FROM THE PRESIDENT

A New Year Begins

As we move into this year of the Division, we are in the midst of rising new traditions of inclusion and impact, and new ways that are handed down and expected as part of our collective whole, making additions to our history. My theme is New Traditions for a New Millennium—expanding and solidifying these new traditions that both carry our history and transform us for the future. It is through embracing both the old and the new, and drawing on the strength of counseling psychologists with many visions that we can demonstrate and support the true strength of counseling psychology.

My hope over this year is to facilitate a healthy process in the Division which will enhance the success and satisfaction of the Division, our members, and the systems in which we participate. I believe the strength of counseling psychology lies in our ability to understand the person in context and to help each person and each system achieve healthy development. My goal, my mark on this Division, will rest in strengthening our own healthy development as a Division and as a specialty. I commit my strengths and abilities in creating systems, structures, and mechanisms that will allow us to move our traditions forward through organization, coalition, collaboration, and communication to achieve satisfaction and impact.

We have already begun activities that you will hear about throughout the year. Some only the Board and Committees will know about because their purpose will be to enable smoother operation of the administration of the Division and allow for more creative and innovative endeavors. My hope is that you will feel the energy, the liveliness, and the forward movement that comes from our efforts over the year.

A Final Note: My presidential initiatives involve a number of collaborative projects, which again you will hear about throughout the year. One major and ongoing effort began at the August 1999 Boston Convention, as the leaders of the groups that represent counseling psychology met to begin a new collaboration—the Council of the Specialty of Counseling Psychology. Together we can protect and promote counseling psychology, and share information, resources, and strength. I am pleased to chair this new Council, which includes the Council of Counseling Psychology Training Programs, the American Board of Counseling Psychology, the Academy of Counseling Psychology, the Student Affiliate Group, the Association of University and College Counseling Centers Directors, the Association of Counseling Center Training Agencies, and, of course, Division 17.

This is an exciting year for me, and I am honored by your trust. Please let me know what you want and need from this Division; I’ll do my best to respond. Please write, call, or email anytime! I may be reached at 4501 Connecticut Ave., NW, #215, Washington, DC 20008; or 202-362-1013, or at jecarter@psyc.umd.edu.

Jean Carter

FROM THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

I am deeply honored to have been elected as President for the year 2000-2001, and want to thank you very much. I am delighted to have the opportunity to serve Division 17 in this capacity, and will do my best to live up to the trust you have placed in me.

My presidential focus will be on ways that counseling psychology can make a difference and how we can recapture our roots in social advocacy. I am delighted to...
spearhead Division 17's initiative to join with The Council of Counseling Psychology Training Programs (CCPTP) in planning a national conference for 2001. You will be hearing more about this conference in the next few months. We want to bring us together to not only learn from each other, but to talk with each other about how we collectively can make a difference in society.

I wrote in my nomination statement that I believed that we must continue our efforts to make Division 17 as inclusive as possible. As Rosie Bingham so eloquently said in her presidential address at the August, 1999 Boston convention: we must “draw the circle bigger.” Inclusion means to me that we embrace the groups who find a home in Division 17, and also reach out to those counseling psychologists who have not found the Division to be a warm and inviting place. I am very hopeful that the national conference will provide us a time and place to gather, to draw our circles bigger, and to focus our energies for the future.

And I want to begin with an open invitation to contact me if you are interested in becoming involved in the Division or the joint division 17 and CCPTP conference. I may be reached at:

nadya@uwm.edu or at the
Department of Educational Psychology
PO 413
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Milwaukee, WI 53201

I hope to hear from you!

Nadya Fouad

FROM THE VICE PRESIDENTS

Vice President for Diversity and Public Interest

I would first like to express my appreciation for the opportunity to serve the Division in this position. I realize the numerous and significant contributions made by Nadya Fouad during her tenure as VP for Diversity and Public Interest and I can only hope to carry on with the quality of her leadership as I begin this journey.

The APA convention was once again active with the involvement of the Division's Sections and Special Interest Groups. Division 17 sponsored convention programs that reflected a number of topics related to the area of diversity and public interest. Among these were a number of programs that addressed multicultural competencies and training models, the Section roundtable presentations on mentoring, research and practice with lesbian, gay, and bisexual clients, cultural conflicts of Asian Americans, and an international forum for counseling psychologists. Additionally, the Monday night social that showcased graduate student posters of the Division's various sections continued to be a wonderful success (special thanks to Linda Subich for coordinating the event). Of particular note were programs that addressed the role of counseling psychology in social justice and promoting public welfare. I believe that these programs (as well as others that may not have been mentioned here) have continued to reflect the diversity of our Division as well as to reflect the degree to which Division 17 is committed to issues of diversity, mentoring, and prosocial change.

As this year begins for me, there are number of areas to which I find myself strongly committed. First, I believe that it is important to continue the work of furthering the Multicultural Competencies specifically in exploring how these competencies may be operationalized. Division 17’s Executive Board has already endorsed the education and training, and practice competencies. At the 1999 APA Boston convention, the Division’s Executive Board also endorsed the research competencies. I look forward to working with the Multicultural Competencies Task Group and my Advisory Board members to realizing the next stage of the process.

Second, I look forward to a continuing relationship with the Board for the Advancement of Psychology in the Public Interest (BAPPI). I am open and eager to work collaboratively with the Board in ways that serve to enhance and affirm our Division’s mission and goals.

Lastly, I am looking forward to working with a number of Section activities. In particular, Thomas Palma (Chair, Section for Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Awareness) has initiated a collaborative project with the Section on Advancement of Women (SAW) and the Section on Ethnic and Racial Diversity (SERD) to develop an electronic journal for multicultural issues in counseling.

President Rosie Bingham (left) passing the gavel to incoming Jean Carter

Incoming President Jean Carter making her inaugural comments
DIVISION OF COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGY

COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES

APA COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES APPROVES RECOGNITION OF COUNSELING PSYCHOLOGY AS A SPECIALITY IN PROFESSIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

APRIL REPORT

At the February 19-21, 1999, meeting of the APA Council of Representatives (Council), the petition submitted by Division 17 to the Commission on the Recognition of Specialties in Professional Psychology (CRSPP) was unanimously approved by consent. When we, as Division 17 Council representatives, expressed our appreciation to the leadership of CRSPP for their clear and concise recommendation to the Council, they, in turn, congratulated the Division for preparing a comprehensive, well-supported rationale for continued recognition of counseling psychology as a specialty in professional psychology.

