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1. Education

INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	DEGREE	MM/YYYY	FIELD OF STUDY
University of Utah	Doctor of Philosophy	08/2011	Nursing Research
Brigham Young University	Bachelor of Science	04/1985	Nursing
Brigham Young University	Associate of Science	04/1983	Nursing

2. Professional Experience

Academic Positions

INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	TITLE	YEARS OF SERVICE
Brigham Young University, Provo UT	Professor	August 1, 2021-Present
Brigham Young University, Provo UT	Associate Dean Undergraduate Studies	June 1, 2017-June 30, 2020
Brigham Young University, Provo UT	Associate Professor	2016-2021
Brigham Young University, Provo UT	Assistant Professor	2010-2016
Brigham Young University, Provo UT	Adjunct Faculty	2009-2010

Professional Positions

INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	SPECIALTY/ROLE	YEARS OF SERVICE
Intermountain Health, UT	Research Consultant <i>responsible for designing, implementing, and conducting nursing research for staff nurses and leaders at Intermountain Health</i>	2010- Present
Intermountain Healthcare – Urban South Region, Provo, UT	Nursing Practice and Research Coordinator <i>member of region nursing leadership team, lead region and system-wide improvement teams, Magnet recognition coordinator and author of Magnet application, initiated region-wide practice council</i>	2004-2010
Intermountain Healthcare – Urban South Region, Provo, UT	Nursing Policy and IRB Coordinator <i>Member of system wide collaborative practice guideline team-initiated IRB education, standardized policies, and electronic IRB system, vice chairman of region IRB, drafted system bioterrorism education following 9/11</i>	1999-2004
Intermountain Healthcare – Urban South Region, Provo, UT	Quality and Infection Prevention Consultant <i>Created system-wide infection prevention team, including standard orientation for infection Preventionists and standardized policies and procedures. Consultant for quality and infection prevention for hospitals across the system.</i>	1994-1999
Intermountain Healthcare – Urban South Region, Provo, UT	Research Coordinator <i>created a care process model for normal vaginal delivery</i>	1993-1994
Intermountain Healthcare – Primary Children’s Hospital, Salt Lake City, UT	Clinical Specialist <i>responsible for the quality and safety of nursing care on children’s medical surgical unit</i>	1992-1993
Intermountain Healthcare – Primary Children’s Hospital, Salt Lake City, UT	Infection Preventionist and Employee Health Nurse <i>initiated standard/universal precautions throughout the hospital in the area of the introduction HIV into healthcare populations, created and directed unit infection control unit coordinators</i>	1985-1992
Intermountain Healthcare – Primary Children’s Hospital, Salt Lake City, UT	Registered Nurse <i>provided direct care for patients on children’s medical unit</i>	1983-1985

INSTITUTION AND LOCATION	SPECIALTY/ROLE	YEARS OF SERVICE
Intermountain Healthcare – Primary Children’s Hospital, Salt Lake City, UT	Licensed Practical Nurse <i>provided direct care for patients on children’s medical unit</i>	1982-1983

3. Citizenship Experience

INSTITUTION	TITLE/ROLE	YEARS OF SERVICE
Professional Citizenship		
American Academy of Nursing	Member	2023-Present
	Fellow	2023-Present
	Emerging Infectious Disease Panel Vice Chair	2024-Present
American Nurses Association	Member	1983-Present
	Scope and Standards Task Force	2014-2015
	Congress of Nursing Practice	1994-1998
Utah Nurses Association	Member	1983-Present
	District One Board Member	1989-1992
	2 nd Vice President	1992-1995
	Chairman Congress of Nursing Practice	1995
	Editor <i>Utah Nurse</i>	1995
	District Three Board Member	1993-1998
Association for Leadership Science in Nursing (formerly Council for	Member	2011-2020

INSTITUTION	TITLE/ROLE	YEARS OF SERVICE
Graduate Education in Nursing Administration (CGEAN)	Membership Committee	2012-2019
	Leadership Succession Committee	2013-2014
	Abstract Reviewer	2014
American Organization for Nursing Leadership (American Organization of Nurse Executives)	Member	2005-2021
	Research Committee	2012-2014
Western Institute of Nursing	Program Committee Chair	2018-2020
	Program Committee	2015-2021
	Abstract Reviewer	2011-2022
	Member	2007-Present
National League of Nursing	Member	2010-Present
	Ambassador to BYU College of Nursing	2012-2013
Association for Practitioners in Infection Control	Certification in Infection Control	2020 - Present <i>(Previously certified 1987-2002)</i>
	Member	1985-1998; 2012-Present
	Education co-chair Utah Chapter	2015-2018
	Research Board member Utah Chapter	2019-Present

INSTITUTION	TITLE/ROLE	YEARS OF SERVICE
	Research Committee – National	2022-2023
	Research Advisory Panel National	2024-Present
Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America	Member	2019-Present
	Research Committee	2020-2023
Phi Kappa Phi	Member	2011-Present
Sigma Theta Tau International	Member	2007-Present

