ICP, INC. PRESIDENT 's MESSAGE

Machiko Fukuhara, PhD.
President, Japanese Association of Microcounseling, Tokyo, Japan

I hope that blossoming spring or bountiful fall days are touching people around the world, giving us feelings of refreshment, especially to those with difficult living situations.

Time passes so quickly. Over one half of my term is finished. During this time my emphasis was on increasing communications, an objective I declared at the beginning of my presidency. Efforts included face-to-face communication via skype. Group telephone conference calls for among board members across continents and oceans when face to-face or skype was not available.

INTERIM BOARD

We conducted four telephone conference Meetings: Two with Executive Committee members and parliamentarians; two with all Board members both made “open” for attendance by Chairs of standing committees and ad hoc committees.

The plan is to continue telephone board meetings every 6 weeks. Telephone communication style was endorsed by the Toronto board during ICP, Inc.’s 2015 Conference in for extending use of developing technology. We are learning this process, what and how interim communications can facilitate leaders’ decision-making and collaborative planning. With assistance from Board Secretary Aire, Temp. Sec.Gen. Nancy Quatrano: Parliamentarian – Consultant O’Roark; and from participating board members, I continue to explore ways to capitalize on available technologies.

ELECTED AND APPOINTED

I have come to realize how important and challenging it is for elected officers, directors and appointed coordinators to understand ICP responsibilities they agreed to assume. Leaders who contribute most effectively to our organization accept and identify with what is described in ICP, Inc. documents detailing what is expected from that position. Each gives time to studying constitutional documents to be ready to carry out expectations of our association and to maintain membership in good standing.

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Through interim communications today’s leaders are developing meaningful ways to celebrate ICP’s jubilee year in New York in ways similar to celebrations for the 50th anniversary. The 75th annual Conference will take place where our association was founded on December 15, 1941 as the National Council of Women Psychologists.

The conference planners and I sincerely hope members from around the glove will get together to celebrate. As each ICP, Inc. member prepares for this special Conference, we strive to be in tune major shifts in social, economic and technological changes. One way being discussed by board members and conference planners to accomplish this is to invite younger generation colleagues who are interested in our mission and activities to become members and to attempt conference access and participation by distance technologies similar to webinars.

Next, please allow me to share with you information about my work here in Japan. I just finished presiding over the Japanese Association of Microcounseling (JAMC), the annual Conference in Tokyo. The keynote speaker’s topic was ‘How to apply Microcounseling in Morita therapy’. Morita therapy originated in Japan more than 100 years ago. It is a type of psychotherapy for neurosis, as well as other clinically diagnosed conditions. However, it has not been applied or appreciated among the Japanese psychologists as was expected. Recently though, it is being revitalized in Japan by integrating variations and transformations from abroad. Since Morita therapy considers it essential for the therapist to listen carefully at the beginning of the session. Listening is the essence of microcounseling which I developed for use in Japan from my studies abroad, thus Morita therapists regard microcounseling techniques as appropriate to facilitate the relationship between therapist and client in the beginning stage of Morita Therapy. “Stop, Look and Listen”

While listening to the lecture, I thought of the similarities and differences of human beings in the world, and the importance of good quality communication as the foundation of relationships among us. My wish is that ICP, Inc. board and members will take time to “Stop, Look and Listen” during the jubilee year.

As we honor the association founders, and value our caring core, let us boldly explore ways to stride with pride into the future. With appreciation for many benefits and friendships, I send each member warm regards, Machiko Fukuhara

**PRESIDENT ELECT**

Jean Lau Chin, EdD, ABPP
Adelphi University, NY

The 2017 ICP Conference in New York City, the big apple, will be memorable with a conference theme of Psychology’s Contribution to People, the Planet, and the World. New York is home to the United Nations as well as being one of the most cosmopolitan centers in the world. The conference will precede the annual American Psychological Association Convention in Washington, DC, only a few hours away by train. We hope ICP members and friends will join us.

We expect the conference to be rejuvenating as we launch a proactive Membership Campaign coordinated by Sandra Neil. ICP is unique as an international organization of psychologists with local roots through our Area Chairs. Find one with whom you can connect. We are developing a different kind of conference, one that convenes and promotes creative and innovative ways of international collaboration. Two symposia are planned, one on Human Rights organized Sandra Neil and the other organized by Jean Lau Chin on Global and Diverse Leadership. See the conference flyer in this edition to register or submit a paper.

2017 is also a time of change as psychologists look to consider how they can meaningfully contribute to world peace and human rights using our science and practice to promote global wellness and empower underrepresented ethnic and culturally diverse groups—aligning with ICP’s mission. I hope, during my presidency in 2018, I can help to cultivate groups to work collaboratively toward these ends, and look to the membership for ideas and activities that can advance this agenda through mutual collaboration and exchange. We have an opportunity to make a difference at our 2017 convention to carryover to our 2018 Convention planned just before the 2018 ICAP Conference in Canada’s Montreal. The ICP2018 Congress theme is: Psychology: Connecting Science to Solutions.

Janel Gauthier, president of IAAP hosting the ICAP conference will be our keynote speaker at the 2017 ICP conference. We can use the opportunity to promote fruitful collaboration toward this end.

I welcome your contacting me with your ideas for how ICP can support your efforts and how we can work together to advance a common agenda for psychology. Contact me: ceoservices@yahoo.com
TREASURER

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Treasurer report: March 13, 2017

I would like to report that our financial picture remains very stable. Our operations account balance is currently $12,287.72 as of Feb. 28, 2017. Our convention account has a very healthy balance of $13,627.42, which should handsomely support our upcoming convention in New York City; looking forward to seeing everyone there! And our Savings and Fukuhara Award account is significant at $65,466.20. As mentioned in my last report, I would like to re-establish a financial committee to assist in making financial decisions for Council; namely to determine policies for management and investments of our surplus funds. If you or know of someone that you think would be a strong member for this committee, please let me know.

Additionally, I want to encourage all members to renew your membership, if you haven’t already done so. Call for Dues has been posted and I look forward to Council continuing to develop and strengthen as an organization to advance psychology and application of its scientific findings throughout the world.

Respectfully submitted

INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF PSYCHOLOGISTS

INTERIM SECRETARY-GENERAL REPORT

Nancy L. Quatrano
Hastings, Florida

This has been a busy quarter with getting the ICP, Inc taxes filed, the membership dues collected and recorded, and the board supported President Machiko Fukuhara on the international conference calls. The search for a temporary Secretary-General has progressed to identifying candidates who will now be submitted to the board for their consideration. I’ve handled correspondence and payments on behalf of the UN Interest group, under the guidance of Dr. Florence Denmark, and assisted the conference teams where needed.

