

BELLIN *forward*

A newsletter for alumni and friends of Bellin College

Fall 2018

*The peaks of Sindou,
Burkina Faso*



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From the President



Dear Friends of
Bellin College,

The academic year is off to a great start as we begin our 109th year of existence!

The fall semester we have 456 students on campus. This includes 300 in undergraduate nursing, 54 in radiologic sciences, 22 in sonography, 49 in

the graduate nursing program, and 31 non-degree-seeking students taking general education courses on our campus. This past summer has been busy for us with a multitude of activities happening to support our students.

The college values the importance of student success and as a demonstration of commitment to that, a Student Success Center was developed. This space will serve as a place for students to receive support with writing, tutoring, and structured help from their faculty members. Dr. Adam Sprague was hired as an English instructor and he will be running the Student Success Center.

The college received approval from the Higher Learning Commission (HLC) to teach all general education courses on campus. A soft start began in fall and starting in the fall of 2019 all required general education courses will be offered at Bellin College. To support this exciting opportunity, a science laboratory space also was created.

Bellin College also received approval to offer our first terminal degree — a DScPT, which will be offered in spring 2019. This degree is a doctorate of science in Physical Therapy which will support a physical therapist (DPT) to receive the second terminal degree that is necessary for teaching in a PT program. In addition, American Board of Physical Therapy Residency and Fellowship Education (ABPTRFE) approval was granted in September which is necessary for this program as well.

In June 2018, the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs (CAAHEP) visited to review our Diagnostic Medical Sonography program. The visit went exceptionally well, with the college being awarded for accreditation for both the general and vascular components.

Our nursing assistant program is going strong and we continue to expand this offering to high schools, most recently in partnership with De Pere and West De Pere schools. They take nursing assistant classes and an introduction to healthcare course which exposes these high school students to learn about the many professions in healthcare.

On behalf of everyone at the college, please accept our sincere appreciation for all you do for our students. Clearly, your support has allowed Bellin College to accomplish a lot to help the educational needs of our students and advance our strategic initiatives. I hope that you will join us on campus and see the amazing difference our students are making.

Warm Regards,

Connie J. Boerst

Dr. Connie J. Boerst, EdD, RN
President/CEO



Student Profile / Daouda Zoure, class of 2018



Daouda (seated) with his family.



“After working for a few years, I plan to continue my education at Bellin College as a student in the family nurse practitioner program.

- Daouda Zoure



Burkina Faso meets Bellin College

Daouda Zoure isn't your average Wisconsinite. He came to Wisconsin by way of Burkina Faso, a country just northeast of the Ivory Coast. He and his two brothers moved to the U.S. to live with their father in 2012, following the death of their mother. Zoure's father lived in the U.S. for many years, and welcomed Zoure and his two brothers to Madison.

"My mom passed away during childbirth," Zoure said. "My mother meant the world to me and, when I lost her, it was devastating. I miss her every day."

In Burkina Faso, Zoure's mother owned a restaurant called Maman, which means mom in French. He learned to cook from his mother and attributes his love of cooking to all of the special times they spent cooking together. At least once per year, Zoure and his brothers cook food and distribute it to the homeless living near Capitol Square in Madison.

"My mother always thought I was too nice and she wanted me to be a doctor or work in another healthcare role," said Zoure. "She thought a lot of people could benefit from my kindness, which is partly why I chose to go into nursing."

Zoure attended Madison Area Technical College for two years and then transferred to University of

Wisconsin-Eau Claire to complete his Bachelor of Science in human biology with honors. With his move came an adjustment to the cold weather and a few language challenges.

"When I started school at MATC, I wrote all of my papers in French and then translated them to English with a dictionary," said Zoure. "I learned some English by watching



my favorite TV show, 'The Big Bang Theory.' I still enjoy it to this day, but I don't need the subtitles."

Following his graduation from UW-Eau Claire in 2016, he applied to the 15-month program at Bellin College and was accepted. He graduated with a Bachelor of Science in nursing this October, and made the Dean's List again this past summer. After graduation, Zoure will start his job as a nurse extern in orthopedics and neurology at Bellin Hospital in Green Bay.