This recent council meeting was probably one of the most collaborative ones in recent years, with both scientists and practitioners and both state associations and the 52 divisions collaborating on approving a number of significant resolutions. The first resolution was that “the changing health care system’s impact on psychology...be a priority issue and concern for the entirety of the APA.” In future months, all directorates within APA will be developing strategies for addressing the problems that some managed care organizations are creating for both the rights of clients and for the quality of health care for the working poor and unemployed. Council also approved active participation in “Rescue Health Care Day” on April 1, 2000; this will be a nationwide day of teach-ins, and hour of protest by all Americans concerned about quality health care.

A second resolution reaffirmed the commitment of APA to affirmative action. A third resolution, on male violence against women, was approved after a stipulation was added urging the development of “Psycho-educational and socio-cultural interventions designed to change male objectification of women.”

Two new divisions were provisionally approved: Division of Clinical Child Psychology (Division 43) and Division of Society of Pediatric Psychology (Division 54). The task force report on Integrating Science and Practice on Council was extensively discussed; the Executive Officer of APA, Dr. Fowler, will be bringing an action plan to the August 1999, Council meeting. This task force was appointed by past-president Martin Seligman in order to address long-standing issues in the development of collaborative relationships between science and practice, beginning even in the years of undergraduate training in psychology.

There was careful discussion of the pros and cons of a proposal to recommend to all state licensure boards that they develop provisional licensure for post-doctoral psychologists, that is, for the period from the time the doctoral degree is received, until enough supervised experience has been completed for full licensure. The proposal was deferred until more information could be obtained about whether such licensure was helpful in addressing issues of “billable hours” by doctoral psychologists not yet fully licensed. Six states have currently developed provisional licensure.

Teresa LaFramboise, a counseling psychologist, as the representative to APA Council for Division 45, gave an excellent overview of the recent Multicultural Summit of which Division 17 was one of the key sponsors. Her report was followed by extremely complimentary observations by APA President-Elect Pat DeLeon and Board of Directors member Norine Johnson.

Because nine of the new members, and four of the continuing members of APA Council from various Divisions and State Associations are also active members of Division 17 (even though they do not formally represent Counseling Psychology) we, as the Council representatives from Division 17, held a breakfast meeting with all of these 13 counseling psychologists. The meeting was also attended by Division 17 President-Elect, Jean Carter. We believe that Council has never had a greater presence of active Division 17 members. Additionally, four of the current Board of Directors are Division 17 members. Glenn Good, representing Division 51, generously offered to set up an e-mail listserv for all the Council
Representatives affiliated with counseling psychology. We explored a number of ways in which we could collaborate and be helpful to one another as we develop agenda for the consideration of APA Council. All those attending felt we had established valuable precedents.

Respectfully submitted,

Bruce Fretz

APA Council of Representatives Report, August, 1999

Division 17's Council Representatives Bruce Fretz, Janet Helms, and Jo-Ida Hansen participated in Council meetings on Thursday and Sunday of the 1999 APA Convention in Boston.

Documents Approved

Several documents that have been under development for the past few years were approved. These include the Standards for Educational and Psychological Testing, the National Standards for the Teaching of High School Psychology, and the Guidelines for Education and Training at the Doctoral Level in Industrial/Organizational (I/O) Psychology.

The Testing Standards have been under revision for the past 6 years and will replace the 1985 version. The Standards were revised by a committee representing the American Psychological Association, the American Educational Research Association (AERA), and the National Council on Measurement in Education (NCME). Jo-Ida Hansen served on the revision working committee, and Melba Vasquez chaired the Council of Representatives’ liaison committee; both are members of Division 17. The revised Testing Standards now have been approved by the three sponsoring organizations (APA, AERA, and NCME) and should be published by November of 1999.

The National Standards for the Teaching of High School Psychology is viewed as a living document. APA will be working with consultants from across psychology to develop the details of the curricular modules proposed in the Standards. A particular emphasis will be placed on ensuring coverage of diversity and gender identity issues. The Standards are designed to help teachers to sample the broad field of psychology, to emphasize the scientific foundations and applications of psychology, and to promote active learning and critical thinking strategies.

The I/O Guidelines for Education and Training replace the earlier version published in 1985. These guidelines are intended to assist faculty and curriculum planners in the design of doctoral level graduate programs. The guidelines adhere to a scientist-practitioner model.

Another document that continues under revision is the Ethics Code. The Task Force had its fourth meeting in April of 1999, and will meet two or three times in Year 2000.

Melba Vasquez, Division 17, serves on the Task Force.

Financial Matters

On the financial front, Council approved the expenditure of $16,000 to further the prescription privileges effort in several states and approved $10,000 for the APA national conversation on psychology and racism. Council also approved a proposal to continue to explore the opportunity of purchase a four (4) story warehouse building in Washington, D.C. The Warehouse Project offers the Association a chance to acquire a building and to accommodate its publication storage needs.

Debt service for the purchase would be partially supported by revenues from the storage business currently operating in the building and from savings accrued from centralizing storage from other rental sites to the Warehouse.

Terms Ending and Beginning

Bruce Fretz and Jo-Ida Hansen are completing their terms as Division 17 Representatives to Council. Janet Helms continues on Council through December of 2001, and Linda Forrest and Gerald Sorenson will join Janet in January as our newly elected Council members.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jo-Ida C. Hansen, Ph.D.
ENDOWMENT FUND

Objective
To sponsor projects that support the science and practice of Counseling Psychology and those that further the strategic goals of Division 17 of APA.

What
Start up funds and support for projects such as:
1. Conferences, conventions, workshops
2. Continuing education programs/seminars/workshops
3. Broadly focused scholarly activities sponsored by the Division (e.g., book series, needs assessment projects, position papers, research projects, conferences)

Who Applies
Members and Fellows of Division 17; the Executive Board, Sections, and STGs of Division 17; Division 17 SAG members

Acknowledgements
All projects will acknowledge the contribution made by Division 17 and extend to the Division the opportunity to be listed as a co-sponsor of the project.

Proposal
The proposal should include: (a) a 250 word executive summary, (b) a budget proposal for the entire project and an indication of the particular items for which the requested funds will be used, (c) other available resources, (d) other sponsors or supporters if any, of the project, (e) a detailed time line, (f) an indication of the anticipated impact the project will have on the field of Counseling Psychology, and (g) a summary of the qualifications of the individuals who will be involved with the project.

Send Proposals to
Dr. Linda M. Forrest
Department of Counseling Psychology
443A Erickson
Michigan State University
East Lansing, MI 48824

COUNSELING HEALTH PSYCHOLOGY

We have an exciting year planned and want to take the opportunity to inform about some of our plans and upcoming activities. First, the George Washington University Conference, “Gender and Health in a Diverse Society,” is scheduled for August 3, 2000 in Washington, DC. This one day conference, patterned after the Stanford University conference held before APA 1998, will feature internationally recognized keynotes presenting their cutting edge findings in the gender, health, and cultural diversity areas. Also planned are plenty of small workshops on various topics, providing an opportunity for researchers and clinicians to exchange ideas. The Section is currently seeking nominations for two offices to begin in the year 2000—Chair-Elect and Treasurer/Secretary. If you are interested in running for either of these offices, or just want more information about them, please contact Marilyn Stern, at the University at Albany, immediately (email: MS127@cns1.ualbany.edu).

