

# **ACNAP National Societies Conference call**

19 April 2023





# **ACNAP** mission & vision

Izabella Uchmanowicz – ACNAP President



I have a fantastic group of people who represent my Board





# **ACNAP Board 2022-24**





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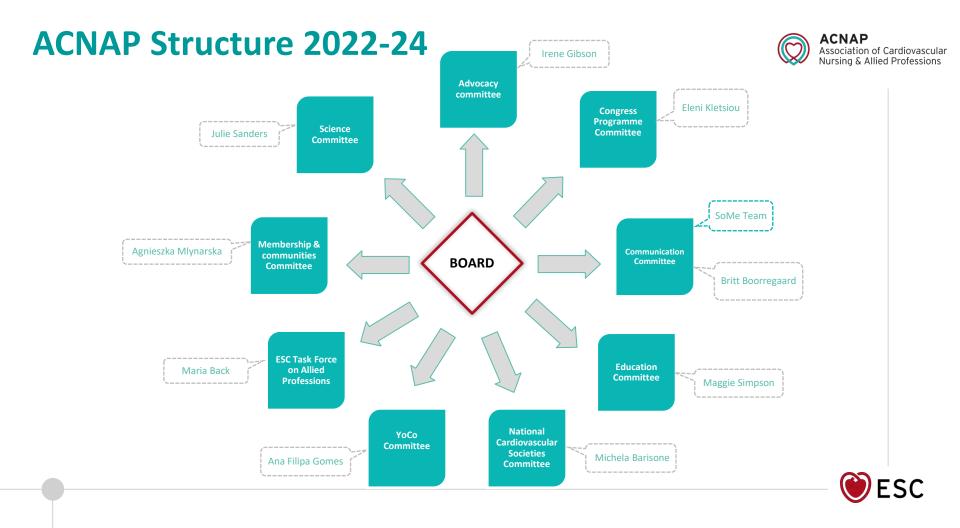
## **ACNAP Board 2022-24**



Board members are devoting all their talent and expertise to influence the improvement of cardiac care, and promote leadership and education among all health care professionals.

I am fortunate to have such a wonderful, diverse group of colleagues who will contribute whatever they can to help improve cardiovascular care.





## **ACNAP Vision**



To be the leading international community supporting the professional development of nurses and allied professionals.





To **build excellence** in cardiovascular care through **supporting** the practice, education, and research of **nurses** and **allied professionals** and **advocating** on their behalf.











Increase public and political awareness of the critical role nurses play in the comprehensive care of patients with cardiovascular disease.

Promote individual and community education on cardiovascular disease and lifelong coping.







Provide educational and professional development opportunities for nurses and allied professions who care for patients with cardiovascular disease.

Support certification and professional development for nurses who specialize in caring for patients with cardiovascular disease.









To disseminate information about innovative, financially responsible models of care for patients with cardiovascular diseases.

To foster fruitful cooperation with professional organizations with similar goals.







To support and collaborate with patient organisations.

reduction and disease management.



# **ACNAP Today**



 A multi-disciplinary network of Nurses and Allied Professionals

20,000+ Healthcare Professionals within the ESC



## **Education**





- Online Teaching Courses in different languages:
  - Heart Failure
  - Syncope



- Toolkit on **Atrial Fibrillation**
- Core Curriculum new edition
- Webinars (live and on-demand)

Cardio

Allied Professionals

Podcast series highlighting one allied profession each month



## **Education**



Upcoming webinar:

Free for everyone

Cardiac implantable electronic devices: decision-making and followup

〒 7 June 2023, from 18:00 to 19:00 CEST

**脛** Webinar

Register now

Free for everyone

Organiser: Association of Cardiovascular Nursing and Allied Professions (ACNAP)

Topic: ARRHYTHMIAS AND DEVICE THERAPY

A Host: Mrs M. Simpson (Glasgow, GB)

