MODNA Elections 2022

MODNA will be using BallotPoint.com to manage the voting process for us again this year. BallotPoint will mail a ballot and voting instructions to every eligible voting member within MODNA. The MODNA logo will be on the outside of the envelope. Voting must be completed online during the voting period which begins on August 9, 2022, and ends on August 26, 2022. The voting notice you receive in the mail will have full instructions.

We have many well qualified candidates. Please take the time to read their bios and vote. Meet Your 2022 Candidates:

President (Vote for 1)

Christine Frank-Scott, RN, JD, MHI, BSN, CCRN -- Bachelors of Science in Nursing-- Juris Doctorate-- Masters in Healthcare Innovation-- Area of Practice: Critical Care Staff Nurse- SICU, Burn & Trauma Unit—Attorney--Present Position: The Ohio State University Hospital's SICU critical care staff nurse since 1990. Clinical Ladder IV Staff RN 2016. Co-founder/chair of Critical Care Online Journal Club (2014-present). The ANA and AACN's national convention presentations. SICU's Quality Improvement Committee member/co-chair (2005-2014). SICU Education Committee member (2013-2014). An attorney practicing civil law at my own law firm since 2003. A court mediator for Franklin County Municipal Court (2000-2012). Organizational Experience: An ONA member since 1990. ONA's Council of Practice for two years. ONA Convention Delegate (2017). Mid-Ohio District Nurses Association's (MODNA) Treasurer (2014-2000). MODNA's Finance Committee Chair/Member (2014- present). MODNA's Board of Directors 2007-2013. MODNA's Nominations Committee member 2009-2014. Ohio State University Nurses Organization's (OSUNO) negotiation team 2011, 2013, and 2016. Ohio State University Nurses Organization's 2nd Vice President (2013-2015) and Board member (2016-present). Reason for Seeking Office: I have been truly honored to serve MODNA's members and your professional organization in a variety of roles in the past. I am experienced in a variety of leadership roles. I am again eligible to get involved in your Board. Nurses are professionals in every sense of the word. Nurses have many professional organizations which to become involved in throughout their nursing careers and should be involved in their professional associations. I want to support the professional practice of nursing. It is important to me to be involved in our district and local professional organization. Every nurse should be knowledgeable on current issues affecting nursing and the delivery of healthcare. I have been a member of ONA, MODNA, and OSUNO since 1990. I ask for your support again. I want to continue to represent nurses and present your ideas and issues. I thank you in advance for your time and consideration.

Amy Pompeii -- I have been a staff nurse at the bedside for 26 years. I started at The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center in 1996 as a new grad in the Med-Surg Float Pool and have remained in that position my entire nursing career. I

have advanced professionally by obtaining my Med-Surg certification from the ANCC and I also received my Clinical Ladder IV. My knowledge and years of experience make me a leader in my field and make me the perfect candidate to represent the nurses in the Mid-Ohio District. I would be honored to serve as your MODNA (Mid-Ohio District Nurses Association) President. I currently hold an executive board position as the Secretary for MODNA since August 2021. I served on the MODNA board of directors from March 2019-August 2021. I currently hold an ONA (Ohio Nurses Association) structured board position and was appointed to be commission chair with E&GW since October 2021. I was elected to be an ONA (Ohio Nurses Association) delegate and represented MODNA/OSUNO at the 2019 and 2021 ONA convention. I was elected to be an AFT (American Federation of Teachers and Nurses) delegate and represented MODNA/OSUNO at the 2020 AFT convention, I was re-elected and will represent MODNA/OSUNO at the 2022 AFT convention. I was also elected to be an AFL-CIO (American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations) delegate and was prepared to represent MODNA/OSUNO at the 2020 AFL-CIO convention (cancelled d/t COVID) I currently hold an executive board position as the 1st VP for OSUNO and have been in that role since Jan 2020. I was a Unit Organizer for 3 years, Jan 2015-Dec 2017. I served as the Med-Surg representative on the Board of Directors, for OSUNO for 2 years (Jan 2018- Dec 2019) I served on the Negotiation Team for the contract negotiations in 2019 and again in 2022. Some clinical background information, I have served on my units Unit Leadership Council as a member and as Chair. I was a member of the Clinical Ladder Committee. I am currently the DURN (Diabetes Unit Resource Nurse), I have served as co-chair to the Schedule Task Force committee since Jan 2020 and I serve on the Vacation Task force as well. Some personal information, I am a mom first and a Nurse second. My family is my life. I have a 22-yearold daughter who is a student at OSU and a 13-year-old son. When I am not working, I am traveling with my kids or most likely planning my next vacation. I want to advance my role within MODNA to be your President, because I am passionate about Nursing and want to see positive changes for our profession that will impact generations to come.