He is very close to his two brothers who are also attending college in Wisconsin. One brother is attending UW-Milwaukee to study computer science and business, and the other attends UW-Whitewater to study political science/diplomacy and international business. Zoure's father owns a small delivery business called Burkina Express, which delivers loads across the U.S.

In his free time he enjoys cooking traditional dishes from Burkina Faso and running. His favorite meals are fried plantain and babenda, which is a mix of spinach, kale, Swiss chard, mustard greens, peanut and dried fish. He also ran his first full marathon on Oct. 14 in Niagara Falls.

"After working for a few years, I plan to continue my education at Bellin College as student in the family nurse practitioner program," said Zoure. "I'd like to someday join Doctors Without Borders and work for an organization like the Peace Corps, in which I can provide care to all who need it ... where they need it."

Zoure has plans for one other healthcare endeavor. He plans to build a clinic in Burkina Faso called Maman, in memory of his mother, to serve all women who face high-risk pregnancies.



Donna Zelazoski, class of 1969, from left, Dr. Mark Bake, class of 2005, and Dr. Connie Boerst, class of 1985.



I consider it my privilege to be associated with Bellin College. Whether an alumnus from Bellin School of Radiologic Technology, Bellin College of Nursing, or Bellin Memorial Hospital School of Nursing, we all share the same passion for excellence. Healthcare is an ever-changing field and Bellin College has instilled the importance of lifelong learning. This learning does not have to be unique to the specific profession that one chooses to specialize in within healthcare, as it takes a team approach to care for patients. The passion and dedication to improve patient outcomes and care is what has and will continue to unite alumni. – Dr. Mark Bake

Congratulations to this year's Bellin College Distinguished Alumni Award winner: Dr. Mark Bake

Dr. Mark Bake, a 2005 graduate of the Bellin School of Radiologic Science program, has been selected as the recipient of the 2018 Distinguished Alumni Award.

“Within his role as dean of allied health sciences, Mark works tirelessly to promote the profession and secure the latest technologies for our students,” says Bellin College Alumni Council Chair Chad Dall. “Mark is very passionate about Bellin College, and it shows in the success students achieve every year and in their continued praise of the programs. Bellin College would not be where it is today without the dedication, hard work, and long hours Mark has graced the college with over these past several years.”

Since graduating from the Bellin School of Radiologic Science program, Bake has continued to prove himself as a leader with a vision for the future. He became registered in CT shortly after his initial radiology certification and soon after became the team facilitator in CT imaging at Bellin Health. His natural leadership abilities enabled the CT department to grow into a leader in advanced imaging within the area. His role in the cardiac and stroke programs within the CT department earned him the VIP Award for Individual Innovation from Bellin Health.

He continued to inspire excellence as an adjunct faculty member at Bellin College and as the Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Science (BSRS) program director. Within his role as director, the radiologic science program continued to develop into the bachelor degree program it is today. He has championed for expansion of the imaging side of Bellin College by starting the Bachelor of Science in Diagnostic Medical Sonography program in 2015. Bake has also worked with a team to develop a Doctorate of Science in Physical Therapy program option that recently received full accreditation through the Higher Learning Commission.

On top of the program development strides he has made within Bellin College, Bake has also created the Hands on Healthcare initiative that has brought hundreds of potential healthcare students on campus and off campus with our Mobile Hands on Healthcare extension that visits area schools. Both of these programs look to inspire students into joining the healthcare field.

“I feel extremely honored to receive this recognition and will forever cherish this moment, but am also aware that this is the result of teamwork,” says Bake. “The number of individuals that have impacted my career is endless. The individuals that I currently or have worked with in the past, the patients, the students, the mentors...I could literally go on and on. I feel blessed to say that since starting my career in healthcare I have come to work everyday with a smile on my face. There are certainly days that are stressful and challenging but tomorrow is always a new day.”