& Speakers: Professor W. Mullens (Genk, BE), Assistant Professor D. Theuns (Rotterdam, NL)

Webinar on demand:

(Latest one available)

Free for Silver members

ACNAP PREMIUM ACCESS

Contemporary management of valvular heart disease

3 April 2023, from 18:00 to 19:00

Webinar

Organiser: Association of Cardiovascular Nursing and Allied Professions (ACNAP)

Topic: Association of Cardiovascular Nursing & Allied Professions (ACNAP)

A Hosts: Mrs M. De Ronde-Tilmans (Rotterdam, NL), Mrs M. Simpson (Glasgow, GB)

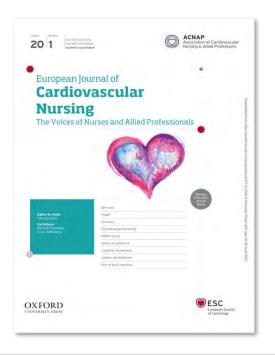
A Speakers: Assistant Professor M. Adamo (Brescia, IT), Doctor S. Lauck (Vancouver, CA)



# **ACNAP Publications**



European Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing (EJCN)



The Voices of Nurses and Allied Professionals

- > Impact Factor: 3.593
- 8 editions / year

FREE online subscription included in **ACNAP Silver membership** 



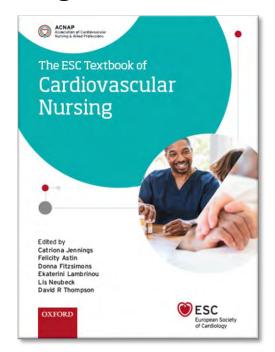
# **ACNAP Publications**



ESC Textbook of Cardiovascular Nursing

Discounts for ESC members

Exclusive: Get a taster of the textbook with a free chapter!





# **ACNAP** Research



# Research Mentoring Programme



Receive career development advice and guidance from your chosen mentor for up to 12 months

Restricted to ACNAP Silver members







# **ACNAP** 2023

Annual Congress of the Association of Cardiovascular Nursing and Allied Professions

"Putting our hearts into patient care"

Important deadlines

24 Apr 2023

24 Jun 2023

fee

Early registration savings

Late registration fee

Register now!









#### Registration fees

	Edinburgh Early Fee* Until 24 April	Edinburgh Late Fee* Until 24 May	Edinburgh Last Minute Fee* Until 24 June
Standard	€410	€435	€455
ACNAP Members			
	Edinburgh Early Fee* Until 24 April	Edinburgh Late Fee* Until 24 May	Edinburgh Last Minute Fee* Until 24 June
ACNAP Silver Members	€320	€345	€365



# **Summing up the Programme...**



#### In total 26 scientific sessions

- 9 Generic sessions
  - EBP (EJCN)
  - Advocacy (by the Advocacy Committee)
  - Climate change (by SOLVE-CHD)
  - Diversity (joint with BANCC)
  - Global health (by GCNLF)
  - Competencies (by Ed Committee, CC presentation)
  - Next generation (by YoCo, collaboration with HFA young community)
  - Pet ownship (joint action with local event)
  - Innovative approaches/e-health

Access full programme online <u>HERE</u>

222 Abstracts

23 Clinical cases



# **Summing up the Programme...**



#### Specialties sessions on:

- Psychological care
- HF (2 chronic- 1 acute)
- Congenital disease
- Cardiogenetics
- Cardiometabolic MDT
- Syncope-arrythmia (2)
- Cath-lab
- Preventive cardiology (by SOLVE-CHD)
- Prevention/rehabilitation (joint with BACPR)
- Cardiosurgery (joint with CONNECT)







# **Pre-conference workshops**

- 1. How to make a good graphical abstract
- 2. Patient and Public Involvement in Cardiovascular Care
- 3. Meet the mentors
- Duration: 45 min each
- Free for Silver members / €50 TTC for non-silver
- Places limited and on a first-come first-served basis



# Register for pre-conference workshops

Three workshops take place on 22 June in Edinburgh. Discover the programmes.

