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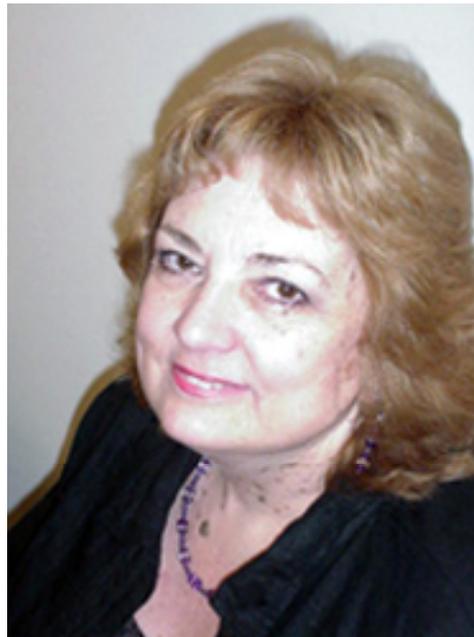
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I cannot believe that this is already my last Presidential column! This year is whizzing by quickly.

I just returned from the Great Lakes Conference. I have been aware of the conference for years as the only one of the regional conferences begun by Jim Hurst during his Presidential year that has continued. It was a treat to attend. I really enjoyed the focus on students and their research, the other keynote addresses, and Barry Schreier's improv troupe. I particularly enjoyed hearing Sharon Bowman's students share their experiences of working in Mississippi after Hurricane Katrina. I think it was life-changing for them, and I hope we can find ways to get more students involved in such experiences.

Most of our ongoing projects are progressing well. Our Communications group (co-Executive Vice-Presidents for Communications Jean Carter and Nadya Fouad and the interim Directors of Media, Membership, and External Interface Emil Rodolfa, Stewart Cooper, and Linda Forrest)

are busily creating job descriptions and preparing for implementation if all bylaws are approved in August. Our Hurricane Relief and Disaster Response Special Task Group (STG) co-chaired by Larry Gerstein and Bob Lent will be presenting a long-range plan for preparing the Society of Counseling Psychology (SCP) and Council of Counseling Psychology Training Programs (CCPTP) for future disasters for approval to both Executive Boards in August. Larry, Stewart, and I were all speaking at the Great Lakes Conference, so we took the opportunity to discuss the implementation of long-range plans and building them in to the new structure of SCP.

The Integrating Diversity Guidelines STG is making great progress under the leadership of Marie Miville and Changming Duan. They presented organizing strategies, training ideas, and results from their survey at the CCPTP meeting in Tampa. They are now working with STG members on the outline of a manuscript to help trainers (in graduate school and for CE) integrate multiple identities in training. Finalizing a manuscript will continue into next year, but they will have a progress report for August.

The Doctoral Program Patterns STG chaired by Betsy Altmaier is gathering fascinating confidential information from deans at universities in which Counseling Psychology doctoral programs have closed and in which programs have recently opened. They will be providing aggregate information to SCP and CCPTP to aid both organizations in deciding if there is any action that we need to take. We are also collaborating with CCPTP in looking at the NRC ranking process and considering ways to impact what programs they rank.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT CONT.

Bruce Walsh is making publishing contacts to launch the Biennial Review project that was approved at the midyear meeting. To borrow from the STG proposal, the Biennial Review would be a separate publication reviewing the most recent findings in various areas in Counseling Psychology. It would be designed to fill a niche between our journals and our handbook publications by systematically reviewing half the field every two years, and thus providing a review of the field of Counseling Psychology literature every four years. The STG recommended that there be 10-12 chapters in each volume, which would mean that every 4 years, 20-24 content areas would be reviewed (noting that 4-5 years is the average time in training for doctoral students).

The Early Career Professionals STG chaired by Nathan Smith is planning several meetings and events for Early Career Professionals (ECPs) at the convention. Check the Hospitality Suite program in this issue for schedules. They will also be surveying the needs of ECPs. Our Strategic Planning STG chaired by Michael Mobley will be presenting a strategic plan for SCP in consultation with all our Vice Presidents to further the goals we

developed last year.

Planning for the next National Multicultural Conference and Summit (NMCS) is in full swing. The next Summit will be held January 24-26, 2007 at the Sheraton Hotel in Seattle, Washington. The Conference theme will be "The Psychology of Multiple Identities: Finding Empowerment in the Face of Oppression." I appreciate the hard work of the Conference Coordinator BraVada Garrett-Akinsanya, our SCP representative Helen Neville, and the other division representatives Will Liu and Arlene Noriega.

Our joint conference planning committee with CCPTP has also begun planning the next National Conference in Counseling Psychology for early 2008. The co-coordinators are Laura Palmer and Kathy Bieschke with assistance from other representatives still being selected. Please watch for a questionnaire that the group will be sending to all of us gathering our thoughts on location, program, etc. Our input is vitally important to their planning.

Those are just the highlights. There is more happening in SCP than I could possibly describe in one newsletter column. This newsletter contains the Hospitality Suite schedule for the convention and program

highlights. In case there are any last minute changes to the Suite schedule, be sure and pick up a final copy at the convention. Kudos to Laura Palmer and Consuelo Arbona for their excellent work in putting the program together and Sally Stabb and Debra Mollen for creatively organizing all the demands on the Hospitality Suite. There will be multiple opportunities to give back to the community of New Orleans during the convention both through APA projects and Bill Parham's Presidential initiatives.

Finally, I cannot even begin to recognize and thank all of you who contributed to SCP this year. The energy and commitment of Counseling Psychologists is phenomenal. The amount we have accomplished this year in committees, sections, SIGs, STGs, task forces, APA governance, etc. is incredible, impressive, and overwhelming. I will attempt to recognize as many of you as possible during the August Business Meeting, but there is no way I can fully express my appreciation to everyone of you who has made a difference this year.

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SCP Reorganized to Include Focus on Communication

At its meeting in August 2005, the Executive Board approved in principle recommendations for reorganization of the Society's governance as proposed by the STG on Communications (Cochairs Linda Forrest and Jean Carter, Members Nadya Fouad, Sandy Shullman, Michael Mobley, and Paul Gore). The reorganization was designed to create a program, including governance structures, bylaws, policies and procedures that would enhance the Society's communications and information system. The Executive Board appointed Nadya Fouad and Jean Carter to serve as Interim Co-Vice Presidents for Communication, Linda Forrest as Interim Director of the APA Interface Board, Emil Rodolfa as Interim Director of the Communications and Technology Board and Stewart Cooper as Interim Director of the Member Interface Board. This team presented recommended bylaws changes to the Executive Board at its meeting in February 2006. The Board approved the proposed bylaws revisions, which were presented to the membership in Spring 2006 newsletter (see

www.div17.org/Newsletter).

Interim Vice Presidents Carter and Fouad and Interim Directors Cooper and Forrest have continued to work on developing the positions descriptions for the proposed new positions. Interim Director Emil Rodolfa had to step down from the position for family reasons, and President Roberta Nutt will appoint his replacement in consultation with the Presidential Trio.

The changes and the proposed structure will be presented to the membership for approval at the Business Meeting in the summer. The changes are designed to accomplish the following:

1. Expand the purpose of the Society to incorporate an emphasis on communication and information systems.
2. Create a Vice President for Communications, which is intended to be a senior position with significant authority and responsibility for the communication and information management systems of the Society. In recognition of the level and breadth of knowledge and responsibility of

this position, the new Vice President will be required to have served on the Executive Board previously and may be a past president.

3. Create three Boards to provide coordination and oversight of a) Communications and Technology (emphasis on our communications tools), b) APA Interface (emphasis on the connection between the Society, APA, other psychological organizations and the public), and c) Member Interface (emphasis on membership and member resources).

4. Create committees or other positions that correspond to the Boards and are intended to enhance our capacity to coordinate and respond to the needs of members, the needs of the field, and expanding information technology and resource management.

We invite you to contact us if you have any questions.

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PRESIDENT-ELECT'S REPORT



Good morning, afternoon or evening and thanks for allowing me to touch base with you, if only for a few minutes, regarding our latest developments and upcoming opportunities. Let me start by saying that I continue to feel honored and humbled by your support and encouragement for my upcoming tenure as president of the Society of Counseling Psychology (SCP). I am confident that together we will make a positive difference within our Society, across divisions within APA, and more importantly, in the lives of the communities to which all of us have emotional, familial, cultural, spiritual and/or generational ties.

The flow of emotional electricity in response to the presidential initiatives I introduced, and to which I hope all of us will in some way participate, has fueled my eagerness to want to assume the helm of the SCP right now. As you may recall, in the last issue of our newsletter I shared a direction in which I would like us to head and suggested a means that I believe would allow us to arrive at our destination feeling proud about our accomplishments. I mentioned that I would like us to consider embracing an organizational as well as a personal philosophy that requires us to think and behave in ways that reflect a *More of Thee and less of me* mindset. As a way to operationally define this attitude and outlook I established three special task groups (STGs) and asked that they set a course all of us can then follow as we move forward. The *Stepping to the Plate* STG, Co-Chaired by Michael Mobley and Rebecca Toporek, have made significant headway in launching our inaugural give-back-to-the-community

Let the Games Begin

program (see also p. 5). They have opened a way for us to contribute to the healing and restoration of the lives, spirits and property of the citizens of New Orleans. Further, they are positioning us to continue our spirit of giving when APA convenes in the cities of San Francisco, CA (2007), Boston, MA (2008), Toronto, Ontario, Canada (2009), San Diego, CA (2010), Washington, D.C. (2011), Chicago, Ill. (2012) and Honolulu, Hawaii (2013).

Kathy Bieschke, Elizabeth Skowron and Christopher Daood are the Tri-Chairs of the *Passing the Baton* STG. They are translating the *More of Thee and less of me* philosophy in a manner that will provide opportunities for the elders of the SCP to reach back and pull forward one to several younger colleagues. Opportunities will also be provided for younger colleagues to initiate relationships with one to several senior colleagues. This illustrious STG will work in concert with Jessica Henderson Daniel, APA Board of Directors, whose leadership in bringing APA President Gerry Koocher's mentoring project to fruition will prove invaluable as our project grows into a reality.

The *Tapping the Wellspring of Talent* STG, very ably Co-Chaired by Trent Petrie and Hardin Coleman, will lead us to discover the rich resources (academic, clinical service, research, consultation) that our Society possesses. This impressive group will also help us to take a closer look at the challenges with which professional, amateur, collegiate, youth and senior sports organizations struggle as well as the opportunities for the SCP to provide these entities with reliable and responsive intervention options.

