

SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES **NURSING NOW LONDON LAUNCH EVENT, 27th FEBRUARY 2018**

Lord Nigel Crisp, Nursing Now Co-Chair; Co-Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Global Health, UK



Lord Crisp is an independent crossbench member of the House of Lords where he co-chairs the All-Party Parliamentary Group on Global Health.

Lord Crisp was Chief Executive of the NHS in England from 2000-2006, he has subsequently worked and written extensively on global health with a focus on Africa. His main current interests are global health partnerships, health creation and nursing.

Sir Hugh Taylor, Chairman of Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust



Sir Hugh was appointed as Chairman of Guy's and St Thomas' in February 2011. He had a long and distinguished career in the civil service, which included senior roles in the Department of Health and NHS Executive, the Cabinet Office and the Home Office. His most recent appointment before joining the Trust was as Permanent Secretary at the Department of Health, from which he retired in July 2010. Sir Hugh chairs the Cancer Services, Corporate Management and Remuneration Committees as well as the Board.

Dr Catherine Hannaway, Global Campaign Project Manager, Nursing Now



Catherine trained as a Registered Nurse, Midwife and Health Visitor and is a specialist in systems leadership and healthcare quality improvement.

Catherine is a global health consultant working as the Nursing Now Campaign Project Manager, the lead for Leadership and Development and 'Sharing Effective Practice'. She has worked on many overseas assignments, including facilitator for the WHO and PAHO on developing and delivering 'Health in All Policies' training. She is an associate and lecturer at Durham University and Maastricht University in Public Health Systems Leadership, and an Honorary Member of the UK Faculty of Public Health in recognition of her outstanding contribution to public health systems leadership development over many years.

Speaker Session: Strengthening Nursing Across the Globe: ‘What the Nursing Now campaign means in different parts of the world’

CHAIR: Dr Karen Bjørø, Second Vice President, Norwegian Nurses Organisation



Dr. Karen Bjørø is second Vice-president of the Norwegian Nurses Organization (NNO) since 2011. She is the European region’s member on the International Council of Nurses’ Board.

Dr. Bjørø was recently elected President of the European Nursing Research Foundation (ENRF) (2017-19). She also represents her organisation on the European Federation of Nurses Associations, the Nordic Nurses Federation and a board member of the European Forum of National Nurses and Midwives Associations and the WHO/Euro.

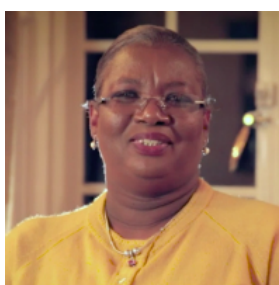
Harriett Baldwin MP, Minister of State for Africa at the Foreign & Commonwealth Office and Minister of State for International Development



Harriett Baldwin was appointed as Minister of State for Africa at the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and Minister of State at the Department for International Development on 9 January 2018.

She was elected as the MP for West Worcestershire in May 2010, where she has lived since 2006.

Rosemarie L. Josey, Past President, Nurses Association of the Commonwealth of The Bahamas; Clinical Nurse Specialist and ICN – LFC Coordinator, Bahamas



Rosemarie began her nursing in August of 1983 as an Enrolled Nurse and later successfully completing the Associate of Science Degree for Registered Nurses in 1996 at the College of the Bahamas. She is a graduate of the International Council of Nurses (ICN) – Leadership for Change Programme (LFC) June 2005 and a certified Trainer and National Coordinator for the ICN LFC Programme for the Bahamas. She is a Graduate of the ICN Global Nursing Leadership Institute (GNLI), Geneva Switzerland, 2010.

She holds certificates as a Human Resource Manager 1 & 2 from the College of The Bahamas, 2007-2008. She is a Registered Phlebotomy Technician, 2009 and a graduate of Public Hospital’s Authority Master Mentorship programme, class of

2012 certified by the Royal College of Nursing. Rosemarie is a Nursing Now Global Campaign Board Member.

**Catherine Betty Odeke MPhil, BScN, ADHM, DPHN, RN, RM
Commissioner Health Services – Nursing and Midwifery, Uganda**



Catherine is involved in Technical Support supervision of Nursing and Midwifery services in Uganda, advocacy, policy development on Nursing and Midwifery issues and leadership functions. She also leads on planning, budgeting for the department plus monitoring and evaluation of Nursing and Midwifery activities in the country.

