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## A Message from the Fiscal Year 2022 Chair

Hello CRNAs, SRNAs, and AANA Foundation Supporters,

Thank you to all who have generously shared their time, expertise, and financial resources to support the important work of the Foundation in FY22! Thanks to your support, 2022 has been a remarkable year for the Foundation. We have prepared this 2022 Annual Report and Recognition booklet to share some of our accomplishments this year, recognize the generosity of our donors and volunteers, and highlight the programs and scholarships offered and the research funded by the Foundation on behalf of the nurse anesthesia profession.

The programs offered or supported by the AANA Foundation are only possible because of the unwavering generosity of thousands of donors each year. This financial support is essential to the work of the Foundation and is a direct investment in the future of the nurse anesthesia profession.

In addition to Foundation donors, we have a tremendous group of volunteers who are the embodiment of our mission. They collectively give countless hours of their free time reviewing research proposals and abstracts; reviewing grant, scholarship, or other program applications, speaking to others on behalf of the Foundation, raising funds, and connecting with CRNAs to tell the Foundation's story. Without our donors and volunteers, none of the accomplishments shared in this booklet would be possible. Thank you all for your continued support!

While focusing on the current programs and offerings of the Foundation, this year our Board of Trustees has also dedicated a significant amount of time planning for the future of the AANA Foundation. This includes redeveloping our strategic plan, creating new programs, and realigning existing programs to better serve you and the nurse anesthesia profession. I want to personally thank the Foundation's Board of Trustees and Staff for all their hard work and their continued dedication to the mission of the Foundation. I'm so proud of the work they've done and so excited for the brilliant future of the Foundation and our profession.

This brilliant future is counting on each of us to do our part! I'd like to invite every CRNA and SRNA to join me and support the AANA Foundation. You can do this by continuing your generous commitments to the AANA Foundation, or by taking this opportunity to join our valued and dedicated group of Foundation supporters. Can we count you in?

Think of everything we could do if we all invest even a small portion of our time, talent, and treasure in protecting and advancing the nurse anesthesia profession. Together, there's no limit to what we can accomplish!

With my sincere gratitude and appreciation,

Stephen Finder, DNP, CRNA  
AANA Foundation, Chair

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# AANA FOUNDATION

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF NURSE ANESTHETISTS (AANA) FOUNDATION

The AANA Foundation was established in 1981 as a charitable organization to support the AANA membership. The AANA is the professional association representing more than 59,000 Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists (CRNAs) and Student Registered Nurse Anesthetists (SRNAs) nationwide.

### MISSION

To advance the science of anesthesia through education and research. As the philanthropic arm of the AANA, the Foundation raises funds and invests in projects that directly support the nurse anesthesia profession.

### VISION

To serve as the leading resource for assuring safe anesthesia care through education and research.

### CORE VALUES

KNOWLEDGE - INTEGRITY - EXCELLENCE - SCIENTIFIC INQUIRY - STEWARDSHIP - DIVERSITY - EQUITY - INCLUSION

### DEI VALUES

The AANA Foundation is an organization focused on research and education. As such, the AANA Foundation values the importance of diversity, equity, and inclusion in all aspects of our work while excluding and rejecting bias. Addressing bias and inequities for CRNAs, SRNAs, and our patients is critical for improved health and wellness for all.

### DEI VISION

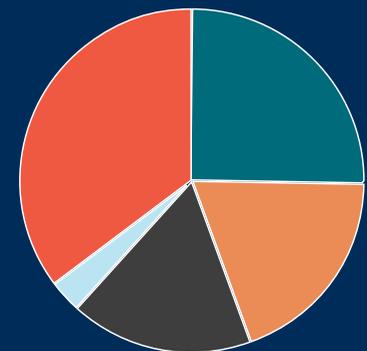
The AANA Foundation envisions a continuous integration of diversity, equity and inclusion throughout its nurse anesthesia education and research programs. The Foundation will create opportunity for all through scholarships, leadership, research, professional development, and philanthropic efforts with the intention to expand knowledge and understanding of diversity, equity, and inclusion within the nurse anesthesia community.

## FOUNDATION SUCCESSES

The Foundation provides financial support to CRNAs and SRNAs through a variety of programs. Over the course of its history, the Foundation has awarded more than \$5 million to more than 4,400 individuals as detailed below.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>206 research grants to CRNAs totaling \$1,157,385</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>72 student research grants totaling more than \$92,936</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1,418 scholarships totaling \$2,578,750 to support nurse anesthesia</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2,550 poster presentations at AANA Annual Congress totaling \$176,750</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>190 fellowships totaling more than \$1,327,000 to assist CRNAs and SRNAs pursuing their PhD and DNP degrees, and post-doctoral work</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In addition, since 2017, over \$1.7 million has been allocated to 12 Health Policy Research Studies for total funding of more than \$7 million</li> </ul>

## FOUNDATION TOTAL PROGRAM FUNDING



- 37% SCHOLARSHIPS
- 25% HEALTH POLICY RESEARCH
- 19% FELLOWSHIPS
- 17% GRANTS
- 2% POSTERS

## OVERVIEW OF THE YEAR'S SUCCESSES

AANA Foundation supports critically important nurse anesthesia education and research programs and opportunities for CRNAs and SRNAs nationwide. Thank you to all who have supported the Foundation with their time, treasure, and talent!

The AANA Foundation raises the funds needed to focus on initiatives that meet its research and education mission, ensure efficiency, and provide the nurse anesthesia community with the necessary resources for furthering the profession. Due to the generosity of Foundation donors, the following are major strategic goals accomplished this fiscal year.

## FISCAL YEAR 2022 ANNUAL FUND ACHIEVEMENTS

### In FY22, more than \$317,550 was awarded to the following program recipients:

- 80 scholarships totaling \$225,000 to support nurse anesthesia
- 3 research grants totaling \$85,560
- 5 student research grants totaling \$8,082
- 1 educational grant totaling \$3,240
- 99 poster presentations at AANA Annual Congress totaling \$3,750

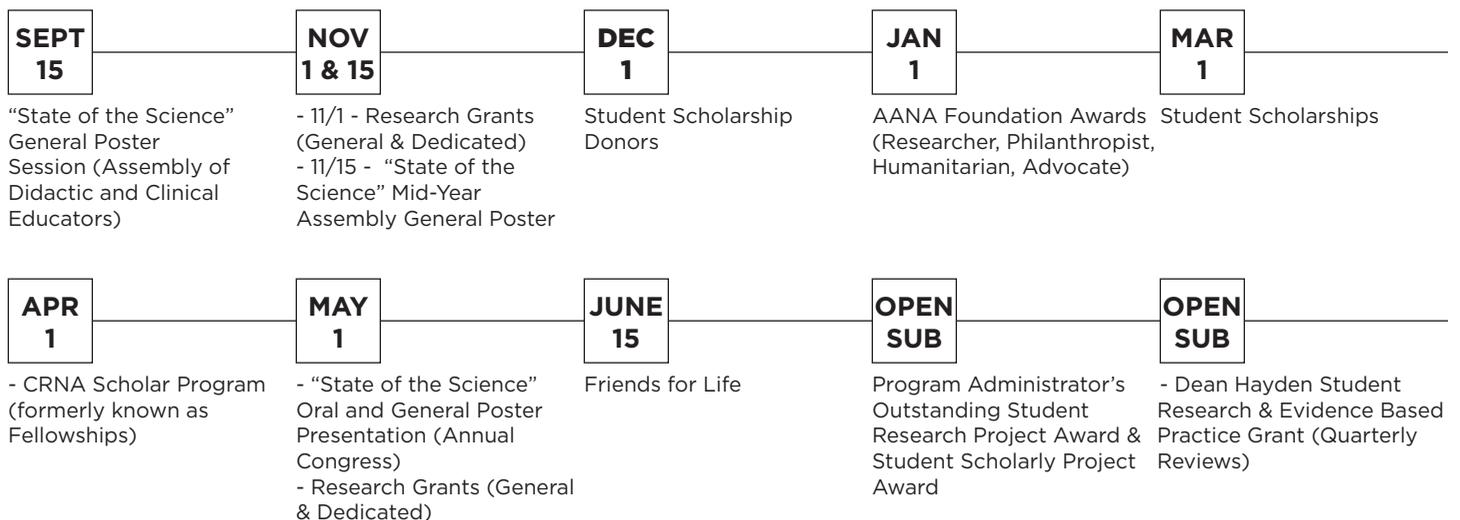
### Additional FY22 Accomplishments include:

- 8 Student Emergency Educational Scholarships (SEES) totaling \$11,000
- Nationwide representation by 46 State Advocates and 76 Student Advocates

- Honored the following CRNAs for their efforts in the areas of research, philanthropy, advocacy and volunteerism:

E. Jane McCarthy  
Jackie Rowles  
Sonya Moore  
Brad Shelby

## FISCAL YEAR 2023 APPLICATION DEADLINES





The **Proof Is Power Annual Fund** supports our Annual Fund Achievements (see page 5). Proof is Power programs create opportunities for CRNAs and SRNAs nationwide through Fellowships, Grants, Leadership Opportunities, Scholarships, Posters and more. These programs are the result of hard work, bright minds, and the generosity of donors and volunteers who believe in the power of education and research. Your support is essential. Visit [crnasproofispower.com](https://crnasproofispower.com) to learn more or make a donation.



The AANA Foundation's **RISE Above Campaign** was created to raise donations to fund costly, large-scale Health Policy Research that proves that CRNAs are safe and effective. Several important developments have taken place in Fiscal Year 2022:

## HEALTH POLICY RESEARCH (HPR)

The campaign to RISE Above for Research In Safety & Effectiveness continues to support critical, large-scale HPR studies to expand the body of research that confirms that nurse anesthetists are cost effective and safe.

Thanks to the continued generosity of State Associations and CRNAs, new donations continue to support important health services and policy research. Since the campaign's inception, nearly \$1.5 million has been donated.

Thank you to all Fiscal Year 2022 RISE Above donors whose names are included in the Annual Donors listing.

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**The second workforce publication to come out of the Fiscal Year 2019 Future of the Anesthesia Workforce project was published. The study, "Anesthesia Services: A Workforce Model and Projections of Demand and Supply" was published in the November/December 2021 issue of Nursing Economic\$. Results from the workforce project were also presented in poster form at ADCE and also as an oral presentation at Annual Congress.**

**A marketing survey was conducted to assess the perceptions of anesthesia across various segments of the American population including racial and ethnic groups, age, gender, and parent status.**

**The analysis found elevated levels of anesthesia-related fear and anxiety experienced by Black and Hispanic populations and also parents. Parents undergoing anesthesia have greater fear and anxiety relative to non-parents and also feel anxious their child will be having anesthesia. Communication between patient and anesthesia provider helps to alleviate these fears. Results of the study were presented in poster form at both AANA Mid-Year Assembly and Annual Congress and also at the World Congress of Nurse Anesthetists in Croatia.**

# RESEARCH INITIATIVES

## STATE OF THE SCIENCE ORAL POSTERS

FOR 17 CONSECUTIVE YEARS THE AANA FOUNDATION HAS FUNDED MEMBERS TO PRESENT AT THE "STATE OF THE SCIENCE" ORAL POSTER SESSION DURING THE AANA ANNUAL CONGRESS. FIFTEEN SELECTED PRESENTERS WERE AWARDED \$250 EACH TO PRESENT AT THE HYBRID POSTER SESSION. A COMPLETE LIST OF NEARLY 100 POSTER PRESENTERS CAN BE FOUND AT WWW.AANAFUNDATION.COM.

### Research Title: A Novel Device for Training and Evaluating Ultrasound Guided Procedures in Anesthesia

Presenter: Shayne D. Hauglum, PhD, CRNA, APRN  
Co-Authors: Karina Gattamorta, PhD; Purnima Rajan, PhD; Hossbach, Martin, PhD; Foroughi, Pezhman, PhD; Demir, A, PhD; Schlichter, C.  
Primary Affiliation: University of Miami School of Nursing and Health Studies

### Research Title: Anesthesia-Specific Quick Reference Guide for Patients with Left Ventricular Assist Device Undergoing Noncardiac Procedures to Improve CRNA Confidence when Providing Anesthesia

Presenter: Heather Lawrence, BSN, RN  
Co-Authors: Julian Naranjo, DO; Jeffrey Oberhansley, DNAP, CRNA  
Primary Affiliation: Mayo Clinic School of Health Sciences

### Research Title: Comparison of Onset of Epinephrine Between Intravenous and Tibial Intraosseous Administration in a Pediatric Porcine Model

Presenter: Trevor Hanson, MSN, CCRN  
Co-Authors: Bryan Ainsworth, BSN, CCRN; Patrick Houston, CPT, BSN, CCRN, CEN; Tenesha Middleton, CPT, BSN, CCRN; Ashley Morris, CPT, BSN, CCRN, CMSRN; James Park, ILT, BSN, CCRN; John Yauger, COL, PhD, MSN, CRNA; Joseph O'Sullivan, LTC(Ret), PhD, CRNA; Tomás Eduardo Ceremuga, PhD, MSN, CRNA; Dawn Blouin, BS; Julie G. Hensler, PhD; Don Johnson, PhD, RN  
Primary Affiliation: US Army Graduate Program in Anesthesia Nursing

### Research Title: Development of a Pediatric Pain Protocol for Musculoskeletal Injuries in the Emergency Department

Presenter: MAJ Melissa McKinney, BSN, RN, ANC, USA  
Co-Authors: ILT LeeAnn Sperling, BSN, RN, ANC, USA; MAJ Peter Shellabarger, DNAP, CRNA, ANC, USA  
Primary Affiliation: United States Army Graduate Program in Anesthesia Nursing

### Research Title: Efficacy of Erector Spinae Plane Block for Postoperative Analgesia in Patients Undergoing Lumbar Spine Surgery

Presenter: James Komar, BSN, RN  
Co-Authors: Christian Cansino, DNP, CRNA, FNP, ACNP  
Primary Affiliation: Columbia University School of Nursing

### Research Title: Electronic Cigarettes and Their Implications on Anesthesia Management

Presenter: Tayler Wilson, BSN, RN  
Co-Authors: Robyn Ward, DNP, CRNA  
Primary Affiliation: TCU School of Nurse Anesthesia

### Research Title: Endotracheal Administration of Epinephrine in a Pediatric Cardiac Arrest Swine Model

Presenter: Joseph O'Sullivan PhD  
Co-Authors: Arthur Johnson, PhD; Melissa Genczo, MSN; Anna Grauel, BSN; Maggie Keating, BSN; Alana Rogers, BSN; Dawn Blouin, BS; Julie G. Hensler, PhD  
Primary Affiliation: US Army Graduate Program in Anesthesia Nursing