In this and in subsequent issues of our newsletter each STG will provide the SCP membership with project updates. In addition, exciting news & notes regarding the presidential initiatives will appear on our Society's website that will be designed to allow the SCP membership to communicate with each STG.

Collectively, these three STGs will provide the SCP with a wide-screen/high definition look at the possibilities for self and organizational assessment relative to the ways we choose to define what's of value. I'm

betting that all of us will connect with the spirit of giving and I believe that this connection will help us to really understand what for me are two fundamental truths: *that to the world you might be only one person, but to one person you might be the world and it is only when we forget ourselves that we do things that deserve to be remembered.*

Lastly, and aside from our presidential initiatives, I am looking forward to working closely with all of you as we address ongoing challenges specific to our Society (e.g., improving within SCP communication, enticing new people to participate in our Society via governance, committee or STG membership, across division collaboration, etc.) and germane to the Association (e.g., membership, our relevance to domestic and global communities, etc.). Until our next check-in, know that you are Blessed and that I look forward to seeing you in New Orleans.

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NEWSLETTER SUBMISSIONS

Articles submitted for publication in the Fall 2006 issue of the Society of Counseling Psychology Newsletter should be approximately 400 words in length and must be received by the editor no later than **August 23, 2006**.

Electronic submission is strongly encouraged, either as a Word attachment (preferred) or directly in the body of an e-mail. Submissions should be sent to:

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APA COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES REPORT

The Council of Representatives will meet during the annual APA convention in New Orleans on Wednesday, August 9, 2006 from 9am to 5 pm and on Sunday, August 13th from 9 until noon. We do not have the agenda as of this report however; your Council Representatives will provide to the Executive Committee any needed information before the convention convenes. Each of you might want to visit the convention web page to register to participate in humanitarian efforts while you are at the convention. You have the opportunity to help rebuild homes while you are there. During the convention the Divisions for Social Justice, of which SCP is a member along with 9 other divisions, will cosponsor a reception with the Public Interest Directorate

and Division 56 (the newest division with a focus on Trauma).

We did highlight a number of items from the February Council meeting. One item that continues to have a number of psychologists talking is the report from the Presidential Task Force on Psychological Ethics, PENS. You may read the address delivered by the task force chair, Dr. Olivia Moorehead-Slaughter, at <http://www.apa.org/monitor/apr06/security.html>. A number of individuals would like to see more statements in the ethics code about protection of "basic human rights." The Ethics Committee is beginning to engage in this discussion.

Other items of interest from the Council meeting were the allocations of funds to

support one meeting of the Task Force to Revise the APA Model Act for State Licensure for Psychologists and funds to support a second meeting of the Task Force for Increasing the Number of Quantitative Psychologists.

Finally you have selected the candidates to run for President-Elect of APA. They are James Bray, Alan Kazdin, Rosie Phillips Bingham, Stephen Ragusea, and Nora Newcombe.

Mark your calendars for the 2007 APA convention, San Francisco, August 17 – August 20.

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Choice, Inclinations & Propensities

The devastation of lives and property brought about by Katrina and Rita's visit to New Orleans and the Gulf Coast has yet to be fully realized. I'm not sure we will ever be able to comprehend the magnitude of the toll, emotional and otherwise, it took and continues to take on the region's citizenry, on-lookers world-wide and the volunteers who responded selflessly to the call for help.

Natural disasters are tragedies not bound by race, ethnicity or social-class or by human control. They just happen. Responding to challenges that emerge, irrespective of their enormity and vastness, however, do appear to be influenced by human choice, inclinations and propensities. Katrina and Rita are cases in point.

Legions of people including children, youth, adults and elders stepped to the plate, in many instances sacrificially, when nature obliterated lives, spirits and belongings of our brothers and sisters to the south. These reparative and restorative responses provide the undeniable evidence that we can respond in right, correct and human ways. The failure of our nation's leadership, on the other hand, to respond to Katrina's wrath as swiftly and urgently as they responded to a falsely constructed belief in Iraq's need for our intervention and protection is nothing short of an abomination. Truly, their deplorable and

insidious responses verify our possession of skills, talents and inclinations to turn our heads.

Is either of these responses new or unpredictable? History leads to the conclusion that we are not seeing responses that are novel. There always seems to be those where honor, integrity and moral conscience provide the light that illuminates the path of humanness and fair play on which they walk. These folks tend to put others before themselves customarily. On the flip side, there are those among us whose obsession for power, greed, control and elevation of self-first supersedes behaving in ways that elevate the human spirit.

Did Katrina and Rita cause the devastation that was captured on television or did their power and might serve as the drawstring to the curtain that exposed the deliberately dismissed and long abandoned infirm, poor and disenfranchised Gulf Coast citizenry? Were the bloated bodies floating in the putrid flood waters of New Orleans reminders of a storm just past or more evidence of the storms of executive malfeasance that have been hurling institutionally down south (and across America) for decades? Have we as a nation failed in our efforts to engineer remedies aimed at correcting economic and social injustice or have we succeeded in generating and maintaining structural systems designed to fuel poverty and second-class citizenship?

When the discourse regarding our nation's recent natural disasters shifts to an examination of a newly emerged hot topic, we will be left with one truth. Choice is the sum

and substance around which all analyses (e.g., political, sociological, racial/ethnic, economic, etc.) of Katrina and Rita swirl. Choosing to respond humanly and with compassion or with allegiance to materialism and trophy acquisition represent decisions to honor those principles. Choosing to see the value-added dimensions of multiculturalism or render invisible and forgotten entire populations and classes of people represents clear either/or positions. There is no middle ground. We don't have a choice to not choose.

A peek outside my window confirms the weather person's prediction for early morning overcast skies. Hmmm, another choice! I can focus on the gloom and the prediction for more of the same. Alternatively, I can hope for brighter days ahead. I can choose to remember even in the darkest and most fierce storm the sun with all of its light and warmth is exactly where the good Lord put it. The sun doesn't set, nor does it rise. Its presence is as unfailing as is its illusion of movement. Because we can't see the sun doesn't mean that it's not there. It simply and only means, we can't see it.

Similarly, our motivation, confidence, compassion, patience, will power, and all other psychological energies including our self-esteem an opportunity to check our intrapersonal barometers and recalibrate the indices we choose to measure what's really of value.

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Stepping Up to the Plate: Giving Back to Communities

The mission of the “*Stepping Up to the Plate: Giving Back to Communities*” campaign, one of the initiatives established by President-Elect Bill Parham, is to enact social justice and advocacy by promoting empowerment among individuals, families, and communities. Bill’s vision is to have Society of Counseling Psychology (SCP) members engaged in serving local communities that host our annual APA conventions. In February, Dr. Parham appointed Michael Mobley and Rebecca Toporek as Co-Chairs of this Special Task Group (STG). The charge to the STG was to develop a road map model for how the Society may establish a system and process of opportunities to give back to host communities during annual APA conventions. As professionals and trainees in the field of Counseling Psychology we have established a value system that affirms diversity and social justice. Indeed, much of our research, practice, and training endeavors demonstrate our commitment to serving and working for marginalized populations in our society. In the words of Rosie Bingham, we have chosen to establish a “Circle of Inclusion.”

This initiative challenges us to “step up to the plate” as we go to different cities for our annual convention and to “give back to communities” that host us. How many of us would visit the home of a new acquaintance, friend, or professional colleague and not offer our thanks and appreciation via gift giving? In this same vein, *Stepping Up to the Plate* encourages us to offer gifts to individuals, families, organizations, and agencies who may benefit from our time, talents, skills, and expertise. In particular, *Stepping Up to the Plate* is consistent with the SCP’s current

Initiatives: (1) incorporating a strengths-based, life-span approach, (2) commitment to psychological activity that benefits diverse populations, and (3) the integration of science and practice. As such we seek to engage in evidence-based practice taking into account (a) the best available research, which should be informed by practice and consumer issues, (b) applying counseling psychologists’ clinical expertise, derived from training and experience, and (c) the client’s characteristics, culture, values, and preferences as well as the client’s understanding of the social, political, and cultural context.

During the past six months as co-chairs Michael and Rebecca have met to discuss how to develop a system and process for *Stepping Up to the Plate* while simultaneously preparing to create opportunities for Society members’ to support the New Orleans community. We have been challenged to consider ways that our Society might offer support in restoring and empowering the lives of children and families devastated by the natural and man-made effects of Katrina. Our work has been enriched by the increasing the circle of the STG. In April 2006 Jim Werth and Priscilla Dass-Brailsford joined the STG. Jim and Priscilla has offered a tremendous wealth of knowledge, experience, and expertise to our working group. We are also looking forward to working with recently appointed committee members Alvin Alvarez, Susan Lonborg, Lonnie Duncan, Li-fei Wand, Jan Collins-Eaglin, Angela Lee, and Charlayne Hayling. We have sought collaborative relationships with Division 9, Division 45, and APA to promote the following opportunities for Giving Back to the Community in New Orleans:

- Division 17-sponsored Publishers’ Book Donations to hardest hit Local Colleges and Universities
- Division 17-sponsored Donations Collection for New Orleans Community Organizations/Agencies during convention program meetings
- Division 9-sponsored Rebuilding Homes via Common Ground Collective
- APA-sponsored Habitat for Humanity Volunteer Effort on Wednesday, August 9th
- APA-sponsored Preservation Hall Jazz Performance (\$10) with proceeds to support New Orleans Public Schools
- APA-sponsored Bill Cosby Performance (\$10) with proceeds to support New Orleans Public Schools
- APA-sponsored Collection of School Supplies for New Orleans Public Schools

As more volunteer and giving opportunities are finalized, we will post updates on the Division 17 website: www.div17.org/giveback. The STG Committee will meet on Saturday, August 12 from 10:00 - 10:50 am in the Hospitality Suite C, and the STG will hold a New Orleans Volunteer Debriefing Meeting for SCP and APA members on Sunday, August 13 from 11:00 - 11:50 am in Hospitality Suite B. We strongly encourage SCP members to reach out, Step up to the Plate, and Give Back, and support the New Orleans community.