Bake was honored and received the award at the Bellin College Homecoming event on Sept. 13 at the Green Bay Botanical Garden.





Alumnae from the Class of 1968 commemorate their 50th reunion with a donation of water filtration systems.

Bellin College Class of 1968 steps up with generous gift in celebration of their 50th Reunion

A call for water filter and clean stove donations for an upcoming mission trip to Guatemala went out in the spring issue of the Bellin Forward, and the class of 1968 generously answered.

“A classmate read the article about the Guatemala mission work by the students in the Bellin Forward and suggested we take on the water filtration systems as a donation celebrating our 50th anniversary from Bellin School of Nursing,” said Audrey Burmeister, class of 1968. “Another suggested that we make it ‘50 for the 50th.’ With the generous donations from our class and an anonymous donor, we are able to provide 52 water filtration systems for the upcoming mission trip.”

The water filters will be given to families in the village of Baltimore, which is about 30 minutes from the El Faro mission, and home to Guatemalans of traditional Mayan descent. The first three years Bellin College students and faculty went on this trip, they brought no more than 25 filters. With this gift, they will double that!

Each filter will serve a family of five to six people and lasts about three years. Since this is their fourth year traveling to Guatemala, they will begin replacing the earliest filters they provided.

“We are thrilled to be able to provide clean water to men, women and children,” said Burmeister. “Clean water is so vital to the health of these people.”

While in Guatemala, the students educate the people about the importance of clean water and, throughout the years, families have come to know what the filters are and desire to have one. When the Bellin College groups leaves Baltimore in January 2019, every household in Baltimore will have a water filter and any leftover will be given to families in the next village in need — Rio Salado.

“It’s great to see this type of generous response from our alumni,” said Lynn Murphy, Guatemala trip coordinator and Bellin College faculty member. “Our alums are great role models for our current students, and we are so thankful for their donation!”

Burmeister and her class encourage students and fellow alumni to be proud of their education they received at Bellin College. The opportunities in nursing are endless, says Burmeister.

“It doesn’t seem possible that we graduated 50 years ago,” she said. “I’m sure I speak for the entire class when I say we are so proud to be a graduate of Bellin. We were provided an excellent education to enter the nursing field. It is amazing the advancements the college has accomplished in 50 years. Thanks to dedicated administrators, educators and staff for bringing the college to present day.”



Kelsey Tavs is a 2018 BSN graduate and current MSN student at Bellin College.

Bellin College and Evidence in Motion to launch two new Post-Graduate Physical Therapy Programs

Bellin College in conjunction with Evidence in Motion (EIM) will begin offering an Orthopaedic Manual Physical Therapy (OMPT) Fellowship Program and a Doctorate of Science in Physical Therapy (DScPT). The Fellowship is set to begin January 2019 with the Doctorate of Physical Therapy following in early spring 2019.

The Fellowship is an evolution of EIM's highly regarded OMPT Fellowship, which is one of the largest programs in the physical therapy industry.

Students partaking in the DScPT degree will complete courses involving orthopaedic manual physical therapy followed by courses focusing on research, curriculum and leadership.

Students have the flexibility to complete the OMPT Fellowship alone or both the Fellowship and the DSc

in a combined program. Both courses are expected to take students about two to three years each to complete, depending on the student's choice of course load and research agenda.

Bellin College is responding to the need of the physical therapy community by developing a program that develops leaders in clinical science, research and teaching.

"EIM's collaboration with Bellin College for our fellows-in-training and our DSc in PT program allows us access to multidisciplinary experts in leadership and teaching, a high-quality healthcare system with Bellin Health and additional resources that are available through regionally accredited programs, such as grant writing assistance, an online library, and networking with multidisciplinary colleagues," said Dr. Julie Whitman, Bellin College program director.



NEW PROGRAMS

Orthopaedic Manual
Physical Therapy Fellowship

Doctorate of Science in
Physical Therapy

Jon Weiss,
DScPT Program
Coordinator.