The Section is planning to hold a special “Ask the Expert” conversation hour at next year’s APA convention in Washington, DC. During this hour students will be able to spend some time consulting with various Counseling Health Psychology experts on topics such as dissertation advice, internship opportunities and strategies, and clinical practice. We will be asking students to sign up in advance when the roster of experts becomes available. For information about this event please contact Sue Jacobs at the University of North Dakota (email: sujacobs@bdlands.nodak.edu).

The Health Section is holding another student research award competition after last year’s successful competition. Merle Keitel of Fordham University will be the award chair.

Sections

catherine.campbell@usm.edu). They are especially interested in finding students who might be willing to participate in the planning of this special event.

An announcement will be coming out soon with details of the application process. Meanwhile, please contact Merle with any questions (phone 212-636-6468; email: SHFBAND@aol.com).

Section members are excited about the increased activities and opportunities for both full members and student members. Benefits of membership include updates on the Section’s activities in our newsletter; and information about opportunities such as research collaboration and job openings. The listserv is a source of valuable information and opportunities, as well as a medium for members to stay in touch and be current on important counseling health psychology topics. For more information on membership, please contact Sue Jacobs (email: sujacobs@bdlands.nodak.edu). You can also check out the web site at http://www.uiowa.edu/~hltihpsy/. You can sign on to the listserv through the web site or by contacting Dan Clay (email: daniel-clay@uiowa.edu).

The section has provided excellent opportunities for students as well. Students interested in learning more about what our section can offer or who just want to find out more about counseling health psychology, please contact Sue Jacobs (email: sujacobs@bdlands.nodak.edu). You can also check out the web site at http://www.uiowa.edu/~hltihpsy/. You can sign on to the listserv through the web site or by contacting Dan Clay (email: daniel-clay@uiowa.edu).
psychology, are encouraged to contact the student representatives. The two student representatives are Sara Moritzen and Puspa Das from the University at Albany. They can be reached at email Stafa@capital.net.

Marilyn Stern, Chair

ADVANCEMENT OF WOMEN

The 1999 APA Boston Convention was a productive and exciting time for the Section for the Advancement of Women (SAW). Our annual Hospitality Suite programs were well attended, and we were pleased to welcome new faces and to actively collaborate with other Division 17 Sections.

Our Governing Board has some new faces after this year’s election! I would like to extend my congratulations to Sue Morrow, our new Chair-Elect, and to Tania Israel, our Newsletter Editor. I want to acknowledge Denise Twohey, whose term as Newsletter Editor ended this year, and who was with us in spirit in Boston. Continued thanks to Mimi Ormerod for her hard work as Treasurer and Membership Coordinator. And, many thanks to the ex-officio members of the SAW Governing Board who serve as Committee Chairs: Dinah Meyer (APA Programs), Kathy Bieschke (Awards), Kathy Gainor and Sharon Gizara (Multicultural Voices), Ada Sinacore (Vision and Strategic Planning), Freda Ginsberg (Student Network), and Sue Morrow (Technology). The hard work of these women has helped the SAW to flourish and grow, and they all are to be applauded. Our Governing Board continues to evolve to better meet the goals of our organization, so look for some refinements in committee structure and SAW by-laws over the next year.

Helen Farmer was named our 1999 Woman of the Year for her outstanding contribution to the Committee on Women and the SAW, in addition to her passionate commitment to mentoring women and researching their vocational lives. We also named our first Student of the Year, Freda Ginsberg, recognizing her efforts to centralize students into the functioning of the SAW. Carol Enns, the 1998 Woman of the Year, provided us in her invited address with an important twenty year retrospective of the Principles Concerning the Counseling and Psychotherapy of Women, and also shared her recent experience connecting with feminist therapists in Japan. We look forward to Helen Farmer’s Woman of the Year address next year in Washington, D.C.!

I would like to thank Bianca Bernstein and Laurie Mintz for sharing their expertise during the Skill Development Workshop on Tenure Skills and Strategies. If you were not able to attend, please look for information from their workshop the next SAW newsletter. Pam Remer led a stimulating Conversation Hour program, where we discussed the implications of creating a feminist psychology specialty with identified graduate programs and training sites and the SAW’s role in this process. Ada Sinacore facilitated a two-hour discussion on SAW “Vision and Voices” where we identified current challenges and opportunities for the Section. We plan to continue this dialogue with directed thinking about articulating a vision for the SAW that more specifically captures our stance on the intersection of feminism and multiculturalism and examines the inclusiveness of our organization. 

The SAW also sponsored several exciting APA programs. The symposium “The Interface of Feminism and Multiculturalism”, chaired by Sharon Bowman, provided the important opportunity to hear about and reflect on the experiences of women of color at the 1998 Advancing Together conference. The conversation hour chaired by Jill Barber on “Counseling Psychology Values Informed and Transformed by Multiculturalism and Feminism” allowed for further dialogue about these issues. We were pleased to again participate in the joint Division 17 Section Mentoring Roundtable program and to co-sponsor the Monday night Social Hour spotlighting seven high-quality student posters. Last, but not least, our annual champagne breakfast was a conference highlight, and clearly met our goal of welcoming new members to the SAW and providing an opportunity for renewing connections.

We look forward to building on the excitement and energy generated in Boston! We especially hope to continue to centralize student involvement via the Student Network, and to continue our collaborations with other Division 17 Sections. If you were unable to attend APA this year, please contact me for ways to get connected with the SAW projects and committees at 801-582-6826 or lweitzman@aff.uch.edu. For membership information, contact Mimi Ormerod at 217-333-8739 aormerod@uiuc.edu. We greatly anticipate your enthusiastic involvement with the SAW.

Lauren M. Weitzman

ETHNIC AND RACIAL DIVERSITY

The Section on Ethnic and Racial Diversity (SERD) is dedicated to active encouraging, promoting, and facilitating participation by Division 17 members, student affiliates, and other professionals in the field of counseling psychology in events pertaining to issues of ethnic and racial diversity. SERD is also committed to representing the interests of ethnically and racially diverse individuals within APA and to external constituencies.