→ More info <u>HERE</u>







# Welcome Reception & EJCN Award Ceremony

- Held in Edinburgh Castle!
- Opportunity to visit the whole Castle
- Network with your peers
- Need to book your ticket in advance!

→ More info HERE



ACNAP 2023 Welcome Reception and EJCN Award

23 June from 19:00 to 22:30







# **Career counselling sessions**

Session 1: Time matters: tips and tricks to manage acute conditions

✓ 23 June – 9:45 to 10:30 GMT

Session 2: Tips and tricks on leading the multidisciplinary team

✓ 24 June – 9:45 to 10:30 GMT

Limited space on a first-come first-served basis!



→ More info & register HERE





# **Networking opportunity with National Societies**



- Saturday 24 June at 9:45 (coffee break)
- level 1
- Michela B.

Invitation to follow by email





# NS Committee activities 2022-2024 mandate

Michela Barisone – National Societies Committee Chair



# National Cardiovascular Nursing Societies Committee









Corina Thomet Switzerland



Dassy Levy



Maria Kalabaliki



Naoko Kato



Norma Caples

























# **NS Committee History since 2018**



- •NS network was composed of around **40** countries.
- Aprox. 10 were meeting once a year during EHC ACNAP Congress

2018

## 2019-2020

- January 2019: mapping to collect the list of NS and their representatives
- •June 2020: Launch of first calls with NS
- January 2020: publication of the NS mapping via dedicated webpage, which includes 68 National Nursing Societies

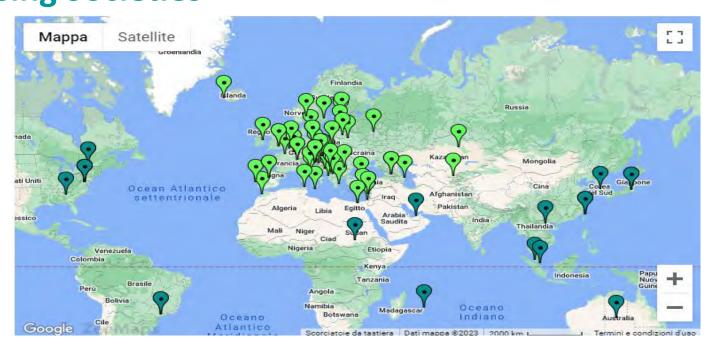
- Since October 2020, 10 conference calls have been held with a total of 79 National Society representatives participating in at least one call
- During the covid-19 pandemic, dedicated activities were launched: Share your Covid story (webpage: 2,251), write your article and cross knowlegde

2020-2022



# Map of ACNAP Affiliated Cardiovascular Nursing Societies





As a today 79 National Societies & Nursing Associations in 62 countries.



# **Dedicated webpage on ACNAP**





non ESC member country

☑ All V ☑ ESC member country





# **2020-22 NS Project:**



#### **ACNAP Survey: Implementation of the ESC Guidelines update**

 Objectives: to explore how the National Scientific Societies of Cardiology or Cardiovascular (network of National Societies) can help disseminate the guidelines and documents of the European Society of Cardiology or the Association of Cardiovascular Nurses and Allied Professions (ACNAP) in clinical practice.

• Start: January 2022

• **Ended:** April 2022

Translated into 12 languages



A total of **546 Nursing and Allied professionals** responded to the Survey Completion rate **86%** 



#### Initiatives 2022-24



 Following the results of the ACNAP Survey the objective for this two-year period is to carry out some strategic activities to disseminate the ESC guidelines more effectively and similarly for main documents promoted by ACNAP (e.g. new core curriculum)

#### HOW?

- Create an ACNAP dissemination model (framework) for the dissemination of ACNAP documents and ESC Guidelines through the National Societies.
- Draft and publish the Role of National Cardiovascular Nursing Societies in ACNAP (Handbook for National Societies) which will be translated into local languages.





