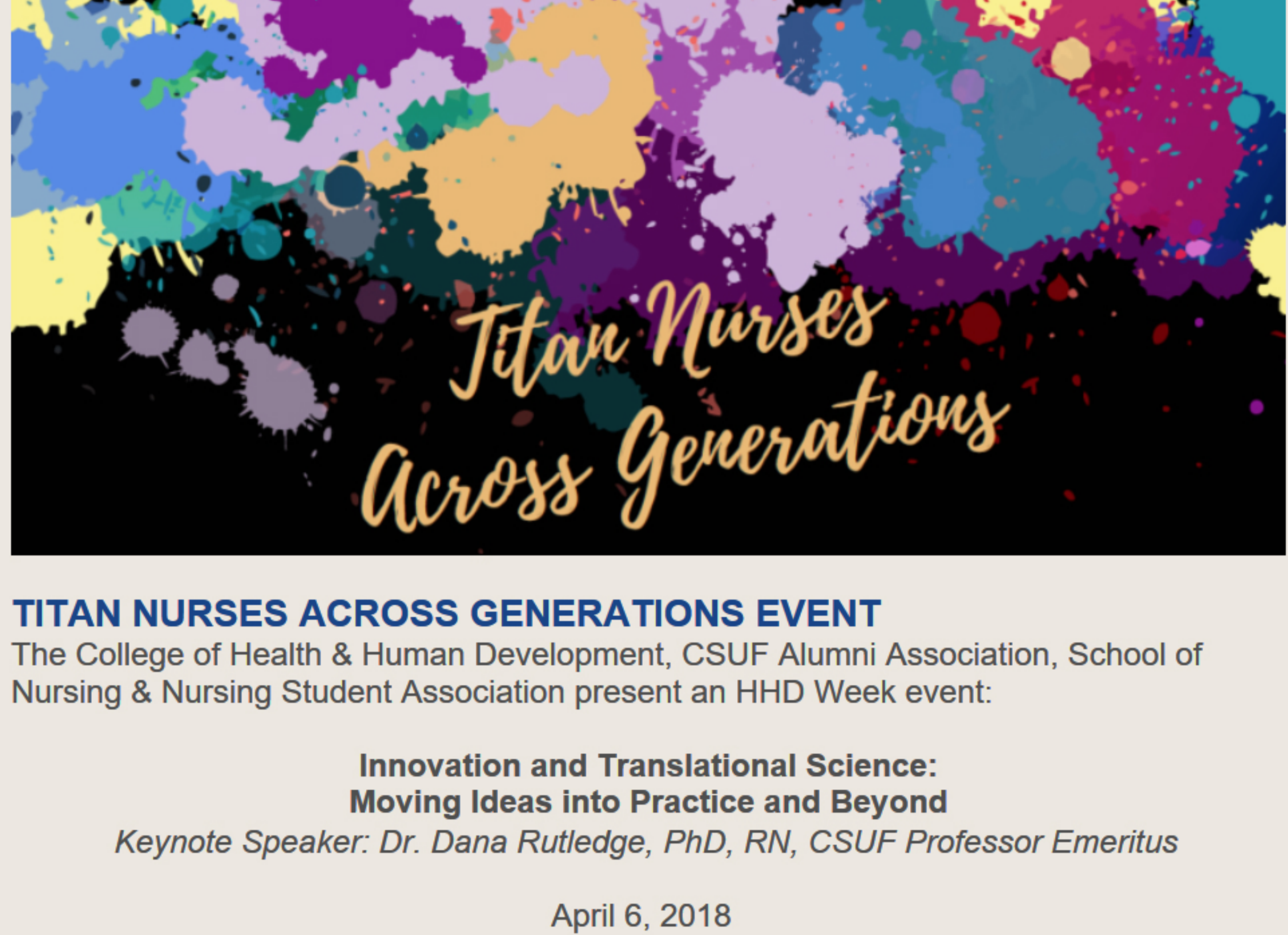


**NEWS & EVENTS**



**TITAN NURSES ACROSS GENERATIONS EVENT**

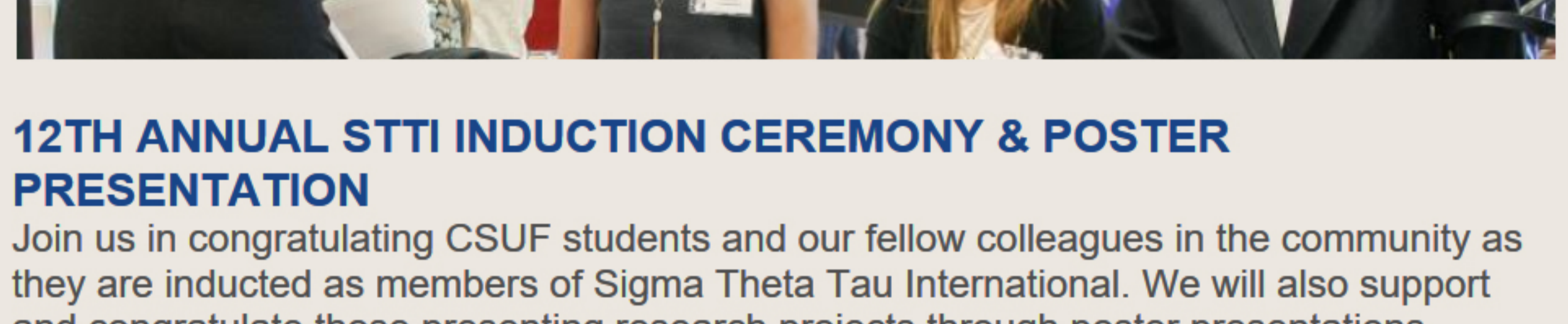
The College of Health & Human Development, CSUF Alumni Association, School of Nursing & Nursing Student Association present an HHD Week event:

**Innovation and Translational Science:  
Moving Ideas into Practice and Beyond**

*Keynote Speaker: Dr. Dana Rutledge, PhD, RN, CSUF Professor Emeritus*

April 6, 2018  
5:30pm - 8:30pm  
TSU Little Theatre  
Networking Reception at 5:30pm  
Program begins at 6:15pm

**RSVP**



**12TH ANNUAL STTI INDUCTION CEREMONY & POSTER PRESENTATION**

Join us in congratulating CSUF students and our fellow colleagues in the community as they are inducted as members of Sigma Theta Tau International. We will also support and congratulate those presenting research projects through poster presentations.

Saturday, April 21, 2018  
Knott's Berry Farm Hotel

[More details coming...](#)

