

Mary Pat Kunert RN PhD

Present position: Associate Professor, UW-Milwaukee, College of Nursing

Education: BSN, 1977, PhD (physiology) Medical College of Wisconsin, 1994

Professional Societies: Microcirculatory Society, American Physiological Society, American Heart Association

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Current Research Interests: I am currently working on the influence of the combination of estrogen and high salt diet on the microcirculation in skeletal muscle.

Personal Statement: I have been a member of the Microcirculatory Society for several years and I am willing to serve the society in any capacity. My most recent contribution has been as a member of the Awards Committee and also served on the local organizing committee for the World Congress in Milwaukee WI.