University Citizenship		
General Education Redesign Committee	Member	2020-2022
International Services Program	Member	2018-June 30, 2020
University Curriculum Council	Member	2017- June 30, 2020
University Advisement Council	Member	2017- June 30, 2020
Faculty General Education Council	Member	2015-2021 & Fall 2023
Academic Technology Advisory Council	Member	2012-2016
College Citizenship		
Rank and Status Council	Member	Fall 2024
Beacon of Light Task Force	Member	2024-Present
Graduate Academic Council	Member	2024-Present

Research and Evidence-based Practice Council	Chair	2020-2023
Infection Prevention Specialist	Consultant	2020-Present
Workload Task Force	Member	2020-2022
Evaluation Council	Member	2010-Present
	Chair	2012-2017
Faculty Development Council	Member	2012- June 30, 2020
Scholarly Work and Contribution to the Discipline Council	Member	2010-2013
Futures Task Force	Member	2017-2019
Undergraduate Academic Council	Chair	2017- June 30, 2020
	Member	2021-2023
College Coordinating Council	Member	2017-2023

Other Professional Service

TITLE	TITLE/ROLE	YEARS OF SERVICE
Boy Scouts of America	Troup 475 Committee Chairman	2010-2014

4. Teaching (all courses taught at Brigham Young University)

UNDERGRADUATE COURSES TAUGHT	YEARS TAUGHT
Nursing 372 Clinical Practicum for Patients with Chronic Conditions	2025-Present
UNIV 101 Foundations for a BYU Education	2024-Present
Nursing 361 Nursing Care of Children and Families	2021-2023

Nursing 320 Scholarly Inquiry in Nursing	2010-2017
Nursing 339 Ethics in Nursing	2014-2016 2020-2023
Nursing 390R New Student Orientation	2017- 2020
Nursing 491 Nursing Capstone	2010-2016
Nursing 492 Clinical Practice Capstone Nursing	2010-2016, 2019 2020-2021
STDEV214/N505 Interprofessional Education for the Health Professions	2014-Present
N390R Career Strategies for Nurses (online)	2019- 2020

GRADUATE COURSES TAUGHT	YEARS TAUGHT
Nursing 614 Quality Improvement, Safety and Evidence Based Practice	2025-Present
Nursing 614 Epidemiology and Biostatistics	2023
Nursing 601 Translating Evidence into Practice	2020-2021
Nursing 609 Quality Improvement and Safety	2014-2020
Nursing 623 Evidence Based Writing-1	2015-Present
Nursing 699R Master's Thesis	2015-Present

Student Mentoring - Undergraduate

Student name	Year	Honors Thesis, ORCA, MEG	Faculty Contribution	Publication/Presentation
Kayleigh Stone	2023-2024	Public Health Prospectus	Co-advisor	Handwashing in the NICU
Sarah Samaniego	2023	Global Women's Studies	Capstone Advisor	Gender Bias in Healthcare

Student name	Year	Honors Thesis, ORCA, MEG	Faculty Contribution	Publication/Presentation
Gabby Sutton	2021-2024	Experiential	Advisor	Autism Friendly Environment
Tess Kammerman	2021-2022	Experiential	Advisor	Autism Friendly Environment
Sarah Jenson & 5 others	2019-2023	Experiential	Advisor	Nurses Empowering Women
Chresten Armstrong	2020-2021	Experiential	Advisor	Antibiotic Stewardship
Electra Cochran	2019-2020	Experiential	Advisor	Global Women's Studies and Nursing
Emma Beaumont	2019-2020	Experiential	Advisor	Global Women's Studies and Nursing
Harper Forsgren	2019-2020	Experiential	Advisor	Global Women's Studies and Nursing
Alexis Yerkes	2018-2019	Experiential	Advisor	Nurses description of antibiotic stewardship
Lila Evans	2018-2019	Experiential	Advisor	Nurses description of antibiotic stewardship
Elina Chin	2018	Honors Thesis	Committee Member	Student Perspectives on Working in Interdisciplinary Teams to Improve Health
Emily Graham	2016-2017	Project	Advisor	The use of sunscreen in college aged students
Jonathan Jacobs	2017 - 2018	ORCA	Advisor	The effects of an Interprofessional course on student perceptions of Interprofessional readiness
Abigail Wilkerson	2016	ORCA	Advisor	The effectiveness of nursing councils
Brooke Holman	2016	ORCA	Advisor	The use of pre-hire simulation for new graduate nurses
Steven Winert	2016	Experiential	Supervisor	The role of the charge nurse
Taylor Wynn	2016	Experiential	Supervisor	End of Life Care
Klint Metcalf	2016 2017	Experiential ORCA	Supervisor Advisor	Palliative Care
Braidee Adams	2015	ORCA	Advisor	Nurses knowledge and attitudes towards urinary catheter care protocols