COMMENCEMENT

Congratulations Bellin College Graduates



Spring Commencement - Class of 2018

May Commencement - Class of 2018

One-hundred-two Bellin College students participated in the spring commencement ceremony at 9:00 a.m. Saturday, May 12 at the Weidner Center for the Performing Arts on the UW-Green Bay campus. Of the 102 students, 78 are earned their Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree, 11 earned their Bachelor of Science in Radiologic Sciences (BSRS) degree and 13 earned their Master of Science in Nursing (MSN) degree.

October Commencement - Class of 2018

Fourteen Bellin College students participated in the fall commencement ceremony at 4 p.m. Friday, Oct. 12 in the Resch Atrium at Bellin College. All of the graduates earned their Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree from the 15-month BSN program.

December Commencement - Class of 2018

Fifteen students will participate in the December commencement ceremony at 4 p.m. Friday, Dec. 14 in the Resch Atrium at Bellin College. There are 21 students graduating, 15 from the Registered Nurse to Bachelor of Science in Nursing program, and 6 in the BSN program.



Fall Commencement - Class of 2018

Alumni News / A message from the Alumni Council Chair



Greetings to all alumni! Bellin College classes are in full swing with the 2018 fall semester. I would like to share the exciting things the alumni have been up to the past few months.

In May, the Breakfast Social was held to celebrate the graduating seniors and allow for visitation and connection among students, alumni

and faculty. If you happened to miss this event, you also missed my rendition of “My Favorite Things” tailored to the health careers featured at Bellin College. On graduation day, we welcomed 102 new graduates into the elite family of Bellin College Alumni.

June was also a good month for alumni to gather and give back to the community. The alumni council hosted a happy hour at Cooper State Brewery. It was a beautiful day to meet fellow alumni and enjoy the Green Bay Farmers Market on Broadway. This year, Bellin College alumni volunteered at the final water station of the Bellin Run. The water flowed that day and we alumni had a great time cheering on the runners.

The alumni council welcomed back students this fall at Bellin College’s Backyard BBQ held on the first day of the fall semester. The alumni volunteered to serve lemonade and provided desserts for the students, families, faculty and staff. The rain held off long enough for a fun day of food, music, games, student organizations and scholarship awards.

As alumni, we should be proud of where we completed our professional journey and look to promote Bellin College. It’s the passion for helping others that drove all of us into healthcare. Let’s broaden that idea into helping others become future students/graduates of Bellin College. Getting together with fellow alumni is a fun way to reminisce and network. Make sure to watch for our emails and also check our Facebook and Twitter pages for information about upcoming alumni events.

We are always looking for new faces and perspectives to join the Bellin College Alumni Council. We are a diverse group looking to staying connected with Bellin College and provide the students with mentorship, stories and financial scholarship. The alumni council also is a way to give back to the institution that allowed you to follow your dreams.

If interested in joining the alumni council, please contact Jamie Jergenson at jamie.jergenson@bellincollege.edu or (920) 433-6655.

Best Regards,

Chad Dall

Chad Dall, Class of 2002
School of Radiologic Technology
Bellin College, Alumni Council Chair, 2018



Bellin College Alumni and students volunteered at a water station during the 2018 Bellin Run.

Recent Events

Homecoming

Nearly 100 Bellin College alumni from across the country gathered at this year's Bellin College Alumni Homecoming on Sept. 13 at the Green Bay Botanical Garden. The classes of 1968, 1993 and 2008 were honored. All proceeds from the event, an impressive \$3,175, went toward the Bellin College Alumni Scholarship.



Scholarship Salute

More than 130 Bellin College students had the opportunity to meet their generous scholarship donors at the annual Bellin College Scholarship Salute event, which was held Sept. 26 at Tundra Lodge Resort and Conference Center. More than \$470,000 in scholarship money was given to Bellin College students to offset their educational costs in the 2018-19 academic year.



Carl Manns and Tiffany Abts



Marissa Schoen, from left, Richard Horak, MD, and Natalie Reinhard.



Amber Kolstad, from left, Alyssa Hopfensperger and Gail Fischer.

