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KU Department of Clinical Laboratory Sciences faculty presented posters at the 2023 Clinical Laboratory Educators Conference held March 2-4, 2023, in New Orleans. **Alexis Carpenter, Ph.D., MLS(ASCP)^{cm}**, and **Kasey Edwardson, Ph.D., MLS(ASCP)^{cm}**, presented "Alternative Assessment Approaches in Undergraduate Clinical Laboratory Science Courses." **Andrew Jones, MBA, MLS(ASCP)^{cm}**, and **Jennifer Jones, MLS(ASCP)^{cm}**, presented "Comparison of MLS Student Outcomes from Morning Lab vs. Afternoon Lab Section." **Yan Zheng, Ph.D., MLS(ASCP)^{cm}**, presented "Implementing a Novel Clinical Correlation Curriculum in the Doctorate in Clinical Laboratory Science Program." Edwardson also presented "The Medical Laboratory Professionals Education Advancement Study: Year 0." Excellent work.

Two faculty from the Department of Physical Therapy, Rehabilitation Science, and Athletic Training were special guests on an episode of the Healthcare Education Transformation Podcast. During the session titled "Elevating Learning with Evidence-Based Teaching," **Yvonne Colgrove, Ph.D., PT**, and **Stephen Jernigan, Ph.D., PT**, discussed the formation and logistics of their Leveraging Education And Research iN Physical Therapy (LEARN PT) Lab and becoming leaders in education research across health professions. Great job.

KU nurse anesthesia alumnus **Kash Brown, DNAP, CRNA**, authored an article published recently in the International Student Journal of Nurse Anesthesia. His faculty mentor, **Donna Nyght, DNP, CRNA**, served as guest editor on the piece titled "Suspected Malignant Hyperthermia in a Pediatric Patient." Nice job.

KU occupational therapy student **Renee Rains** is co-author on an abstract accepted for a poster presentation session during the 2023 annual conference of the Consortium of Universities for Global Health. It is titled "Educating Undergraduate Rehabilitation Students in Low-Income Countries Through Transborder Technology Development: An Example of Transnational Collaboration Facilitating Digital Competencies and Sustainability." The conference will be held in Washington, DC, April 14-16, 2023. Congratulations.

Please be safe and thank you for all that you do.