#### **Initiatives 2022-24**

- Launch of an invitation to NSs to award the best project implementing the ESC guidelines and ACNAP documents should also include the results), during ACNAP Congress 2023.
- The best project will be awarded at the ACNAP Congress 2024. The NSs will have about 1 year to write and implement the project.
- The projects will be evaluated by a special committee (to be defined)



- A submission deadline for the project + results will be set for February 2024.
- The 5 best projects will be presented at the ACNAP Congress 2024



#### **Initiatives 2022-24**



2. Maintain networking with NSs by scheduling dedicated thematic events (online and during ACNAP congress) in cooperation with other ACNAP Committee Chairs, to disseminate ACNAP initiatives and opportunities.

#### HOW?

Schedule online networking events during the year





# ACNAP membership: Why join?



## **Membership**



The ACNAP is a truly unique association in the ESC Family, here to support your professional journey every step of the way.

The ACNAP has endless opportunities to make the most of what we have to offer – from networking and mentoring to educational tools and resources, and access to exceptional scientific resources to further enhance your career.

If you believe in the ACNAP and everything we stand for, take the next step and support our mission by becoming an ACNAP Silver Member or a ACNAP Member.



## **ESC Family**



#### **Our Communities**

The European Society of Cardiology comprises 7 associations, 15 working groups, and 6 councils.















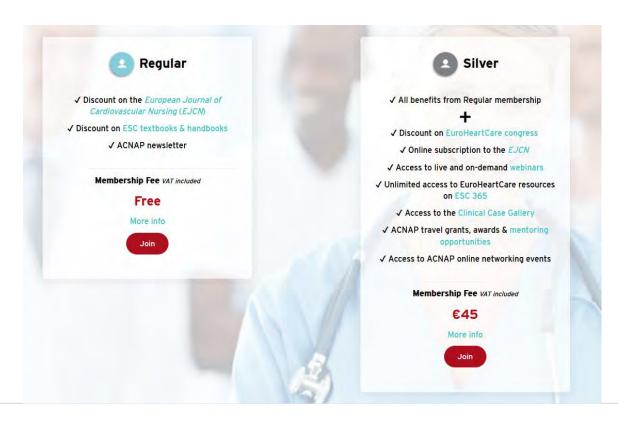






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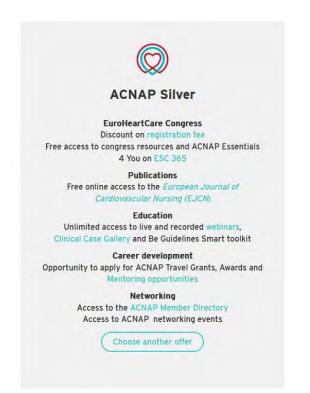






## **Combined Membership packages**









## **ACNAP Silver membership**



- ✓ Online subscription to the European Cardiovascular Nursing Journal
- ✓ Savings on ACNAP Congress fee
- ✓ Full access to **ACNAP Congress** resources via ESC 365
- ✓ Unlimited access to all ACNAP live and on-demand webinars
- ✓ Access to online educational courses
- ✓ Eligible to apply for grants, awards, and mentoring programme
- ✓ Eligible to apply to ACNAP Board and Committees
- ✓ Access to networking and career opportunities

**JOIN US TODAY!** 





## **ACNAP Silver Membership Benefits**



As an ACNAP Silver Member you belong to the leading international community dedicated to nurses and allied professionals (APs) working in cardiology.

ACNAP supports your professional development by providing you with unlimited access to everything you need to deliver the best patient care and to improve your patient outcomes.



## A strong community



The ACNAP community works to improve their patients' well-being and outcomes.

#### **Your benefits**

•Exclusive access to the ACNAP Member Directory to contact any member of the

association

Networking opportunities at ACNAP's congress

- Online networking events
- Mentoring programme





## **ACNAP Congress**



Benefit from a unique experience at ACNAP's annual congress, where you can network with international peers.