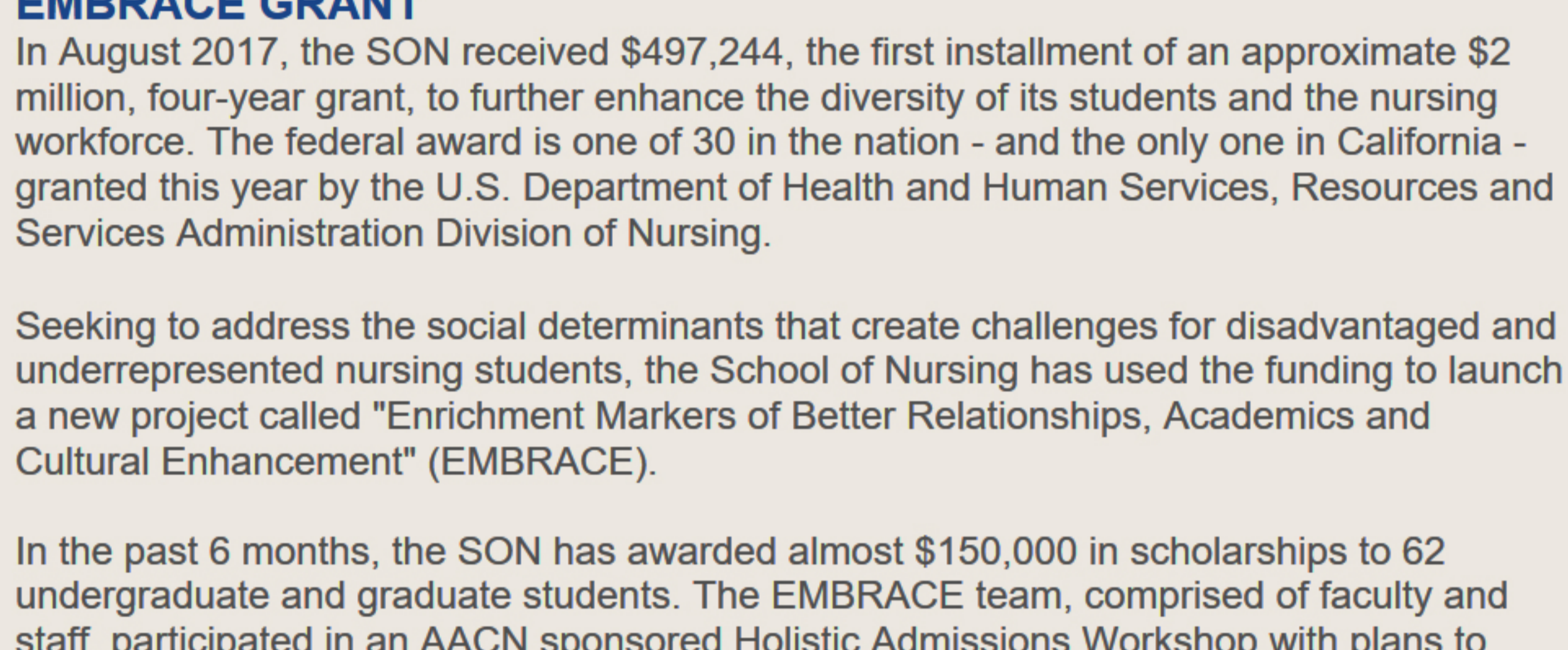


**GOVERNOR'S SIGNATURE GIVES NURSING PILOT PROGRAM PERMANENCE**

With the recent signing of Assembly Bill 422, Gov. Jerry Brown has not only allowed the five-year pilot program offered by the Southern California CSU DNP Consortium - representing CSU campuses Fullerton, Long Beach and Los Angeles - to continue, but also allowed for all CSU campuses to establish Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP) programs.

Within the Southern California CSU DNP Consortium, the program will expand with the addition of a new concentration: nurse anesthesia. The CSUF School of Nursing currently offers a concentration in nurse anesthesia as part of the master's degree program. That program will be phased out to meet the new requirements of the Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia to transition to the doctoral level. [Read more...](#)

**GRANT NEWS**



**EMBRACE GRANT**

In August 2017, the SON received \$497,244, the first installment of an approximate \$2 million, four-year grant, to further enhance the diversity of its students and the nursing workforce. The federal award is one of 30 in the nation - and the only one in California - granted this year by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Resources and Services Administration Division of Nursing.

Seeking to address the social determinants that create challenges for disadvantaged and underrepresented nursing students, the School of Nursing has used the funding to launch a new project called "Enrichment Markers of Better Relationships, Academics and Cultural Enhancement" (EMBRACE).

In the past 6 months, the SON has awarded almost \$150,000 in scholarships to 62 undergraduate and graduate students. The EMBRACE team, comprised of faculty and staff, participated in an AACN sponsored Holistic Admissions Workshop with plans to revise admission requirements and processes for all programs. A Nurse Coach and Learning Specialist were hired and are providing new avenues of support for nursing students. Additionally, all SON faculty and staff are participating in a year-long cultural humility training series. [Read more...](#)