### Research Title: Epigenome-wide association study reveals Methylation Pathways Associated with Racial Disparities in Chronic Low Back Pain

Presenter: Edwin N. Aroke, PhD, CRNA, FAAN  
Primary Affiliation: The University of Alabama at Birmingham

### Research Title: Improving Interdisciplinary Communication & Anesthesia skills in Cardiopulmonary Bypass (CPB) Cases

Presenter: Danielle Daoud, BSN, RN  
Co-Authors: Ashley Blythe, BSN, RN; Michael Kremer, PhD, CRNA; Maiko Yamashita, DNP, CRNA  
Primary Affiliation: Rush University College of Nursing

### Research Title: Length of Stay and Readmission Outcomes Among Patients Undergoing Total Knee Arthroplasty

Presenter: Maya Kelkar, BSN, RN  
Co-Authors: Karly Clark, BSN, RN; Laura Waters, BSN, RN; Kenn Daratha, PhD  
Primary Affiliation: Providence Sacred Heart Medical Center

### Research Title: Outcomes of Leadership Training for Nurse Anesthetists and other Advanced Practice Providers

Presenter: Danielle Meholic, DNAP, CRNA  
Co-Authors: Amy Haller, MBA, MPAS, PA-C; David Beck EdD, MPAS, PA-C, DFAAPA; Alexandra Bartow, MBA, MSN, ACNP-BC, CSSGB; Rachel Poerschke, MSN, CNM; Scott Massey, PhD, PA-C; Emily Murphy, EdD, MPAS, PA-C, DFAAPA; Deborah Farkas, PhD  
Primary Affiliation: University of Pittsburgh Medical Center

### Research Title: Patch-22: The Sphenopalatine Ganglion Block a Safe Alternative to Epidural Blood Patches in Post-Dural Puncture Headaches

Presenter: Jordan Waldman, BSN, RN  
Co-Authors: Maribeth Massie, PhD, MS, CRNA  
Primary Affiliation: Columbia University School of Nursing

### Research Title: Propofol-ketamine versus propofol-remifentanyl in office-based facial plastic surgery: Comparison of postoperative pain

Presenter: Desiree Laubert, BSN, RN  
Co-Authors: Austin Black, BSN, RN; Caleb Cockrum, BSN, RN; Vicki Callan, PhD, CRNA, CHSE  
Primary Affiliation: Webster University

### Research Title: Utilization of a Nurse Anesthesia Teaching Application to Improve Clinical Instructor Confidence and the Quality of Student Training

Presenter: Andrea Merkel, DNP, CRNA  
Co-Authors: Meghan McDonald, DNP, CRNA; Rachel Smith-Steinert, DNP, CRNA  
Primary Affiliation: University of Cincinnati Nurse Anesthesia Program

### Research Title: Wellness and Suicide Prevalence and Prevention for SRNAs

Presenter: Charles A. Griffis, PhD, CRNA  
Co-Authors: Maria Van Pelt, PhD, CRNA; Elizabeth Bamgbose, PhD, CRNA; Holli DeVon, PhD, RN  
Primary Affiliation: USC Program of Nurse Anesthesiology

## RESEARCH GRANTS

In FY22, the AANA Foundation Board of Trustees awarded three research grants totaling \$85,560.

### Title: Comparison of IV Ketamine versus IV Ketamine with Adjunctive Glutathione Therapy in Major Depressive Disorder

Principal Investigator: Ladan Eshkevari, PhD, CRNA

Funding: \$21,738

Affiliation: Georgetown University

### Title: Development of glutamate transporter modulators as a novel, non-opioid treatment for chronic pain

Principal Investigator: Rhea Temmermand, MSN, CRNA

Funding: \$25,000

Affiliation: Drexel University

### Title: Early Identification of Perioperative Acute Kidney Injury in Major Non-cardiac Surgery Using Novel Renal Biomarkers

Principal Investigator: Angela Ciuca, DNAP, CRNA

Funding: \$38,822

Affiliation: East Carolina University

## EDUCATIONAL GRANTS

In FY22, the AANA Foundation Board of Trustees awarded one educational grant totaling \$3,240.

### Title: Create Enduring Materials and Provide NAPs with Faculty Development and Curricular Resources in Partnership with the AANA Foundation

Principal Investigator: Courtney Brown, PhD, CRNA, CHSE

Fund: \$3,240

Affiliation: Wake Forest School of Medicine

## STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

**THE AANA FOUNDATION RECEIVED 2,456 COMPETITIVE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS THIS YEAR, AND 80 SCHOLARSHIPS WERE AWARDED TOTALING \$225,000. THE AWARDS INCLUDE:**

### AANA Diamond Club Scholarship—One \$3,000 Scholarship

Sponsor: AANA Diamond Club (in memory of AANA Past President, Patrick Downey)

Recipient(s): Sean Williamson, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA

### AANA Diversity Scholarships—Three \$3,000 Scholarships

Sponsor: AANA

Recipient(s): Cesar Rivera, University of Southern California, CA; Gabriella Jude, The University of Iowa College of Nursing Anesthesia Nursing Program, IA; April Garlejo, The University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Nursing Post-BSN to DNP Pathway for Nurse Anesthesia, AL

### AANA Foundation Scholarships—Ten \$3,000 Scholarships

Sponsor: AANA Foundation

Recipient(s): Caleisa Thomas, The University of Tulsa Nurse Anesthesia Program, OK; Jamie Smith, The University of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Option, TN; Zachary Lyons, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA; Ethan Simmons, Samford University Department of Nurse Anesthesia Moffett and Sanders School of Nursing, AL; Standria Moss, The University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Nursing Post-BSN to DNP Pathway for Nurse Anesthesia, AL; Temima Luchansky, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing DNP Nurse Anesthesia Program, MD; Claire Lapaan, Quinnipiac University Nurse Anesthesia Program, CT; Catherine McQuade, Columbia University School of Nursing Program in Nurse Anesthesia, NY; Katherine Mette, Goldfarb School of Nursing at Barnes-Jewish College Nurse Anesthesia Program, MO; Teran Walford, Bryan College of Health Sciences School of Nurse Anesthesia, NE

### ALANA Scholarships—Two \$3,000 Scholarships

Sponsor: Alabama Association of Nurse Anesthetists

Recipient(s): Carson Hagood, The University of Alabama at Birmingham School of Nursing Post-BSN to DNP Pathway for Nurse Anesthesia, AL; Jamie Gary, Samford University Department of Nurse Anesthesia Moffett and Sanders School of Nursing, AL

### Art Zwerling Memorial Scholarship—\$2,500

Sponsor: Pennsylvania Association of Nurse Anesthetists (in memory of Art Zwerling, CRNA)

Recipient(s): Atalya Sunseri, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA

### Barry Anthony Cranfill Memorial Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Sentry Anesthesia Mgt. (in memory of Barry A. Cranfill, CRNA)

Recipient(s): Carol Ann Schmidt, Medical University of South Carolina Anesthesia for Nurses Program, SC

### CRNA Financial Success Scholarship—\$1,500

Sponsor: CRNA Financial Planning\*

Recipient(s): Morgan Barnes, UNC Greensboro, School of Nursing, Doctor of Nursing Practice, Nurse Anesthesia Concentration, NC

### Cynthia McNerney Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Estate of Cynthia McNerney

Recipient(s): Lindsay Boyer, Wake Forest Baptist Health /Wake Forest School of Medicine Nurse Anesthesia Program, NC

### Dean M. Cox Memorial Scholarships—Four \$3,000 Scholarships

Sponsor: David R. Javaheri, in memory of Dean M. Cox, CRNA

Recipient(s): Tita Pale Ndognjem, Excelsa Health School of Anesthesia, PA; Lauren Reinhart, Boston College William F. Connell School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, MA; Zachary Dyer, Northeastern University Bouve College of Health Sciences School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, MA; Ion Melinte, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA

## STUDENT RESEARCH GRANTS

Five student research grants were awarded this year for a total of \$8,082.

