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OBITUARY

Professor Joanna Boehnert

It is with great sadness and an enormous sense of loss that we report the tragic death of Professor Joanna Boehnert who died April 26 in a road accident in New Hampshire. A faculty member at the University of Guelph in Canada since 1968 and founder of the University of Guelph women's studies program, Professor Boehnert was on sabbatical and visiting family in the United States with her husband, retired history professor Gunnar Boehnert, when the accident occurred. In addition to her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Jody and Jennifer.

An MA graduate of the University of Iowa and PhD graduate of the University of Toronto, Joanna Boehnert taught at the University of Toronto and the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education before joining the University of Guelph. Known as a dedicated teacher, Joanna took the University's learning objectives to heart and instilled them in her students within and beyond the precincts of the University of Guelph. She became renowned for her work in the psychology of women and established the University's women's studies program in 1979. She served as Co-ordinator of the program for the next 14 years.

Dr. Boehnert also served as a member of the Ontario Confederation of Faculty Associations' Status of Women Committee, Chair of the University of Guelph's Faculty Association's Status of Women Committee, and
Co-ordinator of the Canadian Psychological Association Section on Women and Psychology in 1999/2000. While in this last position, she initiated efforts to enhance and facilitate cooperation with Division 35, efforts that culminated in the formal designation of a SWAP/Division 35 liaison.

Professor Boehnert co-ordinated the Guelph-London semester in 1990 and the Guelph Krakow Semester Committee in 1995. Since 1996 she has been Chair of the Krakow study-abroad program. She also served as the Graduate Coordinator in the Department of Psychology from 1997 to 2000.

A memorial fund has been established in Professor Boehnert's name to create a scholarship in women's studies at the University of Guelph and a prize in women's studies at Wilfrid Laurier University. To contribute to the fund, send a cheque payable to "University of Guelph Re: Joanna Boehnert Memorial Fund" to development officer Tim Mau in the Dean's office of the College of Social and Applied Human Sciences.

Submitted by
Sandra W. Pyke
York University

COORDINATOR'S MESSAGE

The sudden death of Joanna Boehnert, who was killed in a road accident in April while visiting in New Hampshire, was a shock to us all. Although I only got to know Joanna this past year, as the e-mails flew between us over mundane and important matters, I came to appreciate her thoughtful caring manner, and encouraging words. Joanna was a member of SWAP from its very inception. We have lost a valued colleague and friend who made a significant contribution to women and psychology. Joanna will be with us in spirit at this year's conference in Ste-Foy.

I hope you are planning to attend the conference -- Ste-Foy is only 10 minutes from the heart of Quebec City. Although I have not always attended CPA's annual conference, succumbing to the need for either a more specialized or international conference, I feel strongly about maintaining a Canadian identity! For those of you attending the conference in June, you have the added bonus of enjoying the St. John the Baptist Day celebrations on the weekend.

We are thrilled to offer both our regular SWAP program as well as a SWAP pre-conference Institute. Thanks to those of you who submitted abstracts to the CPA program and the Institute, we have a very rich program of workshops, symposium, posters, and conversation sessions. I hope all of you will plan to attend as much of the SWAP program as possible.

Activities planned for the 2001 Convention include a CPA Invited Address from Lenore Walker titled: "Beyond the psychological impact of trauma: New assessment, treatment and forensic interventions when women experience violence." Thursday morning, Natalie Rinfrat, University of Quebec, will present a Section keynote address entitled: "Are women in management agents of change?" This will be followed by a symposium moderated by, Connie Kristiansen (Carleton University) entitled: "Multiple lives, multiple subjectivities: Feminist psychology examines the interactions." I also hope to see many of you at our business meeting held Friday, June 22, 11:00 - 12:25. Please send me any agenda items you would like included.

The SWAP Pre-conference Institute was organized by Joanne Gallivan, Nicole Brown, and myself. Workshops, discussion sessions, and symposiums are organized around the theme of the Institute: "Women's lives: visions, culture, and context." We are pleased to have Mona Abbondanza give a keynote address entitled "Women's work lives: Management, culture, and context." It promises to be a day of connecting and reconnecting around issues relevant to feminist scholars and practitioners.

I want to thank all of the members of the Executive, who provided support and encouragement to me throughout the year. I hope I can be as supportive to my successor Diane Priebie. One of my motivations for taking on the role of Coordinator was to become better acquainted with my fellow SWAP members. That was a real bonus of the job -- I certainly feel more connected with and knowledgeable about feminist psychology in Canada.