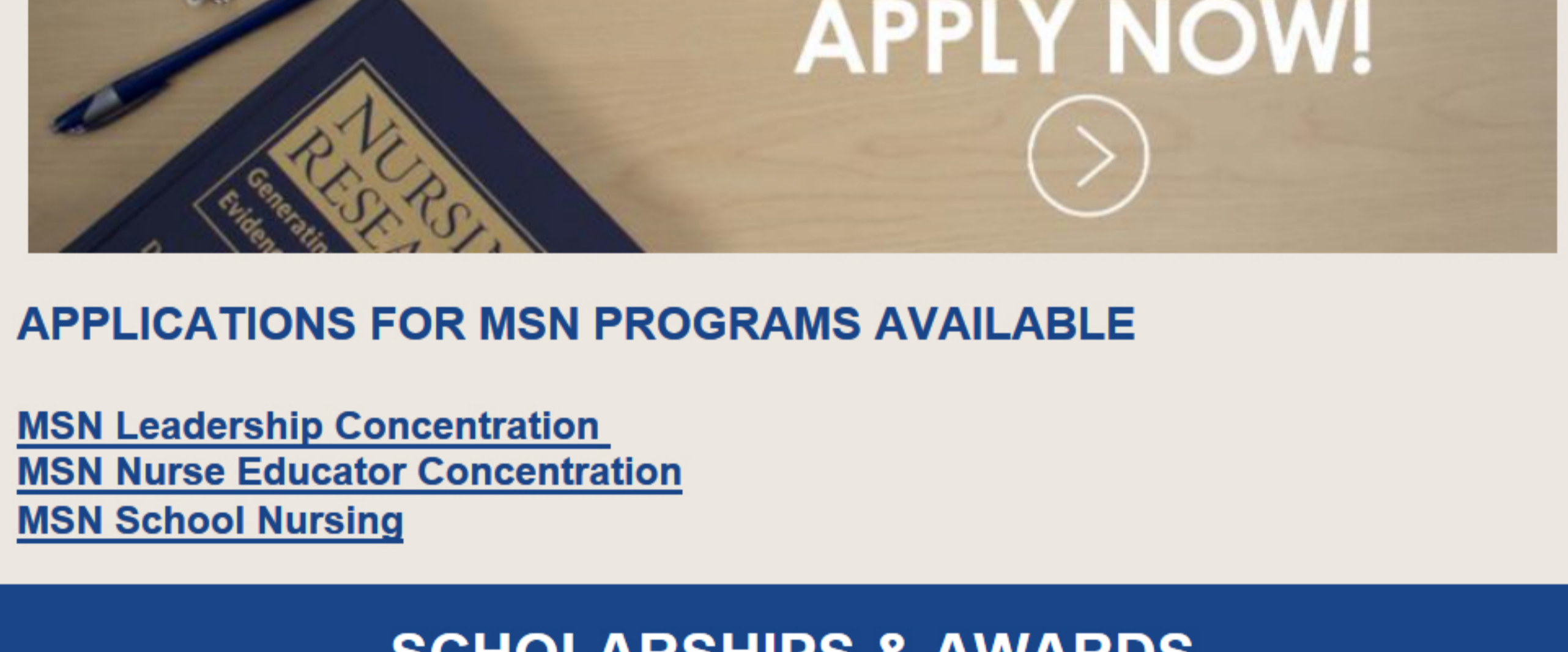
**RURAL-WOMANS GRANT**

This academic year the "Rural - Women of the Mountains Accessing New Services (Rural-WOMANS)" Project has been launched through a two-year federal grant expected to total \$1.04 million. Year one funding from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, is \$698,801.

The Rural WOMANS grant has allowed for the development of a new partnership between the SON and Mountains Community Hospital and Rural Health Clinics. This partnership gives students the opportunity to complete clinical rotations in rural and underserved communities which not only enhances student learning but also expands women's health services in areas of need.

To date, almost \$120,000 in traineeship money has been disbursed to students completing immersive clinical experiences in rural and underserved communities. Funding has also been used to enhance the curriculum adding content in rural health, psychiatric and mental health issues, and health literacy. [Read more...](#)

**ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT**



**NURSING ALUMNI SPOTLIGHT**  
**Rosette Martinez**  
MSN-Leadership 2008

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**ROSETTE MARTINEZ, MSN-LEADERSHIP 2008 GRADUATE**

I come from a family of Titans. My husband, daughter, mother, sister in-law and countless other friends and family are graduates of California State University, Fullerton. The lessons I learned while taking courses like Theoretical Basis of Leadership, Nursing Research and Vulnerable Populations were great, but were only part of the curriculum. I also learned discipline, prioritization and focus. I was able to immediately put into practice all the coursework from the Leadership Program. After completing my Master's Degree, I decided it was time to take on more challenges within the nursing field. [Read more...](#)