UPCOMING EVENTS

December Commencement

Friday, Dec. 14

4 p.m.

Bellin College Atrium

19th Annual Golf Classic

Monday, June 17

Oneida Golf & Country Club

To register, go to

www.bellincollege.edu/golf.

Don't Golf? Don't worry!

Join us for dinner and auctions.

Cash bar 4:30 p.m.

Dinner 6 p.m.

To register, go to

www.bellincollege.edu/golf.

Alumni Spotlight

Amber Young-Brice

Alumna Young-Brice wins National League of Nursing Educational Grant

Two-time Bellin College alum Amber Young-Brice, Ph.D., RN, has always had a keen interest in teaching the nurses of the future. So, it's no surprise that she was awarded the prestigious Ruth Donnelley Corcoran Research Award from the National League of Nursing this past September. The grant will fund a two-year study of grit as a predictor of academic success among associate degree nursing students.

"I found the concept of grit recurring in the stories I heard from underrepresented nursing students participating in my dissertation study," said Young-Brice. "They would talk about overcoming challenges to reach their goals of becoming a nurse."

From her dissertation work, she wanted to further explore the concept of grit among nursing students.

"Grit is defined as someone's passion and perseverance to reach long-term goals," said Young-Brice. "It is about committing over time and pushing past challenges to reach goals. I would say I am a walking definition of grit."

She is using the Grit Short Scale as an instrument to measure grit in her current research study. She will be tracking students over a two-year period and analyzing if initial measurements of grit indicate success in a nursing program.

After earning both her BSN and MSN from Bellin College and getting her feet wet in the Emergency Department HSHS St. Mary's, Young-Brice earned her Ph.D. from UW-Milwaukee, tailoring her program to include education, teaching and adult learning. During her Ph.D. program, she taught at Bellin College and then took a position at Marquette University, where she is now an assistant professor in the College of Nursing. In addition to her role in the College of Nursing, Young-Brice works with faculty across campus as an education developer within the Center for Teaching and Learning.



"I love working with faculty and students to explore ways for them to be successful," said Young-Brice. "I am grateful for the experiences and support I had at Bellin College because I wouldn't have made it this far without the solid foundation that was set for me as a struggling BSN student. My advisor at the time, Vera Dauffenbach, and other faculty believed in me. I went back for my MSN and now I have my Ph.D. It's incredible."

Her advice to current nursing students: "You are joining a profession that will provide you so many opportunities, many of which you can't even fathom right now. All of the hard work is worth it in the end. It's going to be difficult, but remember the end goal. Don't sweat the small stuff, and don't be afraid to ask for help."

In the future, after she is tenured she chides, Young-Brice hopes to advance to an academic affairs or undergraduate dean leadership position where she can work closely with students, faculty, and have an impact on nursing program curriculum.

Snapshots of Gratitude / Lauren Harvey



Bellin College,

Before the school year begins, I wanted to take the opportunity to thank you for bringing me into your nursing program. I began to see the friendliness and warmth the school possesses over two years ago when I attended the summer nursing camp. My view of Bellin College has only gotten better since! A career in nursing has been my goal for some time, and I am excited for all of you to help me make it possible.

Such a huge part of my dream becoming a reality is due to the scholarships I have been awarded. There are not enough thank you cards to show my gratitude for having received them. I hope the picture — taken at orientation — shows my excitement as well as some appreciation for being able to attend Bellin College. I was so happy to finally have my own Bellin College ID, and seeing it with my name, my picture and the words "nursing student" made everything so real. Time to get this awesome journey started!

See you soon, Lauren Harvey, sophomore BSN student

Alumni, we're looking for you!

We are working to update our database of Bellin College alumni. If you have changed your name, address, phone number or email address, please let us know via our online form at www.bellincollege.edu/alumni/alumni-address-change or by phone at (920) 433-6654.

