

# PSM News for January 2019

## NPSMA Welcomes New Members to the Board of Directors

NPSMA members recently elected the following individuals to serve 3-year terms on the Board of Directors starting January 1, 2019:

- Natalie Bosecker, University of Illinois
- Kristin Kuter, Saint Mary's College
- Avril Robertson, University of Queensland
- Jennie Willis, Colorado State University

Continuing Board Members:

- Dagmar Beck, Rice University
- Amber Bloechle, University of West Florida
- Mark Jakubauskas, University of Kansas, Edwards
- Carol Lynch, University of Colorado, Boulder
- Inge Wefes, University of Colorado Denver, Anschutz Medical Campus

2019 Officers Slate:

- Scott Herness, Montclair State University, President
- Tim Born, Grand Valley State University, President-Elect
- Gerald Grunwald, Thomas Jefferson University, Convener
- Ray Hoobler, University of Utah, Vice President for Marketing and Outreach
- Deborah Silver, Rutgers University, Vice President for Member Benefits
- Linda Strausbaugh, University of Connecticut (*Emerita*), Vice President for Publications
- Courtney Thornton, North Carolina State University, Immediate Past President

## PSM Virtual Graduate Fair -- We Need Your Input

The PSM4RST8 Campaign is exploring a possible **PSM Virtual Graduate Fair**. If a minimum of 15 institutions are interested, then we can move the idea forward in Spring 2019. Complete the survey at <http://bit.ly/GradFairSurvey> by January 15, 2019.

## "Ask NPSMA" Webinars

Join us for these upcoming "Ask NPSMA" Webinars:

- **January 24, 2019, 3PM EST.** "Using networking opportunities and social events to keep your students engaged." Speaker: Dagmar Beck, Rice University PSM Program Director.
- **February 28, 2019, 3PM EST.** "NPSMA: 2018 Year in Review and Looking Ahead." Speaker: Courtney Thornton, NPSMA Past President.

To join, visit <https://zoom.us/j/179420452> on the dates/times listed above.

## Publish In NPSMA's 2019 Periodicals

- **PSM Alumni and Graduation Chronicle.** Submit a short profile (about 350 words) of one of your program's alumni success stories by June 1, 2019. [CHRONICLE guidelines](#).
- **INNOVATOR.** Submit a feature article, in practice piece or opinion commentary by July 1, 2019. [INNOVATOR guidelines](#).

## In case You Missed It

- **NSF Funding Opportunity:** The National Science Foundation FY 2019 supplemental funding for doctoral and master's students to pursue non-academic internships. Due Date May 1, 2019. <https://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2018/nsf18102/nsf18102.jsp>.
  - **National Service Opportunity:** Volunteer to serve the PSM community by joining an NPSMA Committee. Contact [coordinator@npsma.org](mailto:coordinator@npsma.org) for more information.
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## SAVE THE DATES

### 2019 NPSMA National Conference and Pre-conference Workshop

Salt Lake City, Utah / November 6-8

Events will be held at the University of Utah Guest House and Conference Center.

Preliminary Programs and additional details coming soon.

**Registration will open in May 2019!**

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**NEXT PSM NEWS.** Send contributions for the next PSM News to [coordinator@npsma.org](mailto:coordinator@npsma.org) by **February 10, 2018**.

**Join the PSM community on social media:** NPSMA members are also encouraged to display our member logo on their social media pages. [Membership Logo](#).

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