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VICE PRESIDENT FOR DIVERSITY AND PUBLIC INTEREST

In this newsletter, I would like to update the Society on a number of exciting new projects that are being coordinated through the Office of the VP for Diversity and Public Interest. First, Division 17 is participating in a working group that is developing a set of guidelines for the Committee on Accreditation that specifically targets the assessment of Domain D during accreditation visits. At this point, President Nutt and I are involved with this group on behalf of the SCP, but we anticipate that the representation of Division 17 members on this committee will increase. The second project is the planning

of a conference on Evidence Based Practice with Ethnic Minority Populations. I am very pleased to be participating on behalf of the Division. As many of you know, plans are being made for the 2008 National Counseling Psychology Conference. As a participant on the planning committee, I am very excited to help create opportunities for SCP members to showcase their important contributions to Multicultural Counseling and Psychology in the Public Interest. Please be aware that a 2008 CP Conference survey will be circulated electronically in the near future. The survey will be your opportunity to provide input on

where the conference should take place and what types of programs should be offered. If you would like more detailed information about the survey or are not connected to the Society’s listserv, please let me know. The 2006 APA Convention is just around the corner and I am looking forward to seeing all of you at the many wonderful SCP programs that will be offered this year. As always, I welcome any questions, comments, or suggestions that you may have.

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VICE PRESIDENT FOR SCIENTIFIC AFFAIRS

As I come to the end of my term, I will take this opportunity to reflect on the activities of Scientific Affairs over the last three years as well as muse about the future.

First, the major accomplishments:

1. *APA Policy on Evidence-Based Practice*. In conjunction with Jaquie Resnick and the STG on evidence-based practice, Society of Counseling Psychology (SCP) was very intimately involved in drafting the APA policy on evidence-based practice, which was recently promulgated by APA (see <http://www.apa.org/practice/ebpstatement.pdf> for the policy, an accompanying report will be soon published in *The American Psychologist*). Prominent on the Task Force were counseling psychologists Bruce Wampold, Jean Carter, and Carol Goodheart. Through our efforts, the policy reflected the values of the Society as well as our emphases on research.

2. *Making Counseling Psychology Research Visible*. Research conducted by counseling psychologists was prominently featured at the APA conventions. In 2004, Scientific Affairs sponsored a symposium which featured four exemplary programs of research—Jerry Deffenbacher, Dorothy Espelage, David Blustein, and Terry Tracey presented their research and the implications it has for policy and practice. Last year, the Society instituted a symposium entitled Showcase the Best SCP Practice and Science.

In 2005, Clara Hill's presented and this year in New Orleans Jim Lichtenberg will present.

3. *Promoting Science in the Society*. Through my participation on the Executive Board I have been a spokesperson for science. In many ways, this is not a difficult task, as the research that members produce is valuable to the Society and to society. On the other hand, the Society has always been active and involved with other laudable activities and science is not always prominent, which leads me to my musings, which follow.

From the origins of counseling psychology, there has been an affiliation with psychology as an academic discipline and as a profession (i.e., the APA) as well as an adherence to the scientist/practitioner model. The focus on science, evidence, and empiricism has differentiated us from some other helping professions and has led to our identification as psychologists. Our training exists, for the most part, in the context of research universities, where again there is an emphasis on scholarship. At the same time, the Society values positive development, multiculturalism, and social justice. I have heard and observed what seems to be a disjunctive status of these values and research—an either/or, if you will. It is a mistake to think of our values and research as dichotomous. Indeed, research is another value—we should value research. And here is why.

First, we are dedicated to delivering effective services and programs to those we serve. Research is the foundation on which such services and programs are developed and delivered. This research is necessary to ensure that the services are effective and that we are accountable to our clients and those who pay for services (if not the clients). We may, and should, argue about the nature of the evidence and how it should be used, but we should all agree that without any evidence, we are not practicing optimally or ethically.

Second, research is absolutely necessary to have our work considered and used in the larger context of psychology. We often bemoan the fact that various initiatives in psychology ignore work done in counseling psychology; however, we can be expected to be ignored if we do not produce sophisticated theory and research to support our many fine efforts. I know that in my area, those counseling psychologists who are prominently cited in important works and who are asked to participate in important initiatives are those whose scholarly work, theory and research, are exemplary (e.g., Clara Hill, Terry Tracey, Jerry Deffenbacher, among others). If we want psychology, for example, to take our efforts in social justice seriously, we need to publish research relevant to the topic and design and implement programs that are demonstrably effective.

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VICE PRESIDENT FOR EDUCATION AND TRAINING

How many of you have read *Swiss Family Robinson* lately? I didn't read it as a kid and when my 10-year-old son started reading it, I decided to take advantage of the opportunity to read a classic. He loved the book and I thought I would love it too. So, I was stunned by how annoying I found it! *Swiss Family Robinson* is the most relentlessly optimistic book I've ever read. Trust me, I have nothing against optimism in general. I actually consider myself to be a fairly positive person. But this book really got under my skin. No matter what happened, the Robinson family was never despondent or even slightly melancholy. Every problem was merely another opportunity to show how cleverness, industriousness, and an upbeat nature could save the day.

I'm sure you're wondering what my reaction to *Swiss Family Robinson* has to do with education and training in counseling

psychology. This book made me think about how essential it is to pay attention to all aspects of training, including those parts that aren't always as fun to think about. We simply must provide training and education that is meaningful, complex, and reflective of multiple perspectives. This is no small task, particularly when we are working from different values systems. I am very excited about the continued development of the Counseling Psychology Model Training Values Statement for Diversity, especially given how well it addresses the complexities of training. What I like about this statement is that it represents multiple views (academics and internship). It clearly articulates how difficult it is to have meaningful discussions. It holds all members of the training community responsible for their participation in training and education. And it presents a shared understanding

for how to best approach these complex issues. Another recent training and education development that will facilitate honest and complex communication among members of the psychology training community is the creation of a journal sponsored by APA and APPIC. This journal (*Training and Education in Professional Psychology*) will provide a forum for discussing new ideas and training innovations across the discipline. My hope is that the journal will serve as a bridge between different settings, different disciplines within psychology, and between science and practice.

As always, I welcome your comments. And if I've ruined *Swiss Family Robinson* for you, please accept my sincere apology.

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VICE PRESIDENT FOR PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

The APA Convention in New Orleans will provide many programs of interest to practitioners, with several offerings including the availability of CE credits.

The Practice Stakeholders meeting will be held in the SCP Hospitality Suite on Friday from 8:00 – 8:50 am, where issues affecting SCP will be discussed. If you have anything that you want addressed, please e-mail me. Note that the second annual program showcasing the best practices in practice and science will be held on Friday, from 9-9:50 am and will feature invited talks by awardees Lillian Comas-Diaz and Jim Lichtenberg.

The sensitive issue of colleague assistance has been addressed in a comprehensive monograph “Advancing Colleague Assistance in Professional Psychology” that can be accessed at http://www.apa.org/practice/acca_monograph.html. The work has been developed by APA’s Board of Professional Affairs (BPA) Advisory Committee on

Colleague Assistance (ACCA) with contributions from the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) and the APA of Graduate Students (APAGS). There is important information to promote understanding about the nature and extent of practitioner impairment problems from a developmental perspective. Models for organized intervention are provided along with a wealth of resource materials.

Heath care for the whole person continues to be an important theme from a policy and public education perspective. A mind/body health toolkit is available from the Practice Organization (<http://www.apapractice.org/apo/public/mbtoolkit.html#>) that provides PowerPoint resources for community outreach. The potential for expanded practice areas is consistent with this campaign. In its continued efforts to make the practice organization website a valuable resource, a new series of articles has been initiated to provide useful

information to practitioners. The first topic is on the treatment of anxiety disorders. About 40% of the eligible practitioners and graduate students are registered to use the site.

If you have some ideas for future directions, if there are concerns that you would like to see addressed, and/or if you want to get more involved, please contact me. This column will be my last as the vice president for professional practice, as I am concluding my three-year term of office. I have appreciated the opportunity to work with you on a variety of issues, especially on the implementation of the multicultural guidelines for practitioners and on strengthening practice/science integration in evidence-based practice. It has been an honor to collaborate with so many engaged and talented SCP leaders and members.

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STUDENT AFFILIATE GROUP

For students, summer can be an excellent time to enjoy quality time with friends and family, catch up on miscellaneous projects, and attend didactic trainings that we may not have a chance to during the semester. For those who will be attending APA’s 2006 Annual Convention, it’s also a great time to give some thought to what programs will make the most out of your experience in New Orleans. What follows is a brief summary of two student-focused programs that we encourage you to attend. If you are interested in learning more about student-friendly programs such as the APAGS Internship Workshop, we invite you to visit the SAG (www.mu.edu/sag) and/or APAGS website (<http://www.apa.org/apags/>) where detailed summaries are provided.

An event that is always educational and enjoyable is the Annual SAG, CCPTP, Division 17 Poster Session and Social Hour, which will be held on Thursday, August 10th from 5:00 to 6:50 p.m. At this event, students who have submitted their research to a particular Section of the Division and have had their poster accepted, will have the opportunity to share their research with fellow students and counseling psychologists in a collegial atmosphere. Clearly, this event provides a wonderful opportunity to network with

colleagues within a relaxed, yet professional setting.

In addition, the SAG will be hosting a conversation hour entitled, *As a Young Counseling Psychologist, What Will I Look Like in a Decade?* on Thursday, August 10th from 11-11:50 a.m. A panel of three counseling psychologists will share diverse perspectives on aspects of their professional identity development. We invite you to join us for a dialogue about the diverse roads counseling psychologists travel, as many of us are just beginning that journey within the field. After describing their career paths, panel members will respond to audience questions. Altogether, we look forward to seeing you as the Annual Convention has proven to play an important role in students’ professional development in the past!

Finally, as the Department of Counseling and Educational Psychology at Marquette University transitions into our third year of serving as the host institution of the SAG, we invite you to begin thinking about whether your department may want to serve as the next host institution. A call for proposals will be issued this fall, thus we encourage you to begin talking now with previous host institutions about the responsibilities, as well as your

classmates and faculty about submitting a proposal. From our perspective, we can’t think of a better way to be involved in Division 17 leadership - truly a unique experience!

Julie Jackson, M.A.
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SAG Co-Chairs

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APA CONVENTION PROGRAM

APA Annual Convention 2006

New Orleans, Louisiana ~ August 10 – August 13, 2006

Location: Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, Hilton New Orleans Riverside Hotel,
and New Orleans Marriott Hotel



Greetings! We are excited about this year's Division 17 program in Historic New Orleans. The Program committee worked very hard to anonymously review submitted program proposals. We sincerely thank all members of the Program Committee for their tremendous efforts in assisting with formulating this year's program. See you in New Orleans!

