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2023 Košice, Slovakia

In the summer days from 8 to 10 August 2023, a training in community psychosocial support organized by the Slovak Red Cross took place. The participants of the event, which included our colleague Janka Sušinková, PhD, focused on topics related to coping strategies for stress and strain management and community-oriented provision of psychosocial support. The event was held in support of the Mental Health & Psychosocial Support Coordinator Program.



2023 Odense, Denmark

Transcultural nursing has become a key component of healthcare in an increasingly globalised world. ETNA | European Transcultural Nursing Association organized the 8th International Conference, which took place on 25-28 June 2023 in Odense, Denmark. The main theme of the conference: 'Revolutionizing Transcultural Care - reflecting, exploring, and responding to global health and care challenges'. The aim was to bring together and strengthen the collaboration of researchers and practitioners in the field of health and social care, focusing on current and emerging global challenges in promoting and sustaining health and health care. Within Slovakia, the conference was actively attended by prof. PhDr. Lucia Dimunová, PhD.

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On 1.7.2023, the conference of the Children and Adolescent Clinic of the UPJŠ LF and DFN with international participation "Démant's Day" was held, which was dedicated to the 75th anniversary of the establishment of the Children's Clinic of the UPJŠ LF in Košice.

In the block "Nursing in paediatrics", lectures focused on the field of education in the form of simulations and virtual reality were given. Very interesting were the expert contributions on the specifics of nursing care in pediatric patients with selected diseases. The outcomes of the conference are proof of the link between theoretical background and practical

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skills, which mainly benefit paediatric patients.



2023 Sanok, Poland

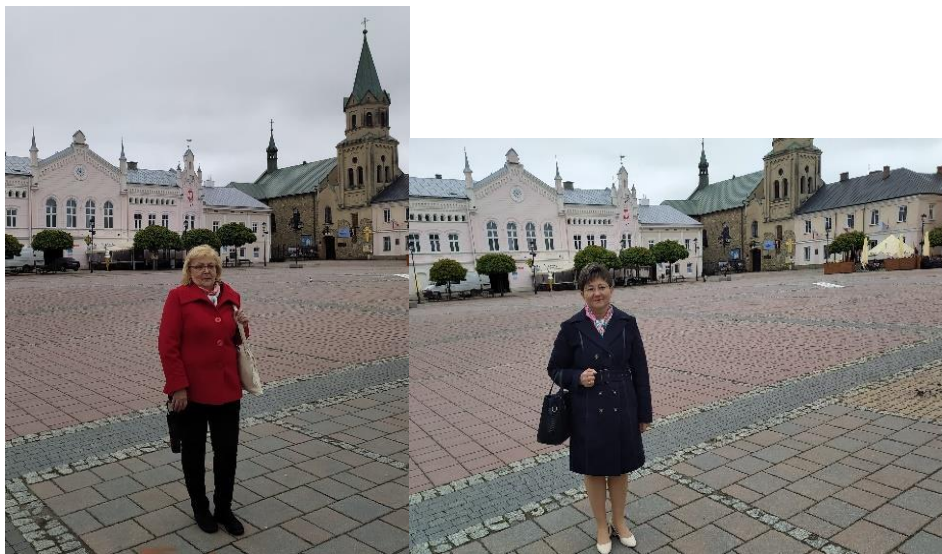
From 18 June 2023 to 20 June 2023, the VIII. Cancer as a challenge for the health care system and science at the partner Jan Grodek State University in Sanok, Poland. The conference was held in the spirit of holistic, multidisciplinary care for patients with cancer. As members of the scientific committee from the Institute of Nursing of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Applied Sciences in Košice participated: prof. Lucia Dimunová, PhDr., PhD., doc. PhDr. Mária Zamboriová, PhD. and PhDr. Mária Sováriová Soósová, PhD.

Doc. PhDr. Mária Zamboriová, PhD. actively presented a paper focused on The Oncological Care System in Slovakia and PhDr. Mária Sováriová Soósová, PhD. presented a review paper focused on Spiritual interventions in women with breast cancer: a literature review.

(Conference website: <https://up-sanok.edu.pl/dzialalnosc-naukowa/wydarzenia/details,24.html>).

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2023 Milan, Italy

The European Wound Management Association (EWMA) organized a conference that took place from 3 to 5 May 2023 in Milan, Italy. The meeting was attended by 5,006 registered participants from 96 countries.

Our university was represented by Beáta Grešš Halász, PhD, MPH as one of the members of the EWMA Council. Important outcomes of this international event are mainly the presentation of new methods of wound prevention and treatment in the context of multidisciplinary, as well as networking, education and exchange of experience of experts from all over the world.