I continue to handle the day to day banking needs and recording. On Feb 28, I sent out invoices to approximately 25% of the unpaid membership, with a total of 5 members paying their dues in response to the invoices. If you haven’t yet paid your 2017 dues, please get that completed today – it’s important to the financial health of the council.

I continue to liaise with the website manager to get and keep our site up to date and current so it is a resource for our members, and the Treasurer and I are working on the 2017-18 budget. All of the ICP, Inc. board books and scientific program books have been sent to Akron for safekeeping in the archives there.

I send you all my hopes for good health and safe travel.

DIRECTOR AT LARGE 2015-18

Anna Laura Comunian, PhD.
Professor Emeritus Padua University, Italy
Geneva UN representative

Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 14 Geneva 20 March 2017 Palais des Nations

Under Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 14, by 2020, the impacts of climate change explicitly focus on the trade-related aspects of fisheries: a) effectively regulate harvesting and end overfishing, illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing and destructive fishing practices and implement science-based management plans; b) prohibit certain forms of fisheries subsidies which contribute to
overcapacity and overfishing, eliminate subsidies that contribute to illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing; c) refrain from introducing new such subsidies, recognizing that appropriate and effective special and differential treatment for developing and least developed countries should be an integral part of the World Trade Organization fisheries subsidies negotiation.

In 2017, there will be two landmark conferences that could have significant bearing in helping the international community advance these targets, namely:

**New York, June 2017.** High Level United Nations Conference to Support the Implementation of Sustainable Development Goal 14: Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development, co-hosted by the Governments of Fiji and Sweden;

**Buenos Aires, December 2017.** 11th WTO Ministerial Conference

**DIRECTOR AT LARGE 2016-19**

Merry Bullock, PhD

ICP, Inc. 75th

ANNUAL CONFERENCE: WEBSITE DEVELOPMENT

Here is the ICP 2017 Conference Website

http://icp2017.cloudaccess.host

An electronic registration form for the 75th ICP, INC. Annual Conference will be completed and posted to this site. Additions to site will be made as approved by the Conference Committee and Executive Board.

Please send any comments and additions to Merry Bullock merrybullock@mac.com

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**DIRECTOR AT LARGE 2015-2018**

Sandra E. Neil, PhD

Director, Satir Centre of Australia

Melbourne, Australia

**Australian Psychological Association Updates**

**Psychological assistance with natural disasters overseas**

The APS has played a significant role in the response to recent natural disasters, and has developed a range of information and resources to assist psychologists, other health professionals and individuals in disaster-affected communities in the preparation and recovery processes.

Media Release: Psychologists welcome the ATSISPEP report and renewed efforts to reduce suicide among Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians


Media release: Psychology tackles major challenges of our times - wellbeing, climate change, social cohesion -


**International Womens Forum (IWF) Updates**

Dr. Neil became a recent member of the International Women’s Forum, which encourages the growth of prominent women across varying professions, cultures and continents. Dr. Neil attended the Annual General Meeting on the 16th of November and is forward to connecting with influential and dynamic women from other disciplines.

**Human Rights World Summit 2017**

Our dear colleague, the late Professor Sarlito Sarwono attended the Conversation Hour session on "Families in Australia and Indonesia" which we held for the ICP Conference in Yokohama, Japan 2016. Professor Machiko Fukuhara graciously allowed us
three hours’ time for the session in her busy programming schedule. Sarlito was prominent in this discussion, talking about the Indonesian Family and the vital importance of respect for the Father in Indonesian Culture. We spoke of Dr Seisoh Sekumune and he showed me photographs of Seisoh at the Conference with himself.

Dr. Chris Mulchay (USA) and Dr. Monty Satiadarma (Indonesia) were also on the panel.

As the World Area Chair Co-ordinator and the Chair of the International Relations and Human Rights’ group, I intend to hold a three hour Conversation Session for the Human Rights World Summit to be held in New York on July 28th-2nd August, 2017.

The panel presented on a list of topics that I had presented to them about New Forms of The Family, there were a total of seven topics and three breaks. This meant a very exciting session where the presenters enabled an open dialogue with the audience and the audience also participated from their areas of the world.

This is a new process that proves that the audiences at the Summits are very knowledgeable from their own areas of the world and we had the privilege of hearing their expertise, as well as the knowledge of the four presenters.

I look forward to introducing this same format in New York as we prepare for ICP 2017.

Respectfully Submitted, Dr. Sandra E. Neil, Director at Large and World Area Chair (2015-2018)

CONTRIBUTIONS OF AREA CHAIRS

We at ICP, Inc. set expectations for the work of area chairs: (adapted from by-laws and administrative procedures)

- Recommending to the Convention Scientific Program Chair specific participants, topics, and/or new research material from their region.
- Being a Personal Contacts Facilitator for visiting ICP members from other countries and assisting members from their country to make contacts with members in the countries they will be visiting.
- Suggesting and proposing regional meetings as possible that are near to convention sites
- Submitting pictures and articles about psychologists from their region for use in the IP or on the web.
- Publicising ICP activities and conventions in professional and academic newsletters, websites, or other media.
- Contacting members in their area twice a year for updates in contact information, conveying conference information, soliciting new members, and gathering questions or suggestions to send on to the World Area Chair Coordinator.

ICP, INC. AREA CHAIR COORDINATOR IS DR. SANDRA NEIL OF AUSTRALIA.

An abbreviated summary of her current affiliations includes:

Clinical Psychologist and Family Psychologist; PhD (Psychology), MA (Clinical Psychology), BEd (Counselling), BA, FAPS.; Fellow, The Australian Psychological Society (APS College of Clinical Psychologists); Liaison Correspondent to The Australian Psychological Society for the International Council of Psychologists; The International Council of Psychologists (ICP): Past President and Board of Directors, World Area Chair Coordinator, Chair, International Relations and Human Rights Interest Group; Australian National Representative of The International Academy of Family Psychology.; Member, International Association of Applied Psychology; Member, International Family Therapy Association; Member, Virginia Satir Global Network; International Affiliate, The American Psychological Association [Family Psychology Division 43 & International Psychology Division 52].
Dr. Neil has offered her leadership across several three year appointments. She follows in the footsteps of Dr. Elisa Margaona who established the Coordinator role in the later 1900s in order to facilitate the work of the Chairs and to collate the reports and requests from global area chairs. The Chairs annual reports are published in the annual Board Agenda Book, including their suggestions for board discussions, comments or requests regarding the association and reporting of new and retained members.

**Dr. Neil Extends an Invitation to Area Chairs and Those Interested in Becoming Chairs:** Join us in a meeting at ICP’s New York Conference in July when Area Chairs are invited to talk about activities in your Area and goings on in your Psychology Associations. Time date will be confirmed within the 75th Jubilee program.