The SERD 1999-2000 officers are Gary Roysircar-Sadowsky (chair), gosadowsky1@unl.edu, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, counseling psychology program), Edward Delgado-Romero (past-chair, elect, delgado@counsel.ufl.edu, University of Florida, Gainesville, counseling center), Rupert Toti Perez (past-chair, rperez@arches.uga.edu, University of Georgia, counseling center), Alberta Gloria (secretary and membership chair, agloria@mail.soemadison.wisc.edu, University of Wisconsin-Madison counseling psychology program), Jeffrey S. Hird (treasurer, jhird@facstaff.wisc.edu, University of Wisconsin-Madison counseling center), Kwong-Liem Kwan (newsletter editor, kkwarn@purdue.edu, Purdue University counseling psychology program), and Edna Esnill (student representative, pre-doctoral intern, U.C. Davis Counseling Center, emesnill@ucdavis.edu). SERD highlights at the 1999 APA Boston Convention were our well-attended Business Meeting where we discussed our activities and plans for this year; our “Connection and Dutch-Treat Lunch”; our Town Hall meeting, “Graduate Training Models of...
Multicultural Counseling in Counseling Psychology"; our mentoring roundtable for new professionals and students of color; and our sponsorship of six graduate student posters presented at the Monday evening Division 17 social. The SERD Town Hall, an event that we have held the second year at APA, was complemented by several APA presentations on multicultural counseling competencies, including one chaired by Toti Perez, and one by Gargi Roysircar-Sodowsky. For our lively and successful APA events we owe much to the volunteerism of Angela Byars (University of Wisconsin-Madison), Karl Kwan, Hardin Coleman (University of Wisconsin, Madison) and Lisa Flores (Ohio State University). Thanks to you folks. And thanks to Toti and Madonna Constantine (Teachers College, Columbia University) for devoting themselves to developing a critical mass for SERD and for modeling to the new chair and the chair-elect.

The SERD membership form is included. New members and student affiliates are automatically subscribed to the SERD listserv. The SERD listserv is used as a means of distributing information regarding SERD activities, elections, calls for APA programs, announcements, and discourse on political advocacy and social justice.

Our webpage (http://www.sit.wisc.edu/~ahernan2/serd/), managed by webmaster Armando Hernandez Morales (a student member) at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, publishes the following: SERD bylaws, application form, newsletters, names of elected officers, minutes of SERD Executive Board and business meetings held at the APA Convention, listing of events at the APA Convention, and resources related to racial and ethnic diversity.

SERD is committed to supporting collaboration with the other Divisional Sections, such as through Section programs in mentoring roundtables and student poster presentations at the APA conference. SERD is also collecting donations which will be used to recognize students whose papers are selected for presentation at the 2000 convention. The membership application form includes a line on voluntary contribution.

Gargi Roysircar-Sodowsky.

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Division 17 – Counseling Psychology
Section on Ethnic and Racial Diversity
Membership Application

NAME: ____________________________

INSTITUTION AFFILIATION: ____________________________

ADDRESS: ____________________________________________

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E-MAIL ADDRESS: ____________________________

PHONE: ____________________________ FAX: ____________________________

MEMBER STATUS: Division Member/Fellow ____________________________
(Please check one)
Professional Affiliate ____________________________
Student Affiliate ____________________________

SECTION MEMBERSHIP: New ____________________________
(Retail check)
Renewal ____________________________

VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION: ____________________________
(Make checks payable to: Division 17 - SERD)

Completed applications to be sent by mail to:

Alberta M. Gloria, Ph.D., SERD Secretary and Membership Chair
Department of Counseling Psychology
University of Wisconsin-Madison
321 Education Building – 1000 Bascom Mall
Madison, Wisconsin 53706-1398

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INDEPENDENT PRACTICE

This year the Section on Independent Practice worked to build communication with members, the Division, and within APA on issues of importance to Counseling Psychologists in Independent Practice. We published an inaugural year of newsletters entitled The Counseling Psychology Practitioner, with three issues (kudos to Lynne Tracy). We published summaries in each Division 17 Newsletter and the SAG Newsletter (Mary O’Leary Wiley). We also began work on a home page for the Section within the Division 17 homepage (Lynne Tracy).

We have maintained a stable membership of about 40 members in the Section since its founding three years ago. This year, we increased the renewal rate of current members (kudos to Melora Braver), and attempted to recruit new members through postings in the Division 17 Newsletter, the Division 42 listerv, and personal networking (Mary O’Leary Wiley and Jean Carter).

We increased our knowledge base regarding our members by surveying our members in our first issue of The Counseling Psychology Practitioner, and reported the results in the second issue (Mary O’Leary Wiley). Wiley, Jennifer Stransky). We began a column in the newsletter entitled “Reports from the Field” profiling members and the way being a Counseling Psychologist has an impact upon their independent practice (Lynne Tracy).

We participated in Convention plans and activities in a variety of ways. We participated in the planning group for the Division 17/Division 42 presidential miniconvention on Advocacy for Professional Psychology to be held in Washington, DC at the 2000 Convention. We sponsored the Conversation Hour with last year’s John Black Award Winner, Jean Carter. And we cosponsored the Section Roundtable, hosting mentoring tables on Establishing Your Independent Practice and on Flourishing in Your Independent Practice (Jean Carter, Mary O'Leary Wiley).

Finally, and perhaps most importantly, we continued our collaboration and visibility with other practice-related groups within APA. We collaborated with Division 35 (Melba Vasquez, President), and Division 42 (Jean Carter, Secretary), and were active in the Division 42 listerv. We participated in the CAPP Implementation Group for Integrating the Diverse Practice Agenda (Jean Carter). And we participated in the Ethics Code Task Force (Melba Vasquez), the Committee on Aging (Michael Duffy), and the Work Group on Professional Practice Issues in Telehealth (Norma Simon). The Section attended Association for the Advancement of Psychology political advocacy events and were well represented in the National Academies of Practice, Psychology, Academy, and the State Leadership Conference (Sandy Shullman). Many kudos to Sandy Shullman and many of our members for participating in both parity and patient rights advocacy at the state and national level.

At our Business Meeting in Boston, the Section voted to lower our dues to $0. (that is not a misprint). We did this to recruit more members who are in independent practice and students who are interested in independent practice. Please e-mail Chair Mary O’Leary Wiley at Wiley510@aol.com or Membership Chair, Melora Braver at ERHink mailto:mlb100@psu.edu mlb100@psu.edu to become a member! We are also in desperate need of a knowledgeable person (including students) to help develop the Webpage for our Section. Please contact Lynn Tracey Ltracey@uhsc.berkeley.edu.

