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**Free to MTSA Alumni
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reservations required**

Sunday, May 17 at 2:05 p.m.

**Online reservations
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Includes a full buffet meal

More info: 615-732-7665

Come visit with MTSA President Ken Schwab and meet MTSA President-elect Chris Hulin at a FREE family-centered alumni event at the new First Tennessee Park — home of Nashville Sounds Baseball — to be held Sunday, May 17.

This free event requires reservations and is available to MTSA Alumni and immediate family ONLY (alum, spouse, children — children under age two do not require a ticket or reservation). The Sounds will be playing the New Orleans Zephyrs beginning at 2:05pm.

The event will be held in the right field group private picnic area and will include a full buffet meal including hamburgers, beef hotdogs, chips, coleslaw, baked beans, drinks, and dessert. Veggie burgers will be available.

Make your free ticket reservations online by going to www.mtsa.edu, and clicking on news/events. Tickets will be held at the "will call window" at First Tennessee Park in the name of the person that makes the reservation. You must present a valid driver's license as identification with the same name in which the reservation was made or you can not receive the tickets.

Seats are filling quickly. A limited number of event tickets will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Plan now to attend. Please make your reservations on line at www.mtsa.edu.

For more information contact the MTSA Alumni Office at (615) 732-7665, or you may email candace@mtsa.edu. Reservation deadline is May 11, 2015.



— Nashville's Country Music Hall of Fame® & Museum to Host Second Annual Event

You won't want to miss the Second Annual MTSA Mission & Awards Gala to be held Thursday, May 7, 2015 at Nashville's Country Music Hall of Fame® & Museum. "This special evening is designed to celebrate the achievements of the anesthesia community, while enjoying the company of friends, colleagues, family, and friends," says Event Chairperson Nancy Palmore ('95) CRNA, MS, APN. "This annual Gala will not only raise needed

funds for the School, but will pay tribute to five outstanding award recipients."

The event will build community involvement, support, and awareness for MTSA while celebrating its Heritage and Mission by honoring and recognizing alumni, individuals, community partners, and others for their dedication, engagement, and support of MTSA.



Inaugural Mission & Awards Gala 2014 recipient of the Ikey DeVasher Distinguished Alumni Service Award Wayne Winfree ('87/'94) CRNA, MS, APN (center), was introduced by Aaron Jones ('00) CRNA, MS, APN, President of the MTSA Alumni Association, and presented by MTSA President Ken Schwab, EdD (right).



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SECOND ANNUAL Mission & Awards Gala

An Evening of Dining, Recognition, and Celebration Benefitting Middle Tennessee School of Anesthesia

WHEN	Thursday, May 7, 2015
WHERE	Country Music Hall of Fame® and Museum
LOCATION	Event Hall
RECEPTION	6:00 p.m.
DINNER	7:00 p.m.
DRESS	Black tie optional
TICKETS	\$100 each
TABLES	\$1,000 (10 guests)
PHONE	(615) 732-7674
EMAIL	jclosser@mtsa.edu

Palmore continues to say that "awards to be presented as nominated by MTSA alumnae and community friends include: Ikey DeVasher Alumni Distinguished Service Award; Nevin Downs, MD Leadership Award; Clinical Excellence Award; Philanthropy Award; and Mission & Heritage Award."

The evening will include a reception, dinner, and private Country Music Hall of Fame® &

Museum access for all guests. The event is open to all including alumni, faculty, students, physicians, medical groups, corporations, and community individuals. There are several sponsorships available, in addition to table sponsors, and individual tickets.

For more information contact the MTSA Advancement & Alumni Office at (615) 732-7674.

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Hulin to Become Next President of MTSA

— Current Dean/Program Administrator to be School’s Fourth Leader

Christopher P. Hulin, CRNA, DNP, current Dean/Program Administrator of the Middle Tennessee School of Anesthesia (MTSA) will become the fourth President in the 65-year history of the institution. MTSA Board of Trustees Chairman Art Runyon-Hass, MD, PhD stated that, “Dr. Hulin will assume his new role July 1, 2015 upon the retirement of Dr. Kenneth L. Schwab. Dr. Schwab has served as the MTSA President since 2010, providing a leadership example to both faculty and the Board that will truly be missed.”



MTSA alumnus Chris Hulin ('06) CRNA, MBA, DNP will begin his new role as the School's fourth President effective July 1, 2015. He currently serves as Dean/Program Administrator.

“Drs. Hulin and Schwab have successfully navigated our program through a challenging and successful expansion in the degree program opportunities,” said Runyon-Hass. “We are very excited to be able to keep Dr. Hulin with us to oversee the next phases of academic and physical growth of our institution. Dr. Hulin possesses a vision that will help to ensure a bright future for the student, faculty, and clinical communities both within middle Tennessee, and several surrounding states.”