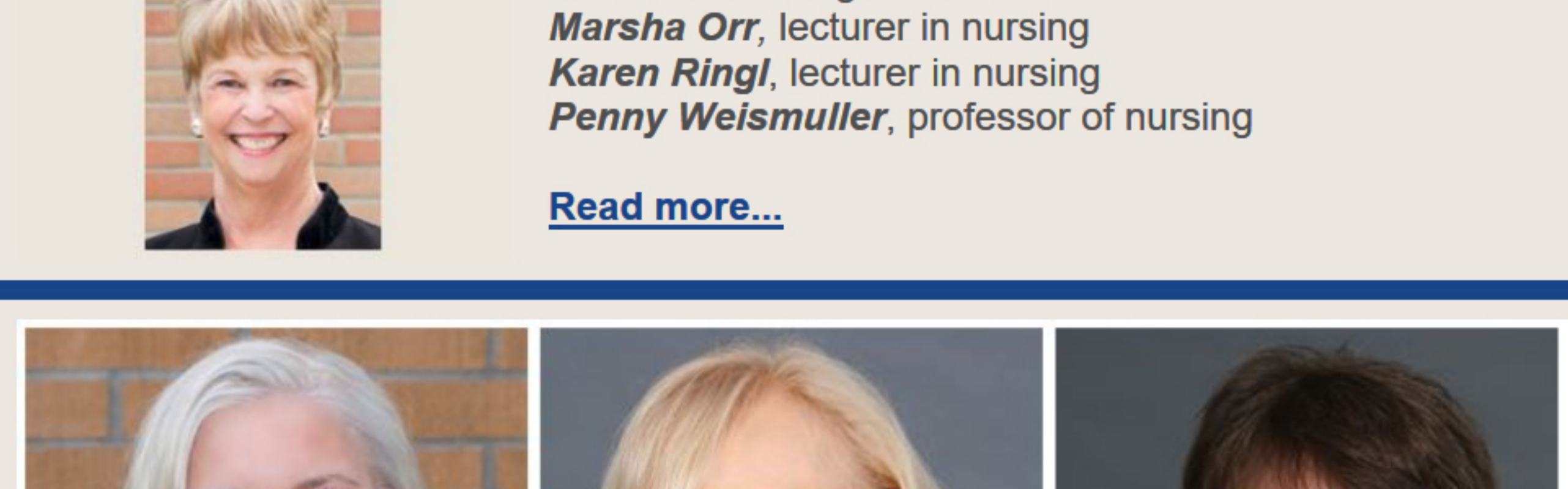
**APPLICATIONS FOR MSN PROGRAMS AVAILABLE**

- [MSN Leadership Concentration](#)
- [MSN Nurse Educator Concentration](#)
- [MSN School Nursing](#)

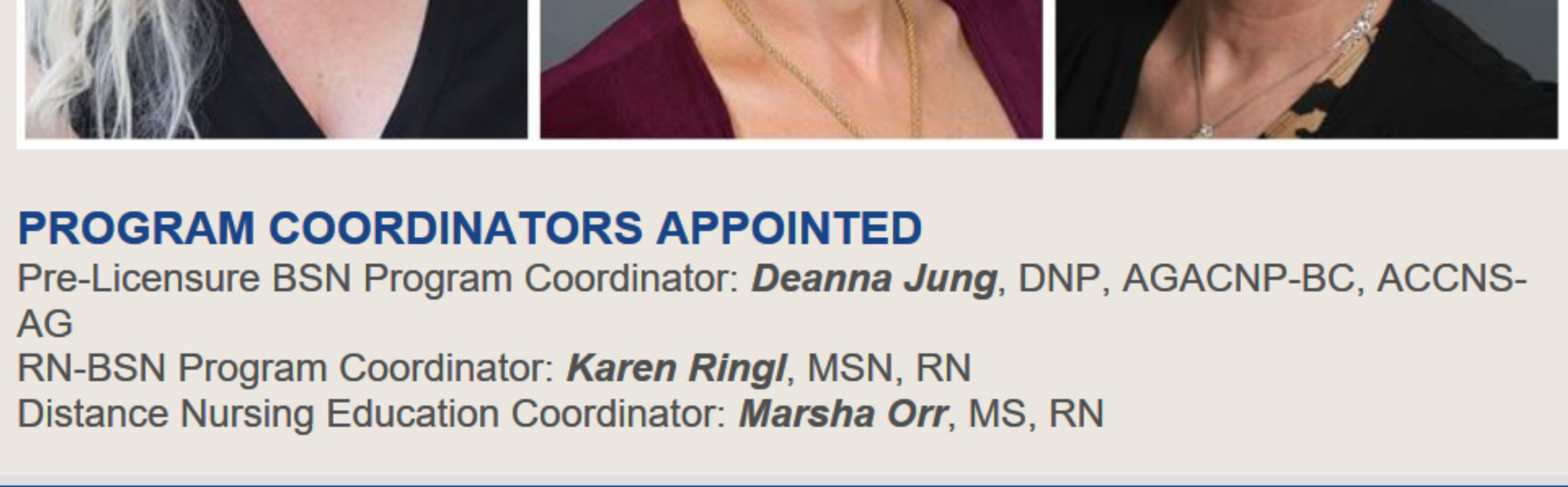
**SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS**

