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## CPA Journals Available On Line



**T**he Canadian Psychological Association's Executive Director, Dr. John Service, is pleased to announce that the three CPA journals are now available on line through a gateway accessible at [www.cpa.ca](http://www.cpa.ca).

At the present time, issues are being coded in SGML and added to the database as they are produced. The entire 1999 and 2000 volumes of the three journals published by CPA, Canadian Psychology (CP), Canadian Journal of Behavioural Science (CJBS) and Canadian Journal of Experimental Psychology (CJEP), are available on line. The objective is to have the issues from 1990 to the present added to the database as soon as possible.

"This is a project that we have worked on for several years and I am delighted to announce that we can offer this service to our members," said Dr. Service. "The CPA Website is a resource much appreciated by our membership and the public at-large. I am convinced that having our journals on line will make it even more appealing to our members."

In order to provide access to the journals on line, CPA created a secure site only accessible to its members and affiliates. In order to enter in the secure site, members must provide their last name and their CPA member number, as displayed on their membership renewal form. The membership number is also indi-

cated above the member's address, on the address sheet sent with Psynopsis.

"Our objective was to have the 'For Members' site up and running in January of this year, but the technical aspect proved to be a bit more complicated than anticipated," mentioned CPA Membership and Communication Coordinator, Ivan Parisien. "Although we are a few months late, we are pleased with the end result and anticipate that our members will appreciate the fact that the journal articles are fully searchable and can be easily accessed on the CPA Website."

The electronic journals will be available to members at no charge for the near future. The success of the program, both electronic and hard copy, will be evaluated on an on going basis. Your feedback is important. Please send comments to Ivan Parisien [iparisien@cpa.ca](mailto:iparisien@cpa.ca).

In addition to the access to journals on line, the CPA Membership Directory is also available to CPA Members within the secure site. This new feature allows members and affiliates to locate colleagues by searching by name or province of residence.

"It is not the first time that CPA makes its membership directory available on line, but past attempts were criticized because the information was not contained in a limited

access environment. With this secure site, only CPA members and affiliates can access the membership directory", concluded Mr. Parisien.

## Les revues de la SCP disponibles sur le Web

**L**e directeur général de la Société canadienne de psychologie, John Service, Ph.D., est heureux d'annoncer que les trois revues de la SCP sont désormais disponibles sur le site Web de la société à l'adresse [www.cpa.ca](http://www.cpa.ca).

Les numéros des volumes de l'année 2001 sont présentement codés en format SGML au fur et à mesure qu'ils sont publiés. Les numéros des années 1999 et 2000 des trois revues, soit Psychologie canadienne (PC), la Revue canadienne des sciences du comportement (RCSC) et la Revue canadienne de psychologie expérimentale (RCPE), sont présentement disponibles. L'objectif à court terme est d'ajouter les volumes des années 1990 à 1998 dans la banque de données.

« Nous avons travaillé sur ce projet durant plusieurs années et je suis vraiment ravi de pouvoir annoncer que nous offrons ce service à nos membres », a affirmé D' Service. « Le site Web de la SCP est une ressource très appréciée par nos membres et le grand

public. Je suis persuadé que nos membres seront encore plus attirés par notre site Web maintenant que nos revues sont accessibles en ligne. »

Afin d'offrir l'accès aux revues en ligne, la SCP a créé un site réservé à ses membres. L'accès y est contrôlée et seulement les membres actifs peuvent accéder aux revues en fournissant leur nom de famille et leur numéro de membre indiqué sur le renouvellement annuel. Le numéro de membre est également indiqué sur la page qui accompagne Psynopsis, au-dessus de l'adresse du membre.

« Notre objectif était d'avoir un site réservé aux membres fonctionnel en janvier 2001 mais des difficultés

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## On My Way Out...

JAMES OGLOFF, Ph.D. – President

**I** can hardly believe that this is my final column as CPA President. Even more unbelievable to me than my term as President drawing to a close is that I am also preparing to leave Canada.

For those of you who don't know me – and that is most of you – I'm very big on Canada. I attended law school and graduate school in the United States and I was constantly singing the praises of our great country. I've even been known to write the *New York Times* to set the record straight on matters that pertain to Canada. Nonetheless, I have accepted a position at Monash University and the Victorian Institute for Forensic Mental Health in Melbourne, Australia and my family and I will make the big move later in the fall.

As I am preparing to leave the CPA Presidency and, indeed, the country, I have some reflections that I thought might be worth sharing with you. They are more than reflections, really. They are points of concern. My concern centres around our over-reliance on American psychology.

From the point of view of scholarship, American psychology tends to dominate our thinking and our work. In my own work, which by its very nature focusses on Canadian law or comparative law matters, American reviewers often note that we should drop the Canadian law and add more about American law. For example, a doctoral student (who is also a lawyer) and I just had a paper accepted in a leading journal in law and psychology. The paper is about jury instructions and we provided background on the legal importance of ensuring that jurors understand the law as instructed by the judge. One of the reviewers wrote that "I would drop the two paragraphs on the Canadian Charter...." Can you imagine a Canadian suggesting to an American that they drop a discussion of the Bill of Rights in a legally relevant paper? Even more, can you imagine the reaction the American authors would have to such a suggestion, made by a Canadian?

More important, perhaps, than our (over-)reliance on American psychology in our scholarship, is our reliance on the Americans in our training and in our professional and collegial psychological organization. In an excellent article that appeared in *Canadian Psychology* in November 2000 (Vol. 41:4, 230-243), Dr. Marilyn Bowman articulates the frustration so many Directors of Clinical Training experience

when going through the APA accreditation process and being faced with dealing with such matters as how we address "cultural and individual differences and diversity." Dr. Bowman notes that many aspects of our culture as Canadians should be taken into account in our accommodation to APA accreditation standards.

For the past six years, the CPA Accreditation Panel has worked hard to develop a model of reciprocal accreditation with the APA Committee on Accreditation. The CPA Panel has undertaken this work largely because many of the doctoral programs that are jointly accredited by CPA and APA have demanded such an approach (some programs even stated, for example, that if forced with a choice, they would seek APA accreditation and drop CPA accreditation). At perhaps the most uncomfortable professional meeting I have ever attended, the CPA Accreditation Panel was told, in no uncertain terms, by the Chair of the APA Committee on Accreditation, that the Committee unanimously rejected our request for a model of reciprocal accreditation. When pressed, we learned that the real reason for the reluctance to move toward a model of reciprocal accreditation was based not on legal reasons, or on matters of principle, but because of the "values" of the APA giving up autonomy.

Why, one wonders, would Canadians care to have our programs or internships "APA Accredited?" Why indeed. The fact is that we do have three doctoral programs that are CPA accredited, but not APA accredited. When talking to the clinical directors of those programs, one learns that their students do get internships in the US and are competitive for academic jobs in the US. Similarly, model licensing statutes for psychologists in the US recognize APA or CPA accreditation. Given that I am in the process of immigrating to Australia, I have just completed the licensing process there. Rather than focussing on accreditation, the licensing board carefully examined my transcripts, training, and experience to determine that I was competent to practice psychology.

Finally, one observation I

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## Mes adieux...

JAMES OGLOFF, Ph.D. – Président

**J'**ai peine à croire que je signe mon dernier article comme président de la SCP. Mais il y a encore plus difficile à croire que la fin de mon mandat : mon départ imminent du Canada.

Pour ceux et celles qui ne me connaissent pas, et c'est la majorité d'entre vous, sachez que le Canada m'est très cher. J'ai fait mon droit aux États-Unis et je ne tarissais pas d'éloges pour notre grand pays. D'aucuns me connaissent pour les articles que j'ai publiés dans le *New York Times* et dans lesquels je fais le point sur des questions qui touchent le Canada. J'ai néanmoins accepté un poste à la Monash University et au Victorian Institute for Forensic Mental Health à Melbourne, en Australie. Ma famille et moi iront s'y établir à l'automne.

Tandis que je me prépare à quitter la présidence de la SCP et le Canada, je me fais certaines réflexions dont j'aimerais vous faire part. En fait, il ne s'agit pas seulement de réflexions. Mon propos porte principalement sur notre dépendance excessive envers la psychologie américaine.

