks Memorial Lecture Taking it on the Road: The Pediatric Non-Operating Room Anesthesia (NORA) Experience, Part II**  
*Kyle Comley MSNA CRNA  
 Heather Highland MSNA CRNA  
 Kim Kirby MSNA CRNA  
 Hannah Secunda MSNA CRNA*

4:15 p.m. - 6:00 **Alumni Cocktail Reception**

**Sunday, April 29th**

7:00 a.m. - 7:15 a.m. **Registration and Breakfast**

7:15 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. **Healthcare Policy and the CRNA**  
*Ralph Kohl BA, AANA Senior Director for Federal Government Affairs*

9:15 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. **Break**

9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. **The Uppers and Downers of Cardiac Pharmacology**  
*Angie Mund DNP CRNA*

10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. **Clinical Doctorate: Impact of the Scholarly Project on Practice**  
*Dr. Jill Mason-Nguyen DNAP CRNA  
 Dr. Marcia Iszard DNAP CRNA*

11:30 a.m. **Adjourn**

## DETAILS

We look forward to seeing you from April 26th – 29th in the beautiful historic district of Charleston, South Carolina. We will again feature an outstanding speaker panel with a diverse range of topics such as pain management, pediatrics, cardiac, evidence-based practice and more.

### THE FRANCIS MARION HOTEL

[www.francismarionhotel.com](http://www.francismarionhotel.com)

Located in Charleston's historic district, with shopping, fine dining and 18th century residences close by, a limited number of rooms at the Francis Marion Hotel have been reserved for the nights of April 26 - 29, 2018 for conference attendees. The block fills very quickly so to receive the reduced room rate of \$289/single occupancy, \$299/double occupancy, and \$309/quadruple occupancy plus taxes and fees. Room reservations should be made as soon as possible by calling the hotel directly. The deadline is March 27, 2018. Please refer to the group as **MUSC Anesthesia for Nurses Conference**.

### PARKING

Parking is available in the City of Charleston garage located adjacent to the hotel on King Street. For hotel overnight guests, Valet service is available at \$22/day plus tax. Self-parking is an option at \$17/day. For day guests or party attendees, hourly parking is available at the rate of \$2/hour (cash only, no daily maximum).

### TRANSPORTATION

Public transportation is available from the Charleston International Airport to the downtown Charleston area. On arrival, check in with the taxi/limousine stand in the airport's front drive. Taxis meet all incoming flights.

### DRESS CODE

Conference attire will be casual. The hotel meeting room temperature is hard to regulate, so please bring a sweater or jacket to ensure your personal comfort.

### ALUMNI RECEPTION

Please join fellow MUSC alumni and the Anesthesia for Nurses faculty in the Bridgeview Suite at the Francis Marion Hotel on Saturday from 4:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. The meet and greet will feature beverages and hors d'oeuvres to celebrate our accomplishments and present this year's Distinguished Alumnus Award.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT

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### GUEST FACULTY

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### MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF SC FACULTY

Angela Mund, DNP, CRNA

Candace Jaruzel, PhD, CRNA

Michele Ballister, DNP, CRNA, APRN, CHSE



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Director: Angela Mund, CRNA, DNP  
For more information and to register, please visit our  
conference website: [muscedu/chp/afn/cac](http://muscedu/chp/afn/cac)

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## REGISTRATION FORM

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Name (Mr./Mrs./Ms./Dr.) \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred first name on badge \_\_\_\_\_ AANA # \_\_\_\_\_

**Preferred Contact Information:**

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Apartment Number \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Graduate of MUSC Anesthesia for Nurses?     No     Yes    If yes, year graduated \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of the MUSC Alumni Association?     No     Yes

**Registration fee** (includes tuition, course materials, continental breakfast, breaks, Friday reception, and certificate)

It is the policy of the Medical University of South Carolina not to discriminate against any person on the basis of disability. If you need services or auxiliary aids as mentioned in the Americans with Disabilities Act in order to fully participate in this conference, contact us at 843-792-4067 or attach a note to your registration form. Notification must be received four weeks prior to attending this conference.

<p><b><u>AANA Members (Active)</u></b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> \$650 if received by 3/20/2018</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> \$630 (if you are an Alumni Association Member, please use MUSCALUM as your discount code)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> \$700 after 3/21/2018</p> <p>Daily Fees:    <input type="checkbox"/> \$280 Fri (9 CEUS)    <input type="checkbox"/> \$280 Sat (7 CEUS)    <input type="checkbox"/> \$140 Sun (4 CEUS)</p>	<p><b><u>Anesthesia Technologists/Technicians</u></b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> \$400</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Saturday Alumni Reception</u></b></p> <p>Are you planning on attending?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes    <input type="checkbox"/> No</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Additional Workshops</u></b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> \$200 – Pre-Workshop on Apr 26<sup>th</sup></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(4 CEUS)</p>
<p><b>GRAND TOTAL</b> (including registration fees and workshops): \$ _____</p>	

Refunds: The registration fee minus \$100 will be refunded if cancellation request is received by April 3, 2018; \$150 will be deducted after this date. If cancellation of attendance is 14 or fewer days before the start of the conference, the registration fee will not be refunded because the expense of your anticipated participation has already been incurred. We reserve the right to cancel the program if necessary. Full registration fees will be refunded for canceled programs. The Medical University of South Carolina cannot be responsible for reimbursement of airline or other transportation fares, hotel or rental car charges, or any associated penalties.

**Complete and return this form with payment. Or, register and pay online at <https://www.123signup.com/register?id=hjcpv>**

**Select Method of Payment**

<p><input type="checkbox"/> Check payable and mailed to: <b>MUSC Anesthesia for Nurses</b> 151-B Rutledge Avenue, MSC 962 Charleston, SC 29435-9620</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Fax: 843-792-3327 (Secure for MUSC Agency Requisitions)</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Online: <a href="https://www.123signup.com/register?id=hjcpv">https://www.123signup.com/register?id=hjcpv</a></p>
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