Student name	Year	Honors Thesis, ORCA, MEG	Faculty Contribution	Publication/Presentation
Brianna Berg	2015	ORCA	Advisor	The effect of using electronic orientation materials to teach nursing shared governance principles
Maribelle Burris	2013	ORCA	Advisor	Central line dressing change compliance
Arlene Johnston	2013	ORCA	Advisor	Students' knowledge, skills, and attitudes of Quality, Safety and Education in Nursing. Presented at Quality and Safety Education for Nurses in Atlanta Georgia.
Charity Rowley	2013	ORCA	Advisor	The influence of Charge Nurses on Patient Safety. Presented at Utah Conference for Undergraduate Research.
Arielle Chambers	2011	ORCA	Advisor	The Stress of Charge Nurses in Acute Care Hospitals BYU College of Nursing Conference

Student Mentoring - Graduate

Student Name	Semester/ Year	Mentoring Opportunities	Faculty Contribution	Publication/Presentation
Jacie Prince Katelin Johnson Derek Sorensen	2024- Present	Project	Chair	Antibiotic Stewardship in ambulatory care
Sunnie Nield	2022- 2024	Thesis	Committee Member	Medication error support for Nurse Practitioners

Student Name	Semester/ Year	Mentoring Opportunities	Faculty Contribution	Publication/Presentation
Emily Santillion	2022- 2024	Project	Chair	Autism Friendly Environment
Kealoha Kagawa	2021- 2023	Thesis	Chair	Mental Health Literacy in Polynesians
Elizabeth Kerr	2020- 2022	Graduate Paper	Chair	Navigating the Cold and Flu Aisle
Denae Tittensor	2019- 2020	Graduate Project	Chair	Antibiotic Stewardship education for FNPs
Addie Amini	2019- 2020	Graduate Project	Committee Member	Education for FNPs about e-cigarettes
Aubrey Burton	2017	Graduate Project	Committee Member	Interprofessional Education
Morgan Bateman	2017- 2018	Graduate Paper	Chair	Assessment and treatment of chronic pain: The role of the family nurse practitioner
Robert Hamilton	2017- 2018	Graduate Thesis	Chair	The knowledge and attitudes of nurse practitioners about antibiotic stewardship
Barrett Raymond	2017	Grant	Co-Author	Elaine Dyer \$5,000.00 grant funded <i>Completed</i>
Barrett Raymond	2016	Graduate Thesis	Chair	Nicotine concentration in e-cigarettes: Comparison of labeled vs. measured content <i>Completed</i>

Student Name	Semester/ Year	Mentoring Opportunities	Faculty Contribution	Publication/Presentation
Valynn Haslam	2016	Graduate Thesis	Chair	Prescribing practices for opioids following surgery <i>Completed</i>
Julie Cope	2015	Grant	Co-author	Interdisciplinary teamwork in acute rehabilitation. Elaine Dyer \$5,000.00 grant funded Graduate Student Research Fellowship \$15,000.00 funded <i>Completed</i>
Leslie Huggins	2015	Graduate Thesis	Committee	Vaccination status of NICU graduates <i>Completed</i>
Julie Cope	2014	Graduate Thesis	Chair	Interdisciplinary teamwork in acute rehabilitation departments. <i>Completed</i>
Robin Ellis	2014	Graduate Project	Committee	Fieldwork study: Mental Health America. Completed Dec. 2014

5. Scholarship/Creative Works

Research Focus: Improvement science related to patient safety.

My interest is in improving the safety and quality of healthcare. I am particularly interested in nurse-sensitive outcomes such as healthcare-acquired infections and nursing-related patient safety measures related to improving healthcare outcomes.

Scholarly Publications

Peer-Reviewed Blinded Articles (* Undergraduate Student **Graduate student)

Kwon, J. H., Advani, S. D., Branch-Elliman, W., Braun, B. I., Cheng, V. C., Chiotos, K., Douglas, P., Gohil, S. K., Keller, S. C., Klein, E. Y., Krein, S. L., Lofgren, E. T., **Merrill, K.**, Moehring, R. W., Monsees, E., Perri, L., Scaggs Huang, F., Shelly, M. A., Skelton, F., Spivak, E. S., ... Mody, L. (2024). A call to action: the SHEA research agenda to combat healthcare-associated infections. *Infection control and hospital epidemiology*, 45(9), 1–18. Advance online publication. <https://doi-org.byu.idm.oclc.org/10.1017/ice.2024.125>

Merrill, K., Cervantes, D., Hebden, J. N., Pogorzelska-Maziarz, M., Piatek, D., Monsees, E., & Hessels, A. (2024). Infection preventionists in public health, consultant and

academic roles: Results from the 2020 APIC MegaSurvey. *American Journal of Infection Control*, 52(3), 261-266. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ajic.2023.09.001>

Snow, K.S.R., **Merrill, K.**, Macintosh, J., Thomas, M., & Miles, L. (2024). Mental health literacy in Polynesian native Hawaiian and other Pacific islanders. *International Journal of Mental Health Nursing*. 33(3), 683-692. <https://doi.org/10.1111/inm.13275>

Harward, N., Sumner, S., & **Merrill, K.** (2023). Nephrology nurses and infection preventionists: Working together to improve quality. *Nephrology Nursing Journal*, 50(6), 479-482. <https://doi.org/10.37526/1526-744X.2023.50.6.XXX>.

