

**2018 WANA  
SPRING ANESTHESIA CONFERENCE  
April 6-8, 2018**

**Friday, April 6, 2018**

- 2:00-3:00 PM           **Registration and VISIT EXHIBITORS**
- 3:00-4:00 PM           **Anesthesia Assistants: What We Need to Know**  
Speaker: Jackie Bates, CRNA, MSNA, BSN, MA
- 4:00-5:00 PM           **Malignant Hyperthermia (P)**  
Speaker: Bree Jones, CRNA
- 5:00-6:00 PM           **Substance Abuse: Signs, Symptoms and Treatment Options**  
Speaker: Alison Melle, CRNA
- 6:00-7:30 PM           **Student Research Presentations (P)**  
Madigan US Army Graduate Program in Anesthesia Nursing;  
Gonzaga University/Sacred Heart Medical Center Doctorate of Nurse Anesthesia  
Practice (DNAP) Program
- 7:30-9:30 PM           **RECEPTION WITH EXHIBITORS**
- Additional option       **Online CEs from ce2you.com**

**Saturday, April 7, 2018**

- 6:30-7:30 AM           **Registration and Continental Breakfast WITH EXHIBITORS**
- 7:30-8:30 AM           **The Era of New Pharmacology, What is Coming in our Future (P)**  
Speaker: Peter Strube, LTC, CRNA, DNAP(c), MSNA, APNP, ARNP
- 8:30-9:30 AM           **Pharmacogenetics, the Era of Personalized Anesthesia Practice (P)**  
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- 9:30-10:00 AM         **BREAK – VISIT THE EXHIBITORS**
- 10:00-11:00 AM        **Pacemakers and ICDs in the OR – What Anesthesia Personnel Should Know**  
Speaker: George Alec Rooke, MD, PhD
- 11:00 AM-12:00 PM    **Pathogen Reduction: A Proactive Approach to Improving Blood Product  
Safety (P)**  
Speaker: Jeffrey Huxford, MMSc., Cerus Corporation
- 12:00-1:00 PM         **Lunch/State Business Meeting**
- 1:00-2:00 PM           **Professional Practice, Legalities, Organization Service**  
Speaker: Randy Graybeal, MSN, CRNA

- 2:00-3:00 PM      **Understanding Business Tools Used to Eliminate Lawsuits and Increase Tax Savings**  
Speaker: Art McOmber, BA, Legally Mine
- 3:00-3:30 PM      **BREAK – VISIT THE EXHIBITORS**
- 3:30-4:30 PM      **Politics 101 for the CRNA**  
Speaker: Joanna Starratt, CRNA
- 4:30-5:30 PM      **The Opiate Tolerant Obstetric Patient (P)**  
Speaker: Kathy Alwon, MSN, CRNA
- 5:30-6:30 PM      **Obstetrical Emergencies (P)**  
Speaker: Kathy Alwon, MSN, CRNA
- 7:00-9:00 PM      **PAC Benefit**

## **Sunday, April 8, 2018**

- 7:30-8:00 AM      **Registration – Coffee and Juice**
- 8:00-9:00 AM      **Pediatric Medications, Emergencies, Pre-Op Assessments, Post-Operative Delirium (P)**  
Speaker: Rheana Watts, CRNA
- 9:00-10:00 AM      **Pediatric Case Study Discussions (P)**  
Speaker: Rheana Watts, CRNA
- 10:00-10:15 AM      **Break / Proceed to Brunch & Lectures**
- 10:15-11:15 AM      **State Reimbursement Specialist Update**  
Speaker: Roger Strand, CRNA, MAE, ARNP
- 11:15-12:15 AM      **Region 5 AANA Update**  
Speaker: Steven Sertich, JD, MAE, CRNA  
AANA Region 5 Director

**(P)** Indicates Pharmacology credit