### Dean and Fred Hayden Student Research Grant—\$2,500

Sponsor: Estate of Dean and Fred Hayden

Recipient: William M. Libetario Jr., BSN, RN, SRNA; Ashley Zerener, BSN, RN, SRNA

Affiliation: Georgetown University Nurse Anesthesia Program

### Dean and Fred Hayden Student Research Grant—\$600

Sponsor: Estate of Dean and Fred Hayden

Recipient: Mackenzie Schutt BSN, RN, CCRN, SRNA; Kaylie LaJeunesse BSN, RN, CCRN, SRNA

Affiliation: Southern Illinois University Edwardsville Nurse Anesthesia Program

### Dean and Fred Hayden Student Research Grant—\$1,700

Sponsor: Estate of Dean and Fred Hayden

Recipient: Megan Tiffany, BSN, RN; Chris Soto BSN, RN

Affiliation: Georgetown University Nurse Anesthesia Program

### Dean and Fred Hayden Student Research Grant—\$2,150

Sponsor: Estate of Dean and Fred Hayden

Recipient: Samantha Tylka, BSN, RN, SRNA; Amber Neil, MSN, RN, SRNA; Jennifer Greenwood, CRNA, PhD

Affiliation: Rosalind Franklin University, Department of Nurse Anesthesia

### Dean and Fred Hayden Student Research Grant—\$1,132

Sponsor: Estate of Dean and Fred Hayden

Recipient: Marianne George BSN, RN, SRNA; Paige Rudolph BSN, RN, CCRN, SRNA; Jenna Zaldonis BSN, RN, CCRN, SRNA

Affiliation: Thomas Jefferson University

### Dean and Fred Hayden Memorial National Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Estate of Dean and Fred Hayden

Recipient(s): Kristen Miskinis, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA

### Diana U. Davidson Memorial Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Pennsylvania Association of Nurse Anesthetists

Recipient(s): Salina Torgerson, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA

### Dr. Maureen Reilly, PhD, CRNA Memorial Scholarship—\$1,500

Sponsor: Association of Veteran's Affairs Nurse Anesthetists

Recipient(s): So Yeon Kang, University of Minnesota School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Area of Study, MN

### Dr. Sandra K. Tunajek Scholarship for Nurse Anesthesia Education—\$3,000

Sponsor: Kentucky Association of Nurse Anesthetists

Recipient(s): A Fantroy, Baptist Health Murray State University Program of Anesthesia, KY

### Edward Hyland, CRNA Scholarship—\$2,000

Sponsor: Delaware Association of Nurse Anesthetists

Recipient(s): Sybil Cutrone, Drexel University Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA

### Elizabeth Burt Jeter Memorial Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Leslie Jeter

Recipient(s): Jenna Carraway, Augusta University Nursing Anesthesia Program, GA

### Florida Association of Nurse Anesthetists Student Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Florida Association of Nurse Anesthetists (in honor of all Florida's Nurse Anesthetists)

Recipient(s): Cassandra Le, University of South Florida College of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, FL

### Frank T. Maziarski, MS, CRNA Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Frank T. Maziarski, MS, CRNA

Recipient(s): Dagmara Barney, Providence Sacred Heart Medical Center Gonzaga University Nurse Anesthesia Program, WA

### GANA Scholarship—\$1,000

Sponsor: Georgia Association of Nurse Anesthetists

Recipient(s): Sydney Suss, Emory University, GA

### George DeVane Memorial Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Kansas Association of Nurse Anesthetists

Recipient(s): Mackenzie Brubaker, Newman University, KS

### George William Jeter Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Leslie Jeter, DNP, MSNA, CRNA

Recipient(s): Brittany Baxter, Augusta University Nursing Anesthesia Program, GA

### Hazel P. Currier Memorial Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Estate of Hazel Currier

Recipient(s): Courtney Augspurger, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA

### Jack Neary Memorial Scholarship—\$3,000

Sponsor: Vermont Association of Nurse Anesthetists

Recipient(s): Sean Fricke, Duke University Nurse Anesthesia Program, NC

**Jeffrey Molter Advocacy Scholarship—\$3,500**

Sponsor: Jeffrey Molter  
 Recipient(s): Elizabeth Fabrizio, St. Elizabeth Health Center for Nurse Anesthetists Inc., OH

**Jeffrey Molter Leadership Scholarship—\$3,500**

Sponsor: Jeffrey Molter  
 Recipient(s): Abigail Chua, University of Cincinnati, OH

**John F. Garde Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs  
 Recipient(s): Hunter Niemeyer, Goldfarb School of Nursing at Barnes-Jewish College Nurse Anesthesia Program, MO

**Joyce W. Kelly, EdD, CRNA Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Kaiser Permanente School of Anesthesia  
 Recipient(s): Sydney Rohrbaugh, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA

**Kathryn Waud White, Student Leadership Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Minnesota Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Kelsey Gerhart, University of Minnesota School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Area of Study, MN

**Kristine Goryanec Willingham Memorial Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Paul Willingham  
 Recipient(s): Greg Burcz, Excelsa Health School of Anesthesia/Saint Vincent College, PA

**Lakeview Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: James and Margot Hinchliff, CRNA  
 Recipient(s): Nungcool Park, Baylor College of Medicine Doctor of Nursing Practice Program-Nurse Anesthesia, TX

**Larry Lysne Leadership Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Washington Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Jenna Helmus, Providence Sacred Heart Medical Center Gonzaga University Nurse Anesthesia Program, WA

**Maine Association of Nurse Anesthetists Scholarship—\$1,000**

Sponsor: Maine Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Matthew Austin, University of New England School of Nurse Anesthesia, ME

**Maria Roach, CRNA Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Maria Roach, CRNA  
 Recipient(s): Ashley Sandel, Northwestern State University Nurse Anesthesia Program, LA

**Maryland Association of Nurse Anesthetists Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Maryland Association of Nurse Anesthetists, Inc.  
 Recipient(s): Katherine Hopson, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing DNP Nurse Anesthesia Program, MD

**Michael Kelly Smith, CRNA Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Parents and Spouse of Michael Kelly Smith, CRNA  
 Recipient(s): Eric Vander Lee, Mount Marty College Graduate Program in Nurse Anesthesiology, SD

**Michigan Association of Nurse Anesthetists Scholarships—Five at \$3,000**

Sponsor: Michigan Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Rosemary Fleming, Wayne State University Eugene Applebaum College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, MI; Benjamin Brower, Michigan State University Nurse Anesthesia Program, MI; Meaghan Burke, University of Michigan-Flint Nurse Anesthesia Program, MI; Morgan McCardell, University of Detroit Mercy Graduate Program of Nurse Anesthesia, MI; Thomas Hart, Oakland University Beaumont Graduate Program of Nurse Anesthesia, MI

