

# HEALTH IS A HUMAN RIGHT: *A Call to Action*

The **UMass Amherst College of Nursing** is proud to present this one-day symposium providing an opportunity to engage with local and global practitioners of social justice health and health care.

The symposium will feature:

- Digital Storytelling in Social Justice led by the nationally acclaimed Center for Digital Storytelling. Daniel Weinshenker, the Center's Midwest Director, specializes in developing projects that explore the impact of digital storytelling for youth and areas within the health sector.
- Break-out sessions by leading population-based scholars and practitioners on areas such as aging, diversity, violence, and sexual and reproductive health rights.

**Accepting abstracts now!** We invite you to submit an abstract in social justice research, project or conceptual format to be considered for poster presentation at the symposium. All abstracts, not to exceed 250 words, are to be submitted via email to [fuqua@nursing.umass.edu](mailto:fuqua@nursing.umass.edu). Deadline to submit is March 9. Further guidelines can be found at [umass.edu/nursing/social-justice](http://umass.edu/nursing/social-justice).

## Beverly Malone, PhD, RN, FAAN

Chief Executive Officer, National League for Nursing



Named one of Modern Healthcare's 100 Most Powerful People in Healthcare. She is among America's most vocal leaders in the national conversation about the nursing and nurse educator shortage, and the role of nursing in ensuring access to safe, quality, culturally competent care to diverse patient populations, domestically and globally.

## Peggy L. Chinn, RN, PhD, FAAN

Professor Emerita, University of Connecticut School of Nursing  
Editor, *Advances in Nursing Science*



Consultation and presentations worldwide on doctoral curriculum development, feminism and nursing, publishing, and a number of topics related to holistic healing modalities in nursing.

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We invite all interdisciplinary participants including faculty, staff, students, practitioners, and community members to this event.

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MORE INFORMATION:  
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## Jean E. Swinney, PhD, RN

Professor, University of Massachusetts Amherst College of Nursing  
Chair, American Public Health Association's Public Health Nursing Section

An advocate and champion for social justice for more than 25 years, Dr. Swinney continues working to decrease health disparities, increase workforce diversity, and provide insight regarding the impact of racism and inequality on health and the related challenges faced by people and communities of color.



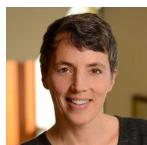
## Susan Hagedorn, PhD, APRN-BC, PNP, WHNP, FAANP, FAAN

Professor Emerita, University of Colorado College of Nursing  
Nurse, filmmaker, philanthropist, social justice activist, and UMass Amherst alum, Dr. Hagedorn '77 established the Seedworks Professorship in Social Justice in 2013 at the University of Massachusetts Amherst College of Nursing.



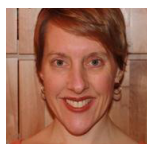
## Ximena U. Zúñiga, PhD

Professor, University of Massachusetts Amherst College of Education  
Dr. Zúñiga's professional interests include: social justice education, student development in social justice and diversity education, multicultural group processes, inter-group dialogue and relations in college campuses, and action research.



## Sarah L. Szanton, PhD, ANP, FAAN

Associate Professor, Johns Hopkins School of Nursing  
Dr. Szanton's specialties are in gerontology, aging in place, and racial and socioeconomic health disparities.



## Aline C. Gubrium, PhD

Associate Professor, University of Massachusetts Amherst School of Public Health and Health Sciences  
Dr. Gubrium's areas of specialization include: sexual and reproductive health rights and justice, participatory digital, visual, and narrative research methodologies, and holistic and culture-centered approaches to health promotion.

MONDAY  
MARCH **30** | 8:30 AM to 5 PM  
UMass Amherst Campus Center  
Amherst Room

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REQUIRED

\$50 general / \$15 students  
breakfast & lunch included  
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