

## **MELANIE R. KEIFFER DNP, APRN, ANP-BC, CNE, CCRN Alumnus**

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### **EDUCATION**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Degree</b>	<b>Institution</b>	<b>Clinical Major</b>	<b>Role Preparation</b>
2014	DNP	Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN	Nursing Practice	Clinical Practice
2009	MSN	Madonna University, Livonia, MI	Adult Primary Care	Nurse Practitioner
1985	MSN	Marymount University, Arlington, VA	Nursing Administration	Administrative
1979	BSN	Mercy College, Detroit, MI	Nursing	Clinical Practice

### **LICENSURE/CERTIFICATION**

APRN license	Florida, 9492318-active
NP specialty license	Michigan, 127190-active
RN license	Michigan, 127190-active
ANP certification	American Nurse Credentialing Center-active
CNE certification	National League for Nursing-active
CCRN certification	American Association of Critical Care Nurses-alumnus

### **EMPLOYMENT**

#### ***ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:***

08/18-Present	<b>Assistant Professor (Tenure Track), APRN/DNP Program Director</b> University of Central Florida College of Nursing, Orlando, FL
08/15-07/18	<b>Associate Professor</b> , University of San Francisco, San Francisco, CA
08/11-05/15	<b>Assistant Professor</b> , Madonna University, Livonia, MI
08/86-05/87	<b>Clinical Faculty</b> , Mercy College, Detroit, MI
08/85-12/85	<b>Joint Clinical Faculty</b> , George Washington University Medical Center, Marymount University, Arlington, VA

**CLINICAL APPOINTMENTS:**

09/18-current	<b>Nurse Practitioner</b> , Primary Care, Shepherd's Hope Clinic, Orlando, FL
11/15-05/18	<b>Nurse Practitioner</b> , Primary Care, Rotacare Bay Area, Inc., San Jose and San Rafael, CA
11/09-05/15	<b>Nurse Practitioner</b> , Critical Care, Surgical, Neurosurgical & Neurology Service Lines Henry Ford Hospital, West Bloomfield, MI
09/02-11/09	<b>Nurse Practitioner</b> , Neuroscience Service Line <b>Senior Education Specialist</b> , Critical Care, St. John Providence Hospital, Southfield, MI
08/98-06/92	<b>Critical Care Educator &amp; Staff RN</b> , Mission Hospital, Mission Viejo, CA
09/94-11/97	<b>Staff RN</b> , Critical Care, St. Joseph Health Center, Kansas City, MO
09/92-06/94	<b>Staff RN</b> , Pediatric Emergency Center, St. John Hospital, Detroit, MI
09/89-06/92	<b>Staff RN</b> , Critical Care, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Atlanta GA
09/86-06/88	<b>Staff RN</b> , Critical Care, Mt. Carmel Mercy Hospital, Detroit, MI
09/81-12/85	<b>Assistant Nurse Manager &amp; Staff RN</b> , Critical Care, George Washington University Hospital, Washington, D.C.
01/81-06/81	<b>Staff RN</b> , Critical Care (pediatrics), Children's Hospital National Med Center, Wash D.C.
06/79-12/80	<b>Staff RN</b> , Critical Care (pediatrics), Henry Ford Hospital, Detroit, MI

**PUBLICATIONS****REFEREED JOURNALS:**

**Keiffer, M., Loomis, J., & Goyal, D.** (2019). Nurse practitioner student clinical placements: A rural community immersion. *Journal for Nurse Practitioners*. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nurpra.2019.10.002>

**Keiffer, M.** (2018). Engaging nursing students: Integrating evidenced based inquiry, informatics and clinical practice. *Nursing Education Perspectives*, 39(4), 247-249. doi: 10.1097/01.NEP.0000000000000235.

Oele, M., DiGiammarino, P., **Keiffer, M.**, LaVigne, M., Nicely, M.V., Nosek, M. (2017) Examining assumptions about student engagement in the classroom: A faculty learning community's year-long journey. *Jesuit Higher Education: A Journal*, (6)1, 110-119.