Sur le plan de la connaissance, la psychologie américaine tend à dominer notre façon de penser et nos travaux. Dans mon propre travail, qui porte de par sa nature profonde sur le droit canadien ou sur des questions de droit comparées, les examinateurs américains font souvent observer qu'on devrait délaissier le droit canadien au profit du droit américain. Par exemple, un article rédigé par un étudiant au doctorat (également avocat) et par moi venait tout juste d'être accepté dans une revue de droit et de psychologie faisant autorité. L'article a trait à l'exposé du juge au jury et contient de l'information de base sur l'importance juridique de veiller à ce que les jurés comprennent la loi conformément aux instructions du juge. L'un des examinateurs écrit : « Je laisserais tomber les deux paragraphes sur la Charte canadienne (...) ». Imaginez un Canadien suggérant à un Américain de laisser tomber une discussion sur la Déclaration des droits dans un document à saveur juridique! Pis encore, imaginez la réaction des auteurs américains à une telle suggestion venant d'un Canadien!

Il y a peut-être plus important encore que notre dépendance (excessive) envers la psychologie américaine : il y a notre dépendance envers les Américains pour ce qui est de la formation et de l'organisation professionnelle et des regroupements de collègues. Dans un excellent article paru dans *Psychologie canadienne* en

novembre 2000 (vol. 41:4, 230-243), Dr. Marilyn Bowman parle de la frustration qu'éprouvent bon nombre de directeurs de la formation clinique à cause du processus d'agrément de l'APA et de l'obligation d'expliquer, entre autres, comment on tient compte des différences culturelles et individuelles ainsi que de la diversité. Dr. Bowman fait remarquer que maints aspects de notre culture au Canada devraient être pris en compte dans notre adaptation aux normes d'agrément de l'APA.

Depuis six ans, le Jury d'agrément de la SCP s'emploie à élaborer un modèle d'agrément réciproque avec le comité d'agrément de l'APA. Le Jury de la SCP a entrepris ce travail principalement parce que beaucoup de programmes doctoraux conjointement agréés par la SCP et l'APA exigent un tel modèle (dans certains programmes, il est même prévu, par exemple, que si un choix s'imposait entre l'agrément de l'APA et celui de la SCP, c'est sur l'APA que le choix s'arrêterait). À la réunion professionnelle peut-être la plus embarrassante à laquelle j'aie assisté, le président du comité d'agrément de l'APA a indiqué au Jury d'agrément de la SCP, en termes non équivoques, que le comité avait rejeté à l'unanimité notre demande de modèle d'agrément réciproque. En insistant, nous avons fini par savoir que la véritable raison reposait non pas sur des considérations juridiques, ni sur des questions




de principe, mais sur la perte d'autonomie des « valeurs » de l'APA.

On peut alors se demander pourquoi les Canadiens se soucieraient-ils de faire agréer leurs programmes ou stages par l'APA? Pourquoi donc. Le fait est que nous avons trois programmes doctoraux qui sont agréés par la SCP, mais non par l'APA. Quand on parle aux directeurs cliniques de ces programmes, on apprend que les étudiants obtiennent des stages aux États-Unis et sont qualifiés pour des emplois dans des universités américaines. De façon analogue, les règles d'agrément du modèle applicables aux psychologues aux États-Unis reconnaissent l'agrément accordé par l'APA ou par la SCP. Comme je m'apprette à émigrer en Australie, je viens tout juste de franchir les étapes pour obtenir l'autorisation d'exercer là-bas. Au lieu de mettre l'accent sur l'agrément, le jury d'évaluation des candidats a soigneusement examiné mon dossier, ma formation et mon expérience pour déterminer si j'étais apte à exercer la psychologie.

Enfin, je dois signaler que, comme membres d'ordres professionnels et d'associations de psychologues, nous sommes trop prompts à opter pour des organismes américains au lieu d'œuvrer à solidifier nos propres liens canadiens. Plusieurs provinces sont affiliées à l'APA, 2 700 Canadiens en sont membres et bon nombre d'entre nous

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## T R I B U N E

## U of C Board Chair announces seventh president

**T**he Chair of the University of Calgary's Board of Governors, Ted Newall, announced today the appointment of Dr. Harvey Weingarten as the U of C's next president. Dr. Weingarten will assume his official duties at the University on September 1, 2001.

A distinguished scholar and researcher in the fields of psychology and medicine, he currently serves as McMaster University's Provost and Vice-President Academic.

Dr. Weingarten's appointment as the U of C's seventh president follows a five-month national search to fill the position, guided by a committee of 14 individuals representing the University's Board of Governors, Office of the Chancellor, General Faculties Council, and student and alumni associations. The search process attracted the interest of numerous exceptional candidates from universities across Canada.

The search committee presented its findings during a March 30 meeting of the U of C Board of Governors, recommending Dr. Weingarten for the position. After careful consideration of the presentation, the Board unani-

mously agreed to accept the committee's recommendation.

"I am delighted at the Board's decision to appoint Harvey Weingarten," says Mr. Newall. "He brings to the U of C a sound academic background, an outstanding research record, and a wealth of experience in university leadership. I also commend the search committee for its tireless efforts these past five months. In all my years of professional life, in corporations and other settings, I have never seen a more thorough process."

U of C Chancellor Mr. Jack Perraton, a member of the search committee, also welcomed the decision to appoint Dr. Weingarten to the position. "I am confident that Harvey Weingarten, with all our help, will quickly become not only an excellent leader of the academy, but also an effective ambassador and a powerful advocate for our

university," says Mr. Perraton.

A native of Montreal, Dr. Weingarten holds degrees from McGill University and Yale University. After joining McMaster University as a member of faculty in 1979, he went on to become Chair of McMaster's Department of Psychology in 1989, full professor in 1990, and Dean of that university's Faculty of Science in 1995. The following year he was named McMaster University's Provost and Vice-President Academic.

"After learning about the U of C and the city, the decision to come to Calgary became easy," says Dr. Weingarten. "There is a sense of adventure, optimism and commitment to excellence that is remarkably engaging and infectious. I look forward to working with all members of the community, both inside and outside the University of Calgary, to build a truly great university that serves our society and students well."

Dr. Weingarten succeeds Dr. Terry White as President of the University. Dr. White, who has served the U of C as President since 1996, will step down from the position on July 31, 2001.



Dr. Harvey Weingarten

## Letters to the Editor

The Tribune is an open forum for Members of the Canadian Psychological Association and readers of *Psynopsis*. In every issue of *Psynopsis* on Page 3, the Tribune gives you the opportunity to express your views and opinions. Letters should not exceed 200 words. We will publish letters of more than 200 words, space permitting.

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## Lettres à l'éditeur

La Tribune est une page où les membres de la Société canadienne de psychologie et les lectrices et lecteurs de *Psynopsis* peuvent exprimer leur opinion. À la page 3 de chacun des numéros de *Psynopsis*, la Tribune vous permet d'émettre vos commentaires et de faire valoir votre point de vue. Nous vous encourageons à soumettre des lettres de moins de 200 mots. Les lettres de plus de 200 mots seront publiées selon l'espace disponible.

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## Web

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techniques sont venues contre-carrer nos plans », a indiqué le coordonnateur des communications et services aux membres, Ivan Parisien. « Malgré ce retard de quelques mois, nous sommes confiants que nos membres apprécieront ce nouveau service et le fait que les revues sont faciles d'accès à même notre site web. »

Les revues en ligne seront accessibles sans frais pour les membres de la SCP durant une période encore indéterminée. Le succès du programme, incluant les revues imprimées et celles disponibles en ligne, sera évalué sur une base continue. Vos com-

mentaires sont très importants et nous vous invitons à les communiquer à Ivan Parisien à l'adresse iparisien@cpa.ca.

En plus des revues, la SCP offre aussi l'accès au répertoire des membres. Ce service permet aux membres de la SCP de consulter les coordonnées de leurs collègues et facilitera les communications entre les membres.

« Ce n'est pas la première fois que la SCP affiche le répertoire de ses membres sur le Web. Auparavant, le répertoire était à la portée de tous les visiteurs de notre site Web et certains membres avaient manifesté leur désapprobation. Ainsi, nous offrons le répertoire des membres dans un site réservé exclusivement aux membres de la Société », a ajouté M. Parisien.

