

The background of the slide is a vibrant, abstract composition of autumn-themed elements. It features a variety of overlapping leaves in shades of deep red, burnt orange, and golden yellow. Interspersed among the leaves are several semi-transparent circles in light blue, green, and white, creating a sense of depth and movement. The overall color palette is warm and inviting, typical of the fall season.

NCCCHA Newsletter

Fall 2018

Please join us for the 2018 NCCHA Annual Conference

Influencing Action & Cultivating Success

**November 7-9, 2018 at the Crown Plaza AIRE in
Minneapolis, MN**

- Register is open at: www.z.umn.edu/NCCHA2018
- See agenda here:
https://www.cme.umn.edu/sites/cme.umn.edu/files/nccha2018_agenda_8-28-18_w.o_tracks.pdf
- Book your hotel by October 17th to get the block rate. Hotel information is available at the site above in the Location tab.

Message from the NCCHA President!



Dear NCCHA members,

Hello fall, hello students, hello illness, hello crisis...I think there's a college health bedtime story in there somewhere.

I hope all of your semesters are off to a smooth, well resourced and fully staffed start. My name is Tara Girard and I am your unexpected current and future NCCHA President. Jen Sorenson, our former 2018 president, left college health this summer; we wish her the very best of luck! Her departure quickly advanced my role from President-elect to President. Luckily, she showed me some ropes before she left and I have fantastic board members to work with, so I am stumbling through okay.

I am the Health, Wellness and Counseling Director at Beloit College. We are a small, private liberal arts college in Beloit, WI.

Other than introducing myself, I wanted to put in a good plug for the NCCHA annual meeting, November 7-9 in Minneapolis, MN. The agenda is finalized and has a great assortment of health promotion, clinical and administrative sessions that have the planning committee very excited. Please check your budgets and register to join us if you are able. We hope to see you there!

Thanks again to the conference planning committee: Dr. Ann Laros (University of MN, Boynton Health); Heather Dale PA-C (Gustavus Adolphus College); and Laura Herbst-Johnson, MS, CHES (Gustavus Adolphus College) for all of their time and work in planning the meeting this year.

Please consider getting involved and do not hesitate to call or email if you have any questions or input.

See you in November!

Tara



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for the Annual Meeting
in Minneapolis/St. Paul



Explore **new strategies** for the implementation of evidence based **best practices** in student-centered healthcare. The annual meeting provides an opportunity for those engaged in college health to come together, **exchange knowledge** across disciplines, and **make connections**.

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Current NCCHA Board Members:

- Tara Girard, RN – President
- President Elect – VACANT
- Susan Thorson, RN-BC – Past President
- Heather Dale, PA-C –Treasurer
- Nissa Fell, RNCNP – Membership Coordinator
- Jessica Doty, RN – Newsletter Editor
- Erin Baldwin, MHA, MPH – Member-At-Large, IA
- Wendy Schuh, MA, MCHES Member-At-Large, MN
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- Brenda Andersen, CNP, MS Member-At-Large, SD
- Julie Martindale, MSN, RN NEA-BC - Member-At-Large, WI

Join the NCCHA Board

We are currently looking to fill the following position:

- President Elect!



Please contact a board member if you are interested in joining the NCCHA Board!

SCHOLARSHIPS

NCCHA offers conference scholarships to encourage and support attendance to the annual NCCHA meeting and the national ACHA meeting.

2019 ACHA Meeting in Denver, CO Scholarship applications are due by **January 15, 2019.**



NCCHA supports the work of student groups to promote projects and programs that apply to College Health.

Applications for Spring 2019 grant funding is due by November 1, 2018.

Send your application to Laura Herbst-Johnson at: lherbstj@gustavus.edu

Link to application is here:

https://www.acha.org/app_themes/NCCHA/documents/NCCHA_Student_Grant_Guidelines_2018.pdf

Student Grant Opportunities

Share your news!

Please send any college health retirements, deaths, or celebrations to honor those who have worked in the college health field!

Announcements can be sent to Jessica.doty@und.edu