**Keiffer, M.** (2015). Utilization of Clinical Practice Guidelines. *Nursing Clinics of North America*, (50)2, 327-345. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.cnur.2015.03.007>

**Book Chapter:**

**Keiffer, M., Sandhu, P. & Haririfar, M.** (2020 under review) Methods for incentivizing preceptors in *Clinical Education and the Advanced Practice Nurse* (Curtis, A. & Sandhu, P, eds.)

**OTHER FUNDING**

Date	Role	Title	Agency	Type	Amount
1/4/19	PD	Advanced Nursing Education Workforce (ANEW) Grant #: T94HP33213	Health Resources and Services Administration	Federal	\$ 1,500,726.00 Awarded 6/19
2015	Co-PI	Student Engagement in the Classroom	University of San Francisco, Center for Teaching Excellence	Intramural	\$2,000 Funded

**SELECTED PRESENTATIONS—NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL**

Date	Type	Title/Authors	Conference Title, City/State	Refereed/Invited
9/2020	Podium	Incorporating Telehealth into Pre-Licensure and APRN Curricula: Past, Present and Future  Eckhoff, Anderson, LaManna, <b>Keiffer</b>	National League for Nursing Orlando, FL	Refereed
9/2020	Podium	Identifying the Components of Communication in a Simulated Nurse Practitioner Clinic Visit  <b>Keiffer</b> , Diaz, Anderson, Eckhoff	National League for Nursing Orlando, FL	Refereed
6/2020	Podium	Enhancing nurse practitioner curricula with telehealth simulation experiences: Outcomes, opportunities, and lessons learned  LaManna, Anderson, Eckhoff, Diaz, Guido-Sanz, <b>Keiffer</b> , Gonzalez	International Nursing Association for Clinical Simulation and Learning Raleigh, NC	Refereed
4/2020	Podium	The use of telehealth to maximize access to care for the LGBTQ+ community: A simulated randomized controlled study. Diaz, Knurr, Nunes, Isaac, Anderson, <b>Keiffer</b> , Eckhoff	Sigma Theta Tau Orlando, FL	Refereed
4/2020	Podium	Implementing and Evaluating Telehealth Competency Frameworks in NP Curriculum <b>Keiffer</b> , Lamanna, Anderson, Eckhoff, Blackwell, Guido-Sanz	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties Conference Chicago, IL	Refereed
4/2020	Poster	Standardizing Nurse Practitioner Student Evaluation during High-stakes Clinical Exams <b>Keiffer</b> , Anderson, Blackwell, Guido-Sanz, Lamanna, Eckhoff	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties Conference Chicago, IL	Refereed-

4/2020	Podium	Constructing the Building Blocks of AGACNP Education: Scaffolding AGACNP Program Outcomes through Simulation Blackwell, Guido-Sanz, Anderson, <b>Keiffer</b> , Eckhoff	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties Conference Chicago, IL	Refereed
4/5/19	Podium	It Takes a Team: Creative Strategies for Infusing Diagnostic Reasoning into Nurse Practitioner Curricula/Anderson, Eckhoff, Blackwell, LaManna, <b>Keiffer</b>	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties Conference Atlanta, GA	Refereed
4/21/18	Podium	Preparing NP Clinical Scholars: A Faculty imperative <b>Keiffer</b>	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties Conference Indianapolis, IN	Refereed
4/22/18	Podium	The Pop-Up Clinic: Engaging the NP Student in Population Health <b>Keiffer &amp; Loomis</b>	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties Conference Indianapolis, IN	Refereed
03/25/18	Podium	Role of the NP in Recognizing Health Disparities: A Pop-Up Clinic Experience/ <b>Keiffer &amp; Loomis</b>	California Association of Nurse Practitioners Education Conference, San Diego, CA	Refereed

