

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

CONVENTION LUNCHEON PROGRAMS

Thursday-March 28th

**“Heartbreakers, Handmaidens, and Heroes:
Nurses in Cinema”**

by...Dr. Nancy Laplante and Dr. Wendy Ostendorf
This session provides a critical analysis of nurses and nursing can be examined via the images and archetypes of nurses throughout history. These images have influenced cultural, social, and economical acceptance of nursing, and have implications for the future of the profession.

Friday-March 29th

“25 Stupid Things Nurses Do To Self Destruct”

by...Dr. Laura Gasparis Vonfrolio
This session will explore the 25 stupid things that nurses do to self-destruct as a profession and on a personal level. *“We don’t stick together; are attuned to everyone’s needs but our own; try to raise our self esteem in all the wrong ways; see so much dysfunctional behavior, we accept it as normal...and many more actions will be discussed.* Awareness will be heightened and senses sharpened as to the power nurses can hold as a profession.

NOTE: Luncheon fees are in addition to general convention registration. Advance registration is required. Contact Hours will be awarded. See Registration Form for details.

NEW JERSEY LEAGUE FOR NURSING SCHOLARSHIP RAFFLE

NJLN will hold the traditional Nursing Scholarship raffle in the Exhibition Hall during the Convention. All attendees are encouraged to support this event. Monies raised through this initiative are used for nursing scholarships. All prizes are donated! If you are interested in supporting this event through the donation of a prize or financial sponsorship, please contact Gail Hammond at the NJLN office at 908-789-3398 or email at: NJLNurse@aol.com. Your support is greatly appreciated!

STUDENT TRACK PROGRAMS

**NJLN Welcomes Nursing Students
To The 2012 Convention**

We have designed 4 program topics exclusively to meet the needs of nursing students.

“Trends In Nursing Malpractice”
“Using Documentation To Protect Your License”
**“Navigating Through The Nursing Job Market
In A Difficult Economy”**
“NCLEX Test Tips”



“SYLVIA C. EDGE ENDOWMENT CAMPAIGN”

The Sylvia C. Edge Endowment Board would like to invite you to celebrate their 6th Anniversary in “Remembering Sylvia” at the New Jersey League for Nursing Convention on Thursday, March 29, 2011 at 5:30 p.m.

The endowment was established in 2006 to strengthen endeavors that promote the career advancement for nurses of African descent as well as answering the call in response to the disturbing national and local trends in health outcomes within the African American population.

The goals of the endowment are to provide scholarships that foster academic advancement, leadership skills, and/or continuing education; raise and maintain capital of at least \$100,000; serve as a resource for the nursing profession; and support mentorship programs.

Over the past few years, the endowment has been able to move toward its goal thanks to the commitment of its supporters. Thus far, the endowment has raised over \$70,000. Join us at our reception during the New Jersey League for Nursing Convention to help us reach our goal. All are invited to attend. Contributions begin at \$50.