18th Annual Golf Classic: A Great Success

Bellin College hosted the 18th Annual Golf Classic — sponsored by Bellin Health Foundation, Associated Bank, John and Lisa Dykema, Green Bay Packers Give Back, Gary Brukardt Foundation and Pomp's Tire Service, Inc.— on Monday, June 18, 2018. This year's event was sold out, with 36 teams swinging their clubs at Oneida Golf & Country Club.

Because of very generous
sponsors, golfers and
dinner guests, the event
raised nearly

\$50,000!

Proceeds from the 18th Annual Golf Classic allowed the college to purchase a maternal and neonatal birthing simulator called Victoria. Victoria is a lifelike, tetherless manikin educators can use to implement seamless birthing simulations, including normal, breech, operative and cesarean section

deliveries. She gives birth to a lifelike, full-term, realistic baby named Tori. In addition to many lifelike and interactive features, Victoria and Tori also support a wide range of diagnostic equipment, which allows students to practice equipment setup, operation and data interpretation. Victoria and Tori arrived just in time for the start of the 2018-19 academic year.

Mark your calendars for Monday, June 17, 2019 for the 19th Annual Bellin College Golf Classic. More information will be sent in the coming months. Register early, as spaces are limited. If you have any questions, please call Gena at (920) 433-6654 or send an email to development@bellincollege.edu.



Retirements / Cindy Finesilver



Assistant Professor Cindy Finesilver retired from her faculty position in May of 2018. Cindy had fulfilled a variety of faculty roles in her 25 years with the college. She taught across the BSN curriculum with the majority of teaching in the medical-surgical area with a specialization in neurovascular nursing. She was known to hold

students to high standards and has had many alumni tell her that she was their favorite teacher. She was a recipient of the prestigious Nishioka Family Faculty Excellence Award. She was an expert test item writer and wrote for the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) a number of times. Additionally, Assistant

Professor C. Finesilver has contributed to the body of nursing knowledge through numerous publications and presentations in her field of expertise.

In addition, during a four year period of time, she developed nursing curriculum and test item writing for Kaplan Test Prep and Admissions, a National NCLEX Consultant Program. Subsequently, one of her most recent roles at Bellin College included functioning as the NCLEX Coordinator. In this capacity, she developed NCLEX Boot Camps and review plans for students that contributed to an increase in the NCLEX pass rate for Bellin College students. She also became the resource for faculty for test item writing, review and mentorship.

Assistant Professor C. Finesilver received her BSN from Indiana University and her MSN from Yale University. Her contributions to the profession of nursing and Bellin College have been significant.

The legacy you leave behind can be found in the lives you've touched...

What will your legacy be?

**Are you ready to plan for your future, but you're not sure where to start?
It's never too late or too early to create an estate plan.**

What is planned giving?

Planned giving consists of designating a gift during your lifetime or at passing that is part of your overall estate plan. A planned gift gives you the opportunity to make a lasting contribution in the lives of others. Examples of planned gifts include bequests, life insurance, charitable gift annuities, memorials, property and endowments.

To create your own planned giving legacy, Bellin College recommends consulting your financial advisor.

Bellin College Legacy Society

The Bellin College Legacy Society is a group of individuals who have decided to remember us in their wills. This special group of people are essential to the advancement of the college and to ensuring that our students have the opportunities to receive a high-level education at an affordable rate.

*Have you remembered us in your will?
Please let us know.*

Would you like more information?

Please contact Bellin College Development at (920) 433-6654.