**MAPPING A REVITIZATION CAMPAIGN FOR ICP, INC. Membership**

New suggestions for renewing membership are proposed by Coordinator Dr Sandra Neil for assisting Membership Chair Dr. Andrew Simon. Presentation attached in the appendix.

**Appendix**

**ICP 2017 MEMBERSHIP REGENERATION CAMPAIGN**

**Dr. Andrew Simon, Membership Chair**

**Dr. Sandra Neil, World Area Chair**

**Dr. Merry Bullock, Long Range Conference Planning**

**Dr. Maria Lovey, Long Range Conference Planning**

**Joshua White, Graduate Student Representative**

**Mischelle Flomata, Graduate Student Representative**

**Dr. Jean Lau Chin, President Elect**

**Dr. Machiko Fukuhara, President**

**Dr. Nancy Sidum, Treasurer**

**Tasks to be Completed**

- Membership Chair to produce/print Membership Card (donated by Membership Chair)

- Area Chairs and Board Members to send membership information and application forms to every University who advertises psychology and allied professionals training in their region from their Area in the world.
As a result of the 2016 ICP Annual Conference in Yokohama, 2016, the following people are confirmed and welcomed as Area Chairs for their region:

- Nancy Sidun (Hawaii, USA)
- Dr. Jun-Chih Gisela Lin (Texas)
- Mischelle Flormata (Manila, Philippines)
- Dr. Hung Chiao (Taiwan, China)
- Dr. Amos Alao (Nigeria, Africa)
- Dr. Jason Wynter (Caribbean, Jamaica)
Hawaii, USA

Nancy M. Sidun, PsyD, ABPP, ATR

Qualification: Licensed Clinical Psychologist, have lived and worked in Hawaii for the last 16 years and am very connected to the psychological community in Hawaii as I have held multiple leadership roles with the state psychological association, Hawaii Psychological Association. I am the immediate past president of the Hawaii Psychological Association.

Profile: Nancy M. Sidun, Psy.D., ABPP, ATR is both a Clinical Psychologist and Art Therapist who works and lives in Honolulu, Hawaii. Dr. Sidun has had a rich professional career split between academics and providing direct clinical service. She has been actively involved within the American Psychological Association (APA) where she currently serves as a member on APA’s Committee on International Relations in Psychology. She is the Past Chair of APA’s Committee on Women, Past Chair of APA Division 52’s International Committee for Women, Past Hawaii Psychological Association’s (HPA) Council Representative to APA Council and has served on multiple other committees and task forces within APA. Dr. Sidun has been a leader in her local psychological association, the Hawaii Psychological Association (HPA). She is the immediate past president, was treasurer for two terms, and has been on countless committees within HPA. Dr. Sidun has a long involvement and interest in women’s issues, particularly international women’s issues. Her most recent center of attention is on human trafficking. She has presented locally, nationally, and internationally as well as published extensively on this issue. She was the Chair of the APA’s Division 52, International Psychology, Task Force on Human and Trafficking and most recently Co-Chaired APA’s system-wide Task Force on Trafficking of Women and Girls. She has been awarded APA Fellow status by both the Society for the Psychology of Women and International Psychology.

Dr. Jun-Chih Gisela Lin, Ph.D., ABPP (Texas)

Qualification: Ph.D. in Counselling Psychology

Profile: Dr. Lin has extensive professional organisation leadership experience, has served on advisory boards and committees for grant-funded research projects, and journal editorial boards. Dr. Lin co-led a counselling delegation group to China and Mongolia. Her areas of interest include multicultural counselling, mentoring, executive coaching, organisational consulting and women’s health. Lin is multi-lingual in Chinese, Mandarin, Taiwanese and English, and she can conduct counselling and consultation in any of these languages.

Note: Dr. Lin’s Area Chair Report appeared in IP56.4.

Manila, Philippines

Msichele Flormata, MA (Clin Psyc), OT, OTRP

Qualifications: Msichele Flormata has received her Masters in Art for Clinical Psychology and a Bachelor in Science for Occupational Therapy at the University of Santo Tomas.

Profile: Msichele is currently working as a full-time Staff Therapist – Consultant at H.O.M.E Therapy Centre in Caloocan City, Philippines. Msichele is also currently serving as Co-Chair, Director at Large for the Graduate Student Representatives, International Council of Psychologists. Term: July 2016/2017.

Report from Msichele Flormata via email 26/09/2016

Dear Dr. Sandra,

Warm Greetings!

Just a couple of weeks ago (September 14 -16, 2016), our local association which is the Psychological Association of the Philippines (PAP) held its 53rd Annual Convention at the Fontana Convention Center, Clark, Pampanga. For this year, the theme of the convention was “Strengthening the Bond of Research and Practice in Philippine Psychology”. primer states that the convention seeks to be a venue for exchange of best practices and cutting edge research in the field of psychology. The 3-day event was
Dr. Hung Chiao, Ph.D., M.Ed., Be.D.

Qualification:

Ph.D. Counseling Psychology from University of Missouri-Columbia
M.Ed. Counselors' Education from University of Texas-Austin
B Ed. Educational Psychology and Counseling from National Taiwan Normal University
Licensed Counseling Psychologist in Taiwan
Licensed Middle School Guidance Teacher in Taiwan
Currently working in the Psychology Department at Asia University (Taiwan) as an assistant professor

Profile:

As a licensed counseling psychologist and a psyc faculty in Taiwan, I mostly identify myself as an educator and a trainer for future counseling psychologists. I've been actively involved in connecting people locally and internationally. In the past few years, I worked with Taiwan Psychology Network and Taiwan Counseling Psychology Association to connect people with similar interests in promoting growth of our professional field. I hope I can contribute similarly in ICP to whom wants to make connections and/or find resources in Taiwan or Taiwanese psychologists around the world. My teaching and research interests are primarily in multicultural and cross-cultural counseling, LGBTQ issues, career counseling, and supervision. Welcome to contact me if you are looking for future collaborations, resources and connections in the area, or simply having a quick question for me. I look forward to hearing from you.

Report from Dr. Hung Chiao received via email on 16/09/2016:
Report from Area Chair Representative for Taiwan 2016.9.16
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Current Project/Hot topics

- Considering adding Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE) into current paper-pencil exam of counseling psychologist licensure exam, Taiwan Counseling Psychology Association
  - National psychologists’ licensure system in Taiwan was established in 2000. There have been more than 4000 counseling and clinical psychologists passed the paper-pencil exam. Right now, the government is interested in advancing the national examination, in order to raise the qualification standards of psychologists. Therefore, Taiwan Counseling Psychology Association (TCPA) is taking the lead and organizing a task group to work on formulating feasible ways to exam future psychologists’ clinical skills. They are considering borrowing experiences from the medical model, OSCE, or any other standardized clinical exam to add on to current paper-pencil test. TCPA task group will organize several focus groups and public meetings to collect opinions from training programs, supervisors, and practitioners.