Last year in Ottawa, as Past Coordinator, Joanna handed over the files to me (or at least what I could carry with me!), sending two
rather large boxes by mail a month later. We sat together for an hour or so while she patiently explained what had to be done by when. One of Joanna's final tasks as Past Coordinator was to find a slate of officers for the annual meeting in June.

Good news from our Secretary/Treasurer, Noreen Stuckless, who informed me that financially we are in good shape, largely due to reduced costs of the Newsletter, increased membership, and a budget surplus from the Halifax Institute.

Renee Cormier, our Newsletter Editor has done a super job of producing the Newsletter, and even took up the challenge of developing a website for SWAP -- she is our official web mistress. I expect that over time our website will become an important means of communication for our members.

Maria Gurevich organized the Review of Abstracts and Charlene Senn was responsible for the Student Paper and Travel awards. Thanks to you both for your continued contribution.

It was exciting to have Sandra Pyke take on the role of Monitor with Division 35, APA's Society for the Psychology of Women. As a consequence several initiatives have been developed to facilitate collaboration and communication between the Div. and SWAP.

As members of SWAP, a big thank you for your continued support for the Section, and I encourage you to get involved. We need you as provincial representatives, as members of the Executive, as presenters at the next conference or Institute, and to encourage others to join!

It has been my pleasure to be your Coordinator this past year, and I hope to see you in Ste-Foy in June.

Bonita Long
Coordinator

EDITOR'S MESSAGE

Well, it's hard to believe that it's been one year already since I've taken on the task of SWAP's Newsletter Editor. I'd like to take this opportunity to offer my condolences to the family and friends of Joanna Boerhnart. This terrible accident came as a shock to many.

I'd like to thank Bonnie Long for her hard work and her support over the last year. Welcome to Diane Priebe -- the new SWAP coordinator.

I'm excited to announce that, while it is still under construction, the SWAP web page is available for viewing at www.cpa.ca/swap. While the newsletter is currently available electronically as either a WordPerfect or MS Word file, I hope to make it available in PDF form soon. If you are interested in receiving the newsletter electronically, please contact me.

Unfortunately I will not be attending the CPA conference this year, but I hope that you all enjoy the event and the city.

Renee Cormier
Newsletter Editor

SWAP EVENTS IN
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Wednesday, June 20, 2001
8:30 am to 5:00 pm
SWAP's Pre-Conference Institute
WOMEN'S LIVES: VISIONS, CULTURE AND CONTEXT
Plaza Hotel Quebec

Thursday, June 21, 2001
11:00 am to 12:00 pm
Section Keynote Address
Natalie Rinfret
ARE WOMEN IN MANAGEMENT AGENTS OF CHANGE?
Room 5
1:00 to 3:00 pm
SWAP Section Program Symposium
MULTIPLE LIVES, MULTIPLE SUBJECTIVITIES: FEMINIST PSYCHOLOGY EXAMINES THE INTERSECTIONS
Room 4

Friday, June 22, 2001
11:00 am to 12:30 pm
SWAP Business Meeting
Room 12

Saturday, June 23, 2001
10:00 to 11:00 am
CPA Invited Address
Lenore Walker
BEYOND THE PSYCHOLOGICAL IMPACT OF TRAUMA: NEW ASSESSMENT, TREATMENT, & ROENTGEN INTERVENTIONS WHEN WOMEN EXPERIENCE VIOLENCE
Room 1
PAPER SESSION: Re-visioning women's lives.

The implications of reformulating the goal of feminist therapy as 'living beside' the violation.
T. Lewis, Brock University

D. Fiisel, University of Windsor

Women's experiences of consciousness-raising: Paths of liberatory resistance.
L. Irion, University of British Columbia

11:45 LUNCH (Provided)

1:00 Concurrent sessions

DISCUSSION SESSION:

Researching sexuality and power: Reflections on difference, political division, and feminist process.
J. M. Fraser and C. Y. Senn, University of Windsor

PAPER SESSION: Women's employment: Contextual issues

Women's ways of working: A qualitative study of childhood socialization, current work context and mid-life women's self-perception of job competence.
E. Parker-Gaspard & A. Stabb, Houston, Texas

Women's ways of coping with employment stress: A feminist contextual analysis.
B. Long, University of British Columbia

"I'm stressed": A metaphorical exploration of pervasive personal stress.
A. Maggio, University of British Columbia

2:30 REFRESHMENT BREAK

2:45 Concurrent sessions

WORKSHOP:

Thinking back through the culture to our mothers.
N. Morgan Ronan, Scottsdale Prevention Institute, Scottsdale, AZ

PAPER SESSION: Cultural context and the sexual lives of women.