The main role of the EWMA is to develop clinical guidelines and to promote wound management education in different fields. The annual EWMA conferences are highly regarded from a scientific and professional point of view, and are an important opportunity to learn the most up-to-date news on wound issues. To learn more, visit <https://ewma.org/ewma-conferences/2023>.

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2023 Rzeszów, Poland

Within the framework of international cooperation, on 17 March 2023 they accepted the invitation of prof. PhDr. Lucia Dimunová, PhD. and PhDr. Beáta Grešš Halász, PhD. to the University of Rzeszów, Poland. The meeting, which took place in the Medical Simulation Centre, included the requested lectures on the topics of education and modern teaching methods in the nursing curriculum. The meeting also included a tour of the simulation centre and the University of Rzeszów. The participants exchanged experiences and discussed the possibilities of international cooperation aimed at the development of nursing education.

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2023 Barcelona, Spain

NEW AGENDA FOR NURSE EDUCATOR

Nursing professionals from six countries gathered in Spain in February 2023 for an international conference called New Nurse Educator. The main topic of the meeting was the discussion on the "Competence of nurse educator" within the EU countries. In creative workshops, educators tried out different innovative methods of education, exchanged experiences and shared their visions for the future.



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NEWMED

On 1.12.2022, the international symposium NEWMED focused on the use of interactive aids and simulators in the teaching process in medical and non-medical medical disciplines took place at the Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice, Faculty of Medicine. Participants from several countries (Poland, Hungary, Czech Republic, Greece) listened to experiences in teaching in simulator and virtual medicine centres in a block of presentations. In the afternoon, the head of CSVN UPJŠ LF Jakub Janosik, MD, MPH, took a tour of the CSVN in the presence of the symposium participants. The excursion was followed by workshops on selected simulators.

Thanks are especially due to the Head of the Institute of Medical Informatics and Virtual Medicine of the UPJŠ LF Mr. doc. Ing. Jaroslav Majernik, PhD. and prof. PhDr. Lucia Dimunová, PhD., Head of the Institute of Nursing, UPJŠ LF in Košice for the organization of the symposium.



2022 Brno, Czech Republic

On 2 and 3 November 2022, Brno hosted the 15th edition of the international MEFANET conference, organized by the network of medical faculties "MEDical FACulties NETwork" aimed at strengthening the cooperation of medical and health faculties operating in the Czech Republic and Slovakia in the development of teaching using modern information and communication technologies. Our faculty was represented at the event by the Head of the Institute of Nursing prof. PhDr. Lucia Dimunová, PhD., PhDr. Gabriela Štefková, PhD. and PhDr. Beáta Grešš Halász, PhD., MPH.

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2022, Piešťany, Slovakia

International Scientific and Professional Conference "Cooperation of Helping Professions Poland - Czech - Slovak Studies"

The spa town of Piešťany became the venue of the 17th International Scientific and Professional Conference on the Cooperation of the Helping Professions Poland - Czech - Slovak Studies on 21-22 October 2022. The Institute of Nursing, represented by prof. PhDr. Lucia Dimunová, PhD., PhDr. Mária Sováriová Soósová, PhD., PhDr. Valérie Parová, PhD. and PhDr. Renáta Suchanová, PhD. The aim of the conference was to highlight the possibilities of cooperation in health care, nursing, social work and other helping professions in the 21st century.



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Day at the UPJŠ

On Friday, 21 October 2022, the Open Day at the UPJŠ in Košice took place, where our Faculty of Medicine was also presented to high school students. The DOD was held on the premises of the Faculty of Arts on Moyzesova Street. The event was actively attended by assistant professors of the Institute of Nursing represented by PhDr. Jana Michalkova, PhD. and PhDr. Jana Sušinková, PhD., who presented the study field of Nursing.



2022 Tatranské Matliare, Slovakia

National Conference "ADOS in the Health Care System"

The Association of Home Nursing Care Agencies in cooperation with SKSaPA and the Czech Home Care Association organised a national conference with international participation in Tatranské Matliare on 14-15 October 2022. The aim of the conference was to highlight the current and long-term problems of ADOS from the perspective of legislation in Slovakia, quality management of nursing care, community nursing, legislation affecting the profession of nursing and other current issues that affect the status of ADOS in Slovakia. The event was actively attended by assistant professors of the Institute of Nursing represented by PhDr. Beáta Grešš Halász, PhD., MPH.

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2022 Prešov, Slovakia

The international scientific conference "Quo vadis Healthcare V."

The Faculty of Health Sciences of the University of Prešov in Prešov organized on 13-14 October 2022 the international scientific conference "Quo vadis Healthcare V. New trends in health sciences". The topics were focused on 21st century nursing, new trends in education and practice. PhDr. Silvia Danková, PhD. and PhDr. Jana Sušinková, PhD. took active part in the conference.