## Mentors francophones

La SCP a besoin de mentors francophones pour son Programme de mentorat. L'information au sujet du Programme se trouve sur le site web de la SCP au [www.cpa.ca/mentoring\\_fr.html](http://www.cpa.ca/mentoring_fr.html). Pour de plus amples renseignements, veuillez communiquer avec Marie-Christine Pearson au [mpearson@cpa.ca](mailto:mpearson@cpa.ca) ou au 1-888-472-0657 poste 29.

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## Psychologists are Succeeding in the New CIHR

PATRICK McGRATH, Ph.D. - Leader, Science

**I** recently asked Mark Bisby, the Director of Programs at the Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) to help me find data on how psychologists are doing in the new CIHR. The question is simple but the data are hard to get because psychologists are so diverse and work in so many different university departments and the CIHR data base is not the best. But we did find some interesting results.

Of the 19 Community Alliances in Health Research, at least 4 were led by psychologists. These grants combine academic researchers with a community partner and are granted for up to 5 years. Bonnie Leadbeater of the Psychology Department at the University of Victoria was awarded \$2.07 million to reduce risk of injury in children and adolescents. Renée Lyons of the Health Promotion Research Centre at Dalhousie University has \$653,000 for a study of chronic illness care in rural areas. Alan Best, Health Care and Epidemiology at University of British Columbia was awarded \$2.47 million to investigate co-ordinated health promotion and health services in midlife. Camil Bouchard in the Department of Psychology at Université du Québec à Montréal will receive \$2 million to study the development of children in their communities. Finally, a group that I head received \$1.9 million for our studies on distance treatment of primary care mental health problems. Psychologists are also co-investigators on several other of these grants.

Several of the New Opportunities grants that were developed for networking of researchers had strong participation by psychologists. For example, Mike Murray in the Medical School at Memorial in Newfoundland headed a group on training of community health psychology and Adrienne Witol was the principal investigator on a workshop on pediatric acquired brain injury.

On the career investigator side, psychologists have also done well. Ken Craig of UBC is a CIHR Senior Scientist, Mick Sullivan of Dalhousie and Wendy Craig of Queen's are CIHR Investigators. Tara MacDonald of Queen's, Natalie

Phillips of Concordia, Josée Savard of Laval and J.D. Crawford of York University were awarded CIHR New Investigators Awards. The CIHR also pays most of my salary as a Distinguished Scientist. I found 31 doctoral fellowships and 4 post doctoral fellowships awarded to psychology students in the CIHR competitions.

Psychologists must make the most of these early victories in the CIHR funding stakes. Psychological research has a great deal to contribute to the health of Canadians. We need to make sure psychological health research is funded.

My impression is that although many psychologists hold regular grants from the CIHR, psychologists are proportionately not as well represented in the regular grants as in special competitions or personnel awards. This may reflect the new orientation of the CIHR compared to the old Medical Research Council. Psychologists may not yet be aware that the CIHR is a potential funder for their area. It may also reflect the long standing problems of too much negative peer review in some committees, such as the Psychosocial and Behavior Committee, where psychology grants are often reviewed. It may be that psychologists are reluctant to submit grants because they fear they will not get a fair review. We need to increase the number of psychology grants applications to the CIHR. We also need to be vigilant to make peer review both well done and fair. We should be appropriately generous to our fellow psychologists when we review their grants.

The new CIHR structure provides us with the opportunity to make contributions. Let's make sure we participate.

## Place de choix dans les nouveaux ICRS

PATRICK McGRATH, Ph.D. - Chef, science

**J'**ai récemment demandé à Mark Bisby, directeur des programmes dans les Instituts canadiens de recherche en santé (ICRS), de m'aider à trouver des données sur les résultats qu'obtiennent les psychologues dans les nouveaux ICRS. La question n'est pas compliquée, mais les données sont difficiles à obtenir, car les psychologues ne forment pas un groupe homogène et sont répartis dans de nombreuses universités; de plus, la base de données des ICRS laisse à désirer. Nous avons quand même trouvé des résultats intéressants.



Parmi les 19 alliances communautaires dans le domaine de la recherche en santé, au moins quatre avaient à leur tête un psychologue. Les subventions sont accordées pour une période d'au plus cinq ans à des chercheurs en milieu universitaire auxquels s'est joint un partenaire de la collectivité. Bonnie Leadbeater, du département de psychologie de la University of Victoria, s'est vu ainsi accorder 2,07 millions de dollars pour réduire les risques de blessure chez les enfants et les adolescents. Renée Lyons, du Health Promotion Research Centre de la Dalhousie University, a reçu 653 000 dollars pour réaliser une étude sur les soins offerts à des malades chroniques dans les régions rurales. Alan Best, de Health Care and Epidemiology à la University of British Columbia, a obtenu 2,47 millions de dollars pour effectuer des recherches sur les services coordonnés de santé et de promotion de la santé offerts aux personnes dans la force de l'âge. Camil Bouchard, du département de psychologie de l'Université du Québec à Montréal, recevra deux millions de dollars pour étudier le développement des enfants dans leurs collectivités. Pour ma part, le groupe que je dirige a reçu 1,9 million de dollars pour des études sur le traitement à distance des problèmes de santé mentale. Des psychologues sont aussi membres de groupes de chercheurs bénéficiant de plusieurs autres subventions.

Plusieurs des subventions Nouvelle chance destinées au réseautage des chercheurs profitent à de nombreux psychologues. Ainsi, Mike Murray (Medical School de l'université Memorial à Terre-Neuve) a dirigé un groupe sur la formation en matière de psychologie de la santé communautaire et Adrienne Witol était chercheuse principale dans un atelier sur les lésions cérébrales acquises chez les enfants.

En ce qui concerne les chercheurs de carrière, les psychologues ne laissent pas non plus leur place. Ken Craig (UBC) est scientifique principal d'un ICRS, et Mick Sullivan (Dalhousie) et Wendy Craig (Queen), chercheurs. Tara MacDonald (Queen), Natalie Phillips (Concor-

dia), Josée Savard (Laval) et J.D. Crawford (York) se sont vus attribués les prix des nouveaux chercheurs des ICRS. Ceux-ci paient également la majeure partie de mon salaire en tant qu'éminent scientifique. En tout, 31 bourses de doctorat et quatre bourses postdoctorales ont été accordées à des étudiants en psychologie dans les concours des ICRS.

Les psychologues doivent tirer parti le plus possible de ces premières victoires dans l'arène du financement des ICRS. Les recherches en psychologie peuvent contribuer grandement à la santé des Canadiens. C'est pourquoi il faut veiller au financement des recherches en santé menées par le secteur de la psychologie.

J'ai l'impression que même si bien des psychologues reçoivent régulièrement des subventions des ICRS, ils ne sont pas proportionnellement représentés au chapitre des concours spéciaux ou des prix personnels. Cela découle peut-être de la nouvelle orientation des ICRS par rapport à celle de l'ancien Conseil de recherches médicales. Les psychologues ne savent peut-être pas encore qu'ils peuvent obtenir une aide financière des ICRS. C'est peut-être aussi attribuable aux problèmes qui perdurent relativement à l'évaluation négative par les pairs au sein de certains comités, dont le comité de la recherche psychosociale et comportementale, où les subventions en psychologie font souvent l'objet d'une évaluation. C'est peut-être que les psychologues hésitent à soumettre des demandes de subvention parce qu'ils craignent de ne pas avoir droit à une évaluation équitable. Les psychologues doivent présenter en plus grand nombre des demandes de subvention aux ICRS. Il faut aussi être vigilants pour que les évaluations par les pairs soient bien faites et équitables. Nous devrions faire preuve de la générosité qui convient envers nos collègues psychologues quand nous évaluons leurs demandes.

La nouvelle structure des ICRS nous permet d'apporter notre concours. Il n'en tient qu'à nous de nous y investir.

## Avis de convocation de l'Assemblée générale annuelle

La soixante et deuxième Assemblée générale annuelle des membres de la Société canadienne de psychologie se tiendra à Sainte-Foy, Québec, le vendredi 22 juin 2001, à 17h au Pavillon De Koninck de l'Université Laval.

Les principaux sujets à l'ordre du jour seront:

1. Recevoir et étudier le rapport annuel du président et des comités de la Société ainsi que l'approbation du procès-verbal de l'Assemblée générale annuelle précédente;
2. Recevoir et étudier les états financiers de la Société, le rapport des vérificateurs et tout changement en matière de cotisations des membres et affiliés;
3. Nomination de vérificateurs;

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## P R A T I C E - P R A T I Q U E

## The Socialization of Professional Psychologists

SAM MIKAIL, Ph.D. - Leader, Practice

**P**rofessional psychology has much to offer society. As scholars of human behaviour we have contributed a wealth of knowledge on a broad spectrum of topics of relevance to our fellow citizens.

