



# 2018 Perioperative Nursing Conference

*Perioperative Care: The New Paradigm;  
Building Success*

**Saturday, April 21, 2018 | 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.**

The Westin Richmond Hotel  
6631 West Broad Street  
Richmond, VA 23230  
(800) 937-8461

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& Perioperative Surgical Services Department*



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## Information

### Overview

Our **Eighth Annual Perioperative Nursing Conference** will serve to increase the health care professional's knowledge and commitment to safety and the delivery of quality care. Comprehensive information and discussions will focus on the perioperative process, beginning with the pre-anesthesia evaluation to discharge. The conference will highlight hot topics within perioperative care and provide attendees with new information and updates to current practice.

### Purpose Statement

By the end of this conference, attendees should learn best practice techniques for the collaborative, evidence-based patient care, to utilize across the perioperative continuum.

### Learning Outcome

By the end of the conference, participants will have learned techniques for best practices and evidence-based practice care across the perioperative continuum.

### Handouts

Participants will receive an email prior to the event with instructions to access the conference materials.

### Continuing Education

**Nursing:** Up to 6.25 Contact Hours will be provided for full attendance at this conference, including interaction with poster presenters.

VCU Health is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Virginia Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

### Registration Information

The registration fee includes speaker handouts, continuing education credit, continental breakfast, break refreshments, and luncheon. Minimum and maximum numbers for attendance at this conference have been established, and we reserve the right to substitute speakers/topics, or cancel if necessary. Register early.

### Cancellation Policy

Full refund, minus \$15 processing fee for written cancellations postmarked by **Friday, April 6, 2018**. No refunds will be given for cancellations postmarked after this date.

### Parking

You can park at the Westin Hotel's parking lot free of charge. Further information will be included with your confirmation letter email.

### Accommodations

Arrangements have been made with the Westin Hotel to block overnight rooms for the Perioperative Nursing Conference. Participants can make their reservations by calling (888) 627-7786 and reference the "**2018 Perioperative Nursing Conference**" block to receive the discounted rate of \$189/night for a Standard King room. Deadline for receiving the guest room block is **Friday, March 23, 2018**. This rate may not be available after this date.

### Americans with Disabilities Act

VCU Health System is an equal opportunity/affirmative action institution and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, national origin, disability, genetic information, military status, or any other characteristic protected by applicable federal or state law. If special accommodation is needed, please contact us at (804) 828-0418. Every attempt will be made to facilitate your participation in this conference.

### Got Questions?

**Email:** paul.swadley@vcuhealth.org

**Phone:** 804.828.0418



# Agenda & Speakers

<b>8:00 am</b>	<b>Welcome and Opening Remarks</b> Susan Torti, RN, BSN, MBA Vice President, Perioperative Surgical Services, VCU Health	<b>12:15 pm</b>	<b>Luncheon and Networking</b>
<b>8:15 am</b>	<b>State of Healthcare in Virginia Today</b> Kevin Shimp, DNP, RN, CCRN-K	<b>1:15 pm</b>	<b>Panel Discussion</b> <b>VAD: It's Not Just a Cardiac Patient Anymore</b> Daniel Tang, MD Keyur Shah, MD Mark Nelson, MD Kathryn Abernathy, MS, RN William Easton, Jr.
<b>9:15 am</b>	<b>Break with Exhibitors</b>	<b>2:30 pm</b>	<b>Break with Exhibitors</b>
<b>9:45 am</b>	<b>ERAS is Key to Delivering Optimal Perioperative Care</b> Michael Scott, MD	<b>3:00 pm</b>	<b>Team Collaboration &amp; Incivility</b> Phyllis Quinlan, PhD, RN
<b>11:00 am</b>	<b>Leap into Your New Paradigm: Exploring Better Ways with Research and Evidence-Based Practice</b> Kimberly Clark, PhD RN	<b>4:30 pm</b>	<b>Closing Remarks</b>

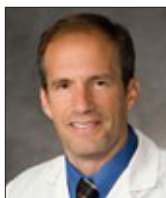
## Guest Faculty



**Kathryn Abernathy, MS, RN, ACCNS-AG, CHFN**  
VAD Coordinator, VCU Health



**Kimberly Clark, PhD, RN, NEA-BC**  
Senior Director of Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice, Carilion Clinic; Adjunct Professor of Health Sciences, Virginia Tech; Adjunct Professor, Virginia Tech Carilion Research Institute; Adjunct Professor, Jefferson College of Health Sciences



**Mark Nelson, MD, MEd**  
Assistant Professor; Chief, Cardiothoracic Anesthesiology; Program Director, Cardiothoracic Anesthesiology Fellowship; Director of Perioperative Echocardiography, VCU Health



**Phyllis Quinlan, PhD, RN-BC**  
Speaker, Legal Consultant, Coach, Founder and President, MFW Consultants To Professionals



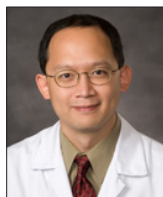
**Michael Scott, MB, ChB**  
Professor and Division Director, Critical Care Anesthesiology, VCU Health



**Keyur Shah, MD**  
Associate Professor, Division of Cardiology, Department of Internal Medicine, VCU Health



**Kevin Shimp, DNP, RN, CCRN-K**  
Vice President, Virginia Nursing Association; Nursing Director, VCU Health



**Daniel Tang, MD**  
Assistant Professor, VCU School of Medicine; Director of Heart Transplantation, Heart-Lung Transplantation and Mechanical Circulatory Support, VCU Health

# Registration Form

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**Registration Deadline: Friday, April 6, 2018**

## Registrant Name(s)

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### Name 1 and Credentials

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Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Employer (Unit Name for VCU Health Employees)

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### Name 2 and Credentials

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Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Employer (Unit Name for VCU Health Employees)

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### Name 3 and Credentials

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Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Employer (Unit Name for VCU Health Employees)

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### Name 4 and Credentials

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Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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Employer (Unit Name for VCU Health Employees)

## Registration & Fee Payment Options:

- VCU Health Team Members **\$125**
- Non-VCU Colleagues **\$135**

Total: \_\_\_\_\_

## Option 1 - Online Registration



- (a) Click on: <https://tinyurl.com/PeriopConf2018>
- (b) Set-up online User ID and password (non-VCU)

## Option 2 - Mail-in Registration and Check Payment

- Personal Check
- Employer Check

*Make check payable to:* UHS-PEP  
UHS-PEP  
Box 980048  
Richmond, VA 23298-0048

## Option 3 - Call in Credit Card Payment



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