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WCSI Announces New Board Members

Deerfield, FL: Watson Caring Science Institute (WCSI) and Dr. Jean Watson proudly welcome three new distinguished Board Members and four esteemed Ambassador Advisors to the Board, signifying a significant milestone in WCSI's mission to advance the theory and philosophy of Watson's Caring Science and reintroduce caring and compassion into healthcare.

"The addition of these exceptional individuals with diverse backgrounds and expertise strengthens our commitment to the principles of Caring Science," says Dr. Jean Watson, Founder & Director at WCSI. "Their collective wisdom and passion will be invaluable in shaping the future of healthcare."

We are honored to announce the newly appointed Board Members:







Laarni C. Florencio Cheryl T. Handy

Kelly M. Johnson

- Laarni C. Florencio, MSN, RN, CNL
- Cheryl T. Handy, MN, RN, NE-BC, HMCT, Caritas Coach®, WCSI Faculty Member
- Kelly M. Johnson, PhD, RN, NEA- BC, Caritas Coach®, WCSI Faculty Member

Our 4 new Ambassador Advisors to the Board are:









Simon T. Bailey

Anita Girard

Holly K. Shaw

- Simon T. Bailey, DBA, CSP, CPAE, Caritas Coach®
- Anita Girard, DNP, RN, NEA-BC, Caritas Coach®
- Holly K. Shaw, PhD, RN
- Daniel I. Pesut, PhD, RN, FAAN



"We are very excited these exceptional leaders will be contributing their diverse skills and insights to the board," says Dr. Barbara Brewer, Board President at WCSI.

Click here to learn more about WCSI's current and new Board Members.

About Watson Caring Science Institute (WCSI): The Watson Caring Science Institute (WCSI) is an international non-profit organization founded by Dr. Jean Watson, Ph.D., RN, AHN-BC, FAAN, LL (AAN), dedicated to advancing the philosophies, theories, and practices of Human Caring/Caring Science. WCSI's mission encompasses research, education, praxis, leadership, and legacy, with a focus on promoting the development and understanding of Watson's Caring Science to enrich the concept of quality care and healing environments. Through educational programs, partnerships, events, and affiliations, WCSI seeks to impact the global healthcare landscape positively. For more information, please visit www.watsoncaringscience.org.

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