International Nursing Review inducted into global Nursing Journal Hall of Fame

Geneva, Switzerland; Boston, USA; 9 August 2018 – The official journal of the International Council of Nurses (ICN) – the International Nursing Review (INR) - has been recognised by the International Academy of Nursing Editors’ Hall of Fame as one of its inaugural recipients.

The Nursing Journal Hall of Fame was established to recognise scholarly nursing journals that have 50 or more years of continuous publication and sustained contributions to nursing knowledge. The inaugural cohort of 13 journals¹ was inducted at the 37th Annual Meeting of the International Academy of Nursing Editors in Boston, USA on 7 August 2018. INR’s Editor, Professor Sue Turale, received the award in person and commented in her acceptance speech:

From left to right: Professor Emeritus Peggy L. Chin, Professor Joyce Fitzpatrick, Sue Turale, INR Editor

¹ American Journal of Nursing (1900); The Canadian Nurse (1905); Nursing Times (1905); AANA Journal (1933); Workplace Health & Safety (1943); Nursing Research (1952); Nursing Outlook (1953); International Nursing Review (1953); Journal of Midwifery & Women’s Health (1955); Journal of Nursing Education (1962); Journal of Psychosocial Nursing (1963); AORN Journal (1963); Journal of Nursing Scholarship (1966).
“I am very proud to receive this award on behalf of the International Council of Nurses and International Nursing Review, said Professor Sue Turale, INR’s Editor. “As ICN’s official journal, INR has been a valuable source of knowledge for the last 65 years. The journal truly is a voice for nurses to share knowledge, current events and innovations in practice, and to help shape health policy. Induction into the global Nursing Journal Hall of Fame is a well-deserved recognition of the hard work of nurses over the years, in many lands and at every level of the profession.”

Nursing research has been published in ICN’s International Nursing Review since 1953, helping to shape nursing practice and improving the lives of people all across the world. The INR is a quarterly, peer-reviewed journal that focuses predominantly on nursing and health policy issues of relevance to nurses and has an increasing impact factor. INR welcomes original articles that help to forward ICN’s global mission by representing nursing, advancing the profession and shaping health policy. INR also contributes to the ongoing development of nursing internationally with its regular section on International Perspectives. The diverse international readership of INR is located in more than 130 countries. Published by Wiley both in hard copy and on-line, INR is a key resource for nurses worldwide.

The 13 inaugural journals honoured at the Boston meeting are international in scope and cumulatively represent 978 years of scholarly publication in nursing. The journals are a cross section of professional nursing practice, research, education, and leadership and demonstrate depth in nursing excellence and scholarship through the published literature. Funding for the inaugural awards was generously provided by Shirley Smoyak, PhD, RN, FAAN, Editor Emeritus of the Journal of Psychosocial Nursing and long-time member of the International Academy of Nursing Editors.

Note for Editors

The International Academy of Nursing Editors (INANE) is an all-volunteer organization whose members include editors, publishers, and others involved in the dissemination of nursing knowledge through the scholarly literature. Established in 1982, INANE hosts an annual meeting and maintains an active mailing list, Facebook page, and Twitter account for its members. Learn more at nursingeditors.com.

The International Council of Nurses (ICN) is a federation of more than 130 national nurses associations representing the millions of nurses worldwide. Operated by nurses and leading nursing internationally, ICN works to ensure quality care for all and sound health policies globally.

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