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Education

DNPc, Samford University, 2009
MSN, Troy University, 2001
BSN, Auburn University at Montgomery, 1996

**Publications or
Presentations**

- Rushing, D. (2009). High-Fidelity Simulation- Take it out of the closet! Podium presentation accepted at Samford University Nursing Seminar, Birmingham, Alabama in May 2009.
- Rushing, D. & McCoy, C. (2007). Got IDEAS? Share your work through Presentations. *The Alabama Nurse*, Volume 34, Number 4. (December 2007, January, February 2008 issue)
- McCoy, C. & Rushing, D. (2007). Faculty Mentoring: Living a Caring Philosophy. Poster presentation accepted as a poster presentation at the National League for Nursing's Educational Summit in Phoenix, Arizona in September 26-29, 2007.
- Rushing, D. & McCoy, C. (2007). Love 'Em or Lose 'Em: Mentoring Early Career Faculty. Podium presentation accepted at the 39th Biennial Convention, Baltimore, Maryland in November 2007.

**Honors, Awards,
Boards,
Certifications, and
Professional
Organizations**

- McCoy, C. & Rushing, D. (2006). Perceptions and Practice of Spiritual Care in Student Nurses. Poster presentation at the 20th Annual Southern Nursing Research Society Conference, Memphis, TN.

Iota Theta Chapter, Sigma Theta Tau International
National League of Nursing
Alabama State Nursing Association

Research Interests

Nursing education and teaching strategies
Use of simulation in nursing education
Adult health medical surgical
Geriatric Nursing

Clinical Focus

Adult Nursing