**2018 DAISY AWARD NOMINATIONS DUE APRIL 15**

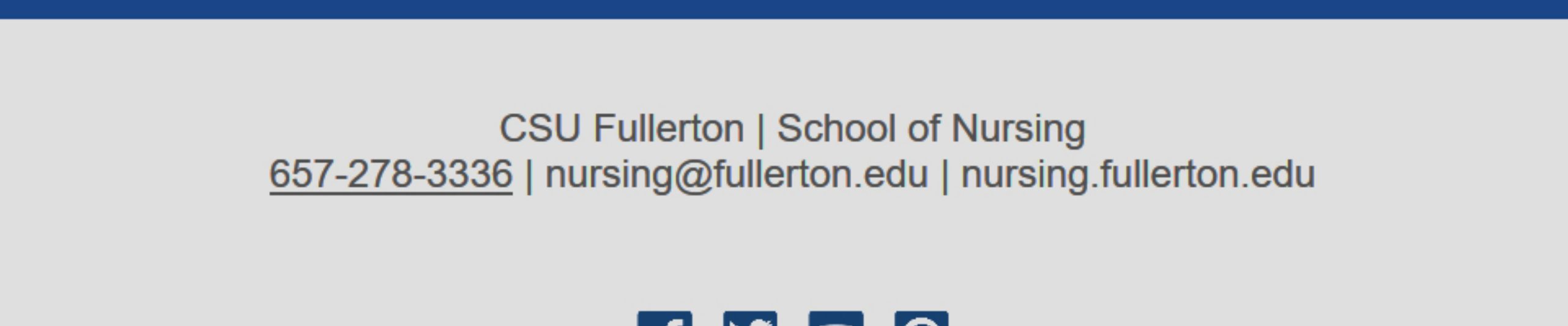
Students, faculty, administrators and others are invited to nominate a deserving CSUF nursing member by submitting the online [DAISY Faculty Award nomination form](#).



Faculty, patients, coworkers, preceptors and others are invited to nominate a deserving CSUF Student Nurse by submitting the online [DAISY In Training student award nomination form](#).



**FACULTY NEWS**



**NEW TENURE-TRACK FACULTY**

Three new Tenure-Track Faculty started with the School of Nursing for the 2017-2018 Academic Year.

- Sharrica Miller**, PhD, CPNP-PC, RN
- Jutara Srivali Teal**, DNP, MTOM, RN, L.Ac.
- Kristina Fortes**, DNP, FNP-BC, RN

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**CAMPUS HONORS EFFORTS SUPPORTING STUDENTS, CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY**



To receive this honor, faculty members must have a record of extraordinary and sustained service during the last three years and should exceed the normal expectations of faculty, explained Erika Bowers, director of the Faculty Development Center, which is sponsoring the event with the Division of Academic Affairs.

School of Nursing Honorees:  
**Marsha Orr**, lecturer in nursing  
**Karen Ringl**, lecturer in nursing  
**Penny Weismuller**, professor of nursing

[Read more...](#)



**PROGRAM COORDINATORS APPOINTED**

- Pre-Licensure BSN Program Coordinator: **Deanna Jung**, DNP, AGACNP-BC, ACCNS-AG
- RN-BSN Program Coordinator: **Karen Ringl**, MSN, RN
- Distance Nursing Education Coordinator: **Marsha Orr**, MS, RN

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