



## United Nations Activity Report

On Friday, 10 May 2019, the third annual [International Nurses Day](#) celebration was held at the United Nations and was organized by [Nurses With Global Impact, Inc.](#)

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This event honored 21 nurses with global impact for their work.

Many of the nurses were members of Sigma, but in particular, Dr. Eileen Specchio was honored for her work in the Dominican Republic and Haiti in partnership with Sigma North America Region 14 and the [Foundation for Peace](#) and her work teaching nurses in Liberia. Dr. Robin Klun from New York University was honored for her work in Africa. She also leads the [NGO Committee on Global Health](#). Dr. McDermott-Leavy of Villanova University shared her Fullbright study from Finland that demonstrated the impact of climate change and global warming on human health, which was a call to action for nurses to raise awareness.

Here are the honorees from 2019:

<https://nurseswithglobalimpact.org/nurse-honorees/2019-nurse-honorees/>