

NURSING (SCHOOL OF)

The School of Nursing offers a Bachelor of Science degree (BS) in nursing, a Master of Nursing (MN) degree, and a Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) degree. These nursing programs are fully approved through the State of Wisconsin Board of Nursing and accredited by the Commission on Collegiate Nursing Education. The School also offers a Doctor of Philosophy degree (PhD) in nursing and a non-nursing master's degree in Sustainable Peacebuilding.

Vision

As an innovative, academic community, the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee School of Nursing faculty, staff, students and alumni are renowned practitioners, scientists and leaders in creating bold and transformative solutions for advancing local, national and global health.

Mission

The University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee School of Nursing is a premier, urban, academic, collegial community that acts collaboratively with partners to:

- Prepare a diverse population of students to become science based, compassionate leaders through innovative, quality, educational programs for all settings and levels of practice.
- Conduct research and scholarship that advance science in nursing and health.
- Address health through evidence based practice and interprofessional collaboration.
- Develop leaders who transform health care delivery and health policy.

Core Values

As a diverse Community of Scholars that values academic discourse and debate in a climate of civility, we live our core values and create opportunities to understand the perspectives of all others. We, the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee School of Nursing community, demonstrate these core values in our learning, teaching, research, practice and service.

- Collaboration
- Creativity
- Integrity
- Human Dignity
- Diversity
- Accountability
- Social Justice
- Excellence

Programs

Major

- Nursing, BS (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/nursing-bs/>)
- Nursing, RN to BS Program (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/rn-bs-program/>)

Master's

- Nursing, MN (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/nursing-mn/>)

Doctoral

- Nursing Practice, DNP (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/nursing-practice-dnp/>)
- Nursing Practice, DNP/Business Administration, MBA (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/doctor-nursing-dnp-practice-business-administration-mba/>)
- Nursing Practice, DNP. Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/adult-gerontology-acute-care-nurse-practitioner-dnp/>)
- Nursing Practice, DNP. Clinical Nurse Specialist: Adult-Gerontology (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/nursing-practice-clinical-nurse-specialist-adult-gerontology-dnp/>)
- Nursing Practice, DNP. Clinical Nurse Specialist: Pediatrics (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/nursing-practice-clinical-nurse-specialist-pediatrics-dnp/>)
- Nursing Practice, DNP. Family Nurse Practitioner (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/nursing-practice-family-nurse-practitioner-dnp/>)
- Nursing Practice, DNP. Nursing System Leadership: Nurse Executive (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/nursing-practice-nursing-system-leadership-nurse-executive-dnp/>)
- Nursing Practice, DNP. Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/nursing-practice-psychiatric-mental-health-nurse-practitioner-dnp/>)
- Nursing, PhD (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/nursing-phd/>)

Certificates

- Adult-Gerontology Acute Care Nurse Practitioner (AG-ACNP), Graduate Certificate (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/adult-gerontology-acute-care-nurse-practitioner-graduate-certificate/>)
- Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS), Graduate Certificate (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/clinical-nurse-specialist-graduate-certificate/>)
- Family Nurse Practitioner (FNP), Graduate Certificate (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/family-nurse-practitioner-graduate-certificate/>)
- Global Health, Undergraduate Certificate (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/global-health-undergraduate-certificate/>)
- Interprofessional Public and Population Health, Graduate Certificate (School of Nursing) (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/public-population-health-graduate-certificate/>)
- Peace and Conflict Studies, Undergraduate Certificate (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/peace-conflict-studies-undergraduate-certificate/>)
- Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner (PMHNP), Graduate Certificate (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/psychiatric-mental-health-nurse-practitioner-graduate-certificate/>)

- Trauma Informed Care, Graduate Certificate (School of Nursing) (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/trauma-informed-care-graduate-certificate/>)

sciences/nursing/conflict-transformation-resilience-undergraduate-microcredential/)