**Minnesota Association of Nurse Anesthetists Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Minnesota Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Elizabeth Palo, Saint Mary's University of Minnesota Graduate Program in Nurse Anesthesiology, MN

**Missouri Association of Nurse Anesthetists Student Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Missouri Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Meghan Woodham, Goldfarb School of Nursing at Barnes-Jewish College Nurse Anesthesia Program, MO

**Nebraska Student Nurse Anesthetists Scholarship—\$1,000**

Sponsor: Nebraska Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Shelby Sullivan, Bryan College of Health Sciences School of Nurse Anesthesia, NE

**New England Assembly of Nurse Anesthetists Scholarship (NEANA)—\$3,000**

Sponsor: New England Assembly of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Nicole McHugh, Boston College William F. Connell School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, MA

**New Mexico Association of Nurse Anesthetists Student Scholarship—\$1,000**

Sponsor: New Mexico Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Brenna Kreglo, Oregon Health & Science University, OR  
 Recipient(s): Madison Davis, Duke University Nurse Anesthesia Program, NC; Lauren Gilmore, Duke University Nurse Anesthesia Program, NC

**NCANA Doctoral LEAD Scholarship (Leadership Education & Development)—Two \$3,000 Scholarships**

Sponsor: North Carolina Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Madison Davis, Duke University Nurse Anesthesia Program, NC; Lauren Gilmore, Duke University Nurse Anesthesia Program, NC

**Nurse Anesthesiology Pride Foundation Scholarship—Four \$3,000 Scholarships**

Sponsor: Nurse Anesthesia Pride Foundation (NAPF, formerly GALA)  
 Recipient(s): Taylor Crittenden, Goldfarb School of Nursing at Barnes-Jewish College Nurse Anesthesia Program, MO; Bronsen Orta, Kaiser Permanente School of Anesthesia California State University Fullerton, CA; Jacob Bonnema, NorthShore University HealthSystem School of Nurse Anesthesia DePaul University, IL; Edgar Escobar, Minneapolis School of Anesthesia, MN

**OSANA Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Ohio State Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Onyinyechi Ezenagu, St. Elizabeth Health Center School for Nurse Anesthetists, Inc., OH

**Palmer Carrier Student Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Estate of Palmer Carrier  
 Recipient(s): Cassie Starrett, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville Nurse Anesthesia Specialization, IL

**Patty Cornwell Stewardship and Advocacy Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Tennessee Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Charles Hoyt, The University of Tennessee Health Science Center College of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Option, TN

**Pennsylvania Association of Nurse Anesthetists Scholarships—Three \$2,500 Scholarships**

Sponsor: Pennsylvania Association of Nurse Anesthetists (in honor of Mary Depaolis Lutzo, CRNA, ARNP; Sister Mary Bernard and the PANA Past Presidents)  
 Recipient(s): Jenna Zaltonis, Thomas Jefferson University Jefferson College of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA; Stefanie Paskal, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA; Marisa Stephens, Drexel University Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA

**Pennsylvania Association of Nurse Anesthetists Dignitary Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Pennsylvania Association of Nurse Anesthetists (In honor of PANA members who passed away this past year, Carol Kuliczkowski and Mary Watts)  
 Recipient(s): Cassie Toribio, University of Pittsburgh School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Program, PA

**Ronald Lenninger Memorial Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Bobbi Lenninger  
 Recipient(s): Mason Spitzner, University of Evansville Nurse Anesthesia Program, IN

**Sandra J. Kilde, EdD, CRNA Scholarship—\$1,000**

Sponsor: Minneapolis School of Anesthesia  
 Recipient(s): Rachel McCabe, Minneapolis School of Anesthesia, MN

**SRNA Mom Scholarship—\$4,000**

Sponsor: CRNA Moms  
 Recipient(s): Rachel Carney, The University of Tulsa Nurse Anesthesia Program, OK

**SRNA Mom Scholarship (Single Parent)—\$4,000**

Sponsor: CRNA Moms  
 Recipient(s): Elena King, Webster University Nurse Anesthesia Program, MO

**Steve Mund Veteran's Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Angie Mund  
 Recipient(s): Jeremy VanLaningham, University of Minnesota School of Nursing Nurse Anesthesia Area of Study, MN

**TANA Education District #4 Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Texas Association of Nurse Anesthetists Education District #4  
 Recipient(s): Sarah Jazzar, Baylor College of Medicine Doctor of Nursing Practice Program-Nurse Anesthesia, TX

**Virginia Association of Nurse Anesthetists Scholarship—\$3,000**

Sponsor: Virginia Association of Nurse Anesthetists  
 Recipient(s): Ryan Caruso, Virginia Commonwealth University Department of Nurse Anesthesia, VA

**PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR'S OUTSTANDING STUDENT AWARDS**

The Program Administrator's Outstanding Student Research Project Award and Scholarly Project Award are given to students who have conducted noteworthy research & evidence based projects. This year, the following students were honored:

Research Title: A Comparative Study on the Durability of Disposable Endotracheal Tubes After Exposure to Commonly Available Disinfecting Compounds  
 Author: CPT Andrew Blair, BSN, SRNA; CPT Brett Hebert, BSN, SRNA; CPT James Roesner, BSN, SRNA Program: US Army Graduate Program in Anesthesia Nursing

Research Title: Creating a CPG for Assembly of a Draw-Over Vaporizer to USAMMDA-Approved Ventilators  
 Author: CPT Abby Mitchell, SRNA; CPT Mark Miranda, SRNA; CPT Reginald Reid, SRNA; CPT Brett Hebert, SRNA Program: US Army Graduate Program in Anesthesia Nursing

# FISCAL YEAR 2022 AWARD RECIPIENTS

## JOHN F. GARDE RESEARCHER OF THE YEAR



### E. Jane McCarthy, PhD, CRNA, FAAN

The John F. Garde Researcher of the Year Award recognizes an individual who has made a significant contribution to the practice of anesthesia through clinical research. The AANA Foundation presents the prestigious 2022 John F. Garde Researcher of the Year Award to **Dr. E. Jane McCarthy**.

Dr. E. Jane McCarthy's remarkable career of public service as a scientist, researcher, educator, as well as a clinician, provides the perfect example of how one person can have an extraordinary impact on an entire profession. After completing her doctorate in Physiology from the Uniformed Services University, followed by a post doctorate National Research Council Fellowship at the Navy Medical Research Institute, Jane served in the US Public Health Service Commissioned Corps as a regulatory scientist for the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) reviewing respiratory and anesthesia medical device applications for FDA approval.

Jane developed the congressionally mandated nurse anesthesia program for the Uniformed Services University, one of the first master's level nurse anesthesia programs, mentoring students in their non-clinical and clinical research. She helped develop the AANA Research in Action program, providing a method for students to have their research peer reviewed. More recently she has been mentoring students in evidence-based practice to apply published research results into clinical anesthesia practice. Presently Jane is a professor at the University of North Florida where she does primarily online education in Healthcare Policy and Evidence-Based Practice for doctoral nursing students. Her service to the profession includes serving on the AANA Board of Directors and as president of the District of Columbia Association of Nurse Anesthetists.