2022 České Budějovice, Czech Republic

Scientific Conference with International Participation "The History of Healthcare in the First Czechoslovak Republic through an Interdisciplinary Perspective"

On 13 and 14 October 2022, a scientific conference with international participation History of Healthcare of the First Czechoslovak Republic with an Interdisciplinary Perspective was held in České Budějovice. PhDr. Mária Sováriová Soósová, PhD. participated in the conference with invited lectures on the topics "Nursing in Košice in the interwar Czechoslovakia" and "Health care in Košice in the interwar Czechoslovakia".



2022 Nové Zámky, Slovakia

Multidisciplinary Conference "Multidisciplinary Team Interventions in the Context of the Helping Professions"

On 13.10.2022 in Nové Zámky was held a national multidisciplinary conference with international participation entitled "Interventions of multidisciplinary team in the context of helping professions". The conference sessions were from the fields of nursing, midwifery,

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physiotherapy and social work. The thematic areas focused on management and education in the helping professions, law, legislation, ethical aspects as well as evidence-based practice. prof. PhDr. Lucia Dimunová, PhD. and PhDr. Beáta Grešš Halász, PhD., MPH.

2022 Debrecen, Hungary

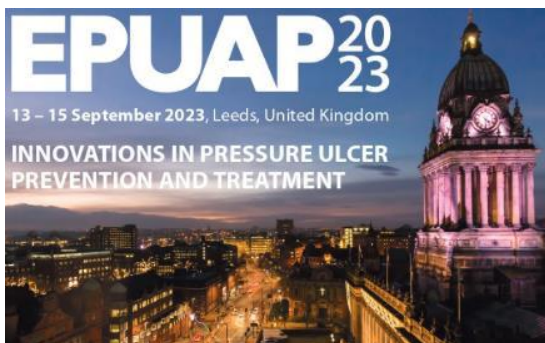
International Scientific Conference Gerontology Days

The International Scientific Conference Gerontology Days 2022 was held in Debrecen, Hungary, on October 6-7, 2022. PhDr. Mária Sováriová Soósová, PhD., PhDr. Valéria Parová, PhD. and PhDr. Renáta Suchanová, PhD. actively participated in the conference. The conference presented topics focused on mental health, quality of life, as well as the links between leisure activities, anxiety, depression, well-being and spiritual needs in older adults living in homes for the elderly in Slovakia.

2022 Praha Czech Republic

EPUAP - European Pressure Ulcer Advisory Panel

In the framework of the support of the programme project of the Ministry of Health of the Czech Republic entitled "Cost analysis of decubitus treatment - determinants of care", the VI Symposium "Decubitus - sharing experience at international level" was held in Prague on 14-16 September 2022. The papers presented during the symposium focused on knowledge, skills, recommended practices in the field of long-term care as well as prevention and treatment of decubitus at the national level. PhDr. Beáta Grešš Halász, PhD., MPH, actively presented her experience in the prevention and treatment of decubitus.



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2022 Nitra, Slovakia

Medzinárodné sympóziium „Nursing of the 21st Century in the Process of Changes 2022“

The University of Constantine the Philosopher in Nitra, Faculty of Social Sciences and Health Sciences together with the Department of Nursing organized on 08 - 09 September 2022 the international symposium "Nursing of the 21st Century in the Process of Changes 2022". With her lecture, the Head of the Department of Nursing, prof. PhDr. Lucia Dimunová, PhD. and assistant professor Jana Michalková, PhD.

2022 Košice, Slovakia

Conference with international participation "XIV. Démant's Day"

Clinic of Children and Adolescents of UPJŠ LF and DFN in Košice on 02.06.2022 organized the 38th International Conference and XIVth International Conference on Children and Adolescents of UPJŠ LF and DFN in Košice on 02.06.2022. Démant's Day. Topics presented were focused on therapeutic procedures in pediatrics, interdisciplinary cooperation and new trends in pediatric nursing. With active participation in the conference participated assistant professors of the Institute of Nursing of UPJŠ Faculty of Medicine, PhDr. Jana Michalková, PhD., PhDr. Jana Sušinková, PhD., MUDr. Marie Šudáková, PhDr. Silvia Danková, PhD.

2022 Paris, France

EWMA - European Wound Management Association

The European Wound Management Association and Journées Cicatrisations are holding a joint international conference on wound care in Paris from 23-25 May 2022. Beáta Grešš Halász, PhD, MPH, actively participated in the conference.

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2022 Pardubice, Czech Republic

International conference "Quality and its perspectives" On 20 April 2022, the VIIth

International Conference Quality and its Perspectives was held in Pardubice, Czech Republic. The conference was organized by the Faculty of Health Studies of the University of Pardubice in cooperation with the Faculty of Health Sciences of the Catholic University of Ružomberok. The conference featured an interesting range of lectures, to which the lecturers of the Institute of Nursing PhDr. Mária Sováriová Soósová, PhD., PhDr. Valéria Parová, PhD., and Renáta Suchanová, PhD., contributed.



