

# ATLANTIC REGION CANADIAN ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS OF NURSING (ARCASN)

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## PURPOSE

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“... to promote the advancement of nursing education and research in Atlantic Canadian and to collaborate with the other Regions in meeting the objectives of the Canadian Association of Schools of Nursing....”

*ARCASN Constitution 2015*

## MEMBERS

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St. Francis Xavier University  
Dalhousie University  
University of New Brunswick, Fredericton and Saint John  
Université de Moncton  
University of Prince Edward Island  
Memorial University of Newfoundland  
Cape Breton University  
Western Regional School of Nursing  
Center for Nursing Studies

## OBJECTIVES

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- a) To identify the needs of the Region concerning nursing education
- b) To promote the interchange of information concerning philosophies, programs, curricula, research and plans for the future
- c) To promote interchange of nursing scholarship among the membership
- d) To represent the views of this Region to education, professional, and other appropriate bodies

## MEETINGS

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Representatives from each institution meet at least twice yearly. In spring of each year, ARCASN holds its **Annual Conference** where members are invited to submit abstracts for peer review. The **Annual General Meeting** is held during the Spring conference. Subcommittees of ARCASN (Education and Research) meet by teleconference.

## MEMBERSHIP

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**ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP** – Open to all Atlantic nursing faculty whose institution is a member of CASN

**LIFE MEMBERSHIP** - Former members of the Region upon whom such membership is conferred by the Region, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee for distinguished service or valuable assistance to the Region. May attend meetings but have no voting privileges.

**HONORARY MEMBERSHIP** - Those persons upon whom such membership is conferred by the Region, upon recommendation of the Executive Committee for distinguished service or valuable assistance to the Region. May attend meetings but have no voting privileges.

**ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP** - Any individual who has been a faculty member of a recognized School of Nursing may apply for associate membership. or - Any student enrolled full time or part time in an undergraduate or graduate program in nursing in the Atlantic Region may apply for associate membership. May attend meetings but have no voting privileges.

**Membership Fee** - \$50/year Active, 20\$/year Associate, free: Life and Honorary

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Name: _____
Type of membership: _____
Institutional affiliation: _____
Mailing address: _____ _____
Email address: _____
Phone number: _____