Women in transition: Leaving heterosexuality at midlife.
M. S. Armstrong, York University

La contraception, une affaire de filles?
M. Proulx, Université de Laval

Sex education and women's subjective sexuality: Preliminary findings.
S. Balanko, University of Windsor

When cultures collide: An exploration of cultural competence and cross cultural communication between North American medical providers and immigrant women who have been circumcised.
E. Rubin, Northeastern University Counselling Center

E-mail as a tool of harassment: Do men & women respond similarly to potentially harassing electronic mail?
P. N. Khoo and C. Y. Senn, University of Windsor

Research on domestic violence and the criminal justice system: Perils and possibilities.
P. Barata, University of Windsor

Women's work lives: Management, culture and context
Mona Abbondanza, U. de Québec à Trois Rivières

Reviewed by Jennifer A. Boisvert

This report proved to be a most interesting read of how gender issues, otherwise hidden deep within policies and processes may be brought to the surface to explore their profound influence on women and their families, their communities, and their lands. Specifically, the purpose of this text is to examine critically and expose the gender equality issues hidden within the land claims and environmental assessment processes underway in Labrador. As such, this paper differs from other Status of Women Canada publications in that it is more 'heartfelt' than 'hands on.' Rather than offering principles and strategies for change via application of gender-based analysis, this text provides the reader with a rich, detailed insight of implementing this approach within the context of the Voisey's Bay nickel project.

Given that the primary focus of this text is to illuminate the benefits of conducting feminist and community-based action research, it would be of interest to scholars, researchers, and policy-makers. As a resource tool, it would be of interest to educators, service providers, or community activists, as well as those working alongside Aboriginal women in view of its goal to better understand their personal, communal, and socioeconomic needs. Although written in an easy-to-read style, this report contains historical, legal, and technical information that may be daunting to readers who are not familiar with the need to explore the relevance of gender-based analysis within this framework. The authors should be credited for their efforts in making this text relatively jargon-free and achieving its purpose to enhance readers' knowledge in this area.

Despite its brevity, this report is comprised of three parts, thus providing the reader with a good sense of the project as a whole. The first section, "Aboriginal Land Claims and the Federal Policy" takes an in-depth exploration of land claim policies. The reader is provided with background information outlining the origin of land claim policies for their pertinence to Aboriginal women today. The significance of land claims, that is, their purpose, scope, nature, and absence of gender-based analysis are addressed in detail, but not to the extent of overwhelming the reader.

The second section, "Environmental Assessment" examines the federal responsibility for environmental assessment, their role in conducting an assessment relative to project proposal, funding, and placement on federal lands. The reader's attention is drawn to how projects, such as the Voisey's Bay nickel mine/mill development are subject to the assessment procedures set out in federal and provincial laws. Apart from addressing the influence of environmental assessment policies and procedures on the Voisey's Bay project, the authors take care to make clear the implications of this process on the lives of Inuit women residing in Labrador. Finally, this report concludes with both general and specific recommendations of possible policy options and future research directions to address gender and cultural issues. It is in this final section that the "heart" of this text is presented; the text is almost diary-like, giving "voice" to the hopes and fears that Inuit women conveyed about the Voisey's Bay project. The value of conducting feminist and community action-research is evidenced as a consequence of conducting gender-based analysis and enhancing Inuit women's representation and participation throughout federal law processes.

In sum, this report provides the reader with useful information regarding the need to address further concerns and issues in a manner respectful towards Aboriginal tradition and culture. Within this broader context, there is considerable work to be undertaken regarding land claims and environmental policies within the federal government to ensure that the needs of Inuit women are accounted for. The necessity of acknowledging gender equality in federal policy is apparent, given its function to promote and support equality of women as a unifying factor within their communities and the larger Canadian society.
SWAP WEB SITE

I am pleased to announce that the web site for SWAP is now available for viewing at www.cpa.ca/swap. Information such as SWAP's mandate, how to become a SWAP member, the newsletter's Table of Contents, notices, and links to relevant sites are available on the web site. Please note that this web site is still under construction. Feedback is welcomed!

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CALL FOR PAPERS

CLIO'S PSYCHE

Special Issue: Psychology, Psychoanalysis, And The Law In Our Litigious Society

Deadline: none specified

You are cordially invited to contribute to a Special Issue on PSYCHOLOGY, PSYCHOANALYSIS, and the LAW in our litigious society of "Clio's Psyche: Understanding the "Why" of Culture, Current Events, History, and Society." Our goal is to explore psychological issues relevant to the role of law in contemporary society. We are seeking articles from 600 to 1500 words—including your brief biography—which relate psychologically to one or more of the following issues and questions:

* Discuss the diffusion of law into every aspect of life, what you might call, "the legalization of life" What is the psychology of legal defensiveness
* How has the law become "a grab bag" to be used for many purposes?
* The emotional uses of law, including law as: The legal expression of anger as intimidation or as an expression of individualism, of autonomy
* Jury psychology

I hope you can join this important endeavor. Wherever possible, we will provide below or as an attached file, Clio's guidelines for authors, general call for papers, and our list of special issues and features: We will include the Forum's 17th year report and information on how to obtain our publication. It may be helpful to view our website at www.cliopsyche.com.