1st Vice President (Vote for 1)

Pamela Garlinghouse, MSN, RN, CCRN, Staff RN IV -- Area of Practice: Critical Care, Present Position: Bedside staff nurse since 2001. Professional Experiences: Staff RN in the SICU at The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center since 2001. Accredited Critical Care and Burn Nurse. Professional Development Shared Governance, past Co-chair and member of the SICU's Quality Improvement Committee for 9 years, SICU Education Committee and Critical Care Communication Committee member, Co-creator, founder and co-chair Critical Care Online Journal Club, ONA's Convention Delegate (2017, 2019, 2021), Mid-Ohio District Nurses Association (MODNA) 2014 Expert in Nursing Care Award Recipient, American Association of Critical Care Nurses (AACN) 2019 Circle of Excellence Award, recipient of MODNA's 2021 Dorothy A. Cornelius Scholarship, and The Ohio State University College of Nursing 2022 Advanced

Practice Nursing: Adult Gerontology Clinical Nurse Specialist Academic Award. Reasons for seeking office: To become an integral part of The Mid-Ohio District's advocacy for advancing professional nursing within our community. As nurses, we have many professional organizations to become involved with throughout our careers, but what better organization to become involved in, than the one that directly effects my daily profession. I believe nursing professionalism begins within us, and only then, can we impact those in our community, through professional concerns of nursing, education- both our communities and our own, and health legislation. I am asking to serve as your advocate to impact our profession.

Alexander (Alex) Watts BSN, RN, PCCN -- Area of Practice/Professional Experience Trained in cardiac nursing, stroke care, and emergency nursing Clinical instructor at Capital University teaching the final med surg clinical. Present Position PCU Float Pool at OSUMC Reason For Seeking Office: Seeking to continue to serve as a board member to better the nursing profession for nurses in Ohio and advocate for the nurses we serve at our local OSUNO as well. I want to continue to be involved in order to best serve our district.

Treasurer (Vote for 1)

Robert Bowers -- Area of Practice/Professional Experience
Telemetry Cardiac Care Informatics Present Position Travel
nursing clinical out-patient MODNA Participation Legislative
Ambassador Membership Retention Committee member
Reason For Seeking Office I am a at a point in my career
where I can devote time and energy to my professional
organization. My experiences serving as an officer are diverse
ranging from leadership to functionary roles. MODNA is an



organization which I believe in its mission to represent nurses throughout central Ohio as professionals, and especially now. Issues affecting nurses in these times of pandemic, political and social unrest, economic upheaval, and workplace inequity need to be continually addressed by our organization.

Richard (Rick) Lucas, BSN, RN, OCN, VA-BC, CCRN -- Area of Practice/Professional Experience: Fairfield Medical Center - ICU 2002-2007, PICC team 2007-2011, American Mobil Nursing travel assignment - OSUWMC Ross Heart, Hospital/University Hospital MICU 2011-2013. Present Position: OSUWMC STAT Nurse. MODNA Participation: Member since 2013, ONA Convention Delegate 2017, 2019, Current MODNA Board President, ONA E&GW Commission.



Reason For Seeking Office: As President of the OSUNO, I have been exposed to all levels of the Ohio Nurses Association. I have had the opportunity to serve as a delegate to the 2017 and 2019 ONA Conventions. I was moved by the rally of support at the 2017 Convention to save districts in the efforts to restructure

ONA. I believe districts need to be maintained to preserve the members voice in the organization. ONA derives its power from its members and must remain a member driven organization. It is; however, clear things need to change. Much work needs to be done to restructure districts to support many of the smaller districts and to increase engagement with the professional collective bargaining members of ONA. I would appreciate the opportunity to continue serving as MODNA Treasurer and help lead the change!