-Consuelo Arbona and Laura Palmer, Program-Co-Chairs

Thursday, August 10

<i>Time</i>	<i>Room</i>	<i>Session</i>
8:00-8:50	HNORH*	Conversation Hour: Activism and Diversity on University Campuses---How Can We Improve? (Co-Chairs: Krista Chronister and Benedict McWhirter)
8:00-8:50	348	Symposium: Social Justice---Catalytic Action and Counseling Psychologists (Chair: Rebecca L. Toporek)
9:00-9:50	HNORH*	Discussion: Current Trends in Adoption---Theory, Research, and Practice (Co-Chairs: Amanda L. Baden and Mary O'Leary Wiley)
9:00-9:50	348	Symposium: Counseling Psychology Meets the Computing Disciplines---An NSF-Funded Study (Chair: Madonna G. Constantine)
9:00-9:50	349	Symposium: Applications of Positive Psychology in University Counseling Centers (Co-Chairs: Larry Marks and Rachel A. Uffelman)
9:00-10:50	279	Symposium: Understudied Aspects of Mentorship---Feminist and Multicultural Perspectives (Chair: Libby Nutt Williams)
10:00-10:50	254	Symposium: Suicide Concerns on College and University Campuses (Chair: William Gorman)
10:00-10:50	348	Symposium: Adopting a Constructive Developmental Approach to Counselor Training and Cultural Competence (Co-Chairs: Kathleen J. Bieschke and Parrish L. Paul)
11:00-11:50	HNORH*	Conversation Hour: Supervision and Training 2006 (Co-Chairs: Nicholas Ladany and Michael Ellis)
11:00-11:50	254	Conversation Hour: As a Young Counseling Psychologist, What Will I Look Like in a Decade? (Co-Chairs: Todd C. Campbell, Christopher J. Daood, and Julie A. Jackson)
11:00-11:50	269	Symposium: Broadening the Discussion of Diverse Groups in Vocational Psychology (Chair: James L. Werth)
12:00-12:50	350	Symposium: Designing Innovative Career Interventions for Diverse Adolescents (Chair: Jane L. Swanson)
12:00-12:50	351	Symposium: Overcoming Multicultural Counseling Training Resistance--Experiences of Educators and Students (Chair: Debra Mollen)
1:00-1:50	333	Symposium: New Directions in Bullying Research (Co-Chairs: Melissa K. Holt and Dorothy L. Espelage)
1:00-1:50	347	Symposium: Career Paths of Early Career Counseling Psychologist Members of SERD (Chair: Laurie D. McCubbin)

*HNORH = Hilton New Orleans Riverside Hotel

*NOMH = New Orleans Marriott Hotel

All meeting rooms are located in the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, unless otherwise specified in the schedule.

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1:00-1:50	348	Conversation Hour: Supervision With International Trainees---A Journey of Embracing Multiculturalism and Feminism (Co-Chairs: Shu-Ping Lin and Jamie L. Bromley)
1:00-1:50	349	Symposium: Teaching in Small Undergraduate Institutions -Expanding Roles for Counseling Psychologists (Chair: Carolyn Z. Enns)
1:00-2:50	256	Symposium: Ethical Decision Making and Clinical Dilemmas---Diverse Perspectives (Co-Chairs: John M. O'Brien and Anabel Bejarano)
1:00-2:50	338	Symposium: Tough Lessons From Katrina and Rita---Toward Better Disaster Preparedness (Co-Chairs: Mark M. Leach and Sue C. Jacobs)
2:00-2:50	280	Symposium: Mentoring Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Psychologists and Trainees (Chair: Connie R. Matthews)
3:00-3:50	274	Symposium: Victimization, Sexuality, and Alcohol and Drug Use During Adolescence---What Is Happening? (Chair: Dorothy L. Espelage)
3:00-3:50	348	Symposium: Mexican American College Students---Applying Social--Cognitive Career Theory (Co-Chairs: Lisa Y. Flores and Christine Robitschek)
3:00-3:50	349	Symposium: Psychologist's Role in Building a Sane and Just Society (Chair: Judy A. Daniels)
4:00-4:50	HNORH*	Conversation Hour: Mentoring Roundtable (Co-Chairs: Chris Brown and Christa K. Schmidt)
5:00-6:50	HNORH*	Social Hour: SAG/CCPTP Student Poster Session



Friday, August 11

Time	Room	Session
8:00-8:50	261	Symposium: Counseling and Psychology Around the World (Co-Chairs: Lawrence H. Gerstein, Ping-Hwa Chen, and Stefánía Aegisdóttir)
8:00-8:50	350	Symposium: Engaged Counseling Psychology Program---Promoting Prevention in Communities (Co-Chairs: Dolores D. Tarver and Leon D. Caldwell)
8:00-9:50	241	Symposium: Transplantation---Minority Youth Negotiation of Cultural Contexts From Social—Cognitive Perspectives (Chair: Alvin N. Alvarez)
8:00-9:50	336	Workshop: Applications of Universal Design of Instruction to Help College Students (Chair: Brian D. Johnson)
9:00-9:50	255	Symposium: Advancing Models and Measures of Career Indecision (Chair: Paul J. Hartung)
9:00-9:50	256	Invited Address: Showcase the Best SCP Practice and Science (Co-Chairs: Jaquie Resnick and Bruce E. Wampold)
9:00-9:50	349	Symposium: Counseling Psychology and Antiracism Intervention---Research, Training, and Practice (Chair: Alex L. Pieterse)
1:00-1:50	NOMH*	Conversation Hour: Strategies for Publishing Success in TCP--- Conversation With the Editors (Chair: Robert T. Carter)
2:00-2:50	Halls E&F	Poster Session: Individual Differences and Adjustment
2:00-2:50	277	Symposium: Advisor--Advisee Relationships in Counseling Psychology Doctoral Programs---Toward a Multicultural Theory (Chair: Lewis Z. Schlosser)
2:00-2:50	349	Conversation Hour: Psychology in Schools and Education---Conversation With Coalition Representatives (Co-Chairs: V. Scott H. Solberg and Stephen A. Rollin)
2:00-3:50	273	Symposium: Decisions About Trainees With Problems of Professional Competence---Systems and Ecological Perspectives (Co-Chairs: Linda Forrest and Nancy Elman)
3:00-3:50	NOMH*	Invited Address: Leona Tyler Award (Chair: John S. Westefeld)
3:00-3:50	Halls E&F	Poster Session: Career Counseling and Training and Supervision Issues
4:00-5:50	NOMH*	Fellows Addresses: [Fellows Address]

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Saturday, August 12

Time	Room	Session
9:00-9:50	272	Symposium: Art and Science of Psychotherapy---Discipline and Career Reflections (Chair: Kathleen Chwalisz)
9:00-9:50	273	Symposium: Psychology of Working---A New Perspective for Counseling Psychology (Chair: David L. Blustein)
9:00-9:50	355	Invited Address: SAW 2005 Woman of the Year Address (Chair: Dawn M. Szymanski)
10:00-10:50	Halls E&F	Poster Session: Counseling Process and Outcome and Mental Health
10:00-10:50	274	Symposium: Best Practice Prevention Guidelines---Distinguished Scholars in Psychology (Chair: Sally M. Hage)
10:00-10:50	350	Symposium: Culture, Ethnic Identity, and Racial--Ethnic Counselors in Training (Chair: Laurie B. Mintz)
10:00-11:50	282	Symposium: College and University Student Suicide---An Update of the Literature (Chair: John S. Westefeld)
11:00-11:50	Halls E&F	Poster Session: Diversity and International Issues in Counseling Psychology
11:00-11:50	346	Symposium: Conducting Discipline-Wide Research via the Internet---Diverse Perspectives (Co-Chairs: Selby M. Conrad and Rodney K. Goodyear)
11:00-11:50	348	Symposium: Bereaved College Students---Implications for Practice, Research, & Training (Chair: Heather L. Servaty-Seib)
12:00-1:50	347	Symposium: Counseling Diverse Clients---An Integrative Training Approach (Chair: Lisa L. Frey)
1:00-1:50	279	Symposium: Current Licensure Issues in Three Countries---Commonalities and Challenges (Co-Chairs: Puncky P. Heppner and Li-Fei Wang)
1:00-1:50	348	Symposium: Elevating Diversity and Creativity in the Workplace--Vocational Psychology Perspectives (Co-Chairs: Fred J. Dorn and John D. Krumboltz)
3:00-3:50	NOMH*	Business Meeting: and Awards Ceremony
4:00-4:50	NOMH*	Presidential Address: Robert Nutt
5:00-6:50	Acad. Rm.	Social Hour: Honoring the President, Award Recipients, and New Fellows



Sunday, August 13

Time	Room	Session
8:00-8:50	HNORH*	Conversation Hour: Round Table--- Scientists and Practitioners Networking to Promote Psychotherapy Science (Chair: Kathleen Chwalisz)
8:00-8:50	346	Symposium: Globalization and Vocational Psychology---Understanding the Flat World (Chair: David L. Blustein)
8:00-8:50	350	Symposium: Innovative Approaches to Meet Cultural-Specific Needs of International Students (Chair: Puncky P. Heppner)
9:00-9:50	HNORH*	Conversation Hour: Developing an International Training Experience---A Multicultural, Multidisciplinary, Multifaceted Design (Co-Chairs: Laura K. Palmer and Jane Bernstein)
9:00-9:50	253	Symposium: Interventions to Help Perfectionists (Chair: Kenneth G. Rice)
9:00-9:50	333	Symposium: Ethical and Practical Social Justice---Implementation of the Advocacy Competencies (Chair: Rebecca L. Toporek)
9:00-10:50	254	Symposium: Contextualizing Whites' Responses to Societal Racism (Chair: Lisa B. Spanierman)
10:00-10:50	269	Symposium: MMPI-2 and American Indians---Norms, Contexts, Constructions, Meanings, and Controversies (Chair: Terry M. Pace)
10:00-10:50	334	Symposium: Testing Social Cognitive Career Theory With Diverse Methodological Tools (Chair: Bob Lent)
11:00-11:50	274	Symposium: Innovative Interventions Aimed at Smoking Cessation (Co-Chairs: Meghan Davidson and Charlotte McCloskey)
11:00-11:50	335	Symposium: Training a Globally Minded Psychologist (Co-Chairs: Timothy D. Gordon and Sharon L. Bowman)
11:00-11:50	350	Symposium: Multiculturalism and Positive Psychology---Riding the Fourth and Fifth Waves (Chair: Daniel B. Singley)
12:00-12:50	350	Symposium: What Can Positive Psychology Offer Counseling Psychologists? (Co-Chairs: Rachel A. Uffelman and Roderick D. Hetzel)
12:00-12:50	351	Symposium: Empirical Multicultural Counseling Competencies Research---Closing the Theory--Research Gap (Chair: Roger L. Worthington)