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JOURNAL OF THE ASSOCIATION FOR RESEARCH ON MOTHERING (ARM)

Mothering, Sex and Sexuality

Deadline: Nov 1 2001

The editorial board is seeking submissions for the seventh Journal of The Association for Research on Mothering (ARM) to be published in Spring/Summer 2002.

The journal will explore the subject Mothering, Sex and Sexuality from a variety of perspectives.

Topics can include, but are not limited to: pregnancy, childbirth and sexuality; lesbian, bisexual, or transgendered mothering; mothering and erotica/pornography; the whore/Madonna dichotomy; "the family bed" and family patterns; sexual aspects of the birthing process; new reproductive technology and sexuality; adoption or infertility and sexuality; desexualization of the maternal; mothering as a survivor of sexual abuse; medical/male control of women's sexuality during pregnancy and birth; the maternal breast/ the sexual breast; feminism/sexuality/maternity.

We also welcome creative reflections such as: poetry, short stories, and artwork on the subject.

If you are interested in writing a book review, we have books in need of a review, or if you know of a recent publication that you think would be relevant, please contact Cheryl Dobinson at: cjdobins@yorku.ca

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:

Book reviews are to be no more than 2 pages (500 words), articles should be 15 pages (3750 words). All should be in MLA style, in WordPerfect or Word and IBM compatible. For more information, please contact us at:

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To submit work to the journal, one must be a member of ARM and memberships must be received by Nov. 1, 2001.

OUR CHILDREN OUR FUTURE CHARITABLE FOUNDATION & FAMILY VIOLENCE AND SEXUAL ASSAULT INSTITUTE 6th International Conference on Family Violence San Diego September 8-12, 2001

Submission Deadline: none

Our Children Our Future Charitable Foundation and Family Violence and Sexual Assault Institute are co-sponsoring a one-day track: "Solutions to At Risk Custody Disputes," at the 6th International Conference on Family Violence in San Diego on September 8-12, 2001.

Presenters will be expected to facilitate hands-on efforts to strategize and/or to develop plans and/or pilot projects intended to serve the best interests of children in the resolution of high conflict custody disputes.

Presenters may submit proposals for the following:
* 3-hour presentation: 4-6 presenters
* 90-minute presentation: 2-3 presenters
* 60-minute presentation: 1-3 presenters

Proposals should be e-mailed to:
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ACADEMIC EXCHANGE QUARTERLY

The summer 2001 issue of AEQ is devoted to papers related to student perceptions/beliefs/attitudes. There was such a good response to that issue that the editor-in-chief has decided to keep that topic as a section of each issue! So, please check out our website at www.higher-ed.org/AEQ and consider submitting a paper to us. The entire submission and review process is done electronically and is very user-friendly!

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ASSOCIATION FOR RESEARCH ON MOTHERING (ARM)
Conference: Examining and Expanding the Meanings of MOTHERLOVE
York University
Toronto, Canada
Feb 16, 2002

Deadline: Oct. 15, 2001

In celebration of Valentine's Day, ARM is planning a one day conference on Motherlove where we hope to expand the meanings of love beyond the narrow conceptions of heterosexual romantic love most often associated with Valentine's Day. In our exploration of motherlove, this conference seeks to critically examine and challenge commonly held perceptions of what constitutes motherlove. The conferences also aims to broaden traditional definitions of motherlove to include a wide range of experiences and interpretations in order to destabilize and unsettle our culture's limited and limiting meanings of motherlove. We welcome submissions from a variety of perspectives and disciplines. Cross-cultural and comparative work is encouraged. We also welcome creative reflections such as: poetry, short stories, and artwork on the subject.

Topics can include, but are not limited to:
* Historical construction and development of the idea of motherlove
* Sentimentalization and naturalization of motherlove
* Bad mothers and motherlove
* Self love vs. motherlove
* Motherlove and maternal subjectivity
* The reproduction of motherlove
* Challenging boundaries and contesting meanings of motherlove
* Motherlove and feminist psychosocial theory
* Conceptions of motherlove within attachment theory
* Madonna and child: the paradigm of motherlove in the West
* Eros and motherlove: sensuality, tenderness, empathy
* Motherlove through different ages and stages
* Grandmotherlove
* Deconstructing 'perfect' motherlove
* Discourses of 'tough' motherlove
* Motherlove and child development
* Mother-loving daughters and sons
* Feminist mothering: challenging patriarchal discourses of good mothering
* Representations of motherhood in art and literature
* Cross-cultural differences in mothering and motherlove

If you are interested in being considered as a presenter, please send a 250-word abstract and a 50-word bio by October 15, 2001 to:

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Note: One must be a member of ARM for 2002 to submit an abstract and membership must be received by Oct 15, 2001.