Board of Directors (Vote for 4)

Rebecca Anderson – (no bio at time of printing)

Kav Ball PhD. RN. CNOR. CMLSO. FAAN -- Area of Practice/Professional Experience: Operating Room/PACU (10 years), Laser Surgery (8 years), Education Director, Video Conferencing (3 years), Academia (Otterbein University, Westerville, OH) Professor of Nursing (9 years); Adjunct Professor of Nursing (3 years), Perioperative Consultant (37 years), Author, Lasers: The Perioperative Challenge (4 editions). Present Position: Perioperative Consultant, Adjunct Professor or Nursing (Otterbein University), Researcher, Author. MODNA Participation: Board Directors (4 years), Legislative Committee (Member – 17 years) (Chair – 8 years), Delegate to ONA convention (23 years), 2016 MODNA Volunteer of the Year. Reason For Seeking Office: MODNA is going through some challenging times right now including membership, staffing issues, merger of other districts within MODNA, and other complex concerns during these uncertain times. MODNA needs a Board that will understand the history of these matters and be able to respond accordingly and fairly. I feel that I offer an unbiased attitude to represent both the collective bargaining and non-collective bargaining nurses. I have critical thinking skills and decision-making capabilities from my many years in association leadership and am able to actively listen to all of the factors that would impact the decisions needed to represent all involved. Right now, the MODNA Board members must be able to listen, discuss, debate, and negotiate while strategically planning the future of MODNA. I feel that I'm very qualified to serve the MODNA membership as a Board member.

Jessica Frymyer RN -- Area of Practice/Professional Experience: 22 years as a nurse—Med-Surg Floor and Operating Room, Advocacy at Ohio State, establishing and serving as chair of my Unit Leadership Council, Initial Magnet Committee member which established OSU as the 1st Central Ohio hospital to achieve Manet designation, Served on various task forces. Present Position: Nurse at the Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center. MODNA Participation: Serve on ONA Economic and General Welfare Commission, ONA Board of Directors, E&GW Commission; currently Chair, Delegate to ANA and American Federation of Teachers national meetings. Reason For Seeking Office: I feel it is time to focus on our district level of advocacy. My goal is to

increase membership. This can be done by listening to the needs of the staff nurses of Central Ohio.

Lukas Killian – (no bio at time of printing)

Taylor Mullin MSN RN CNOR -- Area of Practice/Professional Experience: Nurse Educator, Oncology OR. Present Position: Full Time Faculty at Capital University, Contingent Staff Nurse in the James at OSU Operating Room, PhD in Nursing Student at OSU. MODNA Participation: I am currently a member of the new nurse initiative and legislative committees. I am very active in helping nursing students seek guidance from our new nurse initiative committee. I have helped plan events in the past 2 years.



initiative committee. I have helped plan events in the past 2 years. I am also a member of OSUNO and an ONA board member who have close working ties to MODNA. Reason For Seeking Office: I am seeking office because I am a big advocate for nurses not only just in Ohio but all over the country. I believe my involvement in OSUNO and ONA will help me succeed as a Board of Directors member of MODNA.

Kenneth Palmer – (no bio at time of printing)

Nominations Committee (Vote for 3)

Janet Corbin – (no bio at time of printing)

Heidi Shinn RN, BSN, RNC-OB, C-EFM -- Area of Practice/Professional Experience: Staff Nurse at Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center for 22yrs. I started at OSU as a new grad in 2000 on a busy med-surg floor and transferred to Labor and Delivery over 19 years ago. I obtained and maintain both Fetal Monitoring and Inpatient Obstetric Certification from the NCC. Served one term as the L&D rep on the OSUNO Board and a unit ambassador for this year. Elected to be an AFT (American Federation of Teachers and Nurses) delegate for 2022. In the past I have served as the chair on the Unit Leadership Council and the Labor and Delivery workgroup for process improvement for my department. I have been teaching Fetal Monitoring to Nurses since 2010 and presenting lectures to area hospital and National Lawyer groups since 2013. I previously taught Nurses at Columbus State. I also am a Charge Nurse, preceptor, and assist our educator with annual competencies and review and revision of Policies and Procedures. Present Position: Labor and Delivery Staff Nurse. MODNA Participation: I have attended virtual meetings. Reason For Seeking Office: I am extremely involved within my department and have been a part of changes that positively impact nurses on our unit. I want the opportunity to expand my knowledge and seek growth and development at the district level. I am passionate about nursing and

want to assist with positive changes for our profession that will impact future generations of Nurses to come.

Kristine Novotney – (no bio at time of printing)