Mary O'Leary Wiley

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS (SIGs)

SIG UPDATE

Currently the Division of Counseling Psychology has the following Special Interest Groups (SIGs) that are open to interested members of the Division: Aging and Adult Development; Children and Adolescents; College Counseling Centers; Couples and Families; Group Counseling; Hypnosis; Impaired Psychologists; International Affairs; Men, Masculinity, and Men’s Studies; Organizational Counseling Psychology; Prevention and Public Interest; and Teaching and Research in Qualitative Methods. These groups have been developed to promote forums for communication among professionals sharing a particular area of interest relevant to Counseling Psychology.

If you are interested in learning about one or more of these groups, please contact John Westefeld, SIG Coordinator, and he will pass your name on to the appropriate SIG Chair.

Contact John at 356 Lindquist Center, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA 52242 or john-westefeld@uiowa.edu or 319-335-5562.

CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS

The SIG on Children and Adolescents is alive and well and actively recruiting new members. The primary purpose of the group is to provide a forum for professionals who share an interest in working with children and adolescents. The SIG surveyed counseling psychology training directors in 1994 and 43% of the faculty indicated that they had a strong interest in child counseling as did their students.
A 1996 survey suggested that faculty and students shared a similar interest in adolescent counseling. Nationally, school based mental health clinics are providing opportunities for counseling psychology students and faculty to work with children and adolescents.

The SIG met in the hospitality suite in Boston and is working on developing a proposal to submit for the next APA conference in Washington, DC. The SIG would like to promote more opportunities for professional collaboration on research, teaching, and professional presentations. For information about the SIG contact Peggy Kaczmarek at New Mexico State University, Maria Riva at the University of Denver, and Dan Clay at the University of Iowa.

Peggy Kaczmarek

COLLEGE COUNSELING CENTERS

Please forward this to your counseling center staff members:

Interested in joining a counseling center staff discussion group listerv? APA's Division 17 College Counseling Center Special Interest Group (CC-SIG) is welcoming new members to join an ongoing listerv. We collaborate and consult about a variety of counseling center issues, including discussions about research, outcome assessment, service provision and procedures, and administrative ideas/concerns. We also meet as a group at APA each year, and sponsor Div. 17 programs focusing on counseling centers at APA. Anyone working in a counseling center may join—this includes interns, practicum students, and non-Div. 17 members.

To subscribe, please send the following e-mail message to listserv@listserv.uva.edu:
subscribe sigccc-l <email address> <name> (without the <>s)

If you have any questions, you may call (704) 547-2142 or e-mail Rebecca MacNair-Semands for information about joining the Div. 17 SIG-CC.

Rebecca R. MacNair-Semands

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOSPITALITY SUITE 1999
Thanks for the Memories!

Let me begin by expressing my heartfelt appreciation to the Hospitality Suite Committee for all of their hard work that, by all accounts, made the hospitality suite program a huge success! Among the achievements this year: we managed 104 hours of scheduled events; we staffed 32 student volunteers from 14 counseling psychology programs; we exceeded our donations goal and raised $3,800 for the suite program plus free books for all the student volunteers; and we finished under budget and never ran out of food or beverages!

Therefore, kudos to the Hospitality Suite Committee members: Angela Londono-McConnell & Terri Davis (suite selection and catering), Karen O'Brien (student volunteer hosts), Amanda Tyson (scheduling), Janet Muse-Burke (signs), and Julie Ancis & Eric Chen (donations).

Thanks also goes out to all the graduate student volunteer hosts who staffed the suite throughout the conference: Heather Lyons (University of Maryland), Wendy Close (University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee), Beth Muller (University of Tennessee), Manju Pradhan (Lehigh University), Yvette Barraza (University of Southern California), Edna Esnil (University of San Francisco), Sara Moritzen (State University of New York at Albany), Marsha Cutting (State University of New York at Albany), Jessica Walker (Lehigh University), Lisa Spanierman (University of Missouri-Columbia), Treva Bogerts (Southern Illinois University), Mindy Bravo (University of Texas-Austin), Julie Gersch (University of Akron), Lisa Flores (University of Missouri-Columbia), Rose Stark (University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee), LaToya Conner (Columbia University), Keith Morgen (Lehigh University), Lisa Pate (Lehigh University), Nancy Arikian (University of Minnesota), Cisco Sanchez (University of Iowa).

Sunday evening hospitality suite at the Boston APA Convention
Along with your request, please include the following information: (1) the name of the Division 17 entity (e.g., section, SIG group, etc.); (2) name, address, phone number, and e-mail address of the person making the request; (3) expected size of the group; (4) amount of time requested; (5) preferred day and time; (6) whether your activity is typically catered (tentatively what you would like to order and how much); and (7) other convention activities which might represent conflicts for people in your group.

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The Hospitality Suite Committee will attempt to honor all requests and to schedule in a manner that will maximize the size of your attendance.

Karen O’Brien

DIVISION 17 STUDENT AFFILIATE GROUP

Hi! We’d like to introduce you to the Student Affiliate Group (SAG) of Division 17. SAG is a national graduate student organization associated with Division 17 (Counseling Psychology) of the American Psychological Association (APA). The primary goal of SAG is to meet the ever changing needs of graduate students in counseling psychology, such as keeping them informed about professional issues and enabling them to increase their identification with the profession. SAG is coordinated by a host institution which rotates every three years after interested colleges and universities submit proposals outlining their goals and objectives. The University of Missouri-Kansas City (UMKC) is the host institution of SAG from August 1998-August 2001.

Some of the benefits of joining SAG include:

- Subscription to The Counseling Psychologist
- Receipt of the Division 17 & SAG Newsletters
- Increased knowledge about Division 17 & professional issues in counseling psychology
- Networking opportunities with students & professionals
- Opportunities to write in the SAG newsletter
- Information about research awards
- Reduced first year professional dues in Division 17
- Increased communication about members’ accomplishments
- Student input into Division 17 and the future of the profession
- Opportunities for professional leadership

Joining SAG

SAG membership runs from January 1 to December 31 each year, and must be renewed yearly. There are two types of membership open to counseling psychology graduate students:

1. $17 SAG Membership which includes a subscription to The Counseling Psychologist, or
2. $5 SAG Membership which does not include a subscription to The Counseling Psychologist.

For a membership application or more information, please visit http://www.sagweb.org, or contact us at sag@cc.r.umkc.edu or Student Affiliate Group, University of Missouri-Kansas City, 5100 Rockhill Road, 215 School of Education, Kansas City, MO 64110.

We’d appreciate it if you could pass this information on to counseling psychology graduate students you know. We look forward to hearing from you!