Edwards, E., **Merrill, K.**, & Luthy, K.E. (2023). Navigating the cold and flu aisle: What nurse practitioners need to know. *Journal of Nurse Practitioners*, 19(10), DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nurpra.2023.104770>.

Stricklin, M.H., Ashby, N., & **Merrill, K.** (2023). Advancing professional nursing practice at the bedside: Five nurses' stories. *Nursing Management* (Springhouse), 54(3), 28-35. | <https://doi.org/10.1097/01.NUMA.0000919072.02509.af>

Hunsaker, S., Garrett, L., **Merrill, K.** & Rhodes, R. (2023) Meeting patients where they are: A nurse-driven quality improvement project to provide influenza vaccinations in the Emergency Department. *Journal of Emergency Nursing*, 49(4), 553-563.e3. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jen.2023.02.002>

Thomas, D., & **Merrill, K. C.** (2023). Meeting theory-to-practice gaps? Evaluation of new graduates. *Journal for Nurses in Professional Development*, 39(5), E168-E173. <https://doi.org/10.1097/NND.0000000000000847>

Merrill, K., Piatek, D., & Hebden, J. (2022). Journal club: Remote infection control assessments in long-term care facilities during COVID-19 pandemic in Texas, 2020. *American Journal of Infection Control*, 50(12), 1398-1400. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ajic.2022.09.023>.

Mody, L., Akinboyo, I. C., Babcock, H. M., Bischoff, W. E., Cheng, V. C., Chiotos, K., Claeys, K. C., Coffey, K. C., Diekema, D. J., Donskey, C. J., Ellingson, K. D., Gilmartin, H. M., Gohil, S. K., Harris, A. D., Keller, S. C., Klein, E. Y., Krein, S. L., Kwon, J. H., Lauring, A. S., Livorsi, D. J., ... SHEA Research Committee (2022). Coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) research agenda for healthcare epidemiology. *Infection control and hospital epidemiology*, 43(2), 156–166. <https://doi.org/10.1017/ice.2021.25>

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<https://doi.org/10.1097/JXX.0000000000000467>

Christensen A, Miller K, Neff J, Moore RA, Hirschi S, **Collette-Merrill K.** (2020). The effect of dyad rounding on collaboration and patient experience. *Nursing Management*, 51(1),16-25. <https://doi.org/10.1097/01.NUMA.0000617052.03686.74>

Merrill, K.C., Hanson, S.F., Sumner, S., Vento, T., Veillette, J., & Webb, B. (2019). Antimicrobial stewardship: Staff nurse knowledge and attitudes. *American Journal of Infection Control*, 47(10), 1219-1224. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ajic.2019.03.022>

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Raymond, B. **, **Merrill, K.C.**, Harrison, R., Jarvis, S. & Rasmussen, R. (2018). The nicotine content of a sample of e-cigarette liquid manufactured in the United States *Journal of Addiction Medicine*, 12(2), 127-131.

<https://doi.org/10.1097/ADM.0000000000000376>

Sumner, S., Forsyth, S., **Merrill, K.C.**, Taylor, C., Vento, T., Veillette, J., & Webb, B. (2018). Antibiotic stewardship: The role of nurses and nurse educators. *Nursing Education Today*. 60, 157-160. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nedt.2017.10.011>

Livingston, E. & **Merrill, K.C.** (2018). Effectiveness of integrative restoration iRest yoga nidra on mindfulness, sleep, and pain in health care workers. *Holistic Nursing Practice*, 32(3), 160-166. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1097/HNP.0000000000000266>

Whitt, K. J., Eden, L., **Merrill, K. C.**, & Hughes, M. (2017). Nursing student experiences regarding safe use of electronic health records: A pilot study of the safety and assurance factors for EHR resilience guides. *CIN: Computers, Informatics, Nursing*, 35(1), 45-53.

<https://doi.org/10.1097/CIN.0000000000000291>

Macintosh, J. L. B, Huggins, ** L. J., Eden, L. M., **Merrill, K. C.** & Luthy, K. E. (2017). Immunization status of NICU graduates at a tertiary care children's hospital. *Advances in Neonatal Care*, 17(2): E3-E9. <https://doi.org/10.1097/ANC.0000000000000357>

Macintosh, J. L. B., Luthy, K. E., **Merrill, K. C.**, Beckstrand, R. L., Eden, L. M., & Wright, E. L. * (2016). Vaccination perceptions of urban school employees. *Journal for Nurse Practitioners*, 12(7), 438-444. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nurpra.2016.05.014>

Collette-Merrill, K. (2015). Leadership style and patient safety: Implications for nurse managers. *Journal of Nursing Administration*, 45(6), 319-324.
Doi:10.1097/NNA.0000000000000207

Collette-Merrill, K. (2015). Is this quality improvement or research? *American Nurse Today*, 10(4).