2022 Mikulov, Czech Republic

Expert Conference "New Challenges in Wound Healing" and V. Symposium "Decubitus"

The Institute of Health Sciences of the Faculty of Medicine of Masaryk University and the Czech National Centre for Evidence-Based Healthcare and Knowledge Translation organized a professional conference in Mikulov on 23-25 March 2022 entitled "New Challenges in Wound Healing" and the 5th annual symposium "Decubitus". The aim of the conference was to provide participants with information on interprofessional cooperation in

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improving the quality of professional activities in wound management. Beáta Grešš Halász, PhDr., MPH actively participated in the symposium.

2021 Bardejovské Kúpele, Slovakia

Days of practical obesitology and metabolic syndrome

An international scientific congress for doctors, nurses, physiotherapists and medical-technical staff called Days of Practical obesitology and Metabolic Syndrome was held on 11 and 12 June 2021. The event was held in Bardejov Spa in the Alexander Congress Hotel. Many interesting lectures were presented at the congress. The Department of Nursing also had a separate block of lectures.

https://www.idl.sk/files/images/konferencia_06_2020/2021-06-07-program.pdf

2019 České Budějovice, Czech Republic

European Transcultural Nursing Association (ETNA)

In the Czech Republic at the Faculty of Health and Social Sciences in České Budějovice, was held from 19 to 22 June 2019 international conference European Transcultural Nursing Association (ETNA). The main theme of this year's conference was the cultural competence of nurses. The main idea of the conference was to compare the curricula in different countries, the content of knowledge and skills that graduates of nursing and associated disciplines should acquire to provide quality care. The conference was opened by the Minister of Health of the Czech Republic Mgr. et Mgr. Adam Vojtěch, WHO representative Dr. Srdan Matić, Rector of the University of South Bohemia doc. Tomáš Machula, Ph.D., Th.D., Dean of the Faculty of Health and Social Sciences of the University of South Bohemia Mgr. Ivana Chloubová, Ph.D. and the President of ETNA prof. Irena Papadopoulos. The conference was attended by 118 experts from 19 countries. The representative for Slovakia within the International organization ETNA is Bc. Martin Červený. For the Faculty of Medicine of UPJŠ in Košice was an active participant Assoc. PhDr. Lucia Dimunová, PhD.

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2018 Košice, Slovakia

Symposium on the occasion of the 20th anniversary of the establishment of the Department of Nursing

In November 2018, the Department of Nursing of the Faculty of Medicine of the University P. J. Š. in Košice celebrated the 20th anniversary of the establishment. On 1 November 1998, the Department was established as an independent scientific-pedagogical workplace. On this opportunity was held an international scientific and professional symposium "Current requirements for the development of the nursing profession". The meeting focused on legislative changes in current nursing practice and education, quality and safety of health care and specifics of health care provision in primary, secondary and tertiary care. The proceedings of the conference were published on this occasion and is available at: <https://unibook.upjs.sk/sk/osetrovatelstvo/1083-aktualne-poziadavky-rozvoja-profesie-sestry>



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2018 Piešťany, Slovakia

Scientific conference with international participation "Health - the driving force of nursing without borders"

Health is a widely accepted measure of a society's health care, economy, politics and culture. In the spirit of this idea, was held the scientific conference with international participation "Health - the driving force of nursing without borders" in Piešťany on 19-20 April 2018. The conference, which was co-organized by the Pavol Jozef Šafárik University, Faculty of Medicine, Department of Nursing in Košice, were presented current topic of "health literacy" as one of the factors that form an attitude towards health and lead to healthy behaviour of individuals and subsequently the whole society. The proceedings of the conference were published on this occasion and are available at:

<https://www.danubiushotels.com/sk/destinacie/piestany/konferencie/piestansky-den-osetrovatelstva-4-rocnik>

2017 Piešťany, Slovakia

Scientific conference with international participation "Nursing 2020 - trends, changes and future"

The scientific conference with international participation "Nursing 2020 - Trends, Changes and Future" was held in Piešťany from 20 to 21 April 2017. The conference, which was co-organized by the Pavol Jozef Šafárik University, Faculty of Medicine, Department of Nursing in Košice, brought knowledge from the scientific and research activities of nurses working in clinical practice. At the conference were published presentations focused on new trends in patient and healthcare worker safety in nursing care. A separate section was also focus on multicultural nursing. The proceedings of the conference were published on this occasion and are available at:

https://www.danubiushotels.com/inc/opendoc.php?fn=/w/hd/Piestany/denose/AED_ZBORNIK_Pieany_2017.pdf

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