#### **Your benefits**

- Savings on your registration fee
- Networking events





#### **Educational Grants**



The Association of Cardiovascular Nursing and Allied Professionals is offering educational grants to nurses and allied professionals who have limited access to funding or difficulty obtaining financial assistance to attend the ACNAP 2023 congress.

Grant recipients will get one **free registration** to attend ACNAP 2023 in Edinburgh (it is not possible to use this registration for another edition).

#### **Mandatory criteria**

At the time of the application, you must be an ACNAP Silver Member.

-30 years old	2	Student or In training	2	Low income	2
-40 years old	1	Nurse or Allied Professional	1	Middle income	1
+40 years old	0	Cardiologist or Physician	o	High income	o



## **ACNAP Mentoring Programme**



The ACNAP mentoring programme provides researchers with access to a mentoring network that will facilitate the development of high quality cardiovascular nursing and allied health research.

#### Why participate?

- •Broaden your professional network and build links with members of the community.
- Develop and enhance personal and research skills.
- •Gain access to a mentorship network that will facilitate the development of high-quality cardiovascular nursing and allied health research.

#### Eligibility

- •Be a registered nurse or allied professional
- •Be an ACNAP Silver Member



## **ESC 365 - the online CV library**



**ESC 365** is the online cardiovascular library, which hosts over 135,000 presentations, webinars and abstracts, covering the entire spectrum of cardiovascular medicine.

#### **Your benefits**

Year-long access to the following:

- Slides, videos and abstracts from ACNAP congresses
- ACNAP webinars



## European Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing (EJCN)





This peer-reviewed journal is dedicated to the advancement of knowledge in the field of cardiovascular nursing and publishes original articles, short report reviews and editorials to improve the quality of nursing care for patients with CVD.

#### **Your benefits**

•Free online access via your My ESC account, under My Publications.



### **ACNAP Webinars**



Stay up to date with the latest science shared by experts in a one-hour, interactive session. Webinars provide ongoing education on topics related to cardiovascular care for nurses and allied professionals.

#### **Your benefits**

Unlimited access to all ACNAP live and on-demand webinars



#### **ACNAP Boards and Committees**



**ACNAP** elections take place every two years.

#### **Your benefits**

- Voting rights (conditions apply)
- Only Silver Members can apply for
- •positions on the Board





#### **Additional Benefits**



ACNAP Member are automatically a member of the ESC

This gives you even more privileges:

- Discount on ESC journals, textbooks and handbooks,
- And on Educational courses via the ESC e-Learning Platform
- Watch ESC webinars on general cardiology, both live and on-demand
- Access to the ESC Member Directory



#### Don't miss out!



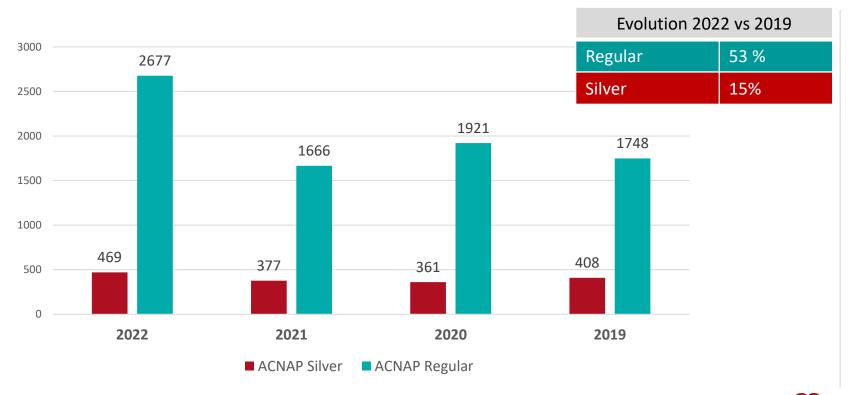
Check the status of your ACNAP Silver Membership in your My ESC Account to ensure your membership is always up to date.