ASSOCIATION FOR RESEARCH ON MOTHERING (ARM)
WITH MCLAUGHLIN COLLEGE, YORK UNIVERSITY
6th annual conference on Mothering, Law, Politics and Public Policy
York University, Toronto, Canada
October 18-20 2002
Deadline: Aug. 1, 2001

The position and experience of mothers in contemporary societies is significantly affected by various forms of legal and political regulation. The political and legal contexts in which mothers live shape the choices that they make about their mothering. This conference will explore, from a variety of perspectives and disciplines, the impact of laws and policies on the experience of mothering. It will examine the formulation and implementation of public policies affecting mothers as well as mothers’ responses to and experiences of these policies. The various positions mothers may occupy in the realm of law, politics and public policy will also be considered. We welcome submissions from students, activists, scholars, policy makers, artists and others who research in this area. Cross-cultural and comparative work is encouraged.

Topics can include, but are not limited to:
* Surrogate motherhood and reproductive technologies
* Maternity and parental leave
* Workplace benefits
* The "work-family dilemma"
* Adoption policies
* Mothers as politicians
* First Nations/aboriginal mothers
* Immigrant and refugee mothers
* Race and racism in law and policies affecting mothers
* Child custody
* Child support and spousal support
* Breastfeeding: legal and public policy considerations
* Child care
* Income tax rules relating to dependents
* Issues for lesbian/bi/trans/queer mothers
* Challenges facing mothers with disabilities, or mothers caring for children with disabilities
* Child protection legislation
* Social security for mothers
* Home-based mothering
* Mothers and grassroots organizing
* Incarcerated mothers and mothers in the criminal justice system

There will also be "Open Stream" Sessions on the General Topic of Mothering-Motherhood.

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JOURNAL OF BISEXUALITY
Special Issue: Current Research on Bisexuality
Guest Editor: Ron Fox

Deadline: June 1, 2001

Looking for original empirical research and reviews of particular aspects of the research literature on bisexuality for a special issue of the Journal of Bisexuality focusing on current research on bisexuality. Examples include psychological, sociological, or anthropological research on: bisexual identities; bisexual relationships and families; attitudes toward bisexual women and bisexual men; bisexual communities; bisexuality and
ethnic, racial and cultural diversity; bisexuality and HIV/AIDS; bisexuality and transgender persons; bisexual youth; and mental health services and bisexual women and bisexual men.

Deadlines:
A 500 word abstract is required by June 1, 2001. For empirical research, include in the abstract a description of the research topic and sample, methodology (e.g. questionnaire, interview, etc.), most important findings, and how the research relates to the existing literature on the topic. For reviews of the literature, include an overview of how the topic has been looked at historically and in terms of theory and existing research, and indicate future directions for research in this area of bisexuality. Final manuscripts of those selected by the editor will be due by August 15, 2001.

Inquiries are welcomed by the editor, and submission guidelines are available via email to: ronfox@firstworld.net or by sending a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: Ron Fox, Ph.D., P.O. Box 210491, San Francisco, CA 94121-0491.

About the Editor:
Ron Fox, Ph.D., is a San Francisco based psychotherapist, researcher, author, and educator. He has conducted a large-scale study of bisexual identity development and has published several chapters on bisexual issues in LGB psychology books. He has presented workshops, classes, and in-service trainings on sexual diversity and bisexual issues at professional conferences, graduate schools, and community agencies, and at regional, national, and international bisexual conferences. He serves as a member of the editorial board of the Journal of Bisexuality, and he is also involved in the American Psychological Association's Division 44 (Society for the Psychological Study of LGB Issues) as Co-Chair of the Committee on Bisexual Issues in Psychology. He was a member of the Task Force that wrote the recently adopted APA Guidelines for Psychotherapy with Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Clients.

About the Journal:
Harrington Park Press, an imprint of The Haworth Press, Inc., publishes the new Journal of Bisexuality, edited by Fritz Klein, M.D. Interest in bisexuality is on the rise. Poll after poll indicates that professionals and nonprofessionals have some type of increased involvement with bisexuality, either on a professional or personal level.