## RITA L. LEBLANC PHILANTHROPIST OF THE YEAR



### Jackie Rowles, DNP, MBA, CRNA, ANP-BC, NSPM-C, FAANA, FAAN

The Rita L. LeBlanc Philanthropist of the Year Award is presented to an individual who has gone beyond the call of duty as a supporter of the AANA Foundation and other philanthropic organizations. The recipient of the 2022 Rita L. LeBlanc Philanthropist of the Year Award is **Jackie Rowles, DNP, MBA, CRNA, ANP-BC, NSPM-C, FAANA, FAAN**.

**NSPM-C, FAANA, FAAN.**

A nationally and internationally known lecturer and leader in nurse anesthesiology with expertise in advanced pain management, Dr. Jackie Rowles is an associate Professor of Professional Practice and Director of the Advanced Pain Management Fellowship at Texas Christian University's School of Nurse Anesthesia. Jackie has served the AANA as a volunteer on national committees, task forces, the Board of Directors, AANA Foundation Board of Trustees and scholarship reviewer, AANA President, and Interim Executive Director, and as the AANA Council of National Representatives to the International Federation of Nurse Anesthetists (IFNA).

Along with international nurse anesthetist leaders from over 40 countries, Jackie is working to increase recognition, respect, and educational quality for global nurse anesthesiology. In response to multiple requests for help from global nurse anesthetists, Jackie founded Our Hearts Your Hands, Inc. in 2016. The goal of this non-profit organization is to provide education and educational resources, to train nurses to become anesthetists, or further nurse anesthetists' academic/continuing education so that they may provide high-quality and safe anesthesia services within their country. With the help of generous CRNA donors, OHYH has been able to grant 14 education scholarships to nurse anesthetists from six African countries.

## JANICE DRAKE CRNA HUMANITARIAN AWARD



### Bradford Allen Shelby, APRN, CRNA

The Janice Drake CRNA Humanitarian Award is presented to a CRNA/CRNAs who volunteer and provide anesthesia, education, and training in areas of need in the United States and overseas. The recipient of the 2022 Janice Drake CRNA Humanitarian Award is **Bradford Allen Shelby, APRN, CRNA**.

Bradford Shelby, of Frankfort, Kentucky, has found great purpose using his knowledge and skills as a CRNA to care for patients in need at home as well as abroad. At the beginning of his anesthesia career, he volunteered for Project Health for Leon, Nicaragua. He traveled with a medical team from Wake Medical Center and Eastern Carolina University to Central America to offer otherwise unavailable cardiac surgeries to patients with life-threatening cardiac conditions.

He looks forward to the possibility of returning to Leon with Project Health for Leon this fall to prepare the operating room and equipment for the restart of the cardiac program that was interrupted by the Covid pandemic.

Now living in Kentucky, Bradford volunteers and serves on the board of directors of Surgery on Sunday in Lexington. Founded by Dr. Andrew Moore, Surgery on Sunday's mission is to provide "medically necessary out-patient surgeries at no cost to income-eligible, uninsured or underinsured individuals who do not qualify for federal or state assistance." Bradford is one of dozens of volunteers who give one Sunday a month to share their clinical and administrative skills to change the lives of many people.

## ADVOCATE OF THE YEAR AWARD



### Sonya Moore, DNP, CRNA, FAANA

The Advocate of the Year Award is presented to an AANA Foundation advocate or supporter for outstanding commitment to the nurse anesthesia profession through individually supporting the AANA Foundation and encouraging others to do the same, or advocating for the profession in a magnanimous way. The 2022 Advocate of the

Year Award is presented to **Sonya Moore, DNP, CRNA, FAANA**.

Dr. Sonya Moore's multifaceted career is rooted in service, leadership, and advocacy for her profession and her community. She is an assistant professor at the Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing, Case Western Reserve University, Director of the Nurse Anesthesia Program, and founding Director of the Leadership Excel and Achievement Program, or LEAP. Sonya is an AANA Fellow, former member of the AANA and Ohio State Association of Nurse Anesthetists Boards of Directors, and Federal Political Director. She influences health policy on a local, state, and national level through lobbying and providing testimony and currently participates in regional and national committees in academia and nurse anesthesiology practice for the AANA and NBCRNA.

Her Ohio-based LEAP program is a transcribable post-baccalaureate certificate program with its first cohort in 2021 for advanced practice nurses specializing in anesthesia. The first of its kind in the nation, LEAP serves nurses from a myriad of cultural backgrounds who were not competitive applicants for entry into an anesthesia program. The program strengthens science and introductory advanced practice knowledge along with the professional and leadership skills of the participant.

# FISCAL YEAR 2022 - A LOOK BACK

## PAINT THE FOUNDATION RUBY RED VIRTUAL EVENT



## ADCE FUNDRAISER - FROSTY FEBRUARY FUN IN COLORADO SPRINGS



## FOUNDATION PROGRAMMING: POSTER SESSIONS - LEADERSHIP - LECTURES





## FRIENDS FOR LIFE

The Friends for Life program helps support the future of the nurse anesthesia profession through meaningful and lasting gifts. Contributions through Friends for Life help fund and sustain programs that further research and education in anesthesia.

The minimum gift commitment to join Friends for Life is \$25,000. Members may fulfill this commitment through a cash gift, but there are many other ways to meet the commitment through planned gifts like bequests as well as beneficiary designations on life insurance and retirement plans. For further information on the Friends for Life program, please contact Nat Carmichael at (847) 655-1175 or by email at [ncarmichael@aana.com](mailto:ncarmichael@aana.com).

**THIS YEAR,  
THE FOUNDATION  
WELCOMED SIX NEW  
FRIENDS FOR LIFE  
2022 INDUCTEES:**

**MICHAEL FIEDLER**

**SARAH GIRON**

**LISA MUELLER**

**SHARON PEARCE**

**HEATHER RANKIN**

**ROBYN WARD**

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### CHARTER MEMBERS

*Carol Abbey*  
*Barbara Adams*  
*Patricia Adams*  
*Marie Bader*  
*Goldie Brangman*  
*James Carter*  
*Ronald Caulk*  
*Susan Caulk*  
*Katharine Clark*  
*Steven Cook*  
*Linda Campbell*  
*Hazel Currier*  
*David Fletcher*  
*Marie Fletcher*  
*John Garde*  
*Georgia Greeley*  
*Robert Gress*  
*Ira Gunn*  
*June Johnson*  
*Barbara Leaman*  
*Sandra Maree-Ouellette*  
*Ruby Mason*  
*Peggy McFadden*  
*Janice Migon*  
*Freda Munguia-Bittle*  
*Josephine Nickel*  
*Eleanor Nuellen*  
*Thomas Obst*  
*Bruce O'Donnell*  
*Richard Ouellette*  
*Ann Marie Pearce*  
*Glenn Ruppert*  
*Alverna Skoog*  
*Rena Roemmle Snyder*  
*Clyde Tempel*  
*Lynne Van Wormer*  
*Helen Vos*  
*Kathryn Wagner*

### 1990 MEMBERS

*Beverly Krause*  
*Doris Margrabe*  
*Gerald Messbarger*  
*Annette Simonson*

### 1991 MEMBERS

*Rita Barry*  
Council on Certification of  
Nurse Anesthetists  
*Patrick Downey*  
*Georgia ANA*  
*Chal Maree*  
*Glen Ramsborg*  
*Margaret Ryan*

### 1992 MEMBERS

*David Corrior*  
*Deborah Day*  
*Flora Dono*  
*Scott Foster*  
*Scott Gray*  
*Donna Hetherington*  
*Shirley Houser-Stehr*  
*Amy Joyner*  
*Gordon Martinson*  
*M. Elaine Smith*  
*Nancy Wittstock*