01/19/18	Podium	Preparing DNP Clinical Scholars: A Faculty Imperative/ <b>Keiffer &amp; Loomis</b>	American Association of Colleges of Nursing DNP Conference, Naples, FL	Refereed
01/24/18	Podium	Best Practices for Student Engagement in the Classroom <b>Keiffer</b>	Center for Teaching Excellence: University of San Francisco, CA	Invited
03/17/17	Podium	Mentoring Our Own: Surviving the Challenge of Clinical Teaching/ <b>Keiffer</b>	California Association of Nurse Practitioner Education Conference, Burlingame, CA	Refereed
03/17/16	Podium	Nurse Practitioners: What's Your Social Networking IQ?/ <b>Keiffer</b>	California Association of Nurse Practitioners Education Conference, San Diego, CA	Refereed
03/30/15	Podium	Facilitators & Barriers to the Use of Clinical Practice Guidelines/ <b>Keiffer</b>	American Association of Neuroscience Nurses Education Meeting, Nashville, TN	Refereed
10/15/15	Podium	Evidence Based Management of Neuromuscular and Neurodegenerative Disorders/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Spectrum Health CNRN Review Course, Grand Blanc, MI	Invited
10/20/14	Podium	Evidence-based Management of Neuromuscular Disorders/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Neurology Conference Spectrum Health, Grand Blanc, MI	Invited
03/18/12	Podium	Risk Stratification: Strategies to Prevent Stroke/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Michigan Council of Nurse Practitioners, Lansing, MI	Refereed
04/17/09	Poster	Act FAST! Reducing Stroke Patient Arrival Time to the Emergency Department/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Michigan Legislature: Graduate Research Day, Lansing, MI	Invited
09/18/08	Podium	Deciphering Neuro Assessment: Using Critical Thinking to Improve Patient Outcomes/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Ohio State University Quest for Excellence, Columbus, Ohio	Refereed
09/20/07	Podium	PEP Talk! Empowering your Preceptors to Succeed/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Ohio State University Quest for Excellence, Columbus, Ohio	Refereed

**SELECTED PRESENTATIONS—LOCAL/REGIONAL/STATE**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Title/Authors</b>	<b>Conference Title, City/State</b>	<b>Refereed/ Invited</b>
2/28/20	Panel/ Podium	Primary Care Scholars Collaborative <b>Keiffer/Diaz/ Duncan/Gonzalez/ Grundon</b>	University of Central Florida, Dean's Advisory Board	Invited
03/05/19	Podium	The DNP Scholarly Project <b>Keiffer/Andrews/Blackwell</b>	University of Central Florida, Faculty Development Lecture	Invited
09/08/16	Podium	Best Practices for Student Engagement in the Classroom/ <b>Keiffer</b>	University of San Francisco, Center for Teaching Excellence Teaching Café, San Francisco, CA	Invited
05/12/15	Poster	Facilitators & Barriers to the Use of Clinical Practice Guidelines/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Henry Ford Health System Research Symposium, Detroit, MI	Refereed
11/12/14	Podium	Use of Clinical Practice Guidelines/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Madonna University Faculty Development, Livonia MI	Invited
10/20/14	Podium	Evidence-based Management of Neuromuscular Disorders/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Neurology Conference Spectrum Health, Grand Blanc, MI	Invited
9/08	Podium	Deciphering Neuro Assessment: Using Critical Thinking to Improve Patient Outcomes <b>Keiffer</b>	Ohio State University Quest for Excellence (Columbus, Ohio)	Refereed
08/15/07	Podium	Neuro Assessment for ED Nurses/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Southeastern Michigan Emergency Nurses Organization, Detroit, MI	Invited
07/07	Podium	PEP Talk! Empowering your Preceptors to Succeed/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Ohio State University Quest for Excellence, Columbus, Ohio	Refereed
8/07	Podium	PEP Talk! Empowering your Preceptors to Succeed/ <b>Keiffer</b>	Nursing Summit, Michigan League for Nursing, Detroit, MI	Refereed

**HONORS/AWARDS**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Award</b>	<b>Organization/Group</b>
2008	Nightingale Award for Nursing Excellence in Advanced Practice	Oakland University, Rochester Hills, MI
2007	Dorothy Jaffar Nursing Education Award	St. John-Providence Health System, Detroit, MI
2008 2007	Educational Advancement Award	American Association of Critical Care Nurses