Catherine received her Masters in Public Health Leadership from Uganda Christian University – Mukono ,degree in Science Nursing from Aga Khan University- Uganda, Advanced diploma in Health Management from Mulago Health Sciences and Management Institution, Diploma in Public Health Nursing from Public Health Nurses College Kampala, Diploma in Nursing from Mulago School of Nursing and Midwifery and Diploma in Midwifery from Kalongo School of Midwifery. She has recently been nominated the National Coordinator of the NNC.

Dr Kanjana Chunthai, Government Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officer of Thailand



Dr Kanjana Chunthai is the Government Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officer of Thailand. Prior to leading Thailand's Bureau of Nursing, Dr KChunthai served as Director of the Nursing College in Petchaburi (2003-2006) and The Institute of Medical and Health Technology in Nonthaburi.

Dr Chunthai regularly represents Thailand at the World Health Assembly and has spoken on a number of panels at the biennial Global Forum for Government Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officers. In 2017, she was Thailand's representative at the Global Health Forum, Taiwan. Dr Chunthai completed her Ph.D. in Educational Administration at Chulalongkorn University and has taught at the College of Nursing, both in Bangkok. Kanjana is a Nursing Now Global Campaign Board Member.

Speaker Session: Translating Nursing Now into Global Action

Mary Watkins, Baroness Watkins of Tavistock, Alternate Chair, Nursing Now



Mary Watkins was appointed a Life Peer as Baroness Watkins of Tavistock in 2015. She was a Professor of Nursing, and is currently Emeritus Professor at Plymouth University.

Mary qualified as a General Nurse in 1976, a Mental Health Nurse in 1979, was a Nightingale Scholar in 1985 and gained her Doctorate from King's College London in 1994. She was appointed Dean of the Faculty of Health and Social Work at Plymouth in 2003, Pro-Vice Chancellor Health in 2005 and Deputy Vice-Chancellor in January 2007.

Ms Elizabeth Iro, Chief Nursing Officer, World Health Organisation



Ms Iro, from the Cook Islands has served as the country's Secretary of Health since 2012. In this role, she has implemented legislative reforms to strengthen the country's health system and developed the National Health Strategy 2012-2016, the National Health Road Map 2017-2036, the National Health Strategic Plan 2017-2021, the Health Clinical Workforce Plan, and the National Water Policy and Road

Strategy.

She has also been a key advocate for the introduction of sugar levies. Prior to this role, she served as the country's Chief Nursing Officer from 2011 to 2012, as Acting Director of Hospital Health Services from 2009 to 2010 and as Quality Manager from 2008 to 2010. In addition, for the first 25 years of her career, she was a practising nurse and midwife, serving in several roles in the Cook Islands and New Zealand. This experience includes working as the Charge Midwife of Rarotonga Hospital's Maternity Ward from 1997 to 2005.

Dr Diana Atwine, MBChB, MMed Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Health, Uganda



Dr Atwine studied at Mbarara University School of Medicine, where she pursued a Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery degree. Following that, she specialized in Internal Medicine and was awarded a Master of Medicine degree by the same University.

Dr Atwine worked for a brief period at St. Francis Hospital Nsambya, before she joined the Uganda Joint Clinical Research. From there she went to the State House of Uganda, where she was given the title of the President's Private Secretary in

Charge of Medical Affairs. In that capacity, she served as one of President Museveni's personal physicians. In 2009, she was tasked to head what was officially known as the Medicine and Health Services Delivery Monitoring Unit, specifically tasked to investigate corruption in Uganda's Ministry of Health. Dr Atwine was appointed to her current position, on 4 November 2016.

Annette Kennedy, President, International Council of Nurses



Annette Kennedy is President of the International Council of Nurses (ICN). Ms Kennedy has extensive experience of representing nurses at an international level. Previously, she served as vice president of the ICN from 2013-17 and also as president of the European Federation of Nurses (EFN) from 2005-07.

She was also director of professional development at the Irish Nurses and Midwives Organisation for 19 years, from 1994-2012. She has a particularly strong track record of securing positive developments for nurses and healthcare systems right across the European Union.