### 1993 MEMBERS

*Richard Briscoe*  
*James Constantines*  
*George DeVane*  
*G. Bradbury Littleton*  
*Pauline Roy*  
*Carol Scott*  
*Billy Storey*

### 1994 MEMBERS

*Patty Cornwell*  
*Sharon Fassett*  
*EarlAnn Glancy*  
*Ross Verbisky*  
*Kathleen Hoffman*

### 1995 MEMBERS

AANA Presidents from  
Pennsylvania

### 1996 MEMBERS

*Nancy Bruton-Maree*  
*Stephen Ciraulo*  
*Joseph Kanusky*  
*Rodney Lester*  
*Lisa Mahiger*  
*Linda Moore*  
*Roderick Moore*  
North Carolina ANA

### 1997 MEMBERS

*Dennis Bless*  
*Brian Thorson*  
*Tafford Oltz*  
*LaRayne Oltz*

*Dorothy Hackathorne*  
*Benjamin Maree*  
*Scott Maree*

### 1998 MEMBERS

*Dean Hayden*  
*Jan Stewart*  
Staff of the AANA  
*Karen Plaus*

### 1999 MEMBERS

*Suzanne Brown*  
*Deborah Chambers*  
*Everard Hicks*  
*Robert Hislop, III*  
*Timothy Hoffman*  
*Larry Hornsby*  
*Michael Kremer*  
*Norma Landis*  
*Nancy Lewis*  
*Frank Maziariski*  
*Tom McKibban*  
*Elizabeth Seibert*  
*Linda Williams*  
*Elsie Zofer*

### 2000 MEMBERS

*Steve Alves*  
*Palmer Carrier*  
*Nancy Gondringer*  
*Bob Hopkins*  
*Joyce Kelly*  
*Cheryl Nimmo*  
*David Poel*  
*Gale Pollock*  
*Helen Reitz*  
*Nicholas Silao*  
*Wanda Wilson*

### 2001 MEMBERS

*Cindy Black*  
*Thomas Dell*  
*Kathy Fagerlund*  
*Katherine Farrell*  
*W. Weller Head*  
*Cynthia Mc Nerney*  
*M. Suzanne Murphy*  
*Carolyn Nicholson*  
*Mark Noguchi*  
*Ken Plitt*  
*Paul Santoro*  
*Ted Schweikert*  
*Brent Sommer*  
*Loren Spitzer*  
*Terry Wicks*

### 2002 MEMBERS

*Elizabeth Bzdil*  
*Polly Clark*  
*Lou Heindel*  
*Howard Huff*  
*Charles Leonard*  
*E. Jane McCarthy*  
*Rusty Ratliff*  
*Angela Richman*  
*Peter Richman*  
*Wendell Spencer*  
*Mark Vandolah*  
*Marilyn Vandolah*

### 2003 MEMBERS

*Andrew Cowley*  
*Johanna Deuker*  
*Robert Deuker*  
*Melydia Edge*  
*Wilma Gillis*  
*Kerry Gossett*  
*Deborah Ann Haight*  
*Maura McAuliffe*  
*Jackie Rowles*  
*Joel Schwiesow*  
*Charles Vacchiano*

### 2004 MEMBERS

*Andrea Arthur*  
*Donald Bell*  
*Claudia Beutler*  
*Jeffery Beutler*  
*Dan Bronan*  
*Resa Culpepper*  
*Mary Dudley*  
*Virginia Gaffey*  
*Lisa Grayson*  
*Dianna Heikkila*  
*Elizabeth Kayser*  
*Richard Kirschke*  
*Lois Krug*  
*Frances Kramer*  
*Lynn Lebeck*  
*Dean Mazurek*  
*James McLeod, Jr.*  
*Donald Roesler*  
*Gloria Spires*  
*Garalynn Tomas*  
*Ruth Welches*

### 2005 MEMBERS

*Paul Beninga*  
*Karolla Brice*  
*Michael Fallacaro*  
*Timothy Gollaher*  
*Janice Izlar*  
*Karen Post*  
*Alexander Litwin*  
*Kimmerle Miller-Leonard*  
*Kandi Smith*

### 2006 MEMBERS

*Barbara Danylak*  
*John Danylak*  
*Sarah Desrosiers*  
*Kenneth Ebert*  
*Louise Hershkowitz*  
*Linda Huffman*  
*Leslie Johnson*  
*Evan Koch*  
*William Mallon*  
*Steven Messina*  
*Patrick Roseland*  
*Julie Stone*  
*Edward Thompson*  
*Bette Wildgust*

### 2007 MEMBERS

*William Carpenter*  
*Ronald Castaldo*  
*Anthony Chipas*  
*Dorothy Dillard*  
*Bernadette Henrichs*  
*Dale Jordan*  
*Lorraine Jordan*  
*Michael Kinslow*  
*Kent Kosmatka*  
*Linda Kovitch*  
*Rita LeBlanc*  
*Russell Lynn*  
*Cheryl McRae-Bergeron*  
*Ruth Morris*  
*Angela Mund*  
*Steven Mund*  
*Danette Plautz*  
*Delphos Price*  
*Diana Quinlan*  
*David Schwytzer*  
*Joseph Stowell*  
*Susan Taylor*  
*Rosemarie Tchorz*  
*Donna Vierthaler*  
*Ruth Wright*

### 2008 MEMBERS

*Kay Argroves*  
*Linda Bailey*  
*James Cuddeford*  
*Tom Hilbert*  
*Karen Hunnicutt*  
*Shelley Kadlec*  
*Sherilyn Medina*  
*Kent Kosmatka*  
*Michelle Love-Baker*  
*Nina McLain*  
*Anne McNeill*  
*Tsugie Watanabe*

### 2009 MEMBERS

*Woodrow Bergeron*  
*Sharon Gray*  
*John Hitchens*  
*J. Doug Ramey*  
*Scott Rigdon*  
*Christine Santoro*  
*Bruce Schoneboom*  
*Peter Strube*  
*Bruce Weiner*  
*Tamara Wojciechowski*

### 2010 MEMBERS

*Vicki Callan*  
*Corry Coopmans*  
*Debra Diaz*  
*Robert Gauvin*  
*Charles Griffis*  
*Wendell Holladay*  
*Michael Mackinnon*  
*Debra Malina*  
*Barbara Skibiski*  
*Sherry Swearngin*

### 2011 MEMBERS

*Karen Bordewyk*  
*Ronda Brammer*  
*Ruby Bartman-Nimke*  
*Thomas Davis*  
*Catherine Hoffman*  
*Leslie Jeter*  
*Maria Poeysel*  
*Robert Poeysel*  
*Julie Schallert*  
*Daniel Simonson*  
*Ellen Suelflow*  
*Sandra Tunajek*  
*Elizabeth Wong*

*Christine Zambricki*  
*Emila Zeller*

### 2012 MEMBERS

*Janice Drake*  
*Suzanne Dufek*  
*Cynthia Hill*  
*Birgitta Johansson*  
*Lynn Reede*  
*Kay Sanders*  
*Linda Summers*

### 2013 MEMBERS

*Donald Beissel*  
*Shawn Collins*  
*Marjorie Geisz-Everson*  
*Jimmy Kimball, Jr.*  
*Bradley Stefflug*  
*Robert Walsh*  
*Gail Wiener*