Heddy Kovach and Kristin Koetting (KKO’Byrne)
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THE AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION
PUBLIC POLICY FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMS

Seeks Applicants for the 2000-2001 Program Year

Since 1974, APA has been offering fellowships to provide psychologists with the unique opportunity to experience first hand the intersection of psychology and public policy. APA Policy Fellows come to Washington DC to participate in one of three fellowship programs, which involve working in a federal agency or congressional office. Training for the fellowships includes a three-week orientation to congressional and executive branch operations, and a year-long seminar series on science and public policy. The training activities are administered by the American Association for the Advancement of Science for APA Fellows and for Fellows sponsored by nearly two dozen other scientific societies.

APA Congressional Fellowship Program

APA Congressional Fellows spend one year working as special legislative assistants on the staff of a member of Congress or congressional committee. Activities may include conducting legislative or oversight work, assisting in congressional hearings and debates, preparing briefs, and writing speeches. Past Fellows have worked on issues as diverse as juvenile crime, managed care, child care, and economic policy.

William A. Bailey AIDS Policy Congressional Fellowship

APA and the American Psychological Foundation (APF) established the William A. Bailey Congressional Fellowship in 1995 in tribute to former APA staff Bill Bailey’s tireless advocacy on behalf of psychological research, training, and services related to AIDS. Bailey Fellows receive a one-year appointment to work as a special legislative assistant on the staff of a member of Congress or congressional Committee. They focus primarily on HIV/AIDS and/or gay and lesbian issues, while engaging in the same types of legislative activities as other APA Congressional Fellows.

APA Science Policy Fellowship

In addition to the Congressional Fellowships, APA also provides a fellowship opportunity for psychologists who wish to gain an understanding of science policy from the perspective of federal agencies. The APA Science Policy Fellowship, begun in 1994, places psychologists in a variety of settings in science-related agencies. Participants in this program have worked in the Office of Science and Technology Policy (OSTP) at the White House, the Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research at the National Institutes of Health (NIH), and the National Science Foundation (NSF).

Applications

Applicants for the APA Policy Fellowship Programs must be members of APA (or applicants for membership) and must have completed a doctorate in psychology or a related field. Applicants must submit a current CV, and three letters of recommendation to: APA Congressional Fellowship Program, Public Policy Office, American Psychological Association, 750 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20002-4242. The deadline for applications is January 7, 2000. Annual stipends range from $46,600 to $58,900, depending on years of experience and the specific fellowship sought. For additional information, please contact Daniel Dodgen, Ph.D., and mail to: ddodgen@apa.org>(202) 336-6068 in the APA Public Policy Office.

APA PUBLIC POLICY OFFICE OFFERS
GRADUATE STUDENT INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

The APA Public Policy Internship provides graduate students with an opportunity to gain understanding of how psychological research can inform public policy, and the roles psychologists play in its formulation. APA policy interns work 20 hours per week and are paid $13.50 per hour. The selected intern works on public interest policy issues (e.g. children, women, HIV/AIDS, disabilities, and/or violence) in the Public Policy Office of APA’s Central Office in Washington, D.C. This Office helps to formulate and implement APA positions on major federal policy initiatives in the areas of education, science, and public interest.

Applicants must be doctoral graduate students in psychology or a related field in at least the third year of training. Application materials should be sent by March 15, 2000 to: American Psychological Association, Public Policy Office/Internship Program, 750 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20002-4242. Inquiries may be directed to Deborah Cotter at (202) 336-5668 or dcotter@apa.org.

The complete information on the APA Policy Fellowship and Graduate Internship Programs can be found on the World Wide Web at: http://www.apa.org/ppo/fellow.html.

CALL FOR PROPOSALS: SPECIAL ISSUE ON GROUPS & PREVENTION

The Journal for Specialists in Group Work is publishing a special issue in Sept. 2001, “Using Groups for Prevention.” A 3-5 page proposal for case studies must address the topic and be aimed at either children or adolescent/adult populations. All proposals must illuminate specifically how the group medium was successfully used to reach explicit prevention goals.

For details about how to submit a proposal, contact:

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1999 AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Leona Tyler Award

The Leona Tyler Award is the highest award given by the Division of Counseling Psychology and is made possible through the generous contributions of John Holland and John D. Black. The award is given to stimulate and reward research or professional achievement in counseling psychology. The 1999 winner is Dr. Rene Dawis. One nominator indicated that Dr. Dawis possesses “extraordinary methodological acumen...and equally impressive sensitivity to applied and social issues surrounding the assessment of individual differences.” His 1992 publication “The individual differences tradition in counseling psychology” and his 1987 publication “Scale construction” (both published in JCP) are recommended reading for all counseling psychologists.

John Holland Award

The John Holland Award is given in honor of notable research on career and personality topics and is made possible through generous contributions from Psychological Assessment Resources, Inc. The 1999 award recipient is Dr. Frederick T.L. Leong. His letters of nomination highlight the impact of Dr. Leong’s work in vocational psychology, multicultural counseling, and the intersection of these fields. His work in these areas makes him a leader in the field of counseling psychology.

John Holland Award recipient Frederick Leong with President Rosie Bingham

Early Career Scientist-Practitioner Award

The Early Career Scientist-Practitioner Award was established by an anonymous donor to honor the career achievements in science and practice by a counseling psychologist who has received a doctoral degree within the last ten years. The 1999 winner is Dr. Mary Heppner. Dr. Heppner was described as a superb researcher, instructor, student affairs professional, and colleague. Her nomination letters highlight her 45 scholarly publications in vocational psychology, as well as the rebound effect in prevalence of acquaintance rape. Her teaching efforts have been described as “a special brand of magic.” Her letters of nomination point to the valuable role she plays as a mentor for students and a helpful colleague.

1998 Leona Tyler Award recipient Ursula Delworth with Award Committee chair Michael Brown

John D. Black Award

The John D. Black Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Practice of Counseling Psychology is made possible by Consulting Psychologists Press and is given to stimulate and reward outstanding achievement in the practice of counseling psychology. Division 17 did not issue an award this year and encourages Division members to nominate potential awardees for next year’s award.

Past President W. Bruce Walsh recognized by Division 17

February 29 is the submission deadline for the April issue of the Newsletter.
Barbara A. Kirk Award

The Barbara A. Kirk Award is presented in recognition of outstanding student-initiated research that may be either the student’s dissertation or other independent research conducted while a student. This award is made possible through a generous contribution from Consulting Psychologists Press. The 1999 award co-winners are Marjorie Dennin and Tania Israel. The title of Marjorie Dennin’s manuscript is “Effects of a method of self-supervision for counselor trainees.” The title of Tania Israel’s manuscript is “Comparing counselor education models for training counselors to work with lesbian, gay and bisexual clients.” Congratulations to these counseling psychologists for work completed while students.