Collette-Merrill, K., Sumner, S., Linford, L., Taylor, C. & Macintosh, C. (2014). Impact of universal disinfectant cap implementation on central line-associated bloodstream infections. *American Journal of Infection Control*, 42(12), 1274-1277.
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.ajic.2014.09.008>

Collette-Merrill, K., Pepper, G., & Blegen, M. (2013). Managerial span of control: A pilot study comparing department complexity and number of direct reports. *Nursing Leadership*, 26(3), 53-67.

Collette-Merrill, K. (2011). Developing an effective quantitative research proposal. *Journal of Infusion Nursing*, 34 (3), 181-186. doi: 10.1097/NAN.0b013e3182117204.

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Collette, K (2007). Improving IRB response time, *IRB advisor*, January, 2007.

Christenson, J.C., **Collette, K.** (1990). Pertussis isolation scoring system. Usefulness in a pediatric hospital. *American Journal of Infection Control*, 18 (2), 141.

Collette-Nederhand, K., Solon, J., Conner, S.C. (1989). Respiratory syncytial virus: A nursing perspective. *Pediatric Nursing*, 5(4), 342-346.

Peer-Reviewed Books

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Non Peer-Reviewed Articles

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Collette-Merrill, K., Andrews, D., Brewer, B.B., Storer-Brown, D. (2015). Elevating research: An important role for nurse leaders. *Nurse Leader*, 13(3),63-65.
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Book Reviews

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<http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.nurpra.2014.07.040>

Collette-Merrill, K. (2014). NP bookshelf: Book review. Team leadership and partnering in nursing and healthcare professionals. *Journal of Nurse Practitioners*, 10(9), e51. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.nurpra.2014.07.028>

Collette-Merrill, K. (2014). NP bookshelf: Book review. Review of research for advanced practice nurses: From evidence to practice. *Journal of Nurse Practitioners*, 10(7), 524. Doi: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.nurpra.2014.05.017>

Published abstracts of peer-reviewed presentations/posters. (* Undergraduate Student **Graduate student)

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Merrill, K.C., Williams, P., Burton, A. **, & Jacobs, J. * (2018). Effect of an interprofessional education course on undergraduate student attitudes. *Communicating Nursing Research Conference Proceedings*, 51, Spokane, WA: Western Institute of Nursing. <https://www.winursing.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/2018-Conference-Proceedings.pdf>

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Scholarly Presentations

Peer-Reviewed, Blinded Podium Presentations. (** graduate student *undergraduate student)

International/National Podium Presentations

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Macintosh, J. L. B., **Merrill, K.**, Thomas, D., Johnson, C., & Peterson, C. (2023, June 20-23). Family home visit and interview teaches students how to care for children with chronic disease [Conference presentation]. 16th International Family Nursing Association Conference, Dublin, Ireland.

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Bateman, M. ** & **Merrill, K.C.** (2018). Strategies for Chronic Pain. 5th Nordic Conference in Family Focused Nursing. Tampere, Finland: June, 2018.

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Open Peer-Reviewed Podium Presentations. (*undergraduate student)

Local Podium Presentations

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Peer-Reviewed, Blinded Poster Presentations.

International/National Poster Presentations

Ruda, P., Tesseyman, S., Anderson, P., **Merrill, K.** & Valentine, J. (2022). Fostering clinical judgement during a pandemic. Sigma Theta Tau International Research Conference. Edinburgh, Scotland: July 2022.

Sumner, S., Hanson, S.F., & **Merrill, K.C.** (2019). Antimicrobial stewardship: Why don't nurses question the white coat? Washington D.C. ID Week, October 2019

Hanson, S.F., Sumner, S., **Merrill, K.C.** (2019). Infection Preventionists and Infectious Disease Specialists: A Collaborative Approach to Antimicrobial Stewardship. *Society for Health Care Epidemiology of America Spring Conference*. Boston, MA: April 2019.

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Collette-Merrill, K. & Palmer, S. (2014). Teaching QSEN through innovative class activities and assignments. Presented at *Quality and Safety Education for Nurses Forum*. Baltimore, MD: May, 2014.

Linford, L., Sumner, S., Taylor, C. & **Collette-Merrill, K.** (2012). Worth a try: CLA-BSI reduction associated with alcohol cap implementation. *American Vascular Association*. San Antonio, TX: October, 2012.

Collette-Merrill, K., Mandleco, B.M., Birkhead, A., Macintosh, J.B. & Edmunds, D. (2012). From cell phones to salsa: Innovative methods to teach evidence based practice. *Summer Institute on Evidence Based Practice*. San Antonio, TX: July, 2012.

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Brown, K., & **Collette-Merrill, K.** (2012). Nursing handoff at the bedside: Does it improve outcomes? *Nursing 2012 Conference*, Orlando, FL: April, 2012.

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Collette-Merrill, K. Parmley, W., Ford, M.J., Kim, A., & Singson, K. (2011). A feasibility study of an inpatient rehabilitation urinary catheter bundle. *Improvement in Science Summit*, San Antonio, TX: June, 2011.

Collette-Merrill, K. (2010). Service and academia collaboration on student-led projects. *Robert Wood Johnson Conference on Enhancing Nursing Undergraduate Teaching and Learning in the Clinical Setting: What do we know and how do we move forward?* Arlington, VA: October, 2010.