2006 HOSPITALITY SUITE SCHEDULE

New Orleans Marriott Hotel (38th Floor)

Date/Time	Suite A (Mayor's Suite Parlor n=25) Room 3828	Suite B (Deluxe Corner Suite n=35) Room 3830	Suite C (Converted Bedroom n=8-10) Room 3833
Wednesday, August 9th, 2006			
4:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Executive Board Meeting and Dinner (Nutt)		
Thursday, August 10th, 2006			
7:00 a.m.- 7:30 a.m.	Hospitality Suite Student Volunteer Meeting (Cogdal)	Hospitality Suite (Stabb)	
7:30-9:00a. m.	International Scholars' Breakfast and Reception* (Nutt, Gerstein, Heppner, Douce & Leong) *Following this meeting, the International Student Orientation Meeting will meet outside the Suite, Rm TBA (Wang, Lin, & Pius)		
9:00 a.m.. – 9:50 a.m..		International Section in formation (Gerstein & Heppner)	Division 17 Membership Committee (Brown)
10:00 a.m.–10:50 a.m..	Business Meeting for the Positive Psychology Section (Lopez)	Psychotherapy Science Section Executive Committee Meeting (Chwalisz)	Society for Vocational Psychology Executive Committee Meeting (Blustein)
11:00 a.m.- 11:50 a.m..		Psychotherapy Science Section Research Meeting (Chwalisz)	Spirituality and Religion in Counseling Psychology SIG (Priester)
12:00 p.m. – 12:50 p.m.	SERD Executive Meeting (McCubbin)	Hurricane Relief & Disaster Response STG (Gerstein & Lent)	
1:00 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.	SERD Open Board Meeting (McCubbin)	Taiwan Psychology Network (Wang, Lin, & Heppner)	
2:00 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.	SERD Town Meeting (McCubbin)		CCPTP Outgoing Board Meeting (Fouad)
3:00 p.m. – 3:50 p.m.	The Section for LBG Awareness Executive Meeting (Mobley)		Health Psych Section Board Meeting (Maltzman)
4:00 p.m. – 4:50 p.m.	Section for LGB Awareness Mentorship Social (Mobley)		VP for Public Interest Advisory Board (Vera)
5:00 p.m. – 5:50 p.m.	The Section for LBG Awareness Business Meeting (Mobley)	Health Psych Section Students' Wine and Cheese (Maltzman)	Communications Board (Rodolfa)
7:00-10pm	CP Specialty Council Meeting/Dinner (Nutt)		

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Friday, August 11th, 2006

8:00 a.m.. – 8:50 a.m..	Section Chairs Meeting (Gloria)	Mentoring International Students STG (Wang/Yakushko)	VP for Professional Practice Stakeholders meeting (Resnick)
9:00 a.m.. – 9:50 a.m..	More Pie Initiative (Israel)	Supervision and Training Section Business Meeting (Ellis)	
10:00 a.m.–10:50 a.m..		New Governance Orientation (Parham)	Health Psychology Section Governing Board meeting (Maltzman)
11:00 a.m.- 11:50 a.m..	Handbook Revision STG (Wiley & Boggs)	Health Psychology Section Business Meeting (Maltzman)	VP for Communications (Fouad & Carter)
12:00 p.m.. – 12:50 p.m.	Focus Group for Publication Challenges faced by International Colleagues (Chen & Heppner)	The Section for College and University Counseling Centers Luncheon (Benton)	Integrating Guidelines STG (Miville & Duan)
1:00 p.m.. – 1:50 p.m.	Adoption Research/Practice SIG (Wiley)	The Section for College and University Counseling Centers Roundtable (Benton)	The Section for LBG Awareness Executive Meeting (Mobley)
2:00 p.m.. – 2:50 p.m.	Post-Doctoral Guidelines STG (Danley)	The Section for College and University Counseling Centers Business Meeting (Benton)	VP for Education and Training Advisory Board Meeting (Bieschke)
3:00 p.m.. – 3:50 p.m.	Suite Closed (Leona Tyler Address)		
4:00 p.m.. – 5:50p.m.	Suite Closed (New Fellows Addresses)		
6:00 p.m. and after	Suite Closed		



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Saturday, August 12th, 2006			
8:00 a.m.. – 8:50 a.m..	Prevention Section Business Meeting (Kenny)	SAW Champagne Breakfast and Awards Ceremony (Szymanski)	International Counseling Psychology Leaders Continental Breakfast (Heppner & Gerstein)
9:00 a.m.. – 9:50 a.m..	ABPP Board Certification in Counseling Psychology: The Process from Beginning to Finish (Davidson & Spokane)	TCP Editorial Board Meeting (Carter)	
10:00 a.m.. – 10:50 a.m..	Section on Independent Practice Business Meeting (O'Brien)		STG: Stepping up to the Plate (Parham, Mobley, & Toporek)
11:00 a.m.– 11:50 a.m..	Section on Independent Practice Program Meeting (O'Brien)	SIG chairs meeting (Perez)	STG: Passing the Baton (Parham, Bieschke, Skowron, & Daood)
12:00 p.m.. – 12:50 p.m..		Older Adults/Aging SIG (Arnold)	STG: Tapping the Wellspring of Talent (Parham, Petrie, & Coleman)
1:00 p.m.. – 1:50 p.m..	Early Career STG (Smith)	Section For LGB Awareness Privilege: Gender & Race Discussion (Mobley & Israel)	CCPTP Incoming Board Meeting (Miville)
2:00 p.m.. – 2:50 p.m..	Early Career Professionals Social Hour (Smith)		
3:00 p.m.. – 3:50 p.m..	Suite Closed (Division 17 Business Meeting and Awards Ceremony)		
4:00 p.m.. – 4:50 p.m..	Suite Closed (Presidential Address)		
5:00 p.m.. – 5:50 p.m..	Suite Closed (Social Hour)		
6:00 p.m.. – 6:50 p.m..	Suite Closed (Presidential Reception Preparation)		
7:00 p.m.. – 7:50 p.m..	Hospitality Suite Committee Meeting (Stabb)	Suite Closed (Presidential Reception Preparation)	
8:30 p.m.. – 11:30 p.m..	Presidential Reception (Nutt)		
Sunday, August 13th, 2006			
8:00 a.m.. – 8:50 a.m..		8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Past President's Council Meeting and Breakfast (Heppner)	Hospitality Suite Committee Meeting (Stabb)
9:00 a.m.. – 9:50 a.m..	STG: Stepping up to the Plate Debriefing Meeting (Mobley)		2008 Conference Planning Committee (Bieschke & Palmer)
10:00 a.m.–10:50 a.m..	SAW Business Meeting (Szymanski)		
11:00 a.m.– 11:50 a.m..	SAW Workshop (Szymanski)		
12:00 p.m.. – 12:50 p.m..	SAW Conversation Hour (Szymanski)	Division 17 Members in Governance Meeting and Lunch (Parham)	
1:00pm– 2:00 pm			

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SECTION REPORTS

Advancement of Women

Hello Division 17 members. Hope you are doing well and that your summer is off to a good start.

As many of you know, I will be transitioning from my current role as SAW chair to past chair during the APA convention this August. As I reflect on my past two years as chair, I feel proud of all the accomplishments that SAW has made. It has been a pleasure being a member of such a terrific group of supportive, committed, and prolific feminist counseling psychologists. I want to send a sincere thank you to SAW members for their wonderful contributions to the section and its activities. And speaking of activities, boy do we have a power packed program this year in New Orleans. I look forward to seeing ya'll at

the SAW functions that we have scheduled:

Understudied Aspects of Mentorship: Feminist and Multicultural Perspectives
Symposium Chair: Libby Nutt Williams
Thursday, Aug. 10, 9:00am-10:50am
Convention Center Room 279

SAW Champagne Breakfast and Awards
Saturday, August 12, 8:00am to 8:50am
Division 17 Suite (38th Floor of the New Orleans Marriott Hotel)

SAW 2005 Woman of the Year Address
The Evolution of a Social-Justice Oriented Counseling Psychologist: An Autoethnography (Sue L. Morrow)
Saturday, August 12, 9:00-9:50am
Morial Convention Center Room 355

SAW Business Meeting
Sunday, August 13, 10:00pm-10:50pm
Division 17 Suite

SAW Workshop by Sue Morrow
Sunday, August 13th, 11:00-11:50
Division 17 Suite

SAW Conversation Hour by Jill Barber
Sunday, August 13, 12:00pm-12:50pm
Division 17 Suite

Also, be sure to check out the three Section for the Advancement of Women sponsored student posters at the Division 17 SAG/CCPTP Student Poster Session Social Hour.

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Positive Psychology

The Positive Psychology section of Division 17 is gearing up for an exciting APA convention in New Orleans! Now in our second year with section status, our programming continues to grow. Highlights include a symposium presented by Rachel Uffelman (Central Missouri State University Counseling and Psychological Services) and Rod Hetzel (Baylor University). The symposium is entitled: "What Can Positive Psychology Offer Counseling Psychologists?" and contains sections on how positive psychology can enhance theory, research, and practice within Counseling Psychology. This symposium will be presented on Sunday, 8/13, from 12-12:50pm in the Morial Convention Center (Rm. 350) – we hope to see you there.

In addition, come by the SAG/CCPTP

social hour to view student poster presentations on topics related to positive psychology (Thursday, 8/10, 5-6:50pm; New Orleans Riverside Hotel, Grand Salon B). After receiving many interesting proposals, three posters were selected for presentation this year. Congratulations to these presenters and thank you to all who submitted proposals!

We are continually working on updating our section website and have added a new feature recently. Danny Singley has developed an open forum for discussion that can be accessed at: <http://www.div17.org/positivepsychology/forum.html>. Please visit our website to check out these new features.