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES & COMMUNITY SERVICE**

### ***PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS:***

<b>Date</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Role</b>
2010-present	American Academy of Nurse Practitioners	Member
2015-present	American Association of Colleges of Nursing	Member
2015-2018	California Association of Nurse Practitioners	Member Health Policy/Practice Committee
2018-current	Florida Association of Nurse Practitioners	Member
2011-present	National League for Nursing	Member
2011-present	National Organization of Nurse Practitioner Faculties	Member
1985-present	Sigma Theta Tau International	Member
2018-present	STTI UCF Chapter	Member

### ***PUBLICATION EDITORIAL BOARDS AND REVIEW:***

<b>Date</b>	<b>Journal or Publisher</b>	<b>Role</b>
2013	<i>American Association of Critical Care Nurses (AACN) Critical Care Nurse</i>	Reviewer
2017	<i>American Association of Neuroscience Nurses (AANN) Core Curriculum</i>	Reviewer

### ***COMMUNITY SERVICE:***

<b>Date</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Role</b>
2015-2018	San Jose Rotacare Bay Area/San Rafael Rotacare Bay Area	Nurse Practitioner-health care provider
2018	American Red Cross-Sonoma County Fire Evacuee's Shelters	Nurse Practitioner-health care provider
2018-current	Shepherd's Hope Dr. Diebel Clinic, Orlando, FL	Nurse Practitioner-health care provider
2019-current	HRSA Telehealth Toolkit Taskforce	Team member
2020	American Association of Colleges of Nursing DNP Awards	Reviewer

## **UNIVERSITY ACTIVITIES**

### ***UNIVERSITY SERVICE: (Cumulative)***

<b>Date</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Committee</b>	<b>Role</b>
2018-2020	College	Graduate Curriculum	Member
2018-2020	University	Graduate Council Appeals	Member
2018-2020	University	Academic Health Science Center Clinical Council	Member
<b>University of San Francisco</b>			
2016-2018	College	NP Program Evaluation Committee	Member

2016-2018	College	NP Curriculum Committee	Member
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***DISSERTATION / THESIS / RESEARCH PROJECT ADVISING:***

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Role</b>
2020	Evaluating Preceptor Knowledge on Telehealth	DNP	Chair
2020	Improving Health Nutrition in Adolescent Mothers	DNP	Chair
2020	Improving Quality of Type 2 Diabetes Care in an At-risk Population	DNP	Chair
2020	Improving Access to Healthy Food for School-aged Children in an Urban Community	DNP	Chair
2019-2020	Patients with A Left Ventricular Device and Factors Affecting Readmission.	PhD	Committee
2019-2020	Providing Moderate Sedation Education for the Non-anesthesia Trained Registered Nurse	DNP	Chair
2019-2020	Improving Timely Delivery of Medications for Underserved Patients with Asthma	DNP	Chair
2019-2020	Introducing Acuity Based Staffing in a Skilled Nursing Facility: A Quality Improvement Approach	DNP	Chair
2018-2019	Assessing and Improving Provider Confidence to Prescribe Pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP)	DNP	Chair
2017-2018	Coping with Behavioral Symptoms of Dementia: Educating Caregivers to Lower Stress	DNP	Chair
2017-2018	Addressing Provider Barriers Concerning Sexuality and Intimacy in Palliative Care	DNP	Chair
2016-2017	Teaching a Primary Prevention Falls Program: Using the Stop Elderly Accidents, Deaths, and Injuries (STEADI) Toolkit	DNP	Committee Member
2016-2017	Continence Care for Rehabilitation Nurses: An Evidence Based Bowel and Bladder Management Toolkit	DNP	Committee Member
2016-2017	Postpartum Depression: An Educational Intervention for Nursing Students	DNP	Committee Member
2016-2017	An Interprofessional Population Health Approach to Improving the Health of Veterans: The NP Role in Panel Management	DNP	Committee Member