- Developing school counseling data transfer system, Ministry of Education, Taiwan.
  - The Ministry of Education (Taiwan) just passed the Student Guidance and Counseling Act in 2014. Under article 4, the law indicates that the competent authority should “assist schools to refer serious cases to receive professional help and with the transfer of related information.” Therefore, the Ministry of Education (Taiwan) is currently constructing a cloud system which allows schools at all level to report and store counseling data (case notes and reports) of students who need continuous care from school counselors in next educational stage. Once the system is built, school counselors can review students’ counseling data from previous educational level online, which saves them time to collect similar data again and help them to understand students’ history in shorter period of time. Of course, this information is confidential and access to it requires consent from students’ legal guardians. The Ministry of Education (Taiwan) is expecting to run this system nationwide starting from 2017 summer.
Upcoming activities/Conferences

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**Nigeria**

Dr. Amos Alao, Ph.D., FNPA
Former ICP, INC. BOARD SECRETARY AND DIRECTOR

Report received via email on 6/09/2016


Whereas the history of psychology in the world dates back to about 100 years ago when it became scientific, its development in Nigeria is about 5 decades ago. The antecedents to the development of psychology in Nigeria as a discipline could also be traced to the earlier focus mainly on educational psychology, guidance and counseling with courses or services provided in these areas in institutions of higher learning in the country.

**Academic Development.**

The beginning of psychology as an academic programme is usually traced to the establishment of a department of psychology at the University of Nigeria Nsukka in 1964 by Professor Carl Frost (Olomolaiye, 1985). Consequently, the first home trained Nigerian psychologists graduating in 1967, (Eyo, 2004). University of Lagos was the second university to establish a department of psychology in 1969 although a unit of psychology has been in existence since 1996 in the same institution. The full fledge department of psychology became a reality at the University of Lagos with the arrival of Professor Alastir Charles Mundy-Castle. The third Department of Psychology was established in 1976 at the university of Jos, pioneered by Professor S.M.H. Zaidi, a Pakistani. The establishment of more universities like the Department of Psychology at the University of Ibadan in 1997 pioneered by Prof. Dennis C. E. Ugwegbu and the Department of Psychology at University of Ife, (now Obafemi Awolowo University) pioneered by Prof. A. A. Olowu.

**Present Situation**

Many departments of psychology are now in existence in Nigeria with courses offered in different areas of specialty at the masters and doctoral level including the Department

If you have any questions or feedback for the information provided, please contact the Area Chair Representative for Taiwan, Hung Chiao, Ph.D. hungchiao@gmail.com
of Psychology at Covenant University where the writer is presently based after a sojourn of over 12 years at the University of Ibadan, Nigeria and over 19 years at the University of Botswana in Botswana. The writer has resumed active participation in the Nigerian Psychological Association on arrival back in Nigeria. Some of the activities included the hosting of the South West Zonal Conference of the Nigerian Psychological Association by the Department of Psychology, Covenant University, Ota, Ogun State, Nigeria from February 11-14, 2014. The theme of the conference was Psychology, Rural Development and wellbeing. The writer also delivered in 2014, a public lecture at Covenant University titled: Fostering Psychological Adjustment: Pathways to National wellness.

Professional Association
Prior to the establishment of the Nigerian Psychological Association in 1984, the Counseling Association of Nigeria served as the meeting point for psychologists and those who were providing psychological services in Nigeria. Scholars like Professor Durojaiye, Mundy-Castlle, Bakare, Okpara, Ogunuashe and others were actively involved in conferences organized by the Counseling Association founded by the late Prof. Olu Makinde of University of Ife (now Obafemi Awolowo University). The 50th Anniversary of the existence of psychology in Nigeria as an academic discipline and 30 years of the existence of the Nigerian Psychological Association were celebrated at a Conference of the Association at the University of Nigeria Nsukka in November 2014 to honor the first university where the Department of Psychology started in Nigeria.

During this conference, the writer was elected a Fellow of the Nigerian Psychological Association, on the 26th of November, 2014, in recognition of his distinguished scholarship, service to the Association and the projection of psychology in the public interest locally and internationally. The benefits as a Fellow of the Nigerian Psychological Association include: i) full authorization to include FNPAs among the qualification after his name in all official communications. ii) Qualification to be appointed into the Board of Examiners for the Accreditation of individuals and organizations to provide psychological services in Nigeria and iii) being electable into the leadership of the professional Divisions of the Association. It is noteworthy that the Nigerian Psychological Association has made notable strides under the present leadership of the president of the Association Prof. Andrew E. Zamani, PhD, FNPA. His contributions revived the Association to its present enviable position.

Upcoming Events
It is on record that the Nigerian Psychological Association hosts Annual Conferences in addition to zonal Conferences. The 2016 National Congress of the Nigerian Psychological Association has been scheduled for 11th to 14th October, 2016 at the Nnamdi Azikwe University, Awka, Nigeria. The theme of the conference is: “Promoting Peaceful and Inclusive Societies for Sustainable Development Through Psychology”.

Anticipated Future.
Psychology as a discipline and profession has attained a notable position in Nigeria but there are still some challenges that would need to be addressed. At present, whereas the Nigerian University Commission (NUC) monitors departments of psychology in terms of accreditation, and the minimum and required courses to be offered in a university a degree in psychology is awarded, there is still no law backing the Nigerian Psychological Association (NPA) as the regulatory body of psychology in the country, hence the Association lacks the authority to address various issues and challenges facing the practice of the profession in the country. There is the need to also empower the Nigerian Psychological Association in regulating the teaching and practice of psychology in the country.

The Nigerian Psychological Association needs to be strengthened as the parent body to avoid the loyalty now displayed to divisions in psychology to the detriment of the parent body, the Nigerian Psychological Association. It has been observed that conferences of some division draws more participation compared to the Nigerian Psychological Association conferences.

Anticipated Role of The International Council Of Psychologists (ICP, Inc.)
In the Development of Psychology in Nigeria
With my recent appointment as the Area Chair for ICP in Nigeria, I have started publicizing ICP in the country, encouraging both full membership and student membership of ICP. It is anticipated that further publicity would be made during the 2016 National congress of the Nigerian Psychological Association. It is anticipated that participation of psychologists in Nigeria in ICP activities would broaden the skill of psychologists from Nigeria through interactions with psychologists from other parts of the world which ICP offers. With this collaboration it is also anticipated that the Nigerian Psychological Association would learn from other older Associations in its journey to becoming a great Association.