Lastly, there is still time to register for the annual International Positive Psychology Summit. Every year, scholars gather together

for innovative presentations and discussions on a myriad of strengths-based topics. Please visit the website at gallupippi.com for more information.

We are always looking to recruit new members to the Positive Psychology section. If you have interest in this, come to the Positive Psychology Section Business Meeting at the APA convention. It will be held on Thursday, 8/10, in the Division 17 hospitality suite in the New Orleans Marriott Hotel (Ste. A, Room 3828) from 10am-12noon. We look forward to a big attendance this year! Any questions regarding membership can be directed to Shane Lopez at sjlopez@ku.edu.

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Supervision and Training

The Supervision and Training Section (STS) is pleased to announce the creation of four awards. Two awards specifically for students (Student Research Award, Supervision and Training Travel Award), and two awards for professionals (Outstanding Publication of the Year Award, Distinguished Professional Achievement Award). We will also host several events at the APA Convention.

First, the STS will host a series of nine roundtable discussions on supervision and training, Thursday, August 10, 11 – 11:50 am, Grand Salon A, Hilton Riverside Hotel. We also look forward to the Division 17/

CCPTP Social hour and poster session. Congratulations to the students presenting posters this year. Please join us at our STS business meeting, Friday, August 11, 9 – 9:50 am in Suite B (Room 3830) of the Division 17 Hospitality Suite. In addition to presenting the STS Awards and planning for the coming year, we will be electing new officers (President Elect and Treasurer). We look forward to seeing you at these STS events.

There are many opportunities to get involved in the STS. We invite you to join the STS. We also have a listserv where you can get feedback and input from the experts

in counselor training, clinical supervision, and related issues. You can find information about the STS plus other resources for supervision and training at our new website (www.lehigh.edu/~instig/). The website includes instructions to sign onto the STS Listserv.

Please contact us if you would like to join the STS, want to get involved, or if we can provide additional information.

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SECTION REPORTS

Vocational Psychology

As I approach the end of my second (and last) year as Chair of the Society for Vocational Psychology (SVP), I have a number of observations and news items to share. First, I would like to thank all of the members of SVP who helped to make these two years so special for our community. I am particularly indebted to the members of the Executive Board, which includes Bruce Walsh (Past-Chair), Paul Gore (Chair-Elect), Tom Krieshok (Treasurer), Saba Rasheed Ali (Communications Officer), and our new Board member, Graham Stead (who serves as our webmaster and is an ex-officio member of the Board). I am confident that we will be served well in the coming two years when Paul Gore takes over the reins of leadership of our Society.

Consistent with previous years, SVP has a tradition of a great deal of activity during the APA conventions, which will continue during the New Orleans convention in August. I would like to encourage each of our members and interested colleagues to attend the full array of SVP events at the upcoming convention. Our business meeting, conversation hour, and reception will take place on Thursday, August 10th from 11:00-3:00 pm in a room to be announced. (You can obtain the room number by coming to the hospital-

ity suite or by checking the SVP website prior to the convention: <http://www.div17.org/vocpsych/Default.htm>.)

The order of events this year will be a bit different. We will begin at 11 am with our annual conversation hour with leaders in our field. This year, we are honoring the originators of social cognitive career theory (Bob Lent, Steven Brown, and Gail Hackett), who will share their insights about how they developed their important and significant theoretical contribution. The Business Meeting will begin at 12 noon and will run until around 2 pm, at which point we will transition to our reception and second annual SVP student poster session. (For the second year, the SVP reception will include the student posters that were submitted for consideration for presentation at the Society of Counseling Psychology student poster presentations during one of the social hours at the convention. By hosting our student posters at our reception, we have a valuable opportunity to nurture our emerging scholars in a more relaxed setting.) We also will announce the second recipient of the SVP Professional Achievement Award as well as the recipients of the SVP Graduate Student Award and ACT Travel Award.

The SVP-sponsored symposium this year is entitled "Globalization and Vocational Psychology: Understanding the Flat World", which follows naturally from last year's event. This symposium includes papers from Mark Savickas, Jean Guichard, Hanoch Flum and Gali Cinamon, and Louise Douce, who is serving as the discussant. This symposium will provide a critically needed international perspective on the challenges of globalization. Moreover, the panel, which consists of leading scholars from France and Israel, will provide us with an opportunity to enhance our already strong international relationships. The symposium will take place on Sunday, August 13th from 8:00 am-8:50 am in the Morial Convention Center, Meeting room 346.

As this brief summary suggests, SVP is a vibrant and active group with a warm and welcoming membership. I hope that non-members will consider joining our Society; you can contact me or Saba Rasheed Ali (saba-ali@uiowa.edu) if you are interested in joining SVP. In closing, I look forward to seeing many of your APA in August.

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Health Psychology

The Health Psychology Section is sponsoring and participating in many exciting activities at the APA Convention in New Orleans.

Health Psychology Student Poster Presentations. Our Section received many high quality submissions for presentation at the convention social hour sponsored by CCPTP, SAG, and the SCP sections. This made the selection process very difficult. Congratulations to those whose posters were selected for presentation. The Poster Session will be held on Thursday, 10 August from 5:00 – 6:50 in the Hilton New Orleans Riverside Hotel, Grand Salon B.

Dorothy Booz Black Award. The 2005 Division 17 Society of Counseling Psychology Dorothy Booz Black Award for lifetime achievement in health psychology was awarded

to Marilyn Stern, Virginia Commonwealth University. Our Section is pleased to be sponsoring an informal conversation hour for graduate students with Dr. Stern.

SCP Mentoring Roundtable. Members of our Section Governing Board will be participating in this Roundtable, scheduled for Thursday, August 10, 2006 from 4-4:50 in the Hilton New Orleans Riverside Hotel, Grand Salon. The Roundtable will provide SCP student affiliates the opportunity to talk informally with counseling psychologists within the field of health psychology.

Student Wine and Cheese Reception. Our Section is sponsoring a Wine & Cheese Reception specifically for SCP student affiliates with interests in health psychology. It will be held in the SCP Hospitality Suite on Thursday, Aug. 10 from 5:00-5:50. The

Reception offers students an opportunity to learn more about our Section, meet counseling psychologists who are researchers and practitioners in health-related fields, and network with peers.

All SCP members and affiliates with interests in health psychology are invited to attend our Health Psychology Section Business Meeting. The winner of our Health Psychology Section Student Research Award will be announced at that time.

If you have items you would like addressed at the business meeting, please send them to Jeanne Henry (jeanne.m.henry@att.net) for posting on our listserv so they can be added to the agenda. See you in New Orleans!

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SECTION REPORTS

Prevention

Save the Dates - Prevention events to attend in New Orleans:

- *This year's Prevention Symposium, entitled Best Practice Prevention Guidelines:* Commentary by Distinguished Scholars, will be held on Saturday, August 12th, from 10:00 - 10:50 AM in Meeting Room 274 of the Morial Convention Center. The session is chaired by Sally Hage and John Romano. Commentaries will be provided by Derald Wing Sue and Rosie Bingham. We are very excited to be hosting the discussion of these guidelines, recently authored by a number of section members, and to have commentaries offered by these distinguished scholars.
- *The Prevention Section Business Meeting* will be held on Saturday, August 12 from 8 to 8:50 in Suite B of the Hospitality Suite. We invite all interested persons to attend and encourage graduate student participation. The annual Counseling Psychologist Life Time Achievement Award in Prevention and

the Counseling Psychology Graduate Student Prevention Research Award will be awarded by the section at this meeting.

- Graduate students seeking to learn more about prevention and connecting with counseling psychologists engaged in prevention research and practice should attend the *Mentoring Roundtable* scheduled for Thursday, August 10 from 4-4:50 in the Grand Salon, Hilton Riverside hotel.
- *The Student Poster Session* at the Division 17 Social, sponsored by the Sections, will be held on August 10 immediately following the Mentoring Roundtable from 5 to 6:50. The poster session will be in the Grand Salon B. Four student posters on prevention will be presented. There were many excellent student proposals submitted this year.
- The March 2006 edition of the Prevention Section Publication, *Upstream/Prevention in Counseling Psychology*, can be downloaded from the section website, [http://www.](http://www.div17.org/preventionsection/)

[div17.org/preventionsection/](http://www.div17.org/preventionsection/).

If you would like to receive announcements about prevention activities and be a part of a forum to discuss prevention issues, join the Prevention Section listserve by contacting jschwartz@uh.edu.

Research Funding

The Prevention Section provides limited grant support (up to \$200) for researchers (including graduate students) conducting studies on prevention. In order to apply for these funds, please submit a two-page research proposal describing the purpose of the study, research design and budget, and a copy of the principle investigator's vita, to Andy Horne (ahorne@uga.edu).

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Independent Practice

The Section on Independent Practice welcomes the involvement of private practitioners (full and part time) as well as students who have an interest in practice. We have been busily involved in organizing events for the upcoming APA Convention in New Orleans. We look forward to connecting members of our Section and in reaching out to those with an interest in independent practice.

APA Convention: Our primary activity for the Convention will be a two-hour symposium presented in collaboration with Division 42. The symposium entitled, "Ethical Decision-Making and Clinical Dilemmas: Diverse Perspectives" will feature presentations by Melba Vasquez, Jean Carter, and Armand Cerbone. Mary O'Leary Wiley will serve as discussant. This event is scheduled for Thursday, August 10th from 1:00 to 2:50 in Meeting Room 256 of the Morial Con-

vention Center. Continuing education units (CEU's) will be available for this presentation. Please check the schedule as the Convention draws closer to be sure that there are no changes to this information.

Our Business meeting will take place on Saturday, August 12th from 10:00 to 11:00 AM in the Division 17 Hospitality Suite, followed by a discussion/presentation from 11:00 to 12:00. Please check the Hospitality Suite schedule as the Convention approaches to ensure that there are no changes to these times.

Student Poster Session: We are very pleased to be sponsoring two posters for the Student Poster Session. Please come to support all of the student presenters from the Society.

Membership Drive: We continue to re-enroll current members and to seek out potential new members. Our membership

application can be easily downloaded from our website (address below). We will be attempting to contact counseling psychologists within the larger APA who are practitioners but who are not currently involved in our Society.

Website/Listserv: Our listserv is up and running. It is a great way to connect with other private practitioners in the Society and is a great benefit of membership. Our website continues to be redesigned with the help of a new webmaster. Feel free to check out what we have available and to monitor the changes at: www.apa.org/divisions/div17/Sections/IPCP/.