The Donald A. Super Fellowship

The Donald A. Super Fellowship is awarded to doctoral students whose dissertation proposals have been officially accepted and represent potential contributions to the field of career development. The award is made possible through a generous contribution from Consulting Psychologists Press. This year, the Division of Counseling Psychology is pleased to award two fellowships. One fellowship is awarded to Luis Rivas, of Southern Illinois University. His dissertation is entitled “Career maturity, exploration & identify foreclosure of student athletes and student non-athletes.”

The second fellowship is awarded to Sherry Vidal Brown, of Texas A&M University. Her dissertation title is “The career assessment diagnostic inventory: A psychometric study.” Congratulations and best wishes to these fellowship winners.

1999 Fellows (left to right) Jane Swanson, Ruth Fassinger, Donald Pope-Davis, and John Westerfield

All official Division 17 web pages will now be maintained under the address www.div17.org. This address is currently being maintained at Southern Illinois University by Paul Gore, Ph.D. The acquisition of our own domain name will prevent us from having to update web page addresses if or when the actual web pages are moved from site to site.
The Awards and Recognition Committee requests nominations for the following Division 17 Awards: the Leona Tyler Award, the John Holland Award, the Fritz and Linn Kudner Early Career Scientist/Practitioner Award (new name), the John D. Black Award, the Dorothy Booz Black Award (new award), the Barbara A. Kirk Award, and the Donald E. Super Fellowship. Members of the Division 17 Committee on Awards and Recognition and members of the Executive Board may make nominations, but if they do so, they must withdraw from the voting process related to any nominee for whom they have written a letter of support. Announcement of all award winners is made at the annual APA Convention (all Award recipients are notified confidentially prior to the convention).

The Leona Tyler Award is given to stimulate and reward research or professional achievement in Counseling Psychology. The Award and its associated monetary prize were funded by John Holland and John D. Black. Twenty-five such awards have been presented since its inception in 1980: Donald Super, C. Gilbert Wrenn, Harold Pepinsky, Anne Roe, Frederic Kuder, Edward Bordin, Barbara Kirk, Thomas Magoon, Samuel Osipow, John Krumboltz, John (Jack) Gordon Darley, Roger A. Myers, Lenore Harmon, Stan Strong, C.H. Patterson, Charles Gelso, Jo-Ida Hansen, Henry Borow, Ursula Delworth, and Rene Davis. Division Members are invited to nominate candidates for the 2000 Leona Tyler Award no later than December 3, 1999. Nominations should be sent to Sharon K. Anderson, 2025 Rockport Court, Fort Collins, CO 80528-6310 and should include: (a) a nomination letter which discusses the significance of the nominee’s contributions and achievements, (b) a copy of the nominee’s vita, and (c) supporting documentation. Current members of the Division 17 Executive Board are not eligible during their term of office.

The Fritz and Linn Kudner Early Career Scientist/Practitioner Award, funded by The National Career Assessment Services, Inc., was established to honor early career achievements in science and practice. The recipient must have received the doctorate degree within the past ten years (i.e., 1990 or later). The award, which includes a cash presentation, is made for outstanding contributions to the science and practice on counseling psychology. Thirteen such awards have been made since its inception in 1987: Gail Hackett, Martin Heesacker, Ed Watkins/Steven Robbins, Brian McNeill, David Blustein, Brent Mallinckrodt, Frederick T.L. Leong, Tim Elliott, Joseph Ponsototto, Judy Chartrand, Patricia Frazier, Ruth Fassinger, and Mary Heppner. Division members are invited to nominate candidates for the 2000 Early Career Scientist/Practitioner Award no later than December 3, 1999. Nominations are to be in the form of a letter that makes the nominations and briefly discusses the significance of the nominee’s contributions to Counseling Psychology. The nomination letter may be accompanied by other documentation, including a vita. All materials are to be sent to Elizabeth M. Verdi, Department of Counseling Psychology, Loyola University Chicago, 1041 Ridge Road, Wilmette, IL 60091-1560. Current members of the Division 17 Executive Board are not eligible during their term of office.

The John Holland Award for Outstanding Achievement in Career and Personality Research is given for notable research on career and personality topics. This award is for mid-level professionals who have received their doctorate degrees between 8 and 18 years ago. The award has an associated monetary prize, which was initiated and funded by Psychological Assessment Resources, Inc. Thirteen such awards have been presented since its inception in 1987: Arnold Spokane, Nancy Betz, Lucia Gilbert/Gary Gottfredson, Gail Hackett, Susan D. Phillips, Louise Fitzgerald, Robert W. Lent, Mark Savickas, Steven Brown, Greg Neimeyer, James B. Rounds, David Blustein, and Frederick T. L. Leong. Division members are invited to nominate candidates for the 2000 John Holland Award no later than December 3, 1999. Nominations should be sent to Sharon K. Anderson, 2025 Rockport Court, Fort Collins, CO 80528-6310 and should include: (a) a nomination letter which discusses the significance of the nominee’s contributions and achievements, (b) a copy of the nominee’s vita, and (c) supporting documentation. Current members of the Division 17 Executive Board are not eligible during their term of office.

The John D. Black Award for Outstanding Achievement in the Practice of Counseling Psychology is given to stimulate and reward outstanding achievement in the practice of Counseling Psychology. The monetary prize associated with the award is donated by Consulting Psychologists Press, Inc. Five awards have been made since its inception in 1994: Norma Simon, Christine Ann Courtois, Helen Roehlke, Faith Tanney, and Jean Carter. Nominations are to be in the form of a letter that describes the significance of the nominee’s contributions to the practice of Counseling Psychology. The nomination letter may be accompanied by other documentation that attests to the widespread awareness or recognition of the nominee’s contributions, including a vita. All materials should be sent by December 3, 1999 to Maria T. Riva, 2450 S. Vine, College of Education, University of Denver, Denver, CO 80208. Current members of the Division 17 Executive Board are not eligible during their term of office.

The Dorothy Booz Black Award for Outstanding Achievement in Counseling Health Psychology is given to encourage and award outstanding research and practice in counseling health psychology. The award has an associated monetary prize, which is funded by Consulting Psychologists Press, Inc. Nominees must have made a primary
contribution in research and practice of counseling health psychology focused on health-related processes and outcomes. Such research shall be broadly construed to include a variety of scholarly activities, especially the conduct of empirical research on any health-related topic or issue, including controlled intervention studies. Contributions to professional training, practice, and organizations shall also be considered. Examples of research include: a) a line of research studies, often in collaboration with others, that has identified a new or understudied problem related to health; b) development of new or revised conceptual models that help clarify health-related problems in terms of assessment and interventions; c) integrating scholarly contributions from more that one field of inquiry and/or practice in ways that have encouraged research concerned with health. The award shall be granted preferably (but not exclusively) to persons with a primary identification with counseling psychology and who are members of Division 17. Age, specialty area of doctoral training, and years since the doctorate will not be considered. Division members are invited to nominate candidates for the 2000 Dorothy Booze Black Award no later than December 3, 1999. Nominations should be sent to Kathleen Chwalisz, Department of Psychology, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL 62901-6502, and should include: (a) a nomination letter which discusses the significance of the nominee’s contributions and achievements, (b) no more than three supporting letters from other psychologists, (c) the nominee’s vita, and (d) supporting documentation from other sources (e.g., newspaper articles) that indicate widespread awareness or recognition of the nominee’s contributions. Current members of the Division 17 Executive Board are not eligible during their term of office.

