



## Howard Gotlieb Archival Research Center and Nursing Archives Associates at Boston University



cordially invite you to our Annual Meeting  
***Nursing Organizational and Individual Credentialing:  
Impact on Clinical and Workforce Outcomes***

featuring

**Patricia Reid Ponte, DNSc, RN, FAAN, NEA-BC**

Join the Nursing Archives Associates for their annual meeting, featuring BU School of Nursing Alumna Dr. Patricia Reid Ponte. Dr. Reid Ponte will speak about credentialing of nurses and nursing departments, with emphasis on the impact credentialing has had on outcomes for the profession.

Patricia Reid Ponte, DNSc, RN, FAAN, NEA-BC is currently the Nurse-Scholar-in-Residence within the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute's Phyllis F. Cantor Center for Nursing and Patient Care Services Research. She is President of the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC) Board of Directors (2016 - present), and she served as past Chair of the ANCC Magnet Commission. Dr. Reid Ponte was the Chief Nursing Officer and Senior Vice President of Nursing Care Services at the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute and the Executive Director of Oncology Nursing and Clinical Services at Brigham and Women's Hospital from 2000 - 2016.

Dr. Reid Ponte has been recognized with many professional honors, including appointment as a Fellow of the American Academy of Nursing, and the Mary B. Conceison Award from the Massachusetts Organization of Nurse Executives (now the Organization of Nurse Leaders of Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New Hampshire and Connecticut). Dr. Reid Ponte was honored with a Distinguished Alumni Award by the University of Massachusetts, Amherst in 2006.

Dr. Reid Ponte holds faculty appointments at Simmons College School of Nursing and Health Sciences, the University of Massachusetts, Boston College of Nursing & Health, and the University of Massachusetts, Amherst School of Nursing. She has conducted research in patient safety and patient-and family-centered care, and has published extensively on nursing leadership, interdisciplinary collaboration and health care practice environments.

The mission of the Nursing Archives Associates is to support the History of Nursing Archives in the preservation of the working papers, correspondence, manuscripts, photographs, and histories of important individuals, associations and organizations, both historical and contemporary, who are important in the nursing field, and to make these valuable, unique primary resources available to researchers. The History of the Nursing Archives are a valuable part of the holdings of the Howard Gotlieb Archival Research Center at Boston University. For information about membership, call (617) 353-3696 or visit [bu.edu/archives](http://bu.edu/archives)

**Tuesday, May 2, 2017 • 5:30 p.m.**

**Metcalf Ballroom • George Sherman Union  
775 Commonwealth Avenue • Second Floor**

*Complimentary Wine & Hors d'oeuvres • Cash Bar*

Free and Open to the Public

RSVP required: 617-353-3698