The Journal of Bisexuality is the first professional quarterly to publish both professional articles and serious essays on bisexuality and its meaning for the individual, the community, and society. Areas of coverage include: current research into bisexuality, different bisexual lifestyles, examining the myths of nonexistence and monogamy, differences from and difficulties with the lesbian/gay and straight communities, bisexual history, growth of bisexual activism, describing various bisexual subcultures throughout the world, and reviews of books and films dealing with bisexuality.

This intelligent journal is intended for more than the academic audience. While researchers will be published in a special peer reviewed section, other sections of the Journal cover bisexual topics in a more popular and nonacademic style. With its wide audience scope and the range of issues discussed, the Journal of Bisexuality is ideal for both academic and public libraries who want to offer their patrons the latest information on the topic of bisexuality.

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CANADIAN JOURNAL OF COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH
Special Issue (Fall 2002): Innovation in Community Mental Health: International Perspectives

Submission Deadline: Oct. 1, 2001

Submissions are invited for a special issue of the Journal on innovative psychosocial or recovery based community mental health programs across the world. Papers describing programmes and policy developments taking place outside of Canada addressing the concrete, practical problems and needs of persons with mental health problems, and/or mental health programme funding and network/system development, are sought. Submissions focusing on, but not limited to, such topics as innovative resource deployment (housing, income, accompaniment, peer support) social network construction/reconstruction, stigma reduction/ conscientization will be considered. Papers describing concrete ways in which population health issues and/or power/
powerlessness/empowerment issues have been addressed within a community mental health approach are also of interest.

The purpose of the special issue is to bring to readers of the Journal perspectives that differ from Canadian practice so as to challenge our own capacity for innovation. Submissions may include descriptions of exemplary programmes, policy analyses, theoretical articles, research reports, literature reviews and reviews of relevant books. Please follow the instructions to contributors in the most recent issue of the journal. These instructions are also available on our website (and from the guest editors for this issue). Individuals intending to submit papers are encouraged to contact the editors listed below to assess the appropriateness of proposed submissions. Deadline for complete submissions is October 1, 2001. Early submissions and inquiries will be appreciated.

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WOMEN & THERAPY
Special Issue: Constructing Exercise and Sport as Therapeutic Modalities

EXTENSION OF DEADLINE: June 30, 2001

We are interested in receiving additional articles on the use of exercise and sport as an adjunct to therapy for our Women & Therapy volume entitled "Constructing Exercise and Sport as Therapeutic Modalities." This edition will explore the healing use of sport and exercise from several therapeutic orientations within a feminist context. We are particularly interested in a paper that addresses the relationship of physical activity and sport to psychopharmacology, the traditional biological intervention. We are also interested in articles that integrate exercise with various therapeutic orientations including a psychodynamic, cognitive-behavioral, feminist and spiritual dimension. Papers can also address a therapists work with athletes.

Papers are to be no more than 20 pages in length (includes figures, graphics and references): Please use 12 point Times Roman font and APA style. Include three copies of your paper and a copy of your paper on a disk formatted for IBM PCs. Include your name, address, phone number, fax number and email address and your preferred means of being contacted by us. Your paper must not have been published elsewhere.

If you would like additional information, please feel free to contact either of us. We look forward to hearing from you.

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NATIONAL WOMEN'S STUDIES ASSOCIATION
Special Issue: Feminist Disability Studies

Deadline: June 1, 2001

The NWSA Journal announces a special issue on Feminist Disability Studies to be guest edited by Kim Q. Hall.

Both disability studies and feminist studies have often marginalized and/or ignored disabled women. Within disability studies the figure of the emasculated disabled man has often been the paradigm for critiques of discrimination. And while the body has figured prominently within feminist theory, the body of the disabled woman has often been invisible in the midst of what Susan Wendell has called the "disciplinary practices of physical control" and "disciplines of normality" that have characterized many discussions of embodiment within feminist theory. Feminist disability studies has emerged in response to these erasures, and in the process has become a site for rethinking conceptions of the body and identity that have informed both feminist and disability studies.
Contributors are encouraged to send scholarly papers on these and other topics concerning feminism and disability:

* What is feminist disability studies?
* race and disability
* queer theory and disability studies
* gender, public policy, and disability
* class and disability
* body image and disability
* feminist theory and disability
* aging and disability

Send three double-spaced copies of your 20-30 page manuscript, formatted according to the Chicago Manual of Style (14th edition), complete with abstract, parenthetical notes and references to:

Kim Hall
Assistant Professor, Philosophy
Associate Editor, NWSA Journal
Appalachian State University
109 IG Greer
Boone, NC 28608

For further information, please contact Kim Hall at hallk@appstate.edu or (828)262-6817.

