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A Message from Your President

Hello From the President!

Happy summer to you, valued NOHS Members! It may be hot and balmy, but we are fighting the heat and staying busy in NOHS! Be on the lookout for an invite to join the NOHS listserv where all topics human services can be discussed. This is a great forum for members to ask questions and share ideas. More info will come soon.

We are also preparing for our very first NOHS Webinar for CEU's. This professional development opportunity will be FREE to NOHS members! We expect it be launched at the end of September. Also be sure to register now for the Annual Conference to be held in Philadelphia, PA this October. The workshops that have been accepted are well worth attending! See the website for details. We will be focusing on revising and updating our Bylaws at the conference Board meetings which will further contribute to improving our infrastructure. This organization is moving and shaking! Consider how you can become active today!

With Respect,

Dr. Tammi Dice, NOHS President

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**If you would like to submit an entry of 100 words or less for the October 2018 NOHS newsletter, please email Mr. Tony Dice at rdice001@odu.edu .*



Become a NOHS Sponsor

NOHS members play such a vital role in the success of the conference and the overall organization! One crucial aspect is ensuring the support of your own organization! Whether you're working in academia or in the field of human services, we need you to please ask your supervisor, or the appropriate person, to support the efforts of NOHS by becoming a sponsor! We have options at every level, from advertising in the program for our National Conference, all the way to our year-round options. Please don't hesitate to ask me for more information.

Jamie Hartsfield, VP of Marketing and Public

Regional Conference News

The New England Organization of Human Services held their annual conference on April 20th at Albertus Magnus College in New Haven, CT. The theme of the conference was "The Role of Human Services in Times of Crisis". In addition to a diverse selection of workshops and presentations, we had an informative panel discussion addressing the conference theme. Members of the interdisciplinary panel included speakers from the fields of law enforcement, fire and paramedic services, a community action program, social work, and The Red Cross.

Dr. Nicole Kras, HS-BCP, Academic Program Director, Human Services



NOHS Journal of Human Services

We would like to introduce ourselves as the new co-editors of the Journal of Human Services. Dr. Kristy Carlisle is an assistant professor at Old Dominion University, and Dr. Shawn Ricks is assistant vice president of equity, diversity, and inclusion at Salem College. While our June 1st deadline for submission recently passed for our Fall 2018 publication release, we accept manuscripts all year round. Articles can be theory or research based. We also accept submissions of book reviews and brief notes (short submissions giving an overview of research or of a program). Please consider submitting and send a blind and non-blind copy to our editorial assistant at editorhse@yahoo.com.

Dr. Kristy Carlisle & Dr. Shawn Ricks, NOHS Co-editors of the Journal of Human Services

WHO YOU ARE & WHAT YOU DO MATTERS TO NOHS! BECOME A NOHS BOARD MEMBER

Human services professionals play a vital role in the safety net of America. What you do matters in and for your communities as well as for the National Organization for Human Services (NOHS). In fact, 1:5 people in America receive critical services from the human services system! Consequently, we want to encourage you to share your expertise by serving on the NOHS Board of Directors. During Fall 2018 we will be holding elections for several positions. If you would like to nominate yourself or a colleague, please consider this a personal invitation to do so.

Below are the positions that will be part of the ballot and a brief description of each role:

President: The President shall perform all duties normally incident to the office such as presiding over meetings of the Board of Directors and the annual Membership Meeting and shall select recipients of the annual President's Awards.

Vice President for Regional Development: The Vice President for Regional Development acts as a liaison between the National Organization and its various regions. Such duties may include attendance at regional conferences, programmatic support to regions as they develop, and other support that regions may desire.

Vice President for Professional Development: The Vice President for Professional Development and Education oversees continuing education and training for the membership. Duties include overseeing committees that acquire permission for Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for appropriate professional organizations; offer continuing education in a variety of forms; and link members to certification opportunities. The VP or their designees serves on the Center for Credentialing and Education Recertification Committee.

Secretary: The Secretary shall ensure the archiving of Bylaws, records of the National Organization, shall keep minutes of all meetings of the Board of Directors, and of the annual Membership Meeting. All minutes of meetings shall be published to members of the board within 30 days of the conclusion of a board meeting.

You will be receiving more information via email soon. Thank you in advance for thinking about how you can increase the impact of your good work, by serving the professional organization that is millions of people strong ... and is making millions more, stronger.

If you would like to discuss the possibilities of running or would like to nominate someone, kindly email NOHS Secretary, Dr. Darlene Xiomara Rodriguez at drodri30@kennesaw.edu.

Dr. Darlene Rodriguez, NOHS Secretary



HMSV Program Receives Full Accreditation

The Old Dominion University Human Services program received full accreditation from the Council for Standards in Human Services Education (CSHSE) on June 11, 2018. This five-year accreditation was the culmination of 15 months of detailed preparations that documented our ability to objectively self-assess our program and continuously improve based on data analysis, and a successful site visit by subject matter experts in the field of Human Services education.

The site visitors commented on our well balanced curriculum, comprehensive approach to working with students and credentials and diverse experiences of our faculty. The CSHSE readers as the “best cited our self-study ever.”