ACNAP Silver Memb	er
Active until 18 Apr 2023	Extend <b>≓</b> ,
Automatic renewal:	No
Exclusive Member Ac	cess



## Membership evolution (2019 to 2022)



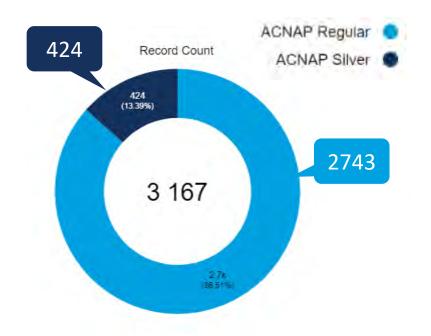


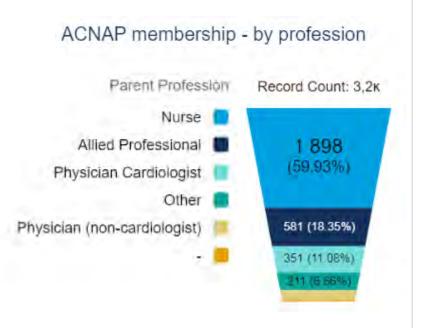


## **ACNAP** membership today

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**ACNAP** 

Association of Cardiovascular Nursing & Allied Professions

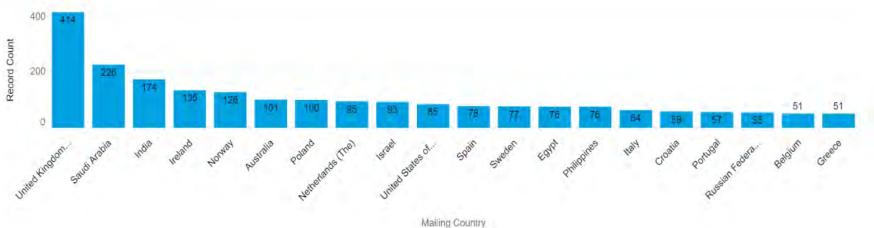
## **Top 20 countries**

#### Data 14 Apr2023



ACNAP membership - top 20 countries

with membership distribution



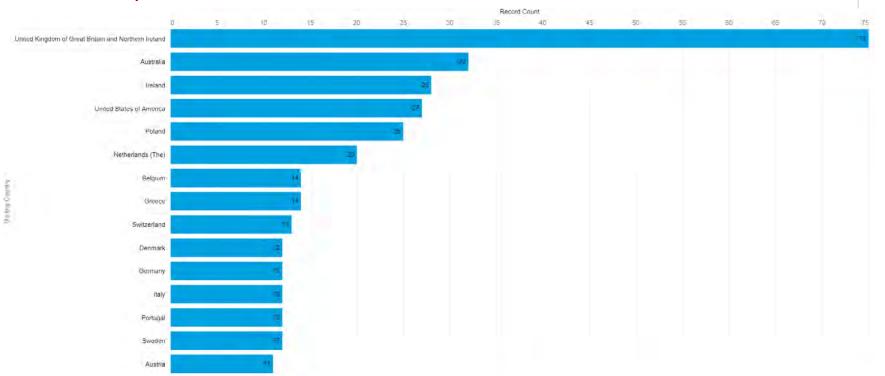




## Top 15 countries: Silver members (currently active)



Data 14 Apr 2023





#### **Priorities:**



- increasing the number of participants from Central and Eastern Europe
- increasing the number of participants with a Silver Member status

- Promote membership in social media other than ESC
- Regular mailing from natal organizations inviting people to join ACNAP
- Emphasizing the benefits of Silver Member or proposing new benefits



#### How to increase the number of members



- 1. Contact with universities that educate nursing and other allied professions
- Contact with national presidents of sections/association of cardiovascular nursing and other professions
- 3. Step by step preparation to indicate that the application process is intentional
- 4. Indication of the profits related to Silver Membership







- We are members of the ACNAP family.
- We are responsible for our association.
- Our association is as strong as the number of members we have.
- Please promote membership in your country.