**COURSES TAUGHT:**

Semester	Course	Course Name	Enrollment	Role
Spring 2020	NGR 7912C	DNP Project II	3	Chair Instructor
Spring 2020	NGR 7911C	DNP Project I	4	Chair Instructor
Spring 2020	NGR 7748L	Advanced Clinical Practice Selective	2	Lead Faculty
Fall 2019	NGR 6908	Health Care Issues: Underserved Populations	6	Lead Faculty
Fall 2019	NGR 7855C	Evidence for Practice	19	Lead Faculty
Fall 2019	NGR 7911C	DNP Project I	3	Chair Instructor
Fall 2019	NGR 7748L	Advanced Clinical Practice Selective	2	Lead Faculty
Summer 2019	NGR 7748L	Advanced Clinical Practice Selective	2	Lead Faculty
Spring 2019	NGR 7855C	Evidence for Practice	17	Lead Faculty
Spring 2019	NGR 7912C	DNP Project II	1	Instructor
Fall 2018	NGR 7855 C	Evidence for Practice	16	Instructor
<b>University of San Francisco</b>				
Spring 2018	NURS 7220	Adv. Physical Assessment & Health Promotion for the APN Practicum	24	Instructor
Spring 2018	NURS 749 A	NP Qualifying Project: Manuscript Development	2	Instructor
Spring 2018	NURS 795	DNP Residency	2	Instructor
Spring 2018	NURS 752	Management of Common & Acute Health Problems Practicum	2	Instructor
Fall 2017	NURS 746	Community-based Health Promotion & FNP Role Development	25	Lead Faculty
Fall 2017	NURS 706	Advanced Physiology & Pathophysiology	25	Lead Faculty
Fall 2017	NURS 793	DNP Practicum IV: Macro-system	2	Instructor
Summer 2017	NURS 790	DNP Practicum I: Microsystem	1	Instructor
Summer 2017	NURS 749B	DNP/NP Qualifying Project: Prospectus Development	2	Instructor
Spring 2017	NURS 745	Community-based Health Promotion & FNP Role Development Practicum	6	Instructor
Spring 2017	NURS 745	Health Promotion & FNP Role Development	8	Lead Faculty
Fall 2016	NURS 706	Advanced Physiology & Pathophysiology	25	Lead Faculty

Semester	Course	Course Name	Enrollment	Role
Fall 2016	NURS 785	Management of Complex Health Problems Practicum	6	Instructor
Fall 2016	NURS 322	Evidence Based Practice and Informatics	25	Lead Faculty
Spring 2016	NURS 745	Community-based Health Promotion & FNP Role Development Practicum	6	Instructor
Spring 2016	NURS 322	Evidence Based Practice and Informatics	60	Lead Faculty
Fall 2015	NURS 322	Evidence Based Practice and Informatics	90	Lead Faculty
<b>Madonna University</b>				
Spring 2015	NUR 5330	Adult Gerontology Acute Care I	35	Instructor
Spring 2015	NUR 5050	Leadership in Health Care Systems	40	Lead Faculty
Fall 2014	NUR 6540	Adult Gerontology Acute Care III	35	Instructor
Fall 2014	NUR 5240 NUR 5250	Advanced Health Assessment & Health Promotion	25	Lead Faculty
Spring 2014	NUR 6751	Adult Gerontology Acute Care II	35	Instructor
Spring 2014	NUR 5360 NUR 5370	Advanced Pharmacology I	75	Lead Faculty
Fall 2013	NUR 5240 NUR 5250	Advanced Health Assessment & Health Promotion	25	Lead Faculty
Fall 2013	NUR 5360 NUR 5370	Advanced Pharmacology I	75	Lead Faculty
Spring 2012	NUR 5010	Advanced Health Assessment & Health Promotion	20	Instructor
Spring 2012	NUR 6540	Adult Gerontology Acute Care II	12	Instructor
Fall 2012	NUR 5360 NUR 5370	Advanced Pharmacology I & II	30	Instructor
Fall 2012	NUR 5320	Adult Gerontology Primary Care I	30	Instructor
Spring 2011	NUR 5240 NUR 5250	Advanced Health Assessment & Health Promotion	20	Instructor
Spring 2011	NUR 6530	Adult Gerontology Primary Care II	12	Instructor
Fall 2011	NUR 5240 NUR 5250	Advanced Health Assessment & Health Promotion	25	Instructor
Fall 2011	NUR 5320	Adult Gerontology Primary Care I	12	Instructor