Microcredentials

- Community and Organizational Change, Graduate Microcredential (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/community-organizational-change-graduate-microcredential/>)
- Community and Organizational Change, Undergraduate Microcredential (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/community-organizational-change-undergraduate-microcredential/>)
- Conflict Transformation and Resilience, Graduate Microcredential (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions-sciences/nursing/conflict-transformation-resilience-graduate-microcredential/>)
- Conflict Transformation and Resilience, Undergraduate Microcredential (<https://catalog.uwm.edu/health-professions->

Requirements for Employment, Licensing, or Professional Organizations

Students should be aware that some professions, occupations, and employers are subject to licensing and/or bonding requirements. When a course of study includes clinical or field training, practice teaching, internships, or the like, students will be subject to a check of criminal conviction records, prior to acceptance of a student by the placement site. Drug testing is also a requirement prior to starting clinical, as is verification of health and immunization status. Students are responsible for obtaining the information necessary for them to become knowledgeable about these requirements and plan their studies accordingly. Please contact the appropriate department or program office for further information.

Faculty

Name	Rank	Degree	School	Graduate Faculty	Emeritus Faculty
Monaliza Abdela	Assistant Clinical Professor	DNP, RN, FNP-C			
Alexa Anderson	Assistant Professor	PhD	University of Vermont	✓	
JoAnn Appleyard	Academic Staff Emerita	PhD, RN			✓
Mary Jo Baisch	Associate Professor Emerita	PhD, RN	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee		✓
Rachel Barbon	Clinical Assistant Professor and Curriculum Coordinator for UW-Parkside	PhD, RN			
Jean Bell-Calvin	Clinical Assistant Professor Emerita	MS, RN, PHCNS-BC			✓
Janet Bitzan	Clinical Professor Emerita	PhD, RN			✓
Lisa Brennan	Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, MBA, RN, FNP-BC			
Hannah Bridgeland	Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, APNP, FNP-BC			
Kristie Brooke	Clinical Assistant Professor	MSN, RN, APRN-BC, FNP			
Melissa Brown	Traditional BS Program Director & Clinical Associate Professor	PhD, RN, CNE		✓	
James Bumby	Clinical Assistant Professor Emeritus	PhD, RN			✓
Amy Coenen	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, FAAN	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee		✓
Kathleen V. Cowles	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN	University of Illinois-Chicago		✓
Julie Darmody	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, ACNS-BS	University of Wisconsin-Madison		✓
Angela David	Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, APNP, FNP-BC			
Jacqueline Davit	Senior Advisor Emerita	MSN, RN			✓
Susan L. Dean-Baar	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, FAAN	Loyola University		✓
Elizabeth C. Devine	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, FAAN	University of Illinois-Chicago		✓