Orton, J., **Collette-Merrill, K.**, & Woods-Kershner, N. (2008). Applying system learning from individual RN satisfaction reports. *ANCC Magnet Conference*. Salt Lake City, UT: October, 2008.

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Orton, J., Woods-Kershner, N., **Collette-Merrill, K.** (2007). Utilizing nursing satisfaction data at the system level. *National Database for Nursing Quality Indicators*. Las Vegas, NV: January, 2007.

King, K. & **Collette-Merrill, K.** (2007). The role of leadership in nurses' perceptions of the magnet recognition program. *American Organization of Nurse Executives*. Washington D.C.: April, 2007.

Collette-Merrill, K., Urie, P., Fowers, D. (2004). Improving IRB review and response time. *Applied Research Ethics National Association*. San Diego, CA: October, 2004.

Collette, K., Overall, J and Pavia, A. (1990). Nosocomial Bacteremia. *3rd international conference on nosocomial infections*. Atlanta, GA: July, 1990

Collette, K., & Christenson, J. (1990). Pertussis isolation scoring system: Usefulness in a pediatric hospital. *Association for Practitioners in Infection Control*. Washington D.C. June, 1990.

Open Peer-Reviewed Poster Presentations.

Local Poster Presentations

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Faulk, J. & **Collette-Merrill, K.** (2015). ICU nurses disinfection of stethoscopes. *Intermountain healthcare Annual Research Conference*. Sandy, UT: October 2015.

Livingston, E. **Collette-Merrill, K.** & Miller, R. (2015). Effectiveness of iRest® Yoga Nidra in healthy volunteers: a feasibility study. *Intermountain healthcare Annual Research Conference*. Sandy, UT: October 2015.

Ashby, N.A., Pugmire, L., Wallenfels, S., & **Collette-Merrill, K.** (2014). From disability to ability: An interdisciplinary approach to acute rehabilitation. Presented at *Intermountain healthcare Annual Research Conference* Ogden, UT: October 2014.

Stricklin, M., & **Collette-Merrill, K.** (2014). Nursing councils making a difference for patient care. Presented at *Intermountain healthcare Annual Research Conference* Ogden, UT: October 2014.

Livingston, E., & **Collette-Merrill, K.** (2014). Effectiveness of iRest® Yoga Nidra on post-partum depression in mothers experiencing fetal demise. Presented at *Intermountain healthcare Annual Research Conference* Ogden, UT: October 2014.

Collette-Merrill, K. & Johnston, A*. (2012). The quality and safety in nursing initiative: Implications for practice. *Utah Nurses Association Annual Conference*. Sandy, UT: September, 2012.

Collette-Merrill, K. Student Projects that Meet Clinical Needs. (2010). A Win/Win Proposition. *Intermountain Healthcare Evidence and nursing Research Conference*. Ogden UT: October, 2010.

Creative Works

Tittensor, D., & **Merrill, K.** (2021). Antibiotic Stewardship education for FNPs. Submitted to Association for Practitioners in Infection Control Virtual Conference June, 2021.

ANA Project Firstline. Antibiotic Resistance – what do staff nurses need to know. Content expert for collaborative project with the Centers for Disease Control.

Invited Interview

A Business Guide to Effective Quality Improvement in Healthcare
<https://www.smartsheet.com/quality-improvement-healthcare> by Becky Simon on April 30, 2019 modified on June 18, 2019

Invited Podium Presentations.

International/National Invited Podium Presentations

Merrill, K., Hebden, J., Piatek, D. (2024). Infection Preventionists Unplugged: Insights from Public Health, Consulting, and Academia. *Podcast*.
<https://ajicscienceintopractice.org/episode/33-infection-preventionists-unplugged-insights-from-public-health-consulting-and-academia/>

Whitt, K. J., Eden, L., **Merrill, K.** & Hughes, M*. (2016, December 8). SAFER guide implementation: Nursing student experience pilot study. *Office of the National Coordinator of Health IT Clinical Informatics Grand Rounds sponsored by Office of Clinical Quality and Safety, CEU and CME Webinar*.

Whitt, K. J., Eden, L., **Merrill, K.** & Hughes, M*. (2015, June 23). NP and BSN students using the clinician communication and computerized provider order entry SAFER guides in the acute care and ambulatory settings. *American Nursing Informatics Association, CEU Webinar*.

Ashby, N.A., Pugmire, L., Wallenfels, S., & **Collette-Merrill, K.** (2014). From disability to ability: An interdisciplinary approach to acute rehabilitation. Conducted at Uniform Data System for Medical Rehabilitation Conference. Las Vegas, NV: June, 2014.

Collette-Merrill, K. (2010). Developing an effective research proposal. Conducted at *Intravenous Nurses Society 2010 Annual Meeting*. Ft. Lauderdale, FL: May, 2010.