“I am fully aware of the significant responsibility and trust that has been placed with me,” stated Dr. Hulin. “Our trustees, faculty, staff, alumni and anesthesia professional community should be assured that I am committed to the mission and core values of MTSA,

and wish to see the institution continue to progress forward.”

Dr. Hulin earned his Doctor of Nursing Practice from Samford University in 2010, and as a 2006 alumnus of MTSA he was conferred a Master of Science with a focus in Nurse Anesthesia. He has also earned an MBA from Regis University, and an MS in Nursing Administration from Vanderbilt University.

Prior to joining the full-time academic and administrative staff of MTSA in 2009, Dr. Hulin held leadership positions in teaching, nursing, and hospital administration. Most recently, he was appointed

Dean/Program Administrator of the MTSA. “Dr. Hulin is a valued member of the clinical faculty, and will be able to reassure the students that he hopes to continue providing clinical anesthesia care as part of his ongoing responsibilities,” said Runyon-Hass.

Hulin states, “I respect the good work of President Schwab in bringing a depth of unity and engagement with the Board of Trustees. I welcome the opportunity to continue embracing our stakeholders including the board, alumni, students, clinical partners and the broader community we serve.”

Summer Workshop Offered

Basic Ultrasound-guided Regional Anesthesia Workshop
July 12, 2015 | Registration and full details at www.mtsa.edu

“Basic Ultrasound-guided Regional Anesthesia Workshop” will be offered on July 12, 2015. The eight-hour, hands-on workshop will be taught by MTSA Director of Collaborative Learning Patrick Moss ('98) CRNA, MS, APN. Cost for the one-day educational offering is \$695 (\$650 for MTSA alumni).

Moss describes the course as an “ultrasound-guided regional anesthesia workshop with hands-on basic training utilizing live scanning models, state-of-the-art ultrasound technology, and a comprehensive no-frills approach to regional anesthesia techniques for

surgery and acute pain management.” He continued by saying, “Current literature reflects the superiority of a multimodal approach in managing acute postoperative pain.”

Participants that take the course will receive the benefits of small group scanning stations as well as a re-introduction to the basic concepts of a multitude of regional anesthesia techniques. Information presented will be highly practical and immediately useful.

“Don’t allow technology to intimidate you,” said Moss. “The material will be presented in a manner which will invite learning and participation.” He says anesthetists who wish to further their knowledge of regional anesthesia while incorporating the technology of ultrasound guidance should take this course.

Upon completion of the course participants will be able to:

- Demonstrate basic ultrasound imaging strategies

- Verbalize their understanding of several core regional anesthesia conduction blocks including the interscalene, supraclavicular, infraclavicular, and axillary approaches to the brachial plexus as well as femoral, sciatic, and popliteal blocks
- Explain ultrasound knobology and multiple needling techniques.

THINGS TO KNOW

- July 12, 2015
- Eight-hour Course
- Cost: \$695 (\$650 for MTSA alumni discount code is “ALUM”)
- Instructor: Patrick Moss, CRNA, MS, APN
- Location: MTSA
- CEs Approved by AANA
- Information: 615.732.7662
- Reservations: www.mtsa.edu

MIDDLE TENNESSEE SCHOOL OF ANESTHESIA IS OFFERING 20 CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS FREE

If you are a MTSA Alumni, Academic Instructor or a Clinical Instructor, take advantage of 20 continuing education credits free. A nominal \$10 fee per credit hour will be charged to CRNA’s who do not meet the above criteria. Please RSVP by calling or emailing Pam Nimmo at 615-732-7662; pam@mtsa.edu. If no one is scheduled to attend by the Thursday before the session, the session will be cancelled.

SESSION I	SESSION II	SESSION III	SESSION IV	SESSION V
MARCH 22, 2015	APRIL 19, 2015	MAY 3, 2015	MAY 17, 2015	JUNE 7, 2015
1:00 – 5:10 PM	1:00 – 5:10 PM	1:00 – 5:10 PM	1:00 – 5:10 PM	1:00 – 5:10 PM
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In Appreciation

The following individuals, corporations, foundations, and organizations provided financial support as contributors to MTSA last calendar year. We are pleased to honor our contributing partners and the significant contribution each has made. The following listing includes annual gifts and estate gifts, in addition to **MTSA Golf Classic** and **Bowen Society Member** gifts. We are very thankful for the generous support. The listing below only reflects actual cash received including cash gifts and pledge payments. It does not reflect pledges.