# NS collaboration with ACNAP BANCC 's example & presentation

Helen Eftekhari - BANCC President 2022-2024





## British Association of nursing in cardiovascular care

**BANCC** overview

Helen Eftekhari BANCC President 2022-2024

19/04/2023



#### **Our Mission**



#### Aim

To promote excellence in cardiovascular nursing

#### **Our Mission**

• BANCC is the national voice for all nurses involved in the care of people with cardiovascular health, science and disease. Our aim is to promote and support nurses who work with cardiovascular patients.

We aim to achieve this through

- 1) national representation and collaboration
- 2) sharing evidence-based practice
- 3) supporting professional development.



## Membership





Member Category	No. of Members 9th Sept 2022	Proportion (%)
Standard	142	67 %
Student	2	1 %
Joint BANCC / BCS	67	32 %
Total	209	100 %



## BANCC Council 2022-23

President: Helen Eftekhari

**President-elect: Nicola Bowers** 

**Honorary Secretary: Dr Claire Lawson** 

Junior secretary: Carys Barton Treasurer: Dr Lizelle Bernhardt **Junior Treasurer: Dr Robyn Lotto** 

**Education advisor: Andy Richardson** 

Research Forum lead: Dr Lizelle Bernhardt

**Ordinary Council Members: Charles Spencer, Esther Arnold,** Karen Higginbotham, Ghazala Yasin

**Co-opted council members: Claire Dobson (British Heart** 

**Foundation** 

























#### **BANCC Education**





#### **Conferences**

- ➤ BANCC ANNUAL Conference Yearly September
- British Cardiovascular Society (BCS) Yearly in June (5-7 June 2023)
  - ➤ Hot topics nurses session
  - BANCC session
  - Nurse abstract markers
- ➤ EuroHeart Care Congress ACNAP Congress
- European Society of Cardiology (ECS)

Small professional development available to BANCC members

#### **Webinars**

- ➤ 01/12/20 Digital Technology (Big Data, Apps)
- > 02/03/21 Digital Health Technology (e-Consult/Video Consultations, CATCHME (AF) Project)
- > 25/01/22 Cardiac Skills for Nurses (Focused History Taking, Electrolyte imbalance & the ECG)



#### **BANCC** Research Forum





Your Voice in Cardiovascular Nursing

#### **Research Forum Achievements**

Fully established research forum and working group supported by BHF-CRC

- Research Forum newsletter
- •Launches at BCS, Arrhythmia Alliance, BSH Nurse Forum (2021)
- Research specific sessions at BCS 2022 and BANCC Study Day 2022
- Symposium at EuroHeartCare 2022 & 2023
- •Peer review for the BHF-CRC funding scheme (3 rounds) with success for funding for a project led by Prof Ian Jones endorsed by BANCC in Round 3
- •Representation on the Chief Nursing Officer for England Shared Professional Decision-Making Council for Research (Tootie Bueser and Rosalynn Austin)
- •1:1 adhoc research support
- •British Junior Cardiologists Association video segment on research (Claire Lawson)
- •Celebrating success of BANCC members in research:
  - o BHF Fellowships: Helen Eftekhari, Hannah Waterhouse, Barbara Farquharson
  - NIHR Fellowships: Claire Lawson
  - o PhDs completed: Tootie Bueser, Lizelle Bernhardt, Rosalyn Austin
  - MSc completed: Adam Damianopolous
  - Promoting publications authored by members









