



20th Annual
Nursing Alliance
Leadership Academy

Omni Louisville Hotel | Louisville, KY

August 24 & 25, 2024

Enhancing Governance: Building Stronger Organizations

Speakers: Panelists to be finalized

Saturday, August 24, 2024 • 3:30 - 4:15 pm

Session Description

Four leaders in the nursing community will join a panel discussion to share their experiences and guidance on the topics of:

- Board Recruitment & Diversity
- Maximizing Effectiveness
- Leadership Development
- Self-Evaluation

Meet the Facilitator & Panelists

Ron Kraus, MSN, RN, CEN, TCRN, ACNS-BC is a Past President of the Emergency Nurses Association and the current President of NOA, will be facilitating this session.

The panelists include:

- **Nancy Colobong Smith**, MN, ARNP, ANP-BC, CNN – President of the American Nephrology Nurses Association
- **Rick Garcia**, PhD, RN, CCM, FAOHN, FAADN - Chief Executive Officer of the Organization for Associate Degree Nursing
- **Lisa Nguyen**, MS, CAE - Executive Director of American Psychiatric Nurses Association
- **Marlon Saria**, PhD, RN, AOCNS, NEA-BC, NPD-BC, FAAN - President-elect of the Academy of Medical-Surgical Nurses