Regional Invited Podium Presentations

Harward, N., Sumner, S. & **Merrill, K. (2024)**. Nephrology nurses and infection preventionists: Working together to improve quality. Association for Practitioners in Infection Control Utah Chapter Meeting. Virtual Presentation.

Merrill, K. & Nasr, A. (2017, 2018, 2019). How to Write a Winning abstract. *The Western Institute of Nursing's 50th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference*. Denver, CO: April 2017.

Merrill, K., & Berg, J. (2016).). How to Write a Winning abstract. *The Western Institute of Nursing's 50th Annual Communicating Nursing Research Conference*. Anaheim, CA: April, 2016.

Local Invited Podium Presentations

Merrill, K. (2024). Publishing your quality improvement or research project. *Intermountain Health Infection Prevention Retreat*. September 11, 2024. Virtual presentation

Merrill, K. (2023). Improving your practice with the APIC research toolkit. *Association for Practitioners in Infection Control Conference – Utah Chapter*. Lehi, UT: September ,2023.

Merrill, K. (2023). Resilience and grit. *Intermountain Nursing Professional Development Conference*. South Jordan, UT: May 19, 2023

Merrill, K. (2021). Using research to improve practice. *Association for Practitioners in Infection Control Conference – Utah Chapter*. Sandy, UT: October ,2021.

Merrill, K. (2021). How to grade evidence and get published. *Intermountian Healthcare Infection Prevention Education Summit*. Salt Lake City, UT: June, 2021,

Collette-Merrill, K. (2015). Turning your infection prevention success into publishable research. *Association for Practitioners in Infection Control: Utah Chapter*. Salt Lake City, UT: February, 2015.

Krushcamp, T. & **Collette-Merrill, K.** (2012). Collaboration with service and academia to forge research partnerships. *Intermountain Healthcare Research Summit*. Salt Lake City, UT: March,2012

Collette-Merrill, K. (2009). Nursing Research Made Easy. *Intermountain Critical Choices Conference*. Provo, UT: October 2009

Collette-Merrill, K. (2009). Conducting and Designing Research: *Research Fellowship Course Dixie Regional Medical Center, St George, UT*: August/September 2009.

Collette-Merrill, K. (2008). Magnet Recognition: How to conduct a gap analysis. *Intermountain Urban North Region Leadership Summit*. Deer Valley, UT: October, 2008.

Collette-Merrill, K. (2008). Nursing Quality in Perspective. *Utah Nurses Association Annual Conference*. Salt Lake City, UT: September, 2008.

Collette-Merrill, K. & Luther, B. (2008). Research and Evidence Based Practice. *Utah Nurses Association Annual Conference*. Salt Lake City, UT: September, 2008.

Collette-Merrill, K. (2008). Developing and evaluating a nursing operating model: Improving how nurse managers spend time with their staff. *Intermountain Healthcare Nursing Leadership Summit*. Salt Lake City, UT: September, 2008.

Collette-Merrill, K. (2006). Research and practice: Bridging the gap. *Intermountain Urban South Region Nursing Research Symposium*. Provo, UT: December, 2007.

Collette-Merrill, K. (2006). Knowledge and barriers to implementing evidence based practice. *Intermountain Quality Improvement Facilitator workshop*. Provo, UT: June, 2006.

Scholarly Review

Manuscript/Grant Reviewing.

JOURNAL	YEARS OF SERVICE
American Journal of Infection Control	2013-2023
Nurse Education Today	2013-2020
Journal of Holistic Nursing	2013-2020
Journal of Rehabilitation Nursing	2012-2020
GRANTS REVIEWED	YEARS OF SERVICE
Western Institute of Nursing	2015-2022
Sigma Theta Tau International Foundation for Nursing	2015-2017
Women's Research Initiative Grants Brigham Young University	2012-2013
John A. Widtsoe Scholarly Grant Brigham Young University	2014, 2016 2020-2022
American Organization of Nurse Executive Grants	2014
Council for Graduate Education in Nursing Grant	2014

Funded Research Grants

FUNDING SOURCE	AUTHORS	YEAR/AMOUNT	GRANT TITLE/DESCRITPION
<i>External</i>			
Dr. Sheffield and the Walter M. Lewis Family Foundation	Hunsaker, S., Macintosh, J. L. B., Merrill, K. , Thomas, D., & Luthy, K. E.	2021/\$3,000	Influenza vaccination project in the emergency department
Institute for Healthcare Improvement	Katreena Collette Merrill	2015/\$100.00	Utilizing patient safety week to promote patient safety knowledge and attitudes in undergraduate students
Sigma Theta Tau International	Katreena Collette Merrill	2012/\$500.00	The use of a disinfectant cap to prevent Central Line Associated Blood Stream Infections
Sigma Theta Tau International	Katreena Collette Merrill	2010/\$500.00	The effect of nurse manager leadership style on patient safety outcomes
Utah Organization of Nurse Leaders	Katreena Collette Merrill	2009/\$500.00	The effect of nurse manager leadership style on patient safety outcomes
<i>Internal</i>			
Mary Ellen Edmunds fellowship grant	Katreena Merrill	2023-2025/\$16,500	Preparing for the Next Pandemic: Closing the Infection Prevention Knowledge Gap
Myrtie Fulton Mentoring Grant	Katreena Merrill, Sarah Davis	2023/\$13,800	Undergraduate student mentoring by supporting the student academic