Jennifer Doering	Head of School, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs & Professor	PhD, RN & FAAN	University of Arizona	✓
Anne Dressel	Assistant Professor	PhD, CEPH, MLIS, MA	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	
Lisa Drew	Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, MBA, PMHNP-BC, FNP-BC, APNP		
Amy Driscoll	Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, RN, GCNS-BC		
Timothy Ehlinger	Associate Professor Emeritus	PhD	Michigan State University	✓
Julie Ellis	Associate Professor	PhD, RN, GCNS-BC	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	✓
Ruth Engbers	Clinical Assistant Professor	PhD, RN		
Jeanne Erickson	Associate Professor Emerita	PhD, RN	University of Utah	✓
Kylateia Farrar-Stern	Clinical Assistant Professor	PhD, MSN, RN, CNE, MEDSURG-BC		
Susan A. Fontana	Associate Professor Emerita	PhD, APRN, FNP-BC	University of Illinois-Chicago	✓
Loren Galvao	Senior Scientist	MD, MPH		
Kathryn Gaspard	Clinical Associate Professor Emerita	PhD		✓
Lauren K. Glass	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, FAAN	University of Illinois	✓
Barbara Haase	Assistant Professor	PhD, APRN, CPNP-PC, IBCLC		✓
Deanna Harcarik	Clinical Assistant Professor	MSN, CNS, RN		
Jessica Hertig	Clinical Assistant Professor	MSN, RN, ACM, CNE		
Jeanne Hewitt	Associate Professor Emerita	PhD, RN		✓
Eugenie Hildebrandt	Associate Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, ANP	University of Witwatersrand Medical	✓
Jeana Holt	Assistant Professor	PhD, DNP, RN, FNP-BC, APNP	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	✓
Sandra Iregbu	Assistant Professor	PhD, RN		
Seok Hyun (Joshua) Gwon	Assistant Professor	PhD, RN	University of Virginia, Charlottesville	✓
Kay Jansen	Clinical Professor Emerita	DNP, RN		✓
Teresa Johnson	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN	University of Illinois-Chicago	✓
Peninnah Kako	Professor	PhD, RN, FNP-BC, APNP	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	✓
Jennifer Kibicho	Associate Professor	PhD, CPA(K)	Wayne State University	✓
Carol Klingbeil	DNP Program Director & Clinical Associate Professor	DNP, RN, CPNP-PC	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	✓
Christine Kovach	UWM Distinguished Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, FAAN	University of Rochester	✓
Alice M. Kuramoto	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, FAAN	University of Michigan	✓

Norma Lang	Professor Emerita, WI Regent Distinguished Professor, Aurora Distinguished Professor of Healthcare Quality & Informatics	PhD, RN, FAAN, FRCN	Marquette University	✓
Sangeun Lee	Assistant Professor	PhD, MSN, RN, KPMHN		
Jane S. Leske	Professor Emerita	PhD, ACNS-BC, FAAN	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	✓
Kim Litwack	Dean & Professor	PhD, RN, APNP, FAAN	Kent State University	✓
Paula Lucey	Clinical Assistant Professor Emerita	PhD		✓
Sally Lundeen	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, FAAN	University of Illinois	✓
Adrienne Markiewicz		DNP, RN, AGACNP-BC, CHSE		✓
Rebecca Mcallister	Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, FNP-BC, APNP		
Natalie McAndrew	Associate Professor	PhD, RN, ACNS-BC, CCRN		✓
Melissa Melcher	MN Program Director & Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, MN, CNL-BC, FNP-BC		✓
Lisa Mihlbauer	Clinical Associate Professor Emerita	MS, RN, IBCLC, CNE		✓
Sandra Millon-Underwood	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, FAAN	Northwestern University	✓
Melissa Milne	Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, RN, APNP, FNP-BC, CARN-AP		
Sarah Morgan	Clinical Associate Professor Emerita	PhD, RN, CNE, CHSE, CNL	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	✓
Karen Morin	Professor Emerita	DSN, RN, ANEF, FAAN	University of Alabama at Birmingham	✓
Melissa Mueller	Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, RN, CCRN		
Ellen K. Murphy	Professor Emerita	JD, RN, FAAN	University of Wisconsin-Madison	✓
Rochelle Nelson	Clinical Assistant Professor	MS, CNS		
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Sandra Plach	Professor Emerita	PhD, RN	University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee	✓
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Kimberly Ryan	Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, FNP-BC, RN	Concordia University	✓	
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Diane Smith	Clinical Professor Emerita				✓
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Pei-Yun Tsai	Associate Scientist				
Angela Waara	Clinical Assistant Professor	DNP, APNP, RN, FNP-BC			
Kathryn Weis	Clinical Assistant Professor				
Linda Wesp	Assistant Professor	PhD, MSN, RN, FNP-C, APNP, AAHIVS		✓	
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Joan A. Wilk	Associate Professor Emerita	PhD, RN	University of Texas at Austin		✓
Lynne Woehrle	MSP Program Director & Associate Professor	PhD		✓	
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