I look forward to seeing members and connecting with new members in New Orleans!

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Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Awareness

The Section for Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Awareness is quite excited about the upcoming APA Convention in New Orleans. Our primary focus and energies will be dedicated to connecting in order to strengthen our network support and creating mentoring relationships. Many of our LGBT and Ally members work diligently to promote increased awareness, sensitivity, knowledge, and skills in the area of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender research, theory, practice, and training. As professionals and graduate students it is important that we have supportive networks of colleagues and friends as we travel along this journey of committed social justice work. In addition, regardless of our developmental stage or "age" (for shorthand) as professionals or graduate students, it is always beneficial to have *mentors* who provide a listening ear, guidance, wisdom, feedback and support. We invite you to join us during the 2006 APA Convention as we celebrate Connections via Networks and Mentoring Relationships. I believe it is especially important to foster connections while in New Orleans given the natural and man-made disaster as a result of Hurricane Katrina. While this tragedy symbolized 'displacement and disconnections,' many individuals and families including LGBT persons and Allies have re-established 'connections' both in the gulf region and elsewhere across the country.

Our main convention symposium for this year is entitled: "Mentoring GLBT Psychologists and Trainees," which takes place Thursday, Aug. 10 from 2:00-2:50 in the Convention Center. This symposium has been developed to offer perspectives and experiences related to mentoring among professionals as well as graduate students. We recognize that role modeling is a two-way street. As a sequel to our symposium on Mentoring, we will be hosting a Mentorship Social on Thursday, Aug. 10 from 4:00-4:50 in the Hospitality Suite. On Saturday, Aug. 12 we will sponsor an open Discussion session entitled "Privilege: Gender and Race" from 1:00-2:50 in the Hospitality Suite. This discussion session promises to challenge and engage attendees on professional and personal

levels. Finally, we will also hold our executive and business meetings on Thursday in the Hospitality Suite. Everyone is invited to attend both of these meetings. We welcome your presence and contribution to discussing and planning Section business for the upcoming year. We recognize and appreciate everyone's involvement and invite you to serve the Section either via leadership in officer positions and/or committee memberships.

As a matter of honored tradition we invite everyone to join us for our Section annual dinner. This gathering has been extremely festive, fun, and fantastic! We anticipate an array of great New Orleans-style dishes to experience! The annual dinner offers a relaxing and comfortable opportunity to meet new folks and friends and foster mentoring relationships. Barry Schreier will be our coordinator again this year. More than likely we will host the dinner on Friday evening. However, please look for announcement on our listserv as well as on LGBA Section program guide which will be in the Hospital Suite.

We are always looking for new members. We encourage current members to invite a friend and/or colleague to join the Section via completing a brief application form located at our website at www.div17.org/lgba.membership.html. As a new member you will receive our Newsletter and may join the Section listserv. We encourage all members to join our listserv. There are no member dues, but we always seek donations which support Section business such as travel scholarships for students who showcase their research via poster session.

As we embark upon this 2006 convention, I encourage all members to consider various ways we might support New Orleans in their recovery. Our Society, APA, as well as many other Divisions are offering opportunities to give support to many individuals and families of the New Orleans community. I hope that you are able to dedicate some of your resources such as time, expertise, or money to help promote resiliency and self-empowerment among New Orleanians.

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Psychotherapy Science

The Society of Counseling Psychology Section for the Promotion of Psychotherapy Science will be celebrating the art and science of psychotherapy at the American Psychological Association convention this year. Join us for various events in New Orleans!

The Section of the Promotion of Psychotherapy Science is pleased to announce that its 2006 Outstanding Lifetime Contributions Award will go to Naomi Meara. A 1968 graduate of The Ohio State University, Dr. Meara has made contributions in so many areas of our discipline. Dr. Meara has made important contributions to our knowledge of natural language and language use in psychotherapy. She was one of the first researchers to examine psychotherapy process and outcome in career counseling, and her theoretical research on possible selves has shaped the way we think about career counseling, particularly for women and other underrepresented groups. Dr. Meara has also influenced the profession through her writing in ethics and promotion of virtues and principles in ethical reasoning. Dr. Meara's leadership, for Counseling Psychology and for women in the profession, has been exemplary—she has made countless contributions in terms of scholarship, service, and mentoring related to the profession of Counseling Psychology.

Dr. Meara will receive her award and serve as discussant for the section's flagship convention session, The Art and Science of Psychotherapy: Discipline and Career Reflections, on Saturday at 9:00-9:50 (Convention Center Room 272). We hope you will join us to honor Dr. Meara and celebrate the interface of art and science in psychotherapy. Jean Carter, whose primary career activity is in the realm of independent practice, will discuss the science in the art of psychotherapy. She will discuss the ways in which practitioners are already scientific in their practice and how to further enhance the use of scientific methods. She will also discuss, among other things, the role of theory, scholarship, and evidence in practice. Charles Gelso, whose primary career activity is in academics, will discuss the art in the science of psychotherapy. He will consider, for the audience, whether there is art in the science

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of psychotherapy. He will discuss the role of art in such activities as theory construction, hypothesis testing, and data analysis. As discussant, Dr. Meara will reflect on these two talks and on her work.

Join us for a round table discussion, Scientists and Practitioners Networking to Promote Psychotherapy Science, on Sunday at 8:00-8:50 (Hilton Jefferson Ballroom). Teams of psychotherapy researchers (scientists and practitioners) will be on hand to discuss a wide range of topics related to psychotherapy science (e.g., outcomes and outcomes measurement, process and outcome in career counseling, multicultural process and outcome research, mixed methods approaches, psychotherapy science in counseling centers, ethics and psychotherapy research). There will be terrific opportunities for great discussion and networking.

We also hope you will join us for the section meeting in the SCP hospitality suite on Thursday (see hospitality suite schedule). See you at APA!

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Third, if counseling psychology wishes to remain prominent (or even viable) at major research universities, quality research is expected from those of use who hold academic positions. The research we conduct, I would like to think, is congruent with the values of our Society. For example, we need desperately to produce research on the effectiveness of psychological interventions with underserved populations (racial and ethnic minorities, immigrants, poor, etc.); this is research that would be valued by the academy, lead to recognition by our psychology colleagues, and, most importantly, have demonstrable benefits for the clients we purport to serve.

In my view, research is the blood that nourishes all of our efforts. Our future depends on it. The respect we desire is not possible without it. The people we serve deserve it.

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Ethnic and Racial Diversity

It is hard to believe that the APA Convention in New Orleans is just around the corner. On behalf of the officers and members of SERD, we have some interesting and exciting events to announce. The SERD executive meeting (for all SERD officers) will be at 12:00 PM on Thursday August 9th, 2006 in the Division 17 Hospitality Suite at the New Orleans Marriott Hotel on the 38th floor. The SERD Open Board Meeting will take place at 1:00 PM at the same location. Immediately following will be the Town Meeting at 2:00 PM. We are hoping to also arrange a special social gathering for people to mix and mingle. A posting on the listserv will be made with the location and date of this social hour.

The SERD Programming Committee, Bryan Kim, Earlise Ward and Rachel Navarro, recommended 10 proposals for the Division 17 and CCPTP sponsored student poster session. However, given space limitations, only four proposals were ultimately extended an invitation to participate in the poster session. A special thanks to all the students who submitted proposals, the reviewers, and especially the Programming Committee for coordinating this process. The Programming committee would also like to invite all SERD members to the symposium entitled "Career Paths of Early Career Counseling Psychologist Members of SERD" which will include speakers who will describe their career paths within various arenas of counseling psychology: academia, clinical practice, and postdoctoral fellowship. This symposium will be on Thursday, August 10, 2006 at 1:00 PM in the Meeting Room 347 at the Morial Convention Center.

We have two new mentoring chairs joining the SERD team, Janice Jones and Denise Francis Montano. The mentoring committee has been working hard to match mentors with mentees in academic and clinical settings. If you would like to be a mentor or have a mentor, please check out their website at <http://www.div17.org/SERD/Mentoring%20Committee.htm>. A special acknowledgement goes to Lewis Schlosser for his leadership and involvement in SERD.

On behalf of the SERD Awards Committee (Claytie Davis III, Elizabeth Vera, Helen Neville, Muninder Ahluwalia, Matt Miller, Rebecca Toporek and Karen Tao), mahalo (thank you) for the increase in nominations for the following SERD awards: the Community

Service Award, Outstanding Contribution to Scholarship on Race and Ethnicity, and the Student Award. The Awards committee is in the process of reviewing these nominations. Award winners will be notified in early June and presented with the awards at APA. Please contact Claytie Davis III (claytie@uclink.berkeley.edu) for names of SERD members to forward for consideration for Fellow status in the Division 17 for the next nomination cycle.

Our SERD student representatives, Supavan Khamphakdy-Brown and Kenneth Wang have created a survey in order to better assess and meet the needs of SERD student members. This survey will be individually emailed to various student members. If you would like to request a survey, please contact Kenneth at: ktwang@psu.edu. They are looking forward to hearing students' perspectives and to help promote student involvement in SERD.

The newsletter editorial team (Matthew Miller, Carla Hunter, Grace Chen and Alex Pieterse) are working on our 2nd newsletter for the 2006 year. If you would like to submit an article or advertisement, please contact Matt Miller at mmille22@nd.edu.

Lydia Buki and Jennifer Mayfield have graciously taken on the task of processing all membership information and membership dues. Just a reminder that the dues were implemented in the Fall of 2004 (Section Members and Professional affiliates \$5.00; student membership is free). If you have not paid your dues yet, this is a good time to do it! We are also encouraging members to make an additional contribution for student research and travel awards when you send in your dues. We are continually looking for new members, so please check out the website at: <http://www.div17.org/SERD/membership/default.htm> for more information. If you have any questions about our SAG-SERD liaisons and SAG events at APA as well, please contact Annie Gupta, M.Ed. at rohit109@yahoo.com.

I look forward to seeing all of you at APA in New Orleans.

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John Krumboltz Receives University of Minnesota Outstanding Alumni Award

John Krumboltz, a Professor at Stanford University and a prolific scholar and leader in counseling psychology and education, received the University of Minnesota Outstanding Achievement Award on March 29, 2006. The Award, the highest non-degree University of Minnesota honor, is bestowed on an alumnus of the University who has attained unusual distinction and outstanding achievement in his/her profession. The Award is granted by the University of Minnesota Board of Regents after a University-wide review process.

