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## Events

Please join us on and off campus.

### OCTOBER

#### 24 Graduate Programs Information Session

On-campus information session for MSN, DNP, and PhD programs to learn about the admissions process, timeline, and more.  
**Philadelphia, PA**

#### 24 SON Research and Innovation Colloquium

George Demiris, PhD, FACMI, Penn Integrates Knowledge University Professor; Jie Deng, PhD, RN, OCN, FAAN, Associate Professor of Nursing; and Amy M. Sawyer, PhD, RN, Associate Professor of Sleep & Health Behavior, will provide an overview of their research.  
**Philadelphia, PA**

#### 25 Claire M. Fagin Researcher Award + Lecture

Featuring the 15th Fagin Distinguished Researcher Award recipient Dr. Kathy Bowles, Professor of Nursing and the van Ameringen Chair in Nursing Excellence  
**Philadelphia, PA**

### NOVEMBER

#### 2 Adult-Gerontology Primary Care Program Reunion

**Philadelphia, PA**

#### 6 Webinar: PHD Program

Admissions webinar about our PHD program, including the admissions process, timeline, and more.  
**Online**

#### 7 SON Research and Innovation Colloquium

Rose Mary Xavier, Ph.D., PMHNP-BC, Post-Doctoral Research Fellow in Neuropsychiatry, Perelman School of Medicine, will present "Application and Utility of Polygenic Risk Scores in Symptom Science"  
**Philadelphia, PA**

#### 9-11 Homecoming Weekend, including:

- Mix and Mingle: Penn Nursing Alumni Board, Committees, & Sigma Theta Tau XI Chapter
  - Nurse Networking
  - Power of Penn Palooza
- Philadelphia, PA**

#### 28 SON Research and Innovation Colloquium

Margo Brooks Carthon, PhD, RN, FAAN, Associate Professor of Nursing; Taylor Hedgeland, RN, BSN, Penn-Presbyterian Hospital; and Heather Brom, PhD, RN, Postdoctoral Fellow, will present

"Addressing the Needs of Socially-At-Risk Hospitalized Patients through Innovation and Design-Thinking"  
**Philadelphia, PA**

### DECEMBER

#### 5 Webinar: DNP Programs

Admissions webinar about our DNP programs, including the admissions process, timeline, and more.  
**Online**

### JANUARY

#### 9 Webinar: Nutrition, Obesity, and the Microbiome

with Tanja Kral, PhD, Ariana Chao, PhD, CRNP, and Charlene Compher, PhD, RD, CNSC, LDN, FADA, FASPEN  
**Online**

### FEBRUARY

#### 6 Webinar: The Role of a Coach in Building Your Career As Confident Leader

with alumna Nancy Valentine, RN, PhD, DSC, MSN, MPH, FAAN, FNAP  
**Online**

#### 13 Nursing Story Slam

Faculty and students from Penn Nursing, as well as Penn Medicine nurses, share stories about their nursing experiences.  
**Philadelphia, PA**

### MARCH

#### 21 Power of Penn event

featuring Georgia Sadler HUP'70, Nu'72, WG'73  
**San Diego, CA**

### APRIL

#### 2 Power of Penn event

with President Gutmann  
**Philadelphia, PA**

#### 27 HUP Alumni Spring Luncheon

**Philadelphia, PA**

#### 30 Power of Penn event

featuring Robert Karsh C'85 + Abby Belcher-Karsh Nu'88, GNu'93  
**Atlanta, GA**

### MAY

#### 17-19 Alumni Weekend

including a special 50th reunion for the HUP Class of 1969  
**Philadelphia, PA**

#### 20 Commencement

**Philadelphia, PA**

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