All papers for the special issue will be peer reviewed.

Deadline: Nov. 1, 2001

Abstracts as invited in the three areas listed below:

1. Mothering as a topic in the academy
   * designing mothering/motherhood courses
   * raising mothering/motherhood issues in the classroom
   * problems & positives of teaching mothering/motherhood in
     Women's Studies courses
   * reports on specific units on motherhood adopted in
     multicultural courses

2. Mothering and feminist academics
   * getting through grad school and into the job market as a mother
   * special problems for single mothers, incorporation of single
     mothers into mainstream departments
   * how becoming a mother changes research and creative
     interests, impact of mothering on scholarship and creative output
   * day care and childcare as workplace and graduate student issues
   * handling student child care issues

3. Maternal pedagogies
   * what do we learn from mothers?/what do we learn as mothers? And how do
     we apply this learning once we have identified and critiqued it?
   * the influence of women's motherwork on teacherwork in post secondary
     and graduate education
   * characteristics of maternal pedagogy at the university level
   * risks and limitations of university level maternal pedagogy

* perceptions of maternal pedagogy as a viable teaching style in the academy

We welcome submissions from a variety of disciplines. If you are interested in being considered as a speaker, please send a 250 word abstract and a 50 word bio by Nov 1, 2001 to:

Association for Research on
Mothering, 726 Atkinson College,
York University, 4700 Keele
Street, Toronto, ON, Canada,
M3J 1P3

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One must be a member of ARM for
2002 in order to submit an abstract.
Membership must be received with
your submission.

CALL FOR REVIEWERS

JOURNAL OF INTERDISCIPLINARY GENDER STUDIES

The Journal of Interdisciplinary Gender Studies is a refereed journal published twice a year by the University of Newcastle, NSW, Australia. The journal is concerned with gender issues of interest to those from a wide range of academic disciplines. More information may be found at http://www.newcastle.edu.au/department/hl/jigs/
The Journal is currently seeking reviewers for a number of books. Book reviews are normally 800-1200 words in length and are due within three months of the receipt of a book. If you are interested in reviewing any of the following titles, please contact the book review editor:

Nancy Cushing, at hinec@cc.newcastle.edu.au stating your area of expertise and providing a mailing address to which the book may be sent.

* Drucilla Cornell, Feminism and Pornography; R. Marie Griffith, God's Daughters: Evangelical Women and the Power of Submission
* Gay Becker, The Elusive Embryo
* Robert Aldrich and Garry Wotherspoon (eds), Who's Who in Contemporary Gay and Lesbian History
* Marysia Zalewski, Feminism After Postmodernism: Theorising Through Practice
* Brooke A. Ackerly, Political Theory and Feminist Social Criticism
* Londa Schiebinger, Feminism and the Body
* Rosemary Crompton (ed.), Restructuring Gender Relations and Employment
* Cecilia Menjivar, Fragmented Ties: Salvadoran Immigrant Networks in America
* Sarah Lamb, White Saris and Sweet Mangoes
* Michael Gorkin, Marta Pineda and Gloria Leal, From Grandmother to Granddaughter
* Barbara Entwistle and Gall, E. Henderson, Re-Drawing Boundaries

* Richard A. Schroeder, Shady Practices
* Marilyn Poole and Susan Feldman (eds), A Certain Age: Women Growing Older

CONFERENCES

CANADIAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION
62nd Annual Convention
Laval University
Ste. Foy, Quebec
June 21-23, 2001

Please visit their web site at www.cpa.ca for more details.

INSTITUTE FOR WOMEN'S POLICY RESEARCH
5th Policy Conference:
Facing the Facts, Forging the Future
Capitol Hilton
Washington, DC
June 8-9, 2001

Web site:
http://www.iwpr.org/conference/lwprconf.pdf

The conference, co-sponsored by the Women's Studies Program of The George Washington University, will address a range of issues related to women's economic, political, health and social status. Over 100 papers will be presented in over 30 sessions. This year, researchers, policy makers, advocates and students from all over the country will be attending the two day conference to share information, exchange resources and network. We hope you can join us for an incredible look into what is happening for women and where we can go from here!

Conference Speakers include: Jean Acker, U. of Oregon; Barbara Bergmann, American University; Deborah M. Figart, Richard Stockton College; Donna Haig Friedman, McCormick Institute; U. Mass, Boston; Janet Gornick, Baruch College; Suzanne Helburn, U. of Colorado; Jerry A. Jacobs, University of Pennsylvania; Donna Lenhoff, National Partnership for Women and Families; Marcia Meyers, Columbia University; Marilyn Moon, Urban Institute; Harriet Presser, University of Maryland; Harriet Presser, U. of Maryland; Lauren Sugerman, Chicago Women in the Traces; Leslie R. Wolfe, Center for Women Policy Studies; Wayne Vroman, Urban Institute and many more...