John received his Ph.D. from the University of Minnesota Counseling and Educational Psychology Department in the College of Education in 1955. His career has spanned over 50 years as a distinguished scholar and teacher in counseling psychology. He has received several awards including Division 17's Leona Tyler Award, Eminent Career Award from the National Career Development Association, and the Distinguished Professional Contributions to Knowledge Award from APA. John has held several leadership positions in Division

17, including serving as its President in 1974-75.

John has been a stellar researcher throughout his career. His early book *Revolution in Counseling: Implications of Behavioral Science* (1966) as well as his passion for research revolutionized the field, focusing on the importance of behavioral interventions with children and adults, and measuring the effectiveness of those interventions. His research also impacted educational areas, including student academic achievement, reading skills, and teacher training. John was also an important and early advocate of prevention and multiculturalism in counseling psychology. Another major focus of John's research is the application of social learning theory to career development. More recently he has studied the role of chance in career choice. At the Award presentation, John gave a wonderful multi-media presentation on the importance of happenstance in career choice. His latest book (co-authored with A. S. Levin) *Luck is No Accident: Making the Most of Happenstance in your Life and Career* was

the focus of his presentation.

In addition to current and former students and faculty, and alumni, the ceremony was attended by John's wife, Betty, and brother, David (who surprised John at the event). John helped to define the field of counseling psychology, and the Counseling and Student Personnel Psychology Program (Department of Educational Psychology) at the University of Minnesota is honored to recognize him as one of its distinguished alumni.



Call For Division 17 Fellowship Nominations

Deadline for Nominations: September 15, 2006

Deadline for Receipt of all Materials: October 15, 2006

Each year Division 17, the Society of Counseling Psychology, is given the opportunity to recognize members of the Division who have had significant impact on the specialty of Counseling Psychology. The impact pertains to the areas of science, teaching and training, service delivery, administration, policy development, and/or advocacy.

Fellowship is an honor bestowed upon members who have made "unusual and outstanding contributions or performance in the field of psychology." Their contributions are viewed as having enriched or advanced Counseling Psychology well beyond the level that normally would be expected of a professional psychologist. Fellows are selected by peers on the basis of evidence of sustained superior performance that is recognizable at a national (rather than local or regional) level. Nominees must meet both APA and Division 17 requirements to be considered for Fellow status. The APA requirements for Fellow Status are as follows:

- Receipt of a doctoral degree based in part on a psychological dissertation, or from a program primarily psychological in nature, and conferred by a graduate school of recognized standing; prior membership as an APA member for at least one year and membership in the Division through which the nomination is made; active engagement at the time of nomination in the advancement of psychology in any of its aspects; and five years of acceptable professional experiences subsequent to the granting of the doctoral degree.

Additional requirements for Fellow status in Division 17 are:

- At least three years post-graduate professional experience in counseling psychology; membership in the Division for at least one year; current engagement in education and training, practice, or research in counseling psychology; and significant and distinctive contributions to Counseling Psychology in one or more of the following areas: Scientific Achievement, Professional Practice, Leader-

ship and Administration, Teaching and Training, and/or Recognition of Excellence.

New Fellows must submit a Uniform Fellows Application, a Self-statement detailing contributions, evidence of contributions, and impact on Counseling Psychology, a current vita with "R" by listings of publications in refereed journals, and three endorsements from APA Fellows..

For Current Fellows of other APA Divisions, only the following is required: a current vita, a self-statement detailing contributions and impact on Counseling Psychology, and a letter of endorsement from a Division 17 Fellow.

Any member or Fellow of Division 17 may make a nomination. Self-nominations also are invited. Nominations should be sent to the Chair of the Fellows Committee:

Madonna G. Constantine, Ph.D.
Fellows Chair, Division 17
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DIVISION 17 Counseling Psychology Fund Call for Proposals

Background: Established in 1998, this award is to sponsor not-for-profit activities for scientific, literary, or educational purposes to enhance the science and practice of counseling psychology. It particularly aims to support research on the implementation of innovative counseling programs and models. About \$2,500 to \$3,000 is available to fund projects for 2006.

Requirements: Applicants must be members of APA Division 17 (Society of Counseling Psychology).

Application process: The Counseling Psychology Fund is administered by APA Division 17. Proposals should include a copy of the following material:

- An executive summary (250-word)
- Detailed budget and a description of other resources or funding
- Listing of other sponsors or supporters
- Detailed timeline
- A description of the project's national impact on counseling psychology
- Summary of qualifications

Send proposals (5 copies) to:

W. Bruce Walsh
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The Division 17 Special Task Group on Early Career Psychologists is hosting a NEW PROFESSIONALS SOCIAL HOUR for early career members of Division 17. The mixer will be held in the Division 17 hospitality suite (New Orleans Marriott Hotel) on Saturday August 12, 2006 from 2:00 pm until 3:00 pm. Please join your fellow early career counseling psychologists, as well as leaders within the Division, for a chance to mingle in an informal and collegial atmosphere. For questions contact the Early Career Psychologists STG chair, Nathan Grant Smith at nsmith1@mail.twu.edu.

We are happy to announce that Dr. Nadya Fouad has been selected as the Editor of the Counseling Psychologist. She succeeds Robert Carter whose editorial leadership has positioned TCP as the top journal within all applied psychology journals. Her term officially begins with the publication of the January issue in 2008. However, she will begin the transition and accepting manuscripts much sooner; more information on this process will follow in the near future. Dr. Fouad brings a wealth of experiences to the editorship, serving on the editorial boards of four major journals, Associate Editor for the Journal of Vocational Behavior, Training Director for many years, and a host of national leadership roles, including being elected as President in both the Society of Counseling Psychology and the Council of Counseling Psychology Training Programs.

**Roberta Nutt, Ph.D., William Parham, Ph.D., Puncky Heppner, Ph.D.
Presidential Trio of the Society of Counseling Psychology**

Arizona State University Faculty Member Receives Fulbright Senior Specialists Award

J. Jeffries McWhirter, Ph.D., ABPP, Professor Emeritus of Counseling Psychology, a founding member of the Emeritus College at Arizona State University, and a Fellow of APA (Div. 17, 48, & 49) was selected for a Fulbright Senior Specialists project at Hacettepe University, in Ankara, Turkey for April 2006, according to the United States Department of State and the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board.

McWhirter returned to the same university and department where he was a Fulbright-Hays Professor 29 years ago. He lectured on at-risk youth at Hacettepe University and at Universities in Izmir and Adana, Turkey and was involved in a major research program with Turkish colleagues based on his and his ASU students' group prevention program to reduce anger, depression, and anxiety and increase hope, optimism, empathy, and other pro-social skills in young people.

McWhirter is one of over 400 U.S. faculty and professionals who will travel abroad in 2006 through the Fulbright Senior Specialists Program. The Senior Specialists Program, created in 2000 to complement the traditional Fulbright Scholar Program, provides short-term academic opportunities (2 to 6 weeks) to prominent U.S. faculty and professionals to support curricular and faculty development and institutional planning at postsecondary, academic institutions around the world.

The Fulbright Program, America's flagship international educational exchange activity, is sponsored by the U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs. Over its 59 years of existence, thousands of U.S. faculty and professionals have taught, studied or conducted research abroad, and thousands of their counterparts from other countries have engaged in similar activities in the United States. Over 285,000 emerging leaders in their professional fields have received Fulbright awards, including individuals who later became heads of government, Nobel Prize winners, and leaders in education and other fields.

Recipients of Fulbright Scholar awards are selected on the basis of academic or professional achievement. Among thousands of prominent Fulbright Scholar alumni are Alan Leshner, CEO of the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) and Craig Barrett, CEO of Intel Corporation. Distinguished Fulbright Senior Specialist participants include Mahmoud Ayoub, Professor of Religion at Temple University, and Heidi Hartmann, President and CEO, Institute for Women's Policy Research.

For further information about the Fulbright Senior Specialists Program, please contact FULSPEC@cies.iie.org or consult www.cies.org.

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“Stop Hate!” Campaign at Ball State



In light of racial incidents that occurred at Ball State University (Muncie, Indiana) in the Fall of 2005, a group of concerned students from Counseling Psychology and Guidance Services initiated a “Stop Hate!” Campaign. The students, who were members of a Social Justice in Counseling Psychology course taught by Dr. Lawrence Gerstein, created a 30’ X 50’ banner (see above). The purpose of the campaign was to encourage the fair treatment of all persons affiliated with Ball State, regardless of race, ethnicity, sex, gender identity, religion, sexual orientation, physical ability, socioeconomic status or any other position of distinction that could be made into a point of discrimination.

For two weeks, the students collected signatures on the banner. Over 3,200 signatures were collected including the signatures of the Mayor of Muncie, Dan Canan, and the President of Ball State, Jo Ann M. Gora.

Local media reporters representing various newspapers, television news programs, and radio programs were present for the unfurling of the banner. The students who coordinated the Campaign were then nominated by President Gora for ABC’s Person of the Week. The students are continuing their social justice efforts and are working to further infuse a social justice component into the their graduate curriculum.

Membership Report

On behalf of the membership committee we hope that you will attend the second year of the Society of Counseling Psychology Roundtable discussion entitled “You and Counseling Psychology: Charting the Future” to be held on Thursday, August 10th at the 4:00 p.m. at the APA convention in New Orleans, L.A. (Hilton New Orleans Riverside Hotel, Grand Salon A). This event will provide graduate and undergraduate students an opportunity to interact with established and new professionals within the field of Counseling Psychology, learn more about Division 17, and consider future involvement and leadership roles in our Society. Please encourage your students to attend this exciting event. We will have a raffle for several signed autographed books by established professionals in the field. Please see page the next page for more information regarding the

roundtable and featured section leaders.

As of its most recent census (May 2006), the Society of Counseling Psychology has 2,175 paid memberships and 674 paid student affiliates for 2006. Some 114 memberships, including 172 student affiliates have not yet renewed their APA membership. Please consider renewing your membership or joining Division 17 by completing the membership application on the last page of this newsletter or emailing division17@apa.org. Please also encourage your students and colleagues to join Division 17.

In February, March, and April 2006, the following 105 individuals joined the Society of Counseling Psychology. Please extend them a warm welcome!

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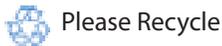
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