Why then do we continue to struggle for adequate support when it comes to funding services and research? I would suggest that the problem originates partly within the profession. Although the socialization of professional psychologists depends largely on the culture and politics of a given training program some commonality are evident. As an illustration let me offer a recent experience that is all too frequent.

The institution in which I work receives referrals from across Canada, the US and other English speaking countries. Most of our clients have had previous psychological treatment and most require ongoing outpatient service after completing our program. As a consequence my colleagues and I read psychological reports, assessment summaries, and diagnostic statements from all over the world. Similarly, a broad assembly of health providers reads our reports. Our assessments are truly multidisciplinary in construction and composition. They involve five days of testing, interviewing, and observation by a psychologist, psychiatrist, spiritual director, nurse, and addiction counsellor. The data include standardized measures as well as an opportunity to observe the interpersonal behaviours of the individual in a relatively naturalistic setting. The psychologist is responsible for synthesizing the data, preparing the report and offering two feedback sessions; the first with the client and the second with the client and the client's religious superior. The feedback sessions are part assessment and part intervention. As a validity

check, the client and religious superior are asked if the description being offered resonates with their experience. Recently one of our most senior psychologists was involved in one such assessment. The report included several recommendations with which the client took issue (although the client and superior agreed on the personality dynamics that were described). The client took the report to a consultant psychologist in the home community in search of a "second" opinion. The consultant psychologist was highly critical of the report and dismissed it outright. The consultant psychologist is a senior clinician and academic involved in teaching assessment to clinical psychology graduate students.

It has been my experience that this occurrence is endemic, much to the detriment of the profession. It reflects dialectic within the field. On the one hand we are taught to recognize the limits of our knowledge and to be tentative in our conclusions. Yet, we seem to be surrounded by colleagues that hold the view that theirs is the most accurate perspective. The profession is characterized by paralyzing self-deprecation and false humility, yet we narrowly attack each other's work. We are socialized to be self-doubting and suspicious of the quality of other's work. The latter attitude is often witnessed in academic colloquia, professional workshops, and grant and journal reviews. This is a most unfortunate part of our heritage. I fear that as national and provincial associations and regulatory bodies come together for the purpose of discussing how

best to organize psychology in Canada, such an attitude will prevail. I hope that I am wrong; what's at stake is too important.

We have invested considerable resources (financial and intellectual) in defining standards for the training of professional psychologists. We can

take pride in an accreditation system that ensures that our graduates are highly skilled and competent. Similarly, we have a code of ethics that has served as a model for other professional associations within and outside of Canada. It is based on a set of values that respect the dignity of

the individual while recognizing a commitment to the common good. These are two essential pillars of the profession. I would suggest that we are in need of yet a third pillar - an exhaustive debate and discussion on the socialization of psychologists.

## La socialisation des psychologues professionnels

SAM MIKAIL, Ph.D. - Chef, pratique

**L**a psychologie professionnelle a beaucoup à offrir à la société. Comme spécialistes du comportement humain, nous avons enrichi les connaissances sur un large éventail de sujets intéressant les citoyens.

Pourquoi alors continuer de lutter pour obtenir une aide financière appropriée pour les services et la recherche? Je penserais que le problème est en partie attribuable à la profession. Bien que la socialisation de psychologues professionnels repose en grande partie sur la culture et la politique relatives à un programme de formation donné, une certaine banalisation s'impose avec évidence. Pour illustrer mon propos, permettez-moi de vous faire part d'une expérience récente, hélas beaucoup trop fréquente.

Des clients provenant du Canada, des États-Unis et d'autres pays anglophones sont orientés vers l'établissement où je travaille. La plupart d'entre eux ont déjà reçu des traitements de psychologie et ont besoin de services externes continus au terme de notre programme. Mes collègues et moi lisons donc des rapports de psychologie, des résumés d'évaluation et des rapports de diagnostic de partout dans le monde. De façon analogue, maints fournisseurs de services de santé lisent nos rapports. Nos évaluations sont véritablement multidisciplinaires sur le plan de l'élaboration et de la composition. Elles reposent sur cinq jours de tests, d'entrevues et d'observation effectués par un psychologue, un psychiatre, un directeur spirituel, une infirmière et un conseiller en toxicomanie. Les données sont établies au moyen de mesures normalisées; il est également possible d'observer les comportements interpersonnels dans un milieu relativement naturel. Le psychologue est

chargé de synthétiser les données, de rédiger le rapport et d'animer deux séances de rétroaction: la première avec le client et la seconde avec le client et son supérieur. Les séances de rétroaction ont deux volets: l'évaluation et l'intervention. Comme contrôle de validité, on demande au client et au supérieur religieux si la description offerte correspond à leur expérience. Récemment, l'un des psychologues principaux a participé à une évaluation du genre. Le rapport comprenait plusieurs recommandations qu'a contestées le client (même si lui et le supérieur s'entendaient sur la dynamique de personnalité qui y était décrite). Le client a présenté le rapport à un psychologue-conseil dans son milieu pour obtenir un « deuxième » avis. Le psychologue-conseil, clinicien principal qui enseigne l'évaluation à des étudiants diplômés en psychologie clinique, a sévèrement critiqué le rapport et l'a rejeté d'emblée.

Cette situation est, selon mon expérience, endémique; la plupart du temps, elle nuit à la profession. Elle reflète la dialectique dans le domaine. D'une part, on nous apprend à reconnaître les limites de notre savoir et à tirer des conclusions non définitives. D'autre part, il semble que nous soyons entourés de collègues qui affirment détenir les points de vue les plus exacts. L'auto-désapprobation et une fausse humilité paralysantes caractérisent la profession, bien que nous nous attaquions de façon bornée aux travaux les uns des autres. On nous apprend à douter de la qualité de nos



travaux et de ceux d'autrui. On peut souvent observer cette attitude dans les colloques, les ateliers professionnels et les révisions d'articles et de demandes de subvention. C'est là une partie de notre héritage fort peu reluisante. Je crains que cette attitude n'entache les rapports qui s'établissent entre les associations nationales et provinciales et les organismes de réglementation qui se réuniront pour discuter de l'organisation de la psychologie au Canada. J'espère me tromper parce que les enjeux sont trop importants.

Nous avons investi des ressources considérables (financières et intellectuelles) dans l'élaboration de normes régissant la formation des psychologues professionnels. Nous pouvons être fiers du système d'agrément selon lequel les étudiants diplômés sont hautement qualifiés et compétents. Nous disposons également d'un code de déontologie qui sert de modèle à d'autres associations professionnelles au Canada et ailleurs. Ce code repose sur un ensemble de valeurs qui respectent la dignité de l'être humain et qui veillent du même coup à l'intérêt commun. Il s'agit de deux piliers essentiels de la profession. Je crois cependant que nous avons besoin d'un troisième pilier: un débat exhaustif sur la socialisation des psychologues.

## Notice of the Annual General Meeting

The sixty-second Annual General Meeting of the members of the Canadian Psychological Association will be held in Sainte-Foy, Québec on Friday, June 22nd, 2001 at 5:00 p.m., in the De Koninck Hall of l'Université Laval for the purposes of:

1. Receiving and considering the annual report of the President and Committees of the Association, and approving the minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting;
2. Receiving and considering the financial statements, the report of the Auditor and any change in Membership and Affiliation Fees;
3. Appointing an Auditor;

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, on the fifteenth day of March 2001.

John C. Service, Ph.D.



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# Convention Planning: Who Does What?

JENNIFER A. VEITCH, Ph.D. - Convention Committee Chair

**T**his is - for the Convention Committee - the quiet time of year, when the schedule for this year's convention is set, letters have been sent to submitting authors, and we wait for the convention itself to take place. There isn't news for me to report, which gives me an opportunity to explain how the Convention Committee and the Convention Office work together to organize each year's annual meeting of Canadian psychologists.

