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THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONFERENCE PRESENTATION SUBMISSIONS!



We want to acknowledge and thank you for the incredible number of presentation submissions we received for our 2018 conference, Reimagining the Future of Arts in Health. We cannot wait to begin the review process, and learn more about the wonderful work you have been doing in the field.

Submissions will be notified of acceptance or rejection on April 13, 2018.

IMPORTANT 2018 CONFERENCE DATES

Reimagining the Future of Arts in Health

OCTOBER 8 - 10
AUSTIN, TX

REGISTRATION OPENS: Monday, March 19, 2018

PRESENTERS NOTIFIED OF ACCEPTANCE/REJECTION: Friday, April 13, 2018

[SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS](#) CLOSE: Monday, April 30, 2018

EARLY BIRD PRICING DEADLINE: Friday, August 3, 2018

PRE-CONFERENCE DATE: 9 am – 4 pm, Sunday, October 7, 2018

OPENING RECEPTION: 7– 9:30 pm, Sunday, October 7, 2018

CONFERENCE DATES: Monday, October 8 – Wednesday, October 10, 2018

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SUMMER INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SANFORD HEALTH ARTS:

Summer Intern: Arts in Health

City: Vermillion

State: South Dakota

Summary: The Arts in Health Internship provides training and mentorship to bring arts and arts engagement sessions to the residents of Sanford Care Center Vermillion and Assisted Living facilities. Art facilitation is designed to support wellness to clients throughout the Sanford Vermillion Medical Center.

Select Qualifications:

- Creative, ability to improvise, friendly, flexible, patient demeanor and leadership abilities
- Volunteer, teaching or caregiving experience preferred
- Must be a Junior or Senior pursuing a Bachelor's Degree in Fine Arts, Health Science, Psychology, Communication or other applicable majors or an immediate graduate having received one of the previously listed majors.
- Must be able to commit to the hours scheduled during the 12 week internship.

[SEE FULL DESCRIPTION AND APPLY HERE](#)

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA CENTER FOR ARTS IN MEDICINE:

Arts in Medicine Interns

City: Gainesville

State: Florida

Summary: Students from any university can undertake internships with the Arts in Medicine Programs at UF. Internships can be focused either on arts in medicine practice or administration, and include a minimum commitment of twenty hours per week. Summer internships may vary in length from 12–16 weeks, and academic year internships are 16 weeks in length. Only master's degree students in an accredited academic program will be considered for art therapy internships. Students of the library sciences, arts, and health sciences may undertake internships in the Criser Cancer Resource Center at the UF Health Shands Cancer Hospital.

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COMMITTEE SPOTLIGHT:

Regional Network Committee

Chair: Dr. Alan Siegel

Mission: To identify and support regional arts in health networks.

Committee Description & Initiatives: The initial phase of the committee is to identify and create a database of regional networks, to explore how NOAH might serve their needs, and to support the formation of new networks. By focusing on regional networks, the committee hopes to increase awareness of fellow arts in health practitioners, and create stronger connections and collaborations across the country.

Want to be a part of the Regional Network Committee? NOAH Members can reach out to director@thenoah.net for more information!

FOUNDING MEMBER SPOTLIGHT:

Sanford Health Arts

Established in 2008, **Sanford Arts** is a part of Sanford Health's Integrative Medicine and offers arts-based, creative activities that engage patients with visual arts, live music, storytelling, journaling, theater, folk art, sculpture and Bottles of Hope. Sanford Arts educates artists about the unique circumstances and challenges found in the health care environment and patient care setting. Artists are then able to use this education and awareness to shape their work with participants.



The primary participants in the Sanford Arts program are patients that are receiving treatment in the Sanford Cancer Center, along with their family members and caregivers. Beyond the Cancer Center, the program makes an effort to work with anyone who is interested in the arts. Art



sessions have no cost to the participants and no time limit, which allows patients to get comfortable and experience the full creative process.

In partnership with the South Dakota Arts Council, Sanford Arts provides residencies for local artists. Sanford Arts also partners with universities to offer internships and research opportunities in the Sanford Cancer Center. Along with the employed staff in Sanford Arts, these talented artists consistently work with 9000 participants per year at the Sanford Cancer Center and Sanford USD Medical Center campus in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.



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