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Hello. My name is Dr. Pammla Petrucka and I am the interim associate dean research and graduate studies at the University of Saskatchewan College of Nursing.

The University of Saskatchewan is one of Canada's top 15 research intensive universities and the College of Nursing plays an active role in the strong research culture at USask.

USask is home to nine research signature areas, highlighting outstanding achievements enabled by research capacity, investments, history and sense of place.

The College of Nursing has 3 signature areas for research: innovations in health care and education systems, community-engaged health and nursing, and health equity.

Our faculty have been awarded provincial, national, and international funding and have forged strong alliances with community partners and researchers throughout Saskatchewan, Canada, and around the globe.

Nurse researchers at USask College of Nursing are hard at work tackling some of the most pressing health-care issues and leading innovations in health-care education. In 2021/22, our researchers received over \$700,000 in funding, through 25 awarded grants, and published 98 peer-reviewed articles.

Our faculty are recognized as leaders in their fields of research and professional practice in contributing to the advancement of the health of Canadians.

Our researchers are not alone in their research endeavors. USask College of Nursing offers research support to faculty through the Nursing Unit for Research and Scholarship Excellence, otherwise known as NURSE. NURSE provides comprehensive pre-and post-award support for faculty to advance their projects from inception to completion.



Indigenous engagement is a priority at both the University of Saskatchewan and the College of Nursing. We are proud to say USask College of Nursing is home to Indigenous Research Chair in Nursing, Dr. Holly Graham.

Entitled *wahkohtowin*, this research chair is focused on mentorship and reconciliation, with the goal of improving the health of Indigenous peoples. Dr. Graham's chair supports and mentors Indigenous and non-Indigenous undergraduate and graduate student nurses to conduct research that will advance reconciliation in nursing practice, research, education, and administration.

USask College of Nursing offers a range of graduate programs, including a Master of Nursing Professional Practice, a Master of Nursing Thesis, a Master of Nursing Nurse Practitioner, and a Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing.

As a member of the prestigious U15 Canadian research university cohort, USask is home to unique research facilities and support services that contribute to the success of our graduate students as health researchers. Through the use of technology, USask College of Nursing graduate programs are offered distributively, allowing students to participate from anywhere in Canada or beyond.

The future of research at USask College of Nursing is promising and full of potential. Now is the time to join myself and many prominent nurse scholars, who are proud to contribute to excellence in research and graduate education.

I encourage you to connect with us today to learn more about how you can advance your program of research at the University of Saskatchewan – truly the University the world needs.

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