FUNDING SOURCE	AUTHORS	YEAR/AMOUNT	GRANT TITLE/DESCRITPION
			association <i>Nurses Empowering Women.</i>
Experiential Learning Grant	Katreena Merrill, Cara Wiley, Delsa Richards	2020/\$15,000	We are developing a collaborative nursing and Global Women’s Studies (GWS) domestic study abroad for undergraduate nursing students.
Mary Ellen Edmunds fellowship grant	Katreena Merrill	2019-2022/\$16,500	Improving the knowledge and attitudes of student nurses towards antibiotic stewardship
Myrtie Fulton Mentoring Grant	Katreena Merrill, Cara Wiley & Delsa Richards	2019/\$10,000	Exploring the effect of a Global Women’s Studies internship on undergraduate nursing students’ perceptions and abilities to impact women’s health
College of Nursing Funding	Katreena Merrill	2017/\$5,000	The Knowledge and Attitudes of Infection Preventionists Towards Antibiotic Stewardship: A Validation Pilot
College of Nursing Funding	Katreena Merrill	2016/\$4,500	Student Perceptions of Patient Safety
Mentoring Environment Grant	Karen Whitt, Katreena Merrill & Lacey Eden	2015/\$20,000	Nursing students’ experiences regarding the safe use of electronic health records: A pilot study of the SAFER guides.
Mentoring Environment Grant	Barbara Heise, Katreena Merrill, Pauline Williams, Len Novilla	2014/\$20,000	Students’ Perceptions of Interprofessional Education (IPE) and Teamwork

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Teaching Environment Grant	Len Novilla, Pauline Williams, Barbara Heise & Katreena Merrill	2014/\$8,800	Inter-Professional Education (IPE) Training in the Academic Setting
Mentoring Environment Grant	Katreena Collette Merrill	2013/\$20,000	Speak Up: Infection Prevention through Health Care Worker and Community Education
Mentoring Environment Grant	Katreena Collette Merrill	2012/\$20,000	Using TeamSTEPS to improve Functionality, effectiveness and group power in newly developed nursing-led councils at a tertiary care hospital
Myrtie Fulton College of Nursing Award	Katreena Collette Merrill	2011/\$2,500	Understanding the role of charge nurse stress and patient safety
BYU Course Development Grant	Katreena Collette Merrill	2011/\$300.00	The use of technology in the classroom

Research Grants (external) Submitted and Not Funded

FUNDING SOURCE	AUTHORS	YEAR/AMOUNT	GRANT TITLE/DESCRITPION
American Association of Colleges of Nursing	Katreena Merrill	2022/\$25,000	Preparing for the next pandemic: UG education in infection prevention
Teagle Grant	Katreena Merrill, Cara Wiley, Delsa Richards	2018/\$25,000	Integrating global women’s study minor into an undergraduate curriculum

FUNDING SOURCE	AUTHORS	YEAR/AMOUNT	GRANT TITLE/DESCRITPION
American Organization of Nurse Executives	Barbara Heise, Katreena Collette Merrill , Pauline Williams, Len Novilla	2013/\$10,000	Students' Perceptions of Interprofessional Education (IPE) and Teamwork
American Organization of Nurse Executives	Katreena Collette Merrill	2012/\$2,500	Development of charge nurse competencies
Council for Graduate Education in Nursing	Katreena Collette Merrill	2012/\$2,500	Defining the role and competencies of the hospital charge nurse and exploring their role in promoting unit patient safety
Care Fusion	Katreena Collette Merrill , Karen Singson, Marti Vanderhoven	2012/\$50,000	Helping Hands: Infection prevention through staff and community involvement
Rehab Nurses Foundation	Katreena Collette Merrill , Wendy Parmley, Abbie Kim	2011/\$10,000	A Multicenter Implementation of a Multifaceted Nurse Directed Urinary Catheter 'Bundle' to Decrease Catheter Associated Urinary Tract Infections in Inpatient Rehabilitation

Honors and Awards

HONOR/AWARD SOURCE	YEAR	HONOR OR AWARD
Utah Organization of Nurse Leaders	2023	Exemplary Nurse Leader
Fellow American Academy of Nursing	October 7, 2023	Inducted into the academy as a fellow

Fellow Association for Practitioners in Infection Control	2021	Awarded status as a fellow
Fellow-Mary Ellen Edmunds <i>Learning the Healers Art</i>	2019-2022 2022-Present	Awarded fellowship
National Academies of Practice	2018	Inducted as a Professional member of the NAP Nursing Academy
Phi Kappa Phi	2011	Inducted into Honor Society
Marriner S. Eccles foundation Scholarship Award	2006	\$25,000
Sigma Theta Tau International	2007	Inducted into Honor Society
Nursing Excellence Award: Intermountain Healthcare Urban South Region	2005	Honor