



Sigma Theta Tau

Theta Omicron Chapter

Univ of Alaska Anchorage
School of Nursing
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Anchorage, AK 99508

Fall 2010

Upcoming Events 2010 and 2011
For Updates, Check the Theta Omicron Website at
<http://alaskanursingsociety.com/index.html>

Come to the Fall Membership Meeting!

Date: Oct 13th 2010

Time: 5:30pm

Place: Snow Goose Restaurant
717 W 3rd Ave, Anchorage

*Networking reception starts at 5:30 PM
hors d'oeuvres provided*

Guest Speaker: Lee Ann Eissler, PhD, FNP, RN

*Are you a nurse
interested in
becoming a member of STT?*

*Is there someone you would
like to nominate for
membership?*

For more information,
go to [http://
www.nursingsociety.org
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Theta Omicron Chapter

- ◆ Chartered on April 12, 1986
- ◆ 1995—Establishment of the Tina DeLapp excellence Award
- ◆ 1999—Establishment of Theta Omicron Research Award Committee

Welcome Spring 2010 Inductees



Congratulations to Tina DeLapp Excellence Award Winner!

Anne E. Thrall, DNP, ANP



Fallon Nichole Andrews
Pamela Marie Bearden
Joscelyn Blackford
Heather Brinson
Katherine Lee Brown
Yvette Dempsey
Marisha Rose Dieters
Jennifer Ann Elledge
Cheryl Fevurly
George Edward Flores
Mary Lou Harris
Kerstin Harrison

Anna Camille Hendrickson
J. Zachary Isaacs
Sumi Kim
Brenda Kincaid
Jing C Liu
Kathleene Joyce Llana
Bella Masolini
Anne Marie McCarron
Linda McFarlane
Jill Montague
Katherine Virginia Olson
Joice Gregorio Palo

Amber Lee Madrid Patson
Angelia Morris
Laura Segovia
Brandi R. Segraves
Teresa Steinkopff
Annie Straayer
Kristin Tainter
Kelly Elaine Ungerecht
Joscelyn VanDuren
Tamara Walmer
Jessica West
Andrea Zavacky

Leadership Transition at the UAA School of Nursing

Dr. Jean Ballantyne, the Director of the School of Nursing will be leaving in November. She will become the Associate Dean for Academic Affairs at the University of Florida.

Stepping in to serve as Interim Director will be **Dr. Barbara Berner**, a longtime clinical practitioner and educator. Dr. Berner has been working to transition the SON to the DNP for nurse practitioners.

Best wishes to both nursing leaders.

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Theta Omicron Offers Financial Support for Nursing Research

Are you returning to graduate school? Do you have an idea for a small study? Theta Omicron has established a research fund to award grants to support these endeavors. Contact Betty Predeger at 786-4575 for more information.

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