Amos A. Alao, PhD, FNPA

References


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Profile Info

Jason Wynter hails from Kingston, Jamaica. Currently lives and works in Manchester, Jamaica at Northern Caribbean University (NCU) as Assistant Professor in the department of Behavioural and Social Sciences. He holds a doctoral degree in Counselling Psychology with emphasis in Marriage and Family from Northern Caribbean University (NCU). Has post graduate training in Substance Use from the Center of Addiction and Mental Health in Toronto Canada.

Dr. Wynter has worked at the International University of the Caribbean (IUC), Jamaica, and is an adjunct faculty at the Jamaica Theological Seminar (JTS). As a trained Counselling Psychologist, Dr. Wynter conducts numerous presentations, psychological assessments, and trainings and has published on mental health related topics. Dr. Wynter is married to Stephanie Christopher, and together they now have a son, Kyle Christopher.

Dr. Wynter’s report on the fall 2016 Caribbean conference appeared in IP56.4.IU.

Our goal of increasing ICP’s presence on-line remains a priority. Success in doing so will raise awareness of our organization and all we have to offer. Along these lines, we hope to initiate web-based discussion groups in which mentoring or collaborative projects can be conducted. Also, we intend on utilizing the many experts within ICP to lead webinars. This will provide opportunities for our members to access specialized presentations on, for instance, practices in the field or new research procedures. Please let me know if you’re interested in being a part of these on-line efforts.

Also, we’re successfully moving toward attaining our goal of increasing ICP’s membership base to 150 by the end of 2017. We’ve added 40 members over the past few months, increasing our current membership to 102. It seems we’re doing a good job of spreading the word. I encourage those of you who’ve not yet renewed for 2017 to take a moment and do so. This can be easily done by completing a membership application from our webpage or by pasting this link into your browser:
https://icpmembers.wufoo.com/forms/icp-membership-application/

I look forward to seeing many of you at the ICP conference in New York this summer. For those who cannot attend, I hope to connect with you on-line sometime soon!

Dr. Sandra E. Neil Receives Significant Contribution Award

Recently, Dr. Neil was honoured by the Australian Psychological Society for her International and Nationwide works and influence in Clinical Psychology with families, organisations, and her involvement in Human Rights Summits at both, the UN and in many World countries for ICP. Dr. Neil was awarded the APS College of Clinical Psychologists (Vic) Significant Contribution Award at the Annual APS AGM (Victorian Section) meeting this November 17th, 2016.

The award recognised Dr. Neil’s work over the years at the United Nations, in Geneva, Vienna and New York and running Human Rights World Summits in various countries. The award encourages excellence in the field of Clinical Psychology and the significant contributions Dr. Neil has taken part in, in areas of assessment, treatment, education, Forensic Psychology, Media Psychology Training, research, training/supervision at the University of Melbourne and Monash University, mentoring, and as an author is writing ‘The Multicultural Family Chessboard’ & ‘Family over Four Generations and Three Continents’. She is currently writing a book titled ‘Surviving in
Membership in the International Council of Psychologists (ICP) is not only for individuals. Organizations that share ICP’s mission and are involved in academic, clinical training, and research in the discipline of psychology and other helping professions can also become members. Organizational membership was one of the initiatives I introduced during my presidency to create opportunities for the further growth and sustainability of ICP. The overarching goal is to be responsive to our transforming and globalizing profession in the context of this time and era.

My presidential initiative restructured our ICP membership to include both individual and organizational membership. The idea is to include more organizations that share our basic professional mission, expanding on the list that we developed before as allied organizations.

ICP organizational membership creates possibilities for organizations around the world for collaboration in research and promotion of the scientific advancement of our profession. Increased organizational membership leads to a bigger and better networking opportunity in service of our mission on a global level.

Adding organizations as members does more than increase ICP’s membership directly. It also increases ICP’s profile and presence in the world significantly, making individual membership more broadly accessible.

The Commitment for ICP organizational membership includes the following:

- Organizational Member designates a liaison to represent their organization to ICP, including providing an “Annual Status Report”
- Each organization would have their logo and a link on the others’ website and promote each other’s organizational activities, such as professional conferences
- Each organization member would facilitate access and participation in international cross-cultural research opportunities.

Annual Status Report
At this point, I am asking all of the Liaisons of each organization to provide their status report to be included in the Annual Board Report for the upcoming ICP conference to be held in New York, NY. Liaisons’ reports should include the following:

- The nature and type of activities of the past year – including pictures
- Proposed activities for the upcoming year

Looking forward to the whole world reacting and requesting organizational membership in ICP!

How about having a bold vision!

Tara Pir, PhD
Liaison Coordinator; International Association Liaisons & Organizational Membership
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Current ICP,INC. Organizational Members
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Message from ICP, Inc. MEMBER
EMERITUS Joan Chrisler, PhD.
Recipient of the 2016 Feminist Research & Service Award. Dr. Chrisler presents her Denmark-Gunwald Award Address at the 75th Annual ICP, Inc.Conference in New York City, Pace University, July 2017.

Dr. Chrisler reports sad news of the loss of an outstanding and long time ICP, Inc. colleague.

AVE ETQUE VALE
Çiğdem Kağitçibaşi, PhD.

Dr. Kağitçibaşi presented the Keynote address at the ICP, Inc. Lisbon, Portugal Conference, 1994. Theme: The Family. President Elect and Conference Coordinator Dr. Uwe P. Gielen

Dear Colleagues, Social psychologists in Turkey are in mourning today. One of the leading social psychologists of our country, Prof. Dr. Cigdem Kağitçibaşı (1940 - 2017) has passed away. She did lay the foundations of social psychology in Turkey and cross cultural psychology worldwide. We are really sorry.

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10th Annual Psychology Day at the UN

The 10th Annual Psychology Day at the UN will take place on April 20, 2017 from 3:00 PM-6:00 PM at the United Nations Plaza in New York, NY. The theme this year is "Promoting Wellbeing in the 21st Century: Psychological Contributions for Social, Economic, and Environmental Challenges." The conference program will consider ways in which theory, research, and practice in the psychology of well-being can increase the welfare of individuals globally to facilitate achievement of the SDGs, and to address the challenges of contemporary social, economic, and environmental systems. More information is available on the event website here: http://unpsychologyday.org.

Psychology Day at the United Nations is a celebration of psychology in the context of the United Nations. It provides an opportunity for psychology to share with U.N. Permanent Missions, U.N. agencies, NGOs and the private sector the activities of psychologists at the U.N. and the role of psychology in addressing concerns of global importance. Psychology Day also introduces psychologists and psychology students to psychology's current and potential involvement in U.N. activities and issues.