The Convention Committee is a standing committee of the CPA Board of Directors. Chaired by a Director, it falls under the aegis of the Education and Training Area Leader on the Board. Sometimes, but not always (and not at present), these two positions may be held by the same person. The members of the Convention Committee represent a wide spectrum of Canadian psychologists, and include scientists, practitioners, scientist-practitioners, academics, and a student representative. The Committee's job is to provide oversight to the Convention Office, to make policy recommendations to the Board about the convention, to decide on the invited speakers' list for each convention, and to make recommendations to the Board concerning future convention sites. A subcommittee of the Convention Committee estab-

lishes the preliminary convention programme at an all-day meeting in late January. Most of the members of the Scheduling subcommittee are not members of the main committee because they all must come from the Ottawa area, whereas the Convention Committee is drawn from across the country. The Convention Committee meets in-person once a year, at the end of each convention; the rest of the work takes place by e-mail, fax, and phone.

The Convention Office is where the year-round, day-to-day work of organizing the convention takes place. Kathy Lachapelle-Petrin is the Convention Co-ordinator, and Marlene Kealey is her assistant. We all owe them both a debt of gratitude for their unending hard work and unfailing good humour. You might never have met them, but if you have sub-

mitted to or attended a convention, you've benefited from their work. We're blessed with dedicated staff, so please be nice to them! We can't afford to lose any of them.

Much of Marlene's work relates to the convention program: taking in all our submissions, organizing and collating them to go out to the Sections for review, receiving the reviews from Sections, preparing the lists of accepted presentations (and the lengthy list of other meetings and events that are part of the convention programme) for the Scheduling subcommittee meeting, and sending decision letters to all authors. Part of the Abstracts production is her responsibility. She also manages convention registrations, both in advance and on-site.

Kathy pulls the whole thing together, managing the convention budget, making arrangements with the site and all the suppliers (everything from AV through translation, catering, accommodations, display equipment...), dealing with exhibitors, advertising, invited speakers, Abstracts production, room assignments and requirements, and logistics (to give just a par-



tion in Psynopsis and in the CPA archives. Throughout the year, the convention and the entire association benefit from the excellent financial management of Mary Franklin.

You'll notice that I haven't said anything yet about how the actual convention programme comes about. That's because neither the Convention Committee nor the Convention Office directs the basic programme: We all do, by choosing to submit our work to present to our colleagues. Then, the Sections undertake their own blind review process to form convention programmes in their various areas. If there is a topic that you think should be addressed in a convention session, the person to contact is the relevant Section Chair, who will probably ask you to make a submission.

If there are aspects of convention organisation or arrangements that you think we do well, or that we could do better, there are two ways in which to register your opinions: write or phone me (jennifer.veitch@nrc.ca, or (613)-993-9671), or respond to the convention evaluation that will be conducted later this year.

tial list). Arrangements for each year begin several years in advance, so her job requires a juggling act. Among the most challenging parts of her job (at least as I observe it) is managing the sometimes inconvenient demands and requests of Board and committee members!

Kathy and Marlene are joined at convention time by other Head Office staff. Marie-Christine Pearson, the Executive Assistant, acts as recording secretary for the Board meetings and Annual General Meeting and is responsible for the preparations for those meetings. Ivan Parisien, our Publications and Membership co-ordinator, meets at convention time with the journal editorial boards and assists in staffing the CPA booth at the convention. Ann-Marie Plante assists with registration and in the booth, as well as acting as the CPA Photographer, making a record of each convention for publica-

## Planification du congrès : qui fait quoi?

JENNIFER A. VEITCH, Ph.D. - Présidente du Comité du congrès

**P**our le Comité du congrès, cette période-ci de l'année est tranquille : le calendrier du congrès est établi, les lettres ont été envoyées aux auteurs qui ont proposé des documents, et nous n'attendons plus que le congrès. Je n'ai aucune nouvelle à vous communiquer. Je peux donc vous expliquer comment le Comité et le Bureau du congrès unissent leurs efforts pour organiser l'assemblée annuelle des psychologues canadiens.

Le Comité du congrès est un comité permanent du Conseil d'administration de la SCP. Présidé par un directeur, il relève du chef du portefeuille de l'éducation et de la formation qui siège au Conseil. Parfois (sauf à l'heure actuelle), la même personne peut occuper ces deux postes. Les membres du Comité du congrès représentent un large éventail de psychologues au Canada, notamment les praticiens, les scientifiques, les scientifiques-praticiens, les universitaires et les étudiants. Le Comité a pour mandat d'exercer une surveillance pour le Bureau du congrès, de présenter au Conseil des recommandations au sujet du congrès, de dresser la liste des conférenciers invités et de recommander au Conseil le lieu des futurs congrès. Un sous-comité établit le programme préliminaire à l'occasion d'une

réunion qu'il tient pendant toute une journée à la fin de janvier. La plupart des membres du sous-comité du calendrier ne sont pas membres du comité principal parce qu'ils doivent tous provenir de la région d'Ottawa, alors que les membres du Comité du congrès proviennent de partout au pays. Le Comité se réunit une fois l'an à la fin de chaque congrès; le reste du travail se fait par voie électronique, par télécopieur et par téléphone.

C'est au Bureau du congrès que s'accomplit tout le travail d'organisation du congrès pendant l'année. Kathy Lachapelle-Petrin est coordonnatrice du congrès, et Marlene Kealey, son adjointe. Nous leur sommes tous reconnaissants de leur interminable travail et de leur humour indéfectible. Il se peut que vous ne les ayez jamais rencontrés, mais si vous avez soumis un

document ou assisté à un congrès, vous avez bénéficié de leur travail. Nous avons la chance de pouvoir compter sur des employés dévoués. Alors soyez gentils avec eux! Nous ne pouvons nous permettre de perdre l'un d'eux.

La majeure partie du travail de Marlene a trait au programme du congrès : recevoir toutes nos communications et les réunir pour les envoyer aux sections pour étude, recevoir les révisions des Sections, dresser les listes des communications acceptées (ainsi que la longue liste des autres réunions et activités qui s'inscrivent dans le programme du congrès) à l'intention du sous-comité du calendrier et envoyer les lettres de décision à tous les auteurs. Marlene est en partie responsable du travail de production des résumés. Elle gère aussi les inscriptions au congrès, à l'avance et sur les lieux mêmes.

Pour sa part, Kathy assemble les morceaux du casse-tête. Elle gère le budget du congrès, fait les arrangements nécessaires avec les intéressés sur les lieux et les fournisseurs (audio-visuel, traduction, services de traiteur, hébergement, présentoirs, etc.). Elle traite avec les exposants et s'occupe de la publicité, des con-

férenciers invités, de la production des résumés, de l'attribution des salles et des exigences, de la logistique (et j'en passe). L'organisation de chaque congrès commence plusieurs années à l'avance. Le travail de Kathy s'apparente donc à celui du jongleur. Les aspects les plus exigeants de son travail (du moins comme j'ai pu l'observer) consistent à tenir compte des exigences et des demandes parfois inopportunes du Conseil et du Comité!

D'autres employés de la SCP se joignent à Kathy et à Marlene pendant la période du congrès. Marie-Christine Pearson, adjointe à la direction, fait office de secrétaire rédactrice aux réunions du Conseil et à l'assemblée générale annuelle. Elle s'occupe des préparatifs de ces réunions. Ivan Parisien, coordonnateur des publications et des services aux membres, rencontre les comités de rédaction des revues et contribue à la dotation du stand de la SCP au congrès. Anne-Marie Plante donne un coup de main pour les inscriptions et le stand, et agit à titre de photographe de la SCP; elle dresse un compte rendu de chaque congrès qui est publié dans Psynopsis et dans les archives de la SCP. Pendant l'année, le congrès et tout

l'organisme profitent de l'excellente gestion financière de Mary Franklin.

Vous remarquerez que je n'ai encore glissé mot au sujet du programme du congrès. La raison en est que ni le Comité ni le Bureau du congrès n'organisent le programme de base. C'est nous qui le faisons lorsque nous choisissons de soumettre nos travaux à nos collègues. Les Sections entreprennent ensuite le processus de révision anonyme pour constituer les programmes du congrès dans leurs divers domaines. S'il y a un sujet qui devrait être abordé, à votre avis, dans le cadre d'une séance, veuillez communiquer avec le président ou la présidente de la section concernée, qui vous demandera probablement de présenter une soumission.