Frank Scaringello, CHS Lecturer, Old Dominion University

Call For NOHS Awards Nominations

Dear Highly Esteemed NOHS Members,

We have extended the nomination deadline to provide you with more time to submit your nominations for our prestigious NOHS awards. Please take this opportunity to nominate a most deserving peer, colleague, mentor, student, or yourself! Nominees must be NOHS members, and all nominations and supporting materials must be submitted by July 31.

For additional information describing each award, please visit the NOHS website at <http://www.nationalhumanservices.org/awards-and-scholarships>. Please email your nominations to Dr. Radha Horton-Parker at rparker@odu.edu with “NOHS Awards” in the subject line.

Warmly,

Dr. Radha Horton-Parker, NOHS Awards Committee Chair

Open Regional Board Positions

This has been a year of stabilization and coordination with our NOHS board regional leadership, Dr. Paige Krabill. The Western/Northwestern region of NOHS is presently seeking nominations for board leadership for our region. We need a regional president, vice-president, and state representatives from the following states/territories: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Guam, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon, Texas, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming. If regional members are interested, they should send their nominations to Dr. Jim Ruby at jruby@fullerton.edu. Elections will be held during August and September and our elected leadership will be announced at our annual conference in Philadelphia, as well as electronically to all regional members. We look forward to hearing from our regional members as our newly combined region continues to develop.

Dr. Jim Ruby, Associate Professor, California State University, Fullerton

VP Regional Development Opportunities

The regional organizations of the NOHS serve a major function to the overall success and direction of the national organization. The work of the VP of regional development is to assist in providing communication, transparency and partnership/collaboration opportunities. NOHS collaboratively works with five regional organizations to promote the field of Human Services. **Your NOHS membership includes automatic membership in your region.** The role of Vice President of Regional Development is to work with each unique organization as they promote the human services across the country. We are currently working on a new set of bylaws to help provide a strong, sustainable framework for the regional organizations in the future.

Dr. Paige Krabill, TUA-Beta Chi Faculty Advisor

HMSV Member Highlights

Frank Scaringello was selected by the Women's Lacrosse team as "Lacrosse Game Day Professor" on April 8, 2018 for his efforts in working with our Student-Athletes and support of ODU sports. As a human services professional, he is passionate about helping student-athletes balance their academic and athletic demands. He was honored at halftime during the game on April 8th and had breakfast with the team that morning.

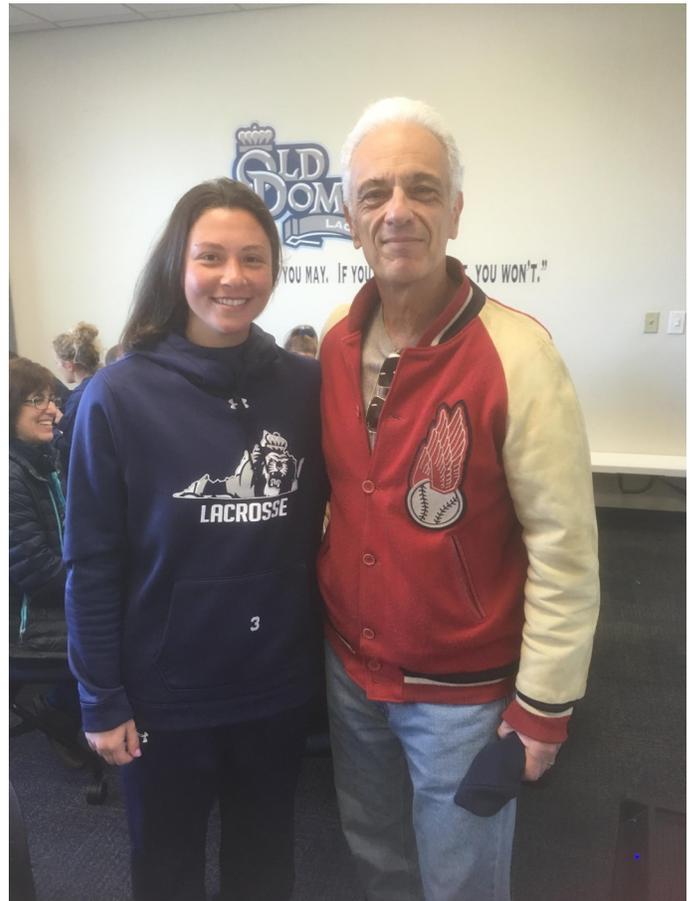


Photo features Frank Scaringello, CHS Lecturer, Old Dominion University and Natalie Ledwitz, HMSV Major, Old Dominion University



Upcoming Annual Conference!!!



Tentative Schedule

Wednesday, October 24, 2018

2:00PM—Registration

6:00PM—Reception

Thursday, October 25, 2018

7:30AM—Registration / Breakfast

9:00AM-5:00PM—Workshops

Friday, October 26, 2018

7:30AM—Registration

7:30AM—Breakfast Buffet / Service

Project Presentation

Saturday, October 27, 2018

9:00AM-11:15AM—Workshops

11:15AM—Closing Remarks

For Conference Registration and Hotel Reservations Visit:

<http://www.nationalhumanservices.org/2018-national-conference>

Hotel Reservations

Sonesta Philadelphia Rittenhouse Square

1800 Market St, Philadelphia, PA 19103

NOHS Conference Rate: \$179.00 per night