2017: Promoting Wellbeing in the 21st Century
2016: From Vulnerability to Resilience
2015: Reducing Health Inequalities Within and Among Countries
2014: Psychology's Contributions to Sustainable Development Agenda
2013: Psychology and Violence in a Global Context
2012: Human Rights for Vulnerable People
2011: Reach Them, Teach Them
2010: Negotiating for Peace and Human Rights.

KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Florence Denmark, PhD. Former ICP, Inc. President

2008: Psychology and Social Justice Related to the UN Global Agenda
2007: Psychology and Disaster Response
News, Tools, Reports

CRISIS OVERVIEW 2016 HUMANITARIAN TRENDS AND RISKS FOR 2017

EXCERPT FROM VOL IV, 3

The ten countries identified to be in highest humanitarian need in this report are those that have consistently been at Level 3 (Severe Humanitarian Crisis) in the ACAPS GEO for the 12 weeks preceding the report (mid-July to early October), and that we consider likely to be facing worse situations in the coming year. The GEO measures underlying vulnerability, access constraints, and current needs to determine overall need for humanitarian assistance. It ranks countries according to three levels: situation of concern, humanitarian crisis, and severe humanitarian crisis.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS: We would like to thank the contributions of the external reviewers, whose feedback was invaluable to our analysis. IRAQ Displacement drives needs as government forces recapture IS areas.

YEMEN Access worsens while humanitarian needs persist. SOMALIA Drought worsened through 2016; Dadaab returnees in need of assistance. SOUTH SUDAN Conflict spreading; food security reaches catastrophic levels. DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO Election-related violence as conflict in eastern DRC continues. ZIMBABWE Growing popular unrest amid political and economic turmoil; food insecurity. BURUNDI Insecurity heightens food needs and human rights violations make protection a priority. AFGHANISTAN More than 600,000 Afghans return to intensifying violence. MALI Flare in conflict constrains humanitarian access. VENEZUELA Political and economic crises lead to humanitarian needs.

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC Conflict sparks again in the last six months; access worsens.
NIGERIA Catastrophic food and nutrition crisis revealed with improved access.
LIBYA Access extremely challenging; severe lack of information.
SYRIA Worsening conflict further increases humanitarian needs.
NORTHERN TRIANGLE Gang violence creating devastating humanitarian impact.

February, 2017
Welcome to IAAP E-News February, 2017!

Our goal is to disseminate news about the current activities of the IAAP.

We aim to publish e-news bi-monthly, depending upon availability of breaking news.
E-News is an implementation of one of the recommendations of the Communications Task Force submitted to the IAAP Board of Directors (BoD) in Paris, 2014, to keep members informed about the Ongoing activities of the IAAP.

Task Force on Strategic Planning:
IAAP Policy Advisory Committee

At the Yokohama meeting in July 2016, the BoD approved the Vision Statement and Core Values crafted by the Task Force on Strategic Planning. It further agreed that one means of achieving IAAP’s vision while adhering to its core values is by increasing the IAAP’s focus on informing policy at the United Nations (UN). To execute this policy, the IAAP has established an advisory board to initiate and oversee the quality of white papers written by members that focus on one or more goals of the UN. The Policy Advisory Committee is composed five members. Four of them have already been appointed. Those are:

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Operations Center / Administrative Office
On January 30, the BoD was asked to consider for approval an agreement for management services between IAAP and a firm located in the United States and called Holland-Parlette Associates. The agreement had been reviewed earlier by the Executive Committee that had decided unanimously to recommend it to the BoD for approval. At the close of the voting period on February 27, 98% of the BoD voted for the approval of the agreement. This agreement, effective as of March 1, 2017, allows IAAP to establish a full-time Operations Center to handle IAAP’s administrative matters, as recommended by the IAAP Task Force on Strategic Planning. The approved agreement was the outcome of an open and transparent process that involved request for proposals, review of proposals, selection and interviews of semi-finalists and finalists, negotiations and drafting of an agreement, and BoD web briefings to discuss the proposed agreement prior to voting. More news about the Operations Centre and what it means for IAAP members will be provided soon.

Regional Conference of Psychology (RCP 2017) Vietnam

In February, 2017 the President, Janel Gauthier, and Secretary-General, Buxin Han, travelled to Hanoi, Vietnam to finalize the Letter of Agreement between the IAAP and the University of Social Sciences and Humanities (USSH) (Vietnam National University, Hanoi) and the Institute of Psychology (IoP) (Vietnam Academy of Social Sciences) for hosting the 2017 RCP in Hanoi. The Letter of Agreement was signed by the President of the USSH, Professor Pham Quang Minh, and the President of IAAP, Professor Janel Gauthier, during a signing ceremony held at the USSH on February 16. The President of the USSH is also the President of the RCP. The Secretary-General of the RCP, Professor Le Van Hao, is from the IoP. Below are details of the RCP 2017 provided by the Secretary-General of the IAAP, Professor Buxin Han.

CONFERENCES
The International Council of Psychologists (ICP, Inc.) is committed to furthering world peace, promoting human rights and promoting collaboration among mental health professionals and social scientists, globally. Its 75th Annual ICP Convention will be held in New York City, NY, USA: DATE: July 28 - July 30, 2017. VENUE: Dyson College Center for Global Psychology, Pace University (New York City Campus) CONFERENCE THEME: Psychology’s Contribution to People, the Planet, and the World CALL FOR PROPOSALS: Deadline May 15, 2017 rvelayo@gmail.com
EDITOR'S MESSAGE

Ann Marie O’Roark, PhD., ABAP

INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL JUBILEE

HONORING 75 YEARS OF BOARD & SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS

St. Augustine, Florida USA. March 2017. The wisdom of ICP’s founders, charter members and early leaders focused on professional and scientific integrity. Two hundred fifty-three women began an unintended 75 year journey during the early World War II years.

Strong values for knowledge based “betterment” of the human condition emboldened women psychologists to work together for solution finding to issues and challenges facing the world of their time. Today, there is just as strong a need for inclusive discussions about achieving world peace and collaborative efforts to advance scientific standards, ethics and global human rights.

Organizers of the National Council of Women Psychologists (NCWP) intended for their association to “sunset” at the end of World War I. During the combat years, they presented papers at professional meetings and provided psychological services to military families and those who sought refuge in the United States from the horrors in Europe. Following the end of active hostilities, the group realized there was much yet to be done before humans could live in mutual respect and achieve optimal wellness.

After determining to continue their association, first steps were to include members from other countries [1946]; to conduct children’s summer work-shops in Europe and the USA; to establish Liaison Representatives with other associations [1951]; and, to formalize the organization [1956].

