A Regional Partnership to Develop a San Diego Regional Chapter of ANIA Nursing Conference

Purpose

The purpose of this scholarly project was to create a mutually beneficial collaboration between the San Diego Regional Chapter of ANIA and California State University San Marcos School of Nursing to conduct a professional informatics conference. This collaboration focused on nursing student interns working with Chapter board members to plan & host the conference.

ANIA Chapter Outcomes

• Provide CEs for attendees
• Increase chapter interest & membership
• Provide internal leadership experience
• Establish a conference organizational template for future conferences
• National speakers & professionals
• Present grant project results at ANIA National Conference

Student Intern Outcomes

• Collaborate on conference planning
• Communicate with speakers
• Create flyer, program, evaluation templates & evaluation analysis
• Acquire knowledge on nursing informatics
• Intern leadership experience
• Increase student interest in nursing informatics

Grant Goals

• Funds through CSUSM Community Engagement Grant $5,000:
• Two nursing student interns
• 15 student conference scholarships
• CA BRN Continuing Education Provider License (CEP)
• National speaker travel costs
• One intern attend the 2018 ANIA National Conference in Orlando

Project Benefits

• Successful Conference February 2018
• Generate operational funding for new ANIA chapter to assist in hosting a conference
• Disseminate new knowledge in nursing informatics
• Foster progression towards quality healthcare outcomes
• Provide community engagement opportunities for nurses, faculty & students

References

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