Si vous jugez qu'il y a d'autres aspects de l'organisation du congrès ou arrangements dont nous nous occupons bien, ou que nous pourrions améliorer, faites-nous en part : écrivez-nous ou téléphonez-nous (jennifer.veitch@nrc.ca; (613) 993-9671). Vous pouvez aussi remplir la fiche d'évaluation du congrès plus tard au cours de l'année.

## NEWS

# Home Care and People with Psychiatric Disabilities: Needs and Issues

KAREN PARENT, MALCOLM ANDERSON AND BARBARA NEUWELT,  
Canadian Mental Health Association

**R**ecognizing the potential for publicly-funded home care to have a key role in meeting the needs of people with a serious mental illness, the Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA) undertook a national study to identify home care needs of adults aged 18 and over with a serious mental illness; to evaluate existing home care services; and to pilot and evaluate model programs in three national sites.

The national study was carried out by Karen Parent BSc, MSc, MPA and Malcolm Anderson PhD, of the Department of Rehabilitation Medicine, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, Canada. The pilot sites were coordinated by CMHA offices in each community.

Serious mental illness was operationally defined as: "A mental illness which disables people to the extent that it interferes with the activities of daily living, and which may be episodic, recurrent or persistent in nature, and may require a range of services and/or supports (e.g., schizophrenia, mood disorders, etc.)." Excluded in the definition were: Alzheimer's and other dementia.

A multiple methodology strategy was used to evaluate the existing approaches in home care for people with serious mental illness including a literature review; a survey of the local branches of the Canadian Mental Health Association (n = 150, 51% response) and a survey of home care organizations across the country (n = 365, 38.5% response); thirteen focus groups with people with serious mental illness and/or families in both rural and urban settings in 7 provinces; face-to-face and telephone interviews with key stakeholders in each province and territory (n = 142); and three pilot sites (Taber Alberta, Ottawa Ontario, St. John's Newfoundland) whose role was to analyze the home care issues in their respective communities and to emerge with an innovative model of practice to implement and evaluate.

## Significant Findings

The most significant findings of the study were that access is limited and existing services are not always appropriate. The provision of services to people with serious mental illness by publicly funded home care programs is variable across the country both within and between provinces. In many cases, those with serious mental illness are not eligible for home care unless their mental illness is a secondary diagnosis and they are admitted for a physical condition or developmental delay.

People with psychiatric dis-

abilities who do access the home care system find it does not always address their needs. Difficulties include: assessment tools that do not always assess appropriately, a lack of consistency in care providers (continuity of care), and a lack of flexibility in length of visits, length of time receiving services, types of services provided, and changes in services as client needs change. In addition, there is a lack of support for family caregivers, which compounds the problems of the consumer and compromises the health of the caregiver.

Barriers to creating accessible, appropriate services include: the lack of integration of home care and mental health services, a lack of leadership at the political level, and a lack of financial and human resources for home care organizations to provide the required services.

## Pilot Sites

The three pilot sites dealt with the needs and the barriers in a variety of ways.

St. John's developed an innovative model of home support, which went beyond the traditional prevention and maintenance functions of home care. The goal of intervention was to maximize client growth and recovery through continual assessment, client identification of dissatisfactions and goals, and interventions designed to increase confidence, develop self-awareness, teach skills, access community resources, and explore work, living, volunteer, social and recreation environments. The worker worked closely with an experienced mental health worker who provided ongoing education and support, as well as periodic formal reassessment of client needs.

Taber offered a similar model of home support and also developed an integrated model of home care and mental health. In this model a home care nurse, mental health services staff person and the client/family form a three-way partnership, developing one integrated service plan and a seamless system of care. In addition, a mental health worker worked closely with home care nurses offering case conferencing and training based on identified needs. This model is particularly valuable for rural communi-



ties and has been recommended by the Alberta Mental Health Board as a best practice in mental health services.

The Ottawa site and the St. John's site both worked with clients with highly complex needs. Ottawa's focus was people with physical and mental illness as well as a high risk of losing their housing. St. John's worked with a sub-group of people with mental illness who had been involved with the criminal justice system and required intensive home support in order to live successfully in the community. In both sites evaluations indicate that home support can be of critical value in reducing the extent of decompensation and institutionalization, as well as increasing quality of life of participants.

The Ottawa site was unique in that it did not change what services were delivered or how. Working within the existing constraints of the home care system, a mental health agency provided a "broker" to assess individuals, refer to home care and support home care staff to carry out appropriate assessments, service plans, and implementation. Home care staff and participants in the project both indicated that even services were delivered more effectively and the level of comfort of home support staff increased as a result of the mental health worker's support.

## Recommendations

The study recommends that home care organizations recognize psychiatric disabilities as legitimate criteria for access. Appropriate assessment tools should be used, which trigger a specialized psychiatric assessment to identify the unique needs of this population. It is recommended that one standardized national tool adopted.

People with serious mental illness should have access to a wide range of professional and home support services delivered in a flexible, and appropriate manner as identified by the individual. Services should be available regardless of the individual's living arrangements (their own apartment, with families, boarding house, shelters, not

housed), recognizing the need for a high degree of flexibility and innovation. It should be recognized that some individuals will have only a brief episode of care, others will require varying levels of support, and still others will require ongoing care and support.

The importance of home support services to this population must be recognized. Home support services are usually the first to be cut when funding for home care services does not match the need. For this population they are the most essential home care service. A wide range of services appropriate for the individual's stage of recovery should be available. For some home care organizations this means new services will need to be introduced, such as skill development, linking people to the outside community, confidence and esteem-building activities.

Consistency of provider and the building of relationships between provider and recipient of service should be facilitated. Home care organizations should be aware of the variety of languages and cultures in their communities and develop appropriate services and approaches. Services should be reviewed in collaboration with individuals with serious mental illness and families in order to determine if existing services are appropriate for this population and what new services can and should be developed.

Qualified professional and para-professional staff should be available to administer services to people with serious mental illness. Ideally such staff would be located within home care programs. Where that is not feasible, linkages should be made with case managers and staff in community mental health organizations. Education about the myth of violence of people with mental illness is essential to ensure that fears about safety are not exaggerated and to increase comfort levels of staff.

Home care programs should formalize and expand collaborative inter-agency approaches in order to overcome barriers to service access, provide effective care and support, and to ensure

the integration of home care with other services the individual is receiving. Depending on the jurisdiction as well as the complexity of the individuals' needs, appropriate integration can range from communication to collaboration to full integration of services.

Consumers should have a degree of choice in accepting services recommended, equal participation in care planning, influence over the operation and structure of service provision, and participate in system-wide policy and program planning. Family caregivers should be provided with appropriate supports that recognize their involvement in the care of the individual.

Additional funding should be provided to publicly-funded home care agencies to enhance existing service provision to people with serious mental illness and to increase access to this population. An accountability framework is needed to track the dispersion of money for home care services for people with serious mental illness. Ideally such a framework would track health dollars along the continuum of care from institution to community, and involve both home care and mental health systems. Protected budget lines for home care for people with serious mental illness, at least initially, would make it easier to track spending.

While many of the recommendations can be implemented by local health authorities and home care providers, national standards for home care are required to ensure that the needs of people with mental illness are addressed by home care planners across the country.

Evaluations of the pilot sites and data collected for the national study indicate that home care can make a significant difference in the lives of people with mental illness. While the study is not conclusive there are strong indications that the provision of home care services can support people to stay housed, decrease incidence of decompensation, and improve rates of recovery.

'Home Care and People with Psychiatric Disabilities: Needs and Issues' is available at [www.cmha.ca](http://www.cmha.ca) (click projects, then home care) or contact CMHA National at [neuwelt@cmha.ca](mailto:neuwelt@cmha.ca) or 416-484-7750 x243. Karen Parent, BSc, MSc, MPA, and Malcolm Anderson, PhD, are home care researchers with the Department of Rehabilitation Medicine at Queen's University. Barbara Newwelt is the Project Manager of the Canadian Mental Health Association National's home care projects."

## NEWS

# Accreditation Panel Update

RICHARD YOUNG (Chair) and KAREN COHEN (Registrar)

**D**uring the 2000-01 academic year, the Panel continues in its efforts to review its relationship on accreditation with APA and to examine the currency of accreditation with regulatory bodies, internship programmes and employers across North America. CPA and the Panel continue to address barriers to reciprocity with the Committee on Accreditation (CoA) of the APA and have been consulting with the Department of Education in D.C. which accredits the CoA as well as with the CoA's legal counsel and the CoA itself.

