
WCCHSE Chair Report for the 2022-2023 AGM

Thank you to our 2022-23 executive team, we all stepped into various roles to keep the momentum going during busy times. Thank you as well for your support as I transitioned into the role of chair. WCCHSE embodies the ideas of shared leadership, collaboration, and teamwork, I am grateful to be part of this community.

Land Acknowledgment

“We would like to acknowledge that our province of British Columbia is located on the homelands of 203 distinct Indigenous nations and cultures; with over 30 different languages and close to 60 unique dialects spoken in the province. We ask all people to reflect, acknowledge and honour in their own way the First Nation land on which they live, work and play.”

Work from the 2023 AGM –

1. Virtual Workshop May 19, 2023:

WCCHSE’s strength is bringing diverse groups of healthcare providers together to share perspectives, resources, ideas, and work towards - “revolutionizing experiential learning in health sciences.” Despite the increasingly busy year we managed to keep this going with a virtual workshop led by Nicole Harder. It was a dynamic session and timely conversation about “reimagining clinical competency achievement in the health professions.” We had a total of 135 registrants with 85 in attendance. The feedback survey had a low response rate, but the feedback was good, with recognition of the need for this timely conversation. Thank you to the entire executive team who all pulled together and participated in the planning for this event. Specifically, I want to recognize Connie Evans and Sarah Neville for hosting and facilitating the event using BCIT’s Zoom. Paula Stubbings for co-facilitating and monitoring the chat. Shannon Keyser for promoting the workshop on the WCCHSE website and setting up and handling the event registration using Eventbrite.

2. Website Updates:

- a. Thank you Connie Evans, for creating a summary of past WCCHSE events which will be added to the WCCHSE website. This will allow prospective members and others to see the high-quality events that have been put on by WCCHSE in the past.
- b. Information from the virtual workshop held May 19, 2023 (Nicole Harder’s PowerPoint and Zoom chat from the event) will be added to the WCCHSE portal as a resource for WCCHSE members.

3. WCCHSE Collaborations:

WCCHSE has had ongoing talks with BCSN this year. We have highlighted each of our strengths - BCSN's community of practice, WCCHSE's conferences & workshops. Moving forward we will promote each other on our respective websites and attend and report back to the larger group on BCSN meetings and areas for collaboration. There is a shared sentiment among both groups to collaborate and not duplicate each other’s work.

4. **WCCHSE 2024 Conference:**

There is a potential venue for an in-person conference in 2024 which will be announced at the next WCCHSE meeting in June. We look towards the 2025 WCCHSE conference on Vancouver Island or UBC.

I look forward to the coming 2023/24 year and WCCHSE's growth and development in new directions. I am certain that WCCHSE has a lot to contribute in challenging times, through its values of community, teamwork, and collaboration. I look forward to another great year with WCCHSE!

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