The conference planning committee is pleased to announce the “Call for Oral Abstracts” for the 3rd Annual Nurse Mentoring Institute (NMI) Conference. We invite you to submit an abstract for an oral presentation addressing successes and/or challenges related to mentoring in nursing. Priority selection will be given to presentations that describe mentoring programs and/or initiatives that fall into one of the following 4 tracks:

- **Track A: Mentoring Practices**
  - This track is presented by graduates and facilitators of The Mentoring Difference 2-day Mentoring Immersion to describe exemplars and innovations in the practice setting that demonstrate mentoring practices and their benefits in the nursing practice setting.

- **Track B: Student and Novice Nurse Mentoring**
  - This track is presented by NMI faculty and submitted abstract faculty to describe topics in mentoring that are focused on student and novice nurses.

- **Track C: Experience Nurse, Nurse Faculty, and Advanced Practice Nurse Mentoring**
  - This track is presented by NMI faculty and submitted abstract faculty to describe topics in mentoring that are focused on mentoring experienced nurses beyond the first year in a variety of roles.

- **Track D: Career Builders**
  - This track is presented by NMI Faculty and invited speakers to describe topics that assist nurses in developing their careers through their career span from student nurse to seasoned nursing professional. This track is designed to address career building skills such as job interviewing, resume writing, poise development, attracting a mentor, going back to school, and much more.

*Oral presentations should be 60 minutes with 50 minutes for presentation and 10 minutes for Q & A.

**Oral Abstract Submission Requirements:**
1. Abstracts must be typed, single-spaced, in narrative form, not to exceed 1 page (12 point font).
2. Title of the abstract should appear at the top in bold.
3. List primary presenter first, then additional presenters with credentials below the title.
4. Please list 1 or 2 objectives.
   
   Items #1-4 should be submitted to Lindsay@nursebuilders.net for review and selection.
5. After acceptance, the primary author will be responsible for submitting: (1.) educational activity form and (2.) completed biographical data forms and conflict of interest disclosure forms for all presenters. These forms will be sent to primary authors for completion along with the acceptance letters.

- Submissions must be received by **March 31, 2015**
- Presentations will be selected via peer reviewed blinded process and notification of decisions will be received on or before **April 14, 2015**
- Commitment for presentation and paperwork is due by **May 4, 2015**

Abstracts must be submitted via email to: Lindsay Jaggars, NMI Conference Registrar
Email: Lindsay@nursebuilders.net  Phone: 215-439-0118  Fax: 215-701-5936

Any content questions or concerns may be directed to: Louise Jakubik, PhD, RN-BC, NMI Conference Chair
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**Note:** All presenters are required to register for the conference. The primary presenter only will receive a $50 discount off of registration.