



Rush University College of Nursing

Nurse Anesthesia

Doctor of Nursing Practice

Class of 2020

Convocation Ceremony

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Saturday, December 19, 2020

Rush University Medical Center
Chicago, IL

The Ceremony

Welcome

Maiko Yamashita, DNP, CRNA
Nurse Anesthesia Program
Interim Program Director
Assistant Professor

Monica W. Rose, PhD, CRNA
Nurse Anesthesia Program
Assistant Program Director
Assistant Professor

Dean's Remarks

Christine M. Kennedy, PhD, RN, FAAN
Dean
Rush University College of Nursing

Pinning Ceremony

Rush Alumni Association

Class Representative Remarks

Nijma Yusuf, SRNA

Class of 2020 Video

Presented by the Class of 2020

Clinical Instructors Video

Presented by Clinical CRNA and MD instructors

Awards

CRNA preceptor of the Year
Anesthesiologist preceptor of the Year
Agatha Hodgins Award
Alice Magaw Award

Presented by Maiko Yamashita, DNP, CRNA

Name Readers

Maiko Yamashita, DNP, CRNA
Monica W. Rose, PhD, CRNA

Nurse Anesthesia Class of 2020



Nicole Ahrens



Alexandria Hinkle



Ashley Allar



John Hurley



Rachael Brennan



Vincent Icalia



Catherine Brozek



Erica Jacobs



Garrett Casey



Karl Kettelhut



Lauryn Hammond



Daniel Laughlin



Walter Hessler



Mary McCue

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Amy Micek



Jared Stewart



Katherine Olson



Kevin Tinio



Bridget Prendergast



Anne Tracy



Jennifer Ragnoni



Robert Wilkins



Arturo Santana



Nijma Yusuf



Kevin Shui



Hailey Zaidel

Nurse Anesthesia Class of 2020 DNP Projects

Nicole Ahrens (with C. Brozek)

Improving the Student Registered Nurse Anesthetist's Understanding of the Business of Anesthesia

Ashley Allar

Reducing Anesthesia Work Environment Contamination Through Double-Gloving Intervention

Rachael Brennan

Plastic Waste Reduction Amongst Anesthesia Providers at RUMC

Catherine Brozek (with N. Ahrens)

Improving the Student Registered Nurse Anesthetist's Understanding of the Business of Anesthesia

Garrett Casey (with K. Tinio)

The Impact of High Fidelity Simulation on Self-Efficacy in Student Registered Nurse Anesthetists

Lauryn Hammond (with A. Micek)

Improving Nurse Communication and Related Patient Safety Concerns with the NO HARM Handoff Tool

Walter Hessler (with A. Santana)

An Examination of Member Vulnerability to Attrition in the Illinois Association of Nurse Anesthetists

Alexandria Hinkle (with H. Zaidel)

Perioperative Glycemic Management for Diabetic Patients Presenting for Elective Surgery

John Hurley (with R. Wilkins)

Increasing Sleep Disturbance Knowledge in SICU Nurses

Vincent Icalia

The Second Victim Phenomenon and its Impact on Student Registered Nurse Anesthetists

Erica Jacobs (with A. Tracy)

Malignant Hyperthermia Mock Drills and Cart Update

Karl Kettelhut (with K. Shui)

Measuring Endotracheal Tube Cuff Pressure Using Manometry in Intubated Patients During General Anesthesia

Daniel Laughlin (with J. Stewart)

Evaluating the Effect of a Standardized Handoff Tool on Anesthesia Handoff

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Enhancing Student Registered Nurse Anesthetist Confidence and Proficiency of Surgical Blood Loss Estimation

Amy Micek (with L. Hammond)

Improving Nurse Communication and Related Patient Safety Concerns with the NO HARM Handoff Tool

Katherine Olson

Improving Student Registered Nurse Anesthetists' Knowledge of Cricoid Pressure

Bridget Prendergast (with M. McCue)

Enhancing Student Registered Nurse Anesthetist Confidence and Proficiency of Surgical Blood Loss Estimation

Jennifer Ragnoni

Reducing Anesthesia Work Environment Contamination Through Education of Student Registered Nurse Anesthetists

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Opioid-Sparing Multimodal Protocol for Total Knee Arthroplasties at the Center for Minimally Invasive Surgery: A Retrospective Evaluation

Hailey Zaidel (with A. Hinkle)

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