The readership might recall earlier updates in which we discussed an inquiry, received at head office, about the possibility of a doctoral programme, housed in a free-standing for profit school, being eligible for accreditation from the CPA. As explained, the Accreditation Criteria require that all doctoral programmes in professional psychology be housed in regionally accredited universities. The readership might also recall earlier updates in which we conveyed our understanding that the CoA is unwilling to pursue a reciprocity agreement with us. The Panel has asked the CoA to agree to a "Canada First" policy which would require a Canadian programme to obtain accreditation from the CPA as a condition to eligibility for accreditation from the CoA. The reason the Panel has been endeavouring to secure this agreement from the CoA is related to the proliferation of free-standing, for profit schools in professional psychology.

Under the current Memorandum of Understanding with the APA, a free-standing for profit professional school, located in Canada, could obtain accreditation from the CoA and operate in Canada even though it would not be eligible for accreditation by the CPA. We have surveyed our membership through the CCPPP and CCDP and received clear communication that, for reasons of accountability, quality, and market-place demand, programmes support university-based training. Without a "Canada First" policy, non-university based pro-

grammes could be accredited by the CoA while operating in Canada.

Although the CoA has indicated that it is unwilling to pursue a "Canada First" policy, delegates of the Panel and the CoA are to meet in Washington in June 2001 to review our Memorandum of Understanding. At this point, the Panel intends to continue in its pursuit of a changed relationship on accreditation with the CoA - one which will be a more efficient use of time and resource for our membership and for the Accreditation Office.

Concurrently, the CPA Accreditation Office has undertaken a survey of the American membership of the Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB), the Association of Psychology Postdoctoral and Internship Programs (APPIC), and the Council of University Directors of Clinical Psychology (CUDCP). Our essential queries of these associations were:

- Everything else being equal, would a graduate from a CPA accredited doctoral programme and/or internship be as competitive for a faculty or staff position as would a candidate from an APA-accredited programme?
- Everything else being equal, would a student from a CPA accredited doctoral programme be as competitive for an internship position as would a candidate from an APA-accredited programme?
- Would a graduate from a CPA-accredited doctoral and

internship programme be eligible for licensure in your jurisdiction?

Responses to our queries are still coming in and, once reviewed, will be shared with CPA accredited programmes. We can say thus far, however, that graduation from a CPA-accredited programme does not appear to render an applicant any less competitive than a graduate from an APA-accredited programme in obtaining an internship position, or a faculty or staff position as a psychologist in the U.S. Citizenship may certainly be an issue in some instances - the Veteran's hospitals only hire US citizens for example. The few responses we have received thus far from members of ASPPB suggest that although graduates from APA-accredited programmes might be fast-tracked by regulatory bodies in their credential review, there is no reason to suggest that the more comprehensive review required of foreign credentials

would result in a graduate from a CPA-accredited programme being determined ineligible for licensure in a US jurisdiction.

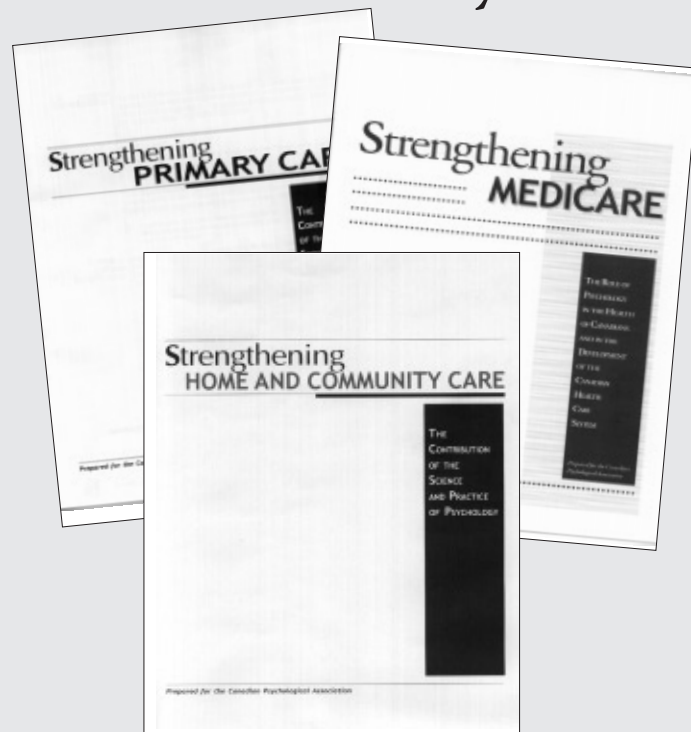
Once all the responses to our survey are received and results are reviewed, compiled and disseminated, the Panel may ask CPA-accredited programmes to re-consider the value of both CPA and APA accreditation. Clearly, there are national issues at stake - Canadian programmes should determine their own educational models and meet community standards of training which understand and recognize the uniqueness of our population and culture. These latter issues will be addressed by Drs. Young and Cohen as they join a Panel of Canadian and American Psychologists speaking on diversity in training and accreditation at the APA convention in August 2001.

Other accreditation business includes the Panel's pleasure in announcing that at its November 2000 meeting, it granted full

accreditation for five years to clinical psychology internship programmes at B.C. Children's Hospital, the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario, and the Grand River Hospital. The counselling psychology internship programme at the University of Manitoba also received full accreditation for five years. The doctoral programme in counselling psychology at McGill University received full accreditation for three years as did the doctoral programme in clinical psychology at the University of New Brunswick.

The Panel invites nominations for membership on the Panel for the 2001-02 academic year and solicits participation from psychologists to serve as site visitors. For information about either post, please contact Dr. Cohen at the CPA office. She can be reached daily at kcohen@cpa.ca The next meeting of the Panel is scheduled for May 5 and 6, 2001.

## Strengthening Home and Community Care



You will find *Strengthening Home and Community Care* in this edition of *Psynopsis*. It is the third in the *Strengthening* series. The purpose of the documents is to define psychological practice for health planners, politicians and the public.

You can help. So give the documents out freely. We have thousands of copies of each. Use them to inform and to enjoin a discussion about access to psychological services. They relate to both public and private practice. Multiple copies are available to other associations upon request. There is no charge. Contact Ann Marie Plante at [aplante@cpa.ca](mailto:aplante@cpa.ca) or 1-888-472-0657 ext 28.

## CPA Strikes Deal with the National Archives of Canada

The CPA has sought and received permission from the National Archives of Canada to post the Finding Aid for the papers of the Canadian Psychological Association on the Association's web site. Produced by the National Archives, the Finding Aid is a general index of the papers of the Canadian Psychological Association located at the National Archives of Canada. Once posted, researchers will be able to get a general sense as to what is contained among the papers of the Canadian Psychological Association and how to access the relevant documents quickly and efficiently.

Katalin Dzinan, CPA Historian

## NEWS - CPA AFFAIRS / AFFAIRES DE LA SCP

## ASPPB Announces EPPP Fee Will Stay in Canadian Dollars

**T**he Association of State and Provincial Psychology Boards (ASPPB) is pleased to announce that Canadian candidates for licensure will continue to pay the examination fee in Canadian dollars when signing up for the Examination for Professional Practice in Psychology (EPPP).

This is a considerable saving for Canadian applicants for licensure and recognizes the reality of the current exchange rate. The examination fee, currently \$350 U.S., will increase to \$ 450 U.S. in July 2001. At the current rate of exchange, Canadian candidates now save \$175 CA on the examination fee and will save approximately

\$ 229 CA after July.

Two years ago the ASPPB Board of Directors voted to accept the fee from Canadian candidates at par. The ASPPB Board of Directors reviews this policy annually every December, as it results in considerable financial cost for the Association. At its December 2000 meeting the ASPPB Board

of Directors conducted its annual review of the Canadian exchange rate. The board examined the rate history for the past year and compared this information to the rate fluctuations for the prior year. This review revealed no significant changes in the exchange rate and the Board consequently concluded that the existing policy should stay in place. Good news for Canadian psychology trainees at a time when every dollar counts!

Candidates for the examination should note that the \$65 fee that will be charged by Prometric at their computer delivered examination test sites is not included in the exam fee and is paid in U.S. dollars.