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Mission Trip

MTSA Assistant Program Administrator Rachael Brown ('97) CRNA, DNP has participated in several mission trips over the years. She has been very instrumental in developing a missions program for MTSA which will kick-off this year when Program Administrator Chris Hulin ('06) CRNA, MBA, DNP and Dr. Brown are joined by four MTSA students on a trip to Thomazeau, Haiti.

The trip is scheduled for September 12–18, 2015. The group will board at the Live Beyond compound in Thomazeau. Dr. Brown says that “mission participants will administer basic first-aid and nursing care to patients of all ages. Additionally, they will make community visits to the homes of at-risk patients.”

If you would like to help sponsor students, please contact Dr. Brown at rachel.brown@mtsa.edu. You may also make a gift online at www.mtsa.edu/giving. All funds will go directly to funding the students’ mission trip costs.



IMAGE ABOVE LEFT: MTSA Assistant Program Administrator Rachel Brown ('97) CRNA, DNP enjoys encouraging a youngster while serving with a medical mission team in the Dominican Republic. MTSA will begin a formal mission trip project in the Fall, 2015.

IMAGE ABOVE RIGHT: “I had an unforgettable experience with the most amazing group of people and words cannot describe how thankful and honored I am to have had this opportunity,” said MTSA junior student Sandra Bultemeier, as she reflected on her mission trip experience in Mexico. “I saw a whole new world of anesthesia – and it was amazing to provide safe care far outside the box of our normal.”

Earn Your DNAP Degree

Get Your Personalized Doctor of Nurse Anesthesia Practice Degree

Applications are being accepted for the MTSA’s Doctor of Nurse Anesthesia Practice (DNAP) degree. Classes for the third completion-degree cohort will begin Tuesday, September 1, 2015. Application deadline is April 30, 2015.

“We have designed the degree to be adaptable for each graduate’s interests,” said Dean/Program Administrator Chris Hulin, CRNA, MSN, MBA, DNP. “I encourage applicants to get their program application in and communicate your Capstone Project concept so we can better tailor content experts, faculty, and advisors for you.”

Qualified CRNA students must first have a Master of Science degree before they can be considered for the program. The students will be required to come to the MTSA campus at the beginning of each quarter to meet with faculty and begin the coursework for that quarter. The students will then return home while continuing the program via distance learning.

“I would welcome a phone call from anyone considering applying to the program,” said Hulin. “If you would like to explore the questions centered on the Capstone Project and potential DNAP advisors, please give me call. You will find us eager to work with you as we discuss your specific interests for this practice degree. Call my office at (615) 732-7676.”

Those interested are encouraged to visit www.mtsa.edu and click “Programs/Doctorate” for more details. You may also contact the Admissions Office by email: pam@mtsa.edu or phone: (615) 732-7662.

APPLY TODAY

Application	Open now through April 30
Apply Online	www.mtsa.edu
Interviews	May/June 2015
Class Begins	August 31, 2015
Application Fee	\$60
Tuition	\$30,000
Eligibility	Master’s prepared and licensed CRNAs seeking a Doctoral Degree in Anesthesia Practice. MTSA offers the only DNAP in the State of Tennessee.

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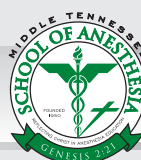
A PIECE OF HISTORY

Who Is She?

In the last issue of *Airways* readers were invited to help identify this person. After several phone calls and emails from a variety of alum, we have confirmed the person pictured, standing in the doorway of the old "School of Anesthesiology," is Rae Anna Brown ('64) CRNA. We understand that she comes from a "missionary family" and that upon her graduation she returned to the mission field to serve. Her former roommate Herthea Catherine Hahn ('64) CRNA and fellow classmates Doris Brown ('63) and Ruth Trivett ('64) CRNA each helped provide positive identification. The *Airways* editor tried unsuccessfully to locate Ms. Brown.



Eleven MTSA Alum attended *Aspen Anesthesia 2015* held at Snowmass Village in Colorado earlier this year. Lunch was held at Lynn Britt Cabin on Snowmass Mountain and was co-sponsored by MTSA and Holiday Seminars. Pictured in front row (l to r) are Julie Murphy ('00), Charles Hanson ('99), Rich Maynard ('98), and David Murphy ('00). Back row (l to r) are William O. T. Smith, MD, Holiday Seminars owner and former MTSA President, John Shields ('85/'05), Dina Velocci ('04), Dustin Billington ('13). Other MTSA Alum attending but not pictured include Laura Johnson ('84), Kevin and Katie Keller ('13), and Allen Reining ('10).



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