#### **Publications in BJCN**

- •The BANCC research forum: championing cardiovascular nurse researchers
  - •Rosalynn C Austin and Teofila (Tootie) Bueser. British Journal of Cardiac Nursing 2021 16:1, 1-3
- •The life cycle of the lesser-spotted cardiac nurse researcher
  - •B Farquharson, R Austin, L Bernhardt, H Whitehead, C Barron, A Damianopoulos, G Campbell, C Lawson, C Deaton On behalf of the BANCC Research Forum. British Journal of Cardiac Nursing 2021 16:8, 1-9

#### **Consultations:**

- Proposals for legislative changes for clinical trials
- NMC Education standards (to include research)
- BSH HF Nurse competencies (research & ICC sections)

#### **Research collaborations:**

- Edith Cowan University, Australia-CCU Discharge planning (recruiting
- Edinburgh Napier University-Sexism in cardiology (awaiting outputs)

#### **Future plans**

- •Platform for collaboration and mentorship through the BHF-CRC
- Strengthen partnerships with other affiliated groups
- Continue with sessions for research career awareness and training
  - •2023: supporting junior nurse abstract submissions to BANCC conference with plans for BCS & EuroHeart next year



## **BANCC**British Journal of Cardiac Nursing





Your Voice in Cardiovascular Nursing



#### **BANCC** monthly editorials for British Journal of Cardiac Nursing (BJCN)

Welcome all contributions from BANCC members (supported and peer reviewed by council)

#### **Quarterly BANCC newsletter to all members**

All welcome to contribute

BANCC representation on BJCN editorial board: H Eftekhari & Dr C Lawson

50% Reduced Subscription to BJCN for BANCC members









- Consolidate & Continue to develop our research and educational workstreams
- BCS, ACNAP and other collaborations
- Website develop and update
- > BANCC 5 year Strategy: streams: collaboration, education & research
- BANCC cardiac nurses competencies position statement
- Represent on guideline committees
- Supporting British Journal of Nursing category of cardiovascular nurse of the year awards
- British Cardiovascular Society nursing representative
- Endorsement of Heart failure end of life documents & Arrhythmia Nursing competencies









### **Publications – British Journal of Cardiac Nursing 2022**

- ➤ EuroHeart Care conference yearly review
  - EuroHeart Care /ACNAP 2022: Bringing Cardiovascular Nurses and Allied Health Professionals together, Adam Damianopoulos & Lizelle Bernhardt (July 2022)
- >Adult Congenital Heart Disease: Education and Preparation of Nurses, Robyn Lotto (January 2022)
- Evolution of the Inherited Cardiac Conditions transition service: establishing the need for a dedicated service, Bethan Cowley & Rachel Mackay (February 2022)
- Nursing Research making waves: co-winning the early investigator award 2021, Rosalynn Austin (March 2022)
- Statins, the mass media and side effects, Andy Richardson (April 2022)
- Challenges and opportunities in delivering multi-institutional and multi-disciplinary research placements, Albert Ashley, Emma Sutton, Heather Mackinnon & Robyn Lotto (May 2022)
- Ethics are central to nursing care, Helen Eftekhari (June 2022)
- The Heart Failure Multi-disciplinary team: reconnecting in the real world British Society for Heart Failure Conference Day One, Carys Barton (August 2022)





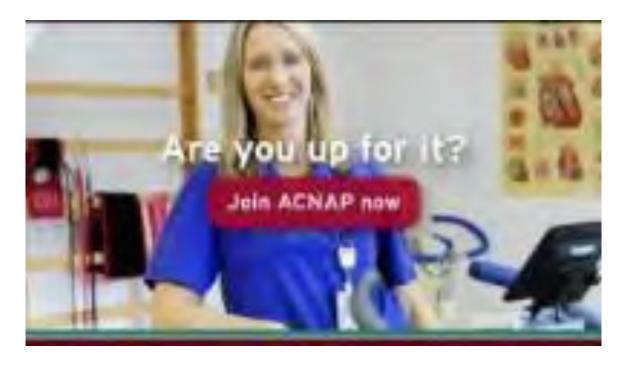


## **Questions & Discussion**





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