INSTITUTE FOR NURSING LEADERSHIP

Igniting Your Leadership through Deliberate and Strategic Communication

October 16
2025

Dogwood Room





Institute for Nursing Leadership Workshop Agenda

Thursday, October 16

8:00 AM - BREAKFAST Capitol & Congress Foyer

8:30 AM - Welcome Remarks & Opening Keynote Capitol & Congress Rooms

WHAT THEY DON'T KNOW WILL HURT US
The Honorable Gale Adcock, MSN, FNP-BC, FAANP, FNAP,
FAAN; moderated by Hussein Tahan, PhD, RN, FAAN, FCM

10:45 AM - Concurrent Breakout Sessions 11:45 AM

BREAKOUT 1: Magnolia Room

COMMUNICATING FOR MAXIMUM IMPACT: TAILORING YOUR MESSAGE TO POLICYMAKERS Kristin Ashford, PhD, WHNP-BC, FAAN

BREAKOUT 2: Cherry Blossom
BOARD SAVVY: EFFECTIVE STRATEGIES FOR OPTIMAL
Room

ENGAGEMENT Rita Wray, MBA, RN, NE-BC, FAAN

BREAKOUT 3:

MENTORS, CHAMPIONS, AND SPONSORS: BUILDING THE PROFESSION'S FUTURE BENCH

Jim D'Alfonso, DNP, RN, PhD(h), NEA-BC, FNAP, FAAN

BREAKOUT 4:
NAVIGATING POLITICS AND POWER DYNAMICS
Scarlet Oak Room

Kate FitzPatrick, DNP, RN, NEA-BC, FAAN

BREAKOUT 5:
FORGING PARTNERSHIPS: MOVING FROM "YOU AND ME"
Silver Linden Room

Winifred V. Quinn, PhD, FAANP (H), FAAN

BREAKOUT 6:
PURPOSEFUL STORYTELLING: FOSTERING
Tulip Room

RELATIONSHIPS THROUGH CONNECTION AND UNDERSTANDING

Joyce Fitzpatrick, PhD, MBA, RN, FAAN, FNAP, FAANP(H)

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