The Barbara A. Kirk Award is presented in recognition of outstanding student-initiated research (dissertation or other). The award, which includes a cash presentation funded by the Consulting Psychologists Press, was established to honor the late Barbara A. Kirk. Twelve such awards have been given since its inception in 1987: Carolyn Enns, Donna Moinian, Beth Haverkamp/Robert Powell, Karen Multon, Paul M. Spengler, Kathleen Chwalisz, James Rogers, William Metcalfe, Beth Richie, Jeffrey Kahn, Sharon Giza, and Marjorie Dennin/Tania Israel. To be eligible, the research must have been produced by a graduate student conducting independent research while enrolled in a counseling psychology program. The piece of research can be submitted up to one year after graduation. The nominee must be the principal author of the research. Nominations for the award are to be in the form of a letter that makes the nomination and briefly discusses the significance of the nominee’s contributions to Counseling Psychology. The nomination letter should be accompanied by four copies of either a full-length APA-style article (as one would submit for publication) or an 1800 word summary (identical to APA convention proposals). All materials should be sent by January 10, 2000 to Laurie B. Mintz, Department of Educational and Counseling Psychology, University of Missouri-Columbia, 16 Hill Hall, Columbia, MO 65211-0001.

The Donald E. Super Fellowship is awarded to support dissertation research on a topic related to career development and is funded by Consulting Psychologists Press. Only doctoral students enrolled in a counseling psychology program are eligible. Because the Fellowship is intended to support recipients during their tenure as students, the anticipated completion date for the dissertation should not fall before the award date (The award is presented at the annual convention of APA). Three awards have been presented since its inception in 1996: Maria Gomez, Naomi Dogan/Kathryn Foley, and Luis Rivas/Sherry Vidal Brown. Nominations for the award are to be in the form of a letter that makes the nomination indicating the names, addresses, program and institutional affiliations, and APA and Divisional membership of the endorser and nominee. The nomination letter should be accompanied by five copies of the dissertation proposal (or proposal abstract neither to exceed 30 pages of text), and signed approval of the proposal by the dissertation committee members. The Fellowship will be awarded based on the quality of the dissertation proposal and its potential for advancing knowledge in the area of career development. All materials should be sent by January 10, 2000 to Robert W. Lent, Department of Counseling & Personality, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742-0011.

If you have any questions or suggestions about the policies or procedures associated with any of the Division 17 awards, contact Cynthia R. Kalodner, Dept. of Counseling, Rehabilitation Counseling and Counseling Psychology, West Virginia University, PO Box 6122, Morgantown, WV 26506-6122, (304) 293-3807, FAX (304) 293-4082, or Ckalodne@wvu.edu.

ADDITIONAL AWARD NOMINATION

Distinguished Senior Contributor Awards

A Special Task Group chaired by Mark Pope is seeking nominations for the fourth centennial Distinguished Senior Contributor Awards to be made at the next APA Convention in Washington, DC. Since 1985 and every five years, members of Division 17 are eligible to receive these awards. Requirements for nomination include: 1) must be 65 years of age or older, 2) must have at least 10 years of recent membership in Division 17, and 3) must have made significant contributions to the Division and field of Counseling Psychology.

The awards will be given during the Annual Convention of the American Psychological Association in Washington, DC, from August 4-8, 2000. Names of the awardees will be published in the Division 17 Newsletter and they will receive certificates honoring their contributions and accomplishments.

These awards were initiated in 1985 (Los Angeles), and also given in 1990 (Boston) and 1995 (New York). Please send your nominations to Mark Pope, Ed-D, Division of Counselor Education, Counseling Psychology, & Family Therapy, School of Education, University of Missouri-St. Louis, 8001 Natural Bridge Road, St. Louis, Missouri 63121-4499, USA or at pope@umsl.edu.
**Division of Counseling Psychology**

**ACRONYMS**

- AAAPP: American Association of Applied and Preventative Psychology
- AAMFT: American Association of Marriage and Family Therapists
- ABPP: American Board of Professional Psychology
- ACA: American Counseling Association
- ACCTA: Association for Counseling Center Training Agents
- ADA: American with Disabilities Act
- APPIC: Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Centers
- APS: American Psychological Society
- ASPBP: Association of State & Provincial Psychology Boards*
- AUCCCD: Association of University and College Counseling Center Directors
- AWP: Association of Women Psychologists
- BEA: Board of Educational Affairs
- BPA: Board of Professional Affairs
- CAPP: Committee for the Advancement of Professional Practice
- CCPTP: Council of Counseling Psychology Programs
- CEU: Continuing Education Unit
- CoA: Committee on Accreditation
- COGDOP: Council of Graduate Departments of Psychology
- CRSPPP: Commission for the Recognition of Specialties and Proficiencies in Professional Psychology
- CUDCP: Council of University Directors of Clinical Psychology
- IOC: Inter Organizational Council
- JCD: *Journal of Counseling and Development*
- JCP: *Journal of Counseling Psychology*
- JCPEP: Joint Council on Professional Education in Psychology
- MECDD: Measurement and Evaluation in Counseling and Development
- PIPS: Project to Integrate Practice and Science
- SIF: Section-in-Formation
- SIG: Special Interest Group
- STG: Special Task Group
- TCP: *The Counseling Psychologist*

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**Division 17 Listserv Subscription**

Division 17 has established a Listserv to facilitate timely dissemination of information to its membership. The Listserv is being hosted by the American Psychological Association and administered by Paul Gore at Southern Illinois University. All subscription functions are being handled through the administrator. To subscribe send an email to pgore@siu.edu. In the body of your email, type: “ADD div17 your email address your name” without the quotes. More information about the Listserv will be posted on the Division 17 Website at www.div17.org. Division 17 members are encouraged to visit the Website often for updated information.

Paul A. Gore, Ph.D.
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**The Department of Psychology at the University of Minnesota** announces an upcoming search for a tenure-track or tenured position in Counseling Psychology. A description of this position and the application process will be posted on the Department website at [http://www.psych.umn.edu](http://www.psych.umn.edu) in October, 1999.
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