Liaison alliances with the International Association of Applied Psychology (IAAP) and the International Union of Psychological Science (IUPsyS), were followed by appointing members as liaison representatives to their individual national or specialization associations. ICP-sponsored “Children’s” International Summer Villages enrolled participants from several countries to meet for an educational program aimed at reducing xenophobia and stigmatism.

Over the next years, dedicated members established UN NGO status (1971), the first psychology group to do so. At that time, ICP UN representatives formed a coalition with two other NGOs, a mental health and a social services organization. In 1981, ICP, Inc. established their Continuing Education Sponsor certification from the American Psychological Association (APA). APA CE Sponsor certification was denied during the period when ICP, Inc. Treasurer died unexpectedly.

ICP’s 253 charter members intended that each Council Member would be active in making contributions to the Council. The found great insight and understanding through face-to-face dialogue and collaborative work with professionals with different nationalities, psychological training, and life cultures, especially with those with regard for human rights, non-violent resolution of conflicts and who open to new ways of learning and advancing the profession and science of psychology.

ICP’s personal, inclusive, collaborative ambiance enables the Council to be open to all psychological specializations, to all nationalities and to allied professions. The price ICP, INC, paid for maintaining its unique ambiance appears to be dwindling membership.

THE ICP STORY
A MODEL FOR PROFESSIONAL ACTIVISM
“BE WELL”
INCLUSIVE
COLLABORATIVE
PSYCHOLOGICAL VALUES

ICP MISSION: IMPARTANCE OF PSYCHOLOGY A APPLICATION OF PSYCHOLOGICAL FINDINGS
PSYCHOLOGICAL VALUES Innovative Projects
> CHILDREN AT/STUDENTS /EARLY CAREER PSYCHOLOGISTS
> Summer Villages & Workshops in School communities, In Centenial Awards, Internationally Celebrated
> WOMEN OPPORTUNITIES TO APPLY TALENTS /LEADERSHIP
> Five international psychological associations agreed by members
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Annual Scientific Conference, APA CE credit workshops, Newsletter, Proceedings/Websites
> LEADERSHIP /FEMALE ALLIANCE
Regional Nova Scotia Association-Leaders, among 1st 3 mental health groups to serve as UN NGO
> ICP/ICC, ICP/UN Representatives, Irish Psychologists [IP], journals for women's health, First
> Inter-Association Agreement [IAPA] - ICP/IAAP
> POLICY AND POSITION STATEMENTS
University of Science, Human Rights, Psychological Political Position, Implementing the internationally agreed goals and curricula is geared to gender equality and empowerment of women
> RESEARCH AND DESCRIPTIVE REPORTS
Multinational comparisons of issues, prevalence, interventions

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Think back to your youth; how much has changed about you from when you were in your twenties? I’m sure your priorities were different as well as many of your values; maybe something that would have stressed you to no end as a 25 year old now barely phases you. Why is that? What about aging changes how we deal with our problems? Or even how we define a ‘problem’?

In an article by Art Markman it is described how younger people are more interested in excitement and this interest declines with age. Normative values become more important, which leads people to become more introspective and thus less concerned with external issues (Markman, 2015). In another article by Hedi Halvorson she describes how the definition of happiness changes with age. “They found that younger bloggers described experiences of happiness as being times when they felt excited, ecstatic, or elated” “Older bloggers were more inclined to describe happy experiences as moments of feeling peaceful, relaxed, calm, or relieved” (Halvorson, 2013). Younger people are more concerned with gaining new things, getting promotions, climbing the ladder; whereas older people are more concerned with maintaining where they are. As a result they may be less concerned with a worker dispute or small injustice at work, as long as it does not change where they are now; they tend not to care as much.

It is commonly thought that age means decline in all aspects, however according to a study from McMaster University this may not be the case. They have found that elderly people are better at grasping the bigger picture than younger people. This could be why younger people are more willing to fight and debate every opinion and issue. An older person is better at evaluating the entire situation and doing what is better in the long run. Jeanie Davis said this in her article: “.....as we age, the ability of one brain cell to inhibit another is reduced, Bennett writes. That sort of inhibition helps young people find an object hidden among clutter. But it can make it hard to tune into the clutter itself” (Davis, 2005). Being less concerned with small details can also contribute to a change in attitude, when you consider the ‘bigger picture’ small issues seem less important. Our own mortality also becomes much more obvious as we age and simply put; things seem much more trivial when you start to consider the reality of your existence.

Perspective is a very subjective thing and it affects how we respond to the challenges in our life. As we age our perspective widens to consider not just ourselves but everyone and everything around us. There is an old adage that says ‘with age comes wisdom’, I believe it is more accurate to say ‘with age comes perspective and with perspective comes wisdom’.

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Josephine Tan, PhD.

The International Council of Psychologists
Final Call for 2017 Award Nominations

The International Council of Psychologists (ICP) welcomes nominations from all over the world for its 2017 awards: The Frances Mullen Distinguished Contribution to International Psychology Award is presented to honor a member of the ICP who has a long and distinguished history of research or applied contributions to one or more international areas and service to ICP, Inc. Nomination deadline is 20 May 2017. Please send your letter of nomination and address any queries to Dr. Anna Laura Comunian, annalaura.comunian@unipd.it.

The Denmark-Grunwald Feminist Research and Service Award is presented to honor a member of the ICP who has the history of research and service that directly benefits the health, promotion, and well-being of women in the work. The deadline is 20 May 2017. Please send nominations and queries to Dr. Donna Goetz, donnag@elmhurst.edu.

The Seisoh Sukemune/Bruce Bain Encouragement of Early Career Research Award recognizes outstanding early career contributions to scholarly endeavors addressing psychological issues of a universal or multinational significance. Please send nominations and queries to Dr. Cecilia Cheng, ceccheng@hku.hk. Nomination deadline is 20 May 2017.

The Dayan-O’Roark In-Absentia Research and Graduate Student Poster Awards are presented to encourage participation by those students who are unable to attend the ICP conference and want to present their work. Posters remain on display throughout the entire conference. Please send queries to Dr. Anna Laura Comunian, annalaura.comunian@unipd.it or Mr. Joshua Wright jwrig42@uwo.ca.

The Fukuhara Advanced International Research and Service Award is given to a mid-career or senior level psychologist to recognize long term excellence in International Research and Service. Nominees do not need to be a member of ICP, Inc. Please submit queries and nominations to: Dr. Ann Marie O’Roark, annalaura.comunian@unipd.it.