### 2014 MEMBERS

*David Andrews*  
*Chris Bartels*  
*Jean Covillo*  
*Cassandra Decker*  
*Phyllis Kantor*  
*Mary Miller-Mazza*  
*Vickie Stuart*  
*James Walker*

### 2015 MEMBERS

*Linda Goetz*  
*Cathy Harrison*  
*Dennis McKenna*  
*Franklin McShane*  
*Michael Neft*

### 2016 MEMBERS

*Robert Beck*  
*Joy Coursey*  
*Lora Cullipher*  
*Vaughna Galvin*  
*Kathryn Jansky*  
*S. Allen McKenzie*  
*Juan Quintana*  
*Dru Riddle*  
*Janet Setnor*

### 2017 MEMBERS

*Michael Anderson*  
*Yana Krmic*  
*Melissa Machan*  
*Stephanie May*  
*Sheryl Roesler*  
*Cheryl Schosky*  
*Stacey Whittington*

### 2018 MEMBERS

*Lara Barrow*  
*Rebecca Boust*  
*Garry Brydges*  
*Nancy Curil*  
*Gina Mason*  
*Kathy Maxwell*  
*Randall Moore*  
*Christine Salvator*  
*Paul Schneider*  
*Kathleen Thibeault*

### 2019 MEMBERS

*Maria Bode*  
*Rebekah Carmel*  
*Linda Ferro*  
*Michael Greco*  
*Lisa Maw*  
*Bonnie Titre*  
*Gary Titre*

### 2020 MEMBERS

*Debra Barber*  
*Steven Sertich*  
*Jerrold Wallace*  
*Michael Wray*  
*Mona Wray*

### 2021 MEMBERS

*Apex Anesthesia Review*  
*Laura Ardizzone*  
*Ruby Bartman-Nimke*  
*Heather Borbely*  
*Alison Carter*  
*Charles Everson*  
*Stephen Finder*  
*Cornelia Hammerly*  
*Adrienne Hartgerink*  
*Jill Mason-Nguyen*  
*Mary Miller*  
*Jeffrey Molter*  
*Susan Perry*  
*Christina Pinkerman*  
*Walter Schiff*  
*South Dakota Association of  
Nurse Anesthetists*  
*Timothy White*

## GERTRUDE FIFE SOCIETY

Gertrude Fife, the second AANA president, served as treasurer for 15 years, Journal editor for 12 years, Director of the Lakeside School of Anesthesia from 1934-1946, and received the AANA Award of Appreciation in 1950 as well as the Agatha Hodgins Award in 1978. The Gertrude Fife Society was established to honor individuals, businesses, and state associations who make significant cumulative cash contributions.



This year, the Foundation honored nineteen new or elevated Gertrude Fife Society members:

### 2022 HONORS

#### INDIVIDUALS

**Gold**  
**\$50,000 - \$99,999**  
*Barbara Carberry*  
Angela Mund

**Silver**  
**\$25,000 - \$49,999**  
Suzanne Brown  
Michelle Gonzalez

**Bronze**  
**\$10,000 - \$24,999**  
Robert Beck  
Stephen Finder  
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Birgitta Johansson  
Karyn Karp  
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Carolin Marie  
Mary Miller  
Heather Rankin  
Donald Roesler  
Scott Shaffer  
Mary Schneider  
Jeremy Stanley  
John Woods  
Lois Wygonik

#### FULL LISTING SINCE INCEPTION

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#### STATE ASSOCIATIONS

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**Magna Cum Laude**  
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Minnesota ANA  
Ohio ANA  
Tennessee ANA  
Texas ANA  
Washington ANA

**Cum Laude**  
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#### INDIVIDUALS

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**\$100,000 - \$249,999**  
*Palmer Carrier*  
*Fred Hayden*  
David Javaheri  
Leslie Jeter  
*Lawrence Ledger*  
*Maria Roach*

**Gold**  
**\$50,000 - \$99,999**  
Anonymous  
*Barbara Carberry*  
*George DeVane*  
Janice Drake  
Robert Gauvin  
Margot Hinchliff  
John Hitchens  
Lorraine Jordan  
Frank Maziariski  
*Heidi Meyer*  
Angela Mund  
Nicholas Silao  
*Alverna Skoog*  
*Ruth Welches*  
Paul Willingham

**Silver**  
**\$25,000 - \$49,000**  
Michael Anderson  
Suzanne Brown  
Joyce Cmelko  
Sarah Desrosiers-Stelmach  
Linda Ferro  
John Fetcho  
Marjorie Everson  
Wilma Gillis  
Charles Griffis  
Michelle Gonzalez  
Louise Hershkowitz  
Janice Izlar  
Kathryn Jansky  
Michael Kremer  
Harold LaRock  
Leo Le Bel  
Rodney Lester  
*Cynthia McNerney*  
Jeffrey Molter  
*Steven Mund*  
Kenneth Plitt  
Diana Quinlan  
Juan Quintana  
Kay Sanders  
Walter Schiff

Daniel Simonson  
Kandi Smith  
Stephen Smith  
Garalynn Tomas  
Mark Vandolah  
Donna Vierthaler  
Tsugie Watanabe  
Terry Wicks  
Wanda Wilson  
Harry Wright

#### Bronze

**\$10,000 - \$24,999**

Craig Atkins  
Debra Barber  
Lawrence Beck  
Robert Beck  
Paul Beninga  
Reginald Berry  
Jeffery Beutler  
Dennis Bless  
Georgene Bosaw  
*Goldie Brangman*  
Karolla Brice  
Shari Burns  
Vicki Callan  
Brian Campbell  
Alison Carter  
Ronald Castaldo  
Anthony Chipas  
Steve Clarke  
Steven Cook  
*Patty Cornwell*  
Jean Covillo  
*Milford Crandall*  
Nancy Curl  
Jeffrey Darna  
Thomas Davis  
Debra Diaz  
Dorothy Dillard  
*Patrick Downey*  
Mary Dudley  
Lisa Dugan  
Robert Ehle  
Ronnie Ellis  
Ladan Eshkeviri  
Sandra Evans  
Katherine Farrell  
Stephen Finder  
*John Garde*  
Normalynn Garrett  
Deborah Geisler  
Timothy Gollaher  
Nancy Gondringer  
Scott Gray  
Sharon Gray  
Robert Gress  
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Bernadette Henrichs  
Bruce Herr, Jr.  
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*Anne LaVonnie Hopkins*  
Larry Hornsby  
Betty Horton  
Linda Huffman  
Birgitta Johansson  
*June Johnson*  
Phyllis Kantor  
Karyn Karp  
Sandra Kilde  
Steven Kelsch  
Evan Koch  
Beverly Krause  
Yana Krmic  
Mary Anne Krogh  
Steven Leach  
Jeanne Learman  
Rita LeBlanc  
Bobbi Lenninger  
Charles Leonard  
Patrick Loseth  
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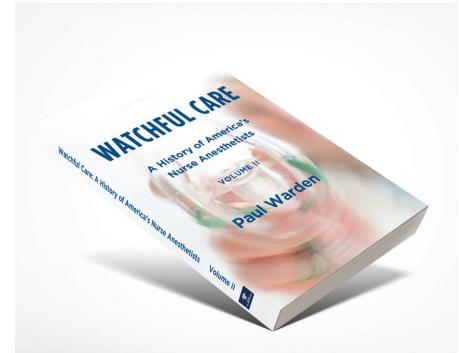
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