

Celebrating 25 Years

Barbara Bates Center for the Study of the History of Nursing



The Future of Healthcare's Past: A Symposium in Honor of Joan E. Lynaugh, PhD, RN, FAAN



Saturday April 14, 2012

9:00 AM to 4:30 PM

Claire M. Fagin Hall

Ann L. Roy Auditorium

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Conference Overview:

This international symposium brings together an exciting and unprecedented cadre of senior scholars and students engaged in historical studies of nursing and health care in a global context. The purpose of this conference is three-fold: 1) Bring together an international cohort of leading multidisciplinary historians of health care to reflect on the study, influences and practice of nursing throughout American history; 2) Celebrate the 25th anniversary of the Barbara Bates Center for the Study of the History of Nursing; and 3) Honor the lifetime scholarly achievements of Professor Emerita Joan E. Lynaugh, PhD, RN, FAAN, who developed this field as an intellectually sound way to interrogate broader social and historical issues.

Dr. Lynaugh, trained as a nurse and social historian, married historical scholarship with the study of clinical practice and the experience of being sick, in novel ways. Drawing on the tenets of social history, women's history and gender studies, she raised questions that explored the effects of medical authority on society, explicated hospital and clinical practice as contested terrains shaped by variables such as race, class, income, gender, and politics, and gave new agency to patients, their families, nurses, and other care providers. Careful not to assume that science was necessarily progressive or value-neutral, she educated an entire generation of historians to also situate the delivery of health care in a broader historical and sociocultural context. As these ongoing linkages suggest, scholars are increasingly seeking ways to move analysis from the discipline itself to larger macro-scaled connections and generalizations.

This conference is positioned to take place at a critical time—the field is growing as historians from a broad array of disciplines look to nursing as a vehicle for critiquing and understanding American health care. As such, it is a propitious moment to reflect backward to the influence of Joan Lynaugh, celebrate the Center's anniversary, debate and analyze the current state of the field of nursing history, and put forward future directions.

Joan E. Lynaugh, PhD, RN, FAAN

Joan Lynaugh is Professor Emerita and Director Emerita of the Barbara Bates Center for the Study of the History of Nursing at the University of Pennsylvania School of Nursing. Dr. Lynaugh's contributions as a nurse historian are unparalleled. Long interested in improving the delivery of health care to all Americans, she worked to develop the nurse practitioner role, redesign nursing curricula and teach nurses to meet that challenge. For more than twenty five years she has encouraged the development of historical research on nursing and health care. Believing that historical research offers context and perspective on contemporary problems, she was one of the founders of Penn's Center for the Study of the History of Nursing in 1985. Her own research and writing focuses on hospital development, the role of women in institution building, labor supply and demand phenomena, nurse-physician relationships, international nursing, and the evolution of higher education in nursing. A prolific researcher, writer, and editor, she is the author or co-author of ten books and fifty nine chapters and articles. In 1992, she became the first editor of *Nursing History Review*, the official journal of the American Association for the History of Nursing. She consults often on matters of historical scholarship in the United Kingdom, Ireland, and Canada as well as throughout the United States. Dr. Lynaugh's distinguished career in nursing has been recognized by the Centennial Nursing Heritage Award from the American Nurses' Association, the Lavinia L. Dock Award from the American Association for the History of Nursing, the Agnes Dillon Randolph Award from the University of Virginia, the Distinguished Alumni Award from the University of Rochester, and the President's Award from the American Association for the History of Nursing in 2000. In 2005 she was designated a Living Legend by the American Academy of Nursing. She currently serves as Vice Chair of the Board of Managers of the Visiting Nurse Society of Greater Philadelphia.



Agenda:

9:00-9:45am	Continental Breakfast/Registration	2:25-2:40pm	Break
9:45am	Welcome Julie A. Fairman, PhD, RN, FAAN Afaf I. Meleis, PhD, DrPS(hon), FAAN	2:40-3:45	Panel # 3: ASSURING THE FUTURE: A NEW GENERATION OF SCHOLARS The third panel will bring back to Penn some of our most illustrious graduates and current students who will discuss their professional growth as historians of nursing and the role that Joan Lynaugh and the Bates Center has played in providing an intellectually fertile home to dialogue about their work.
10:05am	Setting the Stage Julie A. Fairman, PhD, RN, FAAN		
10:30-12:15pm	Panel # 1: THINKING BEYOND PROFESSIONAL BOUNDARIES AND INTERNATIONAL BORDERS This panel will raise provocative questions about the dynamic field of nursing history, its place in the larger contexts of health care and policy history as well as in women's studies, labor history, religious history, healthcare history and the history of medicine.	Moderator: Panelists:	Jean C. Whelan, PhD, RN Amanda Mahoney, MS, RN, BSN, University of Pennsylvania Keith Mages, PhD, MLS, RN, University at Buffalo Winifred Connerton PhD, RN, CNM, University of Pennsylvania J. Margo Brooks Carthon PhD, RN, University of Pennsylvania
	Moderator: Panelists:	3:45-3:55pm	Introduction by: Barbara Brodie, PhD, RN, FAAN University of Virginia
	Cynthia A. Connolly, PhD, RN, PNP, FAAN John Harley Warner, PhD, Yale University Anne Marie Rafferty, D.Phil, CBE, FRCN, King's College London Patricia D'Antonio, PhD, RN, FAAN, University of Pennsylvania Susan M. Reverby, PhD, Wellesley College	3:55-4:15pm	Remarks Joan Lynaugh, PhD, RN, FAAN
12:15-1:15pm	Lunch	4:15-4:30pm	Closing Julie A. Fairman, PhD, RN, FAAN
1:15-2:25pm	Panel # 2: CHALLENGING CONVENTIONS This panel will explicate the unique lens that a focus on nursing brings to studies of health care history around the world, bringing together four scholars who will debate thematic challenges to the current state of the field.	4:30-6:00pm	Reception to follow – Carol Elizabeth Ware Lobby
	Moderator: Panelists:		
	Barbra Mann Wall, PhD, RN, FAAN Geertje Boschma, PhD, RN, University of British Columbia Naomi Rogers, PhD, Yale University Arlene Keeling, PhD, RN, FAAN, University of Virginia Janet Golden, PhD, Rutgers University		

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