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INTERIM ICP, INC. BOARD Minutes: Telephone Conference
March 17/18 2017
Notes by Nancy L. Quatrano, Temporary Secretary General
Review by Justina Aire, Board Secretary 2016-19

CALL TO ORDER: President Machiko Fukuhara called the meeting to order at four minutes past the hour after
greeting participants as they logged into the conference call. Dr. Fukuhara thanked all for attending. Due to a full
agenda, we must attempt to keep on schedule. Most important are the three motions noted on the emailed agenda.

ROLL CALL: Board Secretary Justina Aire reminded all to state their name when making comments to the group. She
called names of elected board members and invited appointed participants in random order. Then she asked any who
were observer attendees to identify themselves.

Present:
Elected Board Members. Machiko Fukuhara, President; Jean Lau Chin, President Elect; Nancy Sidun, Treasurer; Justina
Aire, Secretary; Directors at Large: Richard Velayo; Anna Laura Comunian; Merry Bullock
Appointed: Andy Simon, Membership Chair; Harold Takooshian, Ad Hoc 75th Anniversary: Jubilee Poster; Proceedings
Book; Ann Marie O’Roark, Parliamentarian-Consultant
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INTERIM EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING NOTES. MARCH 17/18
Telephone Conference Call Service & Recording Duration: 2+ hours Unofficial Summary Notes

President Fukuhara reviewed the agenda and managed the order and time for topics for discussion.

1. President Elect J.L. Chin. 2017 ICP Conference:: Jubilee Programming Mostly Complete
   o Registration being worked on now. Dr. Andrew Simon. Has located primary (Beekman) and secondary hotels
close to the conference space at Pace. Also identified restaurant for the Sunday night dinner. Dr.Chin Identified
Chinese dinner location for Saturday night group dinner. Dinners are extra fees on registration form
   o Dr. Simon will send all of the information to Dr. Merry Bullock for the conference website
   o Dr. Chin will resend the conference budget to all.
   o Dr. Richard Velayo. Proposal Call responses: 14 papers, 4 posters, 4 symposia submissions. May 15 is the
deadline date, sure it will grow. Website is up and ready to go, just need to get the registration form and
payment buttons up. Dr. Denmark is putting together some of the program; Dr. Sandra Neil’s summit has
been received. These haven’t been submitted through the electronic submission portal. Proposals can be sent
to Dr. Velayo and Dr. Denmark via Email if necessary.

2. Drs. Velayo and Bullock Pre-conference registrations will be done separately. Drs. Sidun and Dr. Bullock: Accompanying student fee? Dr. Chin will get this information for Dr. Sidun and Bullock
   o Dr. O’Roark and Dr. Velayo: Need for recovering ICPWEB.ORG historical documents.
     • Website – updates. See above. Website will contain award information
     • Conference ICP Website: Should have been on the agenda – this still needs to be resolved for the new
board.

3. Interest Groups Discussion. Parliamentarian O’Roark provided interest group report as board attachment with list of
previous and ongoing Interest Groups at the President’s request. Dr. Bullock will list those groups on the
conference website if that would be helpful for Membership Chair Simon. President Machiko Fukuhara supports
and encourages interest groups being active in the organization.

4. 2018 Conference: Dr. Bullock. ICAP discussions regarding Montreal are very early on. IAAP conference –
Canadian Psychological Assoc. They are willing to assist in planning and managing the conference, for a fee. June
23-26; ICAP June 26-30. Hotel or university? Budget? Director Bullock will continue to scout out more details and
give report in April.
5. Elections/Nominations: Dr. Sigal unable to attend. She sent a list of nominees, but no candidate for president-elect, however. Asks for everyone to work on this. European nominees needed. Please give this much thought and consideration and send your ideas to Dr. Sigal, please.

6. Financial Report: Treasurer Nancy Sidun. We’re fine-tuning the budget and will submit it to all the board when ready in the next month. We’re also going to be adding a quarterly income and expense report to all the board. Everyone will get it before the next meeting. Board can then vote by email to Dr. Justina Aire. Agreeable by all in attendance.

7. Clarification of duties/responsibilities of officers. Dr. Fukuhara thinks officers/appointees will do what they agree to do, knowing what they are expected to do. She observes that sometimes people might not be clear on the function of their appointment. Their roles and functions will have to be clarified for active works. Communication and collaborative works might help it.

8. Proposal to publish joint proceedings of the 2016 and 2017 conferences. Secretary Justina Aire will send motions for the via email to the full board. Not enough board members still on the call to take a vote on the motion. ALL on the call are in agreement. Dr. Harold Takooshian, Ad Hoc 75th Anniversary Special Events. Last proceedings volume was 1992, 368 pages. Jubilee volume could be done for $8-12 based on 150 pages. Add fee to registration fee and give each registrant a copy; then sell the other copies for $20-25 and it’s a fundraiser.

9. Dr. Chin [no longer on call]: Reports of Search Committee re Secretary-General and recommendation for Temporary Sec. General. Board Secretary Aire will submit this motion to the board via email vote, as well.

10. Area Chair Coordinator Proposal for Membership Recruitment: Dr. Sandra Neil prepared a power point of her strategic plan to be undertaken with Membership Chair Dr. Simon. She was not able to connect to the telephone call. Dr. Simon reports discussion with Board Student Representative Joshua Wright. They are investigating offering students opportunities online. Webinars, collaborative conversations are what’s currently needed and asked for by students and the international community. Dr. Velayo agrees: Div 52 is currently doing remote webinars. ICP, INC. needs consider how to integrate this capability with ongoing website management. Can we find — and afford — the person to do this development work? That’s probably the main question. Dr. Simon states he is impressed with Dr. Neil’s presentation and is in agreement with the direction this should go. Wishes he had technological know-how to get webinars up and running. We will have to recruit or invest in the experts who can do this work. RV: For anyone affiliated with academic institutions, they’d have free access to the webinars — maybe we can find someone in an academic location that can devote the time to do this. Move further membership proposal discussion to next meeting. All in agreement.

11. Motion to accept Nancy Q’s ongoing support if needed: Justine Aire; Second by Anna Laura — all on the call, approved. Richard, Anna Laura, AMachiko, Andy Simon. Justina Aire Sidun, Chin, Bullock left the call

12. NEXT INTERIM BOARD TELEPHONE MEETING: APRIL 28/29

Interim Motions 1. Title: Motion to get a Two-year Conference Proceedings book prepared and published after both conferences so they can include papers from both conferences. 2. Title: Motion to engage a new interim Secretary General, and have the person assist with the upcoming ICP conference. 3. Title: Motion to approve Operations Budget for 2017 To be submitted from Treasurer within a month for Board vote.

POST MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT.

The first two Interim Motions were approved by email votes sent to Board Members. A majority of elected voted yes. There were two abstentions on the first motion and one for the second motions. Third: vote in two weeks.