VISIT www.iwpr.org FOR MORE INFORMATION

Olivia O. Perry
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Washington, DC 20036
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THE TWELFTH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON WOMEN'S HEALTH ISSUES
Wilmington, North Carolina, U.S.A.
June 20-23, 2001

"WOMEN'S HEALTH: The Impact of Culture From Birth Through Death"
Co-Sponsored by the International Council on Women's Health Issues and the Gerontology Program, University of North Carolina at Wilmington.

For more information see:
http://www.uncwil.edu/people/covane/gerontology/icoahil.htm

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NOVA CONFERENCE
Edmonton, Alberta
August 19-24, 2001

Only once before in 1981, has the National Organization for Victims' Assistance held its conference outside of the United States. It's been 20 years and the time is right to bring Canadians and Americans together to share and learn from each other around the many facets of victim assistance.

This conference is for crime victims, their allies, advocates and justice system personnel everywhere.

The host planning committee is promising a conference that you'll never forget with top-notch presenters, key-note speakers, workshops and training sessions available throughout the week.

For additional information on Edmonton, Alberta, presenting a workshop, sponsorship opportunities, or you would like to volunteer, please contact:

2001 NOVA CONFERENCE
c/o Edmonton Police Service Victim Services Unit
9620-103A Avenue
Edmonton, Alberta T5H OH7
Tel: (780) 421-2383
Fax: (780) 421-2341

Toll free: 1-877-747-NOVA

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AWARD

THE ASSOCIATION FOR WOMEN IN PSYCHOLOGY'S ANNUAL LESBIAN PSYCHOLOGIES Unpublished Manuscript Award

Deadline: May 31, 2001

PURPOSE: The Association for Women in Psychology encourages theoretical and empirical scholarship that addresses the psychology of lesbians.

TOPICS: Unpublished manuscripts focusing on any topic relevant to the psychology of lesbians are invited.

ELIGIBILITY: An unpublished manuscript (e.g., conference paper, thesis, Dissertation, research paper) that has not been submitted for publication. Both sole and jointly authored papers are eligible. Manuscripts must be no more than 50 pages.

SUBMISSION: The following material must accompany submissions: Four copies of the manuscript, a cover sheet (including the author's name, address, phone number, and title of the paper) and two self-addressed stamped legal size envelopes. The author's name should not appear anywhere on the paper itself. Please send the above information to:

Jeanne L. Stanley, Ph.D.
University of Pennsylvania
3700 Walnut Street
Philadelphia, PA 19104
Tel: (215) 898-4171
E-mail: jstanley@gse.upenn.edu

A panel of reviewers will conduct a blind review of the manuscripts. Submissions will be evaluated on the basis of sound methodology, clarity of writing, and relevance to the advancement of the psychology of lesbians.

AWARD: The winner will be announced at the American Psychological Association convention in August.

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SWAP WELCOMES YOUR INPUT

The next newsletter will be printed in September, 2001. The deadline for submissions for the next newsletter is September 1, 2001.

Please send any items to the Newsletter Editor.
SWAP
Annual General Meeting
Agenda
Friday June 22
11:00 am to 12:25 pm

1. Approval of the agenda
2. Minutes of 2000 AGM
3. Presentation of the 2001 Distinguished Member Award: Joanne Gallivan
4. Presentation and report for the 2001 Student Paper Award and Student Travel Bursaries: Charlene Senn
5. Coordinator's report: Bonnie Long
6. Treasurer's report: Noreen Stuckless
7. Newsletter and Web Page report: Renee Cormier
8. Graduate Student Representative report: Nicola Brown
10. CPA Board Report Liaison: Mona Abbondanza
11. Div. 35 Monitor: Sandra Pyke
12. SWAP Institute Report: Joanne Gallivan & Nicola Brown
13. Proposed Executive Slate for 2001-2002

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Past Coordinator: Bonnie Long
Coordinator Elect: Elizabeth Church
Treasurer/Secretary: Noreen Stuckless
Newsletter Editor: Renee Cormier
Graduate Student Rep: Nicola Brown
Chair SWC: Olga Favreau
Student Paper and Travel Award Coordinator: Charlene Senn
Abstract Review Coordinator: Maria Gurevich

14. Other Business
   CPA Conference Evaluation (Joanne Gallivan)
15. Adjournment
### SWAP ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT (1 January 2000-31 December 2000)

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Submitted by Noreen Stuckless, Secretary-Treasurer, April 2001
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