New Hires and Promotions

Mary Rolloff, Dean of Nursing

Lori Kulju, Interim MSN Director

Angela Parmentier, Interim FNP Coordinator

Brittany Downer, HSRC Skills Coordinator

Sarah Johnson, HSRC Skills Coordinator

Brant Pearson, CAP Director

Tricia Drake, Faculty – BSN

Tiffany Sasse, Faculty - BSN

Robert Mandell, Instructional Design Specialist

Adam Sprague, Student Success Center Coordinator

Olivia Knapp, Marketing and Communications Coordinator

Accomplishments

Faculty

- Heidi Monroe and Sherri Hanrahan presented at the National Nurse Educators conference in the Rockies on collaborative testing.
- Michelle Pranghofer earned the NCC Maternal Newborn Nursing Certification.
- Vera Dauffenbach published the second edition of her textbook titled “Nutrition and Diet Therapy for Nurses”.
- Amanda Hogan earned her breast certification through the American Registry for Diagnostic Medical Sonography.
- Casey Rentmeester authored a chapter in the book “The Routledge History of World Peace since 1750”.
- Dr. Adam Sprague has two articles appearing in the current “The Wisconsin English Journal.” They are “Continuing the Conversation: Soc-rative’s Impact on Student Emotions, Student Comfort Levels, and Classroom Interactions” and a review of the book “Grammar to Get Things Done: A Practical Guide for Teachers Anchored in Real-World Usage,” by D. Crovitz & M. D. Devereaux.

Students

On Oct. 15, 2018 Valerie Ehr (BSN class of 2021), Lauren Harvey (BSN class of 2021) and Caroline Wagner (BSN class of 2020) participated in the Wisconsin Student Nurse Association’s (WSNA) College of Chapter Boards meeting. The meeting brings chapter leaders from Wisconsin colleges’ student nurse associations together for support, professional development, and an opportunity to provide input into the 2019 state convention. At the meeting, Caroline Wagner was selected to fill the post of Projects Director for the WSNA Board of Directors. Responsibilities include developing, presenting, and implementing a statewide community health project. The Projects Director also chairs the Community Health Committee for WSNA.

2018 Endowed Professorships

The Bellin College Endowed Professorship program was established in 1995 to recognize faculty who excel in their designated clinical specialty. Newly established Endowed Professorships are funded by a minimum gift of \$500,000 and exist in perpetuity. The principal is invested and the income from these permanently invested funds support

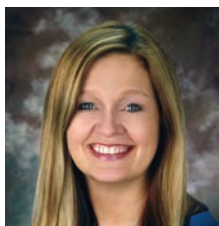
endowed professors' salaries and benefits. Donors who choose to endow a faculty position recognize that their gift will make a lasting contribution to Bellin College. Great colleges have great faculty, and our endowed professorship program contributes to this excellence.



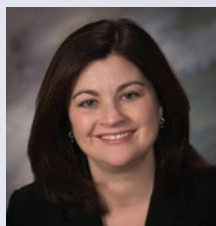
**Bellin Family
Medical-Surgical Professorship**
Established in 1995
Assistant Professor: Heidi Monroe



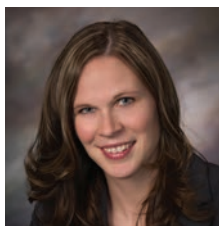
**Paper Converting Machine
Company Cancer Professorship**
Established in 1995
Assistant Professor: Lori Kulju



**Cornerstone Foundation of
Northeast Wisconsin Mother
and Infant Professorship**
Established in 1995
Assistant Professor: Lynn Murphy



**Anne M. Rose and John Rose
Arthritis Nursing Professorship**
Established in 1995
Assistant Professor: Sherri Hanrahan



**Philip and Betsy Hendrickson
Cardiovascular
Nursing Professorship**
Established in 1995
Assistant Professor: Meghan Liebrecht



**Paul Ziemer Memorial
Cardiovascular
Nursing Professorship**
Established in 1995
Assistant Professor: Kathie DeMuth

Awards for Excellence



**Nishioka Family
Faculty Award
for Excellence**
Each year a faculty member is recognized for their outstanding service to the College through the generosity of Dr. Hiro Nishioka and his family. This year's recipient of the Nishioka Family Faculty Award for Excellence was Dr. Lori Kulju.



**The Lucyanna Hitch Award
for Excellence** is a tribute that recognizes one student from the graduating class who best exemplifies Bellin College's values of excellence, integrity, community and caring. The Lucyanna Hitch Award was awarded to Kelsey Tavs, BSN, Class of 2018 during spring commencement.



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Mark your calendars!

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19th Annual Golf Classic on Monday, June 17, 2019.

To register, visit www.bellincollege.edu/golf