## Pour de meilleurs soins à domicile et communautaires



Veuillez trouver inséré avec ce numéro de Psynopsis, le document *Pour de meilleurs soins à domicile et communautaires*. Il s'agit du troisième document de la série. La raison d'être de cette série est de définir la pratique de la psychologie pour le bénéfice des administrateurs des services de santé, des politiciens et du public.

Vous pouvez contribuer à faire connaître le dossier de l'accès aux services psychologiques en distribuant des exemplaires des documents de cette série, qui sont disponibles sans frais au siège social de la SCP. Pour commander des exemplaires, veuillez communiquer avec Ann Marie Plante, [aplante@cpa.ca](mailto:aplante@cpa.ca) ou au 1-888-472-0657 poste 28.

### Results of the 2001 Elections on the CPA Board of Directors

#### Résultat des élections de 2001 au Conseil d'administration de la SCP

President-elect elected by acclamation/  
président désigné élu par acclamation:  
Abraham Ross

Director-at-large/directeur non désigné:  
Lorraine Breault

### The 2001 Elected Fellows Fellows élus en 2001

Natalie Allen  
Annabel Cohen  
Brian J. Cox  
Warren O. Eaton  
Wolfgang Linden  
Bonita Long  
Nicholas Skinner

### The 2001 CPA Awards recipients

#### Réциpiendaires des Prix de la SCP de 2001

CPA Award for Distinguished Contributions in the Application of Psychology  
Prix pour contributions remarquables à l'application de la psychologie:  
Paul Gendreau

CPA Gold Medal Award/Prix de la médaille d'or:  
Mary J. Wright

CPA Award for Distinguished Contributions to Public or Community Service  
Prix pour contributions remarquables au service public ou communautaire:  
Edward Pomeroy.

CPA Award for Distinguished Contributions to Psychology as a Profession/Prix professionnel:  
Keith Dobson

CPA Award for Distinguished Contributions to Education and Training in Psychology/  
Prix de l'éducation et de la formation:  
Raymond Perry

CPA Donald Hebb Award for Distinguished Contributions to Psychology as a Science/  
Prix Donald O. Hebb:  
Kenneth Dion

CPA Member of the Year Award/  
Prix du Membre de l'année:  
Terrence Hogan

2001 President's New Researcher Awards Recipients/  
Réциpiendaires du Prix du Nouveau Chercheur  
Tara K. MacDonald  
Joanna Pozzulo  
Daniel A. Waschbusch

## Congratulations to all!

## Félicitations à tous et à toutes!

## CPA AFFAIRS

## CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR CPA AWARDS

**DONALD O. HEBB AWARD**

This award shall be made to individuals who, in the opinion of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the Board of Directors of the association, have made a significant contribution to Canadian Psychology as a scientific discipline. The recipient of this award should be an individual who meets at least one of the following criteria:

1. Whose research has enhanced the knowledge base of psychology;
2. Whose influence has been exerted through leadership as a teacher, as a theorist, as a spokesperson for the discipline, and/or as a developer of public policy regarding the science of psychology; or
3. Whose work has substantially influenced the development of psychology.

In whatever form the individual's contributions are regarded as distinguished, the impact of the work shall have been on Canadian psychology as a science.

This award shall be made to members and non-members of CPA, who are either Canadian citizens or landed immigrants. Members of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and members of the CPA Board of Directors shall be ineligible for nomination.

**EDUCATION AND TRAINING AWARD**

This award shall be made to individuals who, in the opinion of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the Board of Directors of the association, have made a significant contribution to education and training in psychology in Canada. The recipient of this award should be an individual who meets at least one of the following criteria:

1. Whose influence on education and training has been exercised through excellence and/or leadership as a teacher;
2. Whose work as a teacher, researcher, supervisor and/or administrator has influenced the methods and settings utilised in education and training, in ways of significant benefit to that endeavour;
3. Whose scholarship in education and/or training has enhanced the knowledge base in these areas; or
4. Whose work has had the effect of bringing about changes in education and/or training practices.

In whatever form the individual's contributions are regarded as distinguished, the impact of the work shall have been on education and training in psychology in Canada.

This award shall be made to members and non-members of CPA, who are either Canadian citizens or landed immigrants. Members of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and members of the CPA Board of Directors shall be ineligible for nomination.

**HUMANITARIAN AWARD**

This award shall be conferred upon outstanding individuals or organizations whose commitment and persistent endeavors have significantly enhanced the psychological health and well being of the people of Canada, at the local, provincial or national level. The recipient of the award should meet the following criteria:

1. The individual must hold Canadian citizenship or resident status at the time of the award;
2. The organization must be registered as an organization in Canada at the time of the award;
3. The contribution must be shown to

have made a significant and demonstrable impact on the psychological health and well-being of the Canadian community; and

4. The goal of the contribution must be to enhance the psychological health and well being of the Canadian community and not for self-advancement.

Members of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and members of the CPA Board of Directors shall be ineligible for nomination.

**PROFESSIONAL AWARD**

This award shall be made to individuals who, in the opinion of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the Board of Director of the association, have made a significant contribution to Canadian Psychology as a profession. The recipient of this award should be an individual who meets at least one of the following criteria:

1. Whose work has influenced the method, settings, and/or persons involved in applied practice, in ways of significant benefit to the profession and its clients;
2. Whose empirical research has enhanced the knowledge base of professional psychology;
3. Whose influence has been exerted through leadership as a teacher, as a clinician, as a theorist, and/or as a spokesperson in public and/or professional arenas; or
4. Whose work has had the effect of bringing about changes in practice or training performed by others, or redirection of efforts in applied work.

In whatever form the individual's contributions are regarded as distinguished, the impact of the work shall have been on Canadian psychology as a profession.

This award shall be made to members and non-members of CPA, who are either Canadian citizens or landed immigrants. Members of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and members of the CPA Board of Directors shall be ineligible for nomination.

**AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE INTERNATIONAL ADVANCEMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY**

This award shall be made to individuals who, in the opinion of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the Board of Directors of the association, have made significant contributions to the international advancement of psychology. The recipient of this award should be an individual who has made distinguished and enduring contributions to international cooperation and advancement of knowledge in psychology. In whatever form the individual's contributions are regarded as distinguished, the impact of the work shall have been on the international advancement of psychology.

Candidates may be from any country. Both members and non-members of CPA shall be eligible for this award. The members of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the members of the CPA Board of Directors shall be ineligible.

**AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED CONTRIBUTIONS TO PUBLIC OR COMMUNITY SERVICE**

This award shall be made to individuals who, in the opinion of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the Board of Directors of the association, have made outstanding contributions in serving the

public or a community through their knowledge and practical skills. In whatever form they are regarded as distinguished, such contributions must be directed to and on behalf of the public or a community.

Consideration is given to psychologists whose professional involvement has resulted in a major benefit to the public as well as those who have made significant contributions to special populations such as those who have disabilities, are disadvantaged or underprivileged, or are members of a minority group. Psychologists, who are active in legislative, legal, political, organizational and other areas that are directed at providing benefits to the public or a community, are also considered.

This award shall be made to members and non-members of CPA, who are either Canadian citizens or landed immigrants. The members of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the members of the CPA Board of Directors shall be ineligible.

**AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED CONTRIBUTIONS IN THE APPLICATION OF PSYCHOLOGY**

This award shall be presented to individuals who, in the opinion of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the Board of Directors of the association, have made distinguished theoretical or empirical advances in psychology leading to the understanding or amelioration of important practical problems. In whatever form the individual's contributions are regarded as distinguished, the impact of the work shall have been on the advancement of the application of psychology.

This award shall be made to members and non-members of CPA, who are either Canadian citizens or landed immigrants. The members of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the members of the CPA Board of Directors shall be ineligible.

**GOLD MEDAL AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED LIFETIME CONTRIBUTIONS TO CANADIAN PSYCHOLOGY**

This award shall be presented to individuals who, in the opinion of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the Board of Directors of the association, have given exceptional and enduring lifetime contributions to Canadian Psychology during their career.

Eligibility is limited to members or Fellows 65 years or older in good standing of CPA. The members of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the members of the Board of directors of CPA shall be ineligible.

**CPA AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED LIFETIME SERVICE TO THE CANADIAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION**

This award shall be presented to individuals who, in the opinion of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the Board of Directors of the association, have given exceptional service to the association during their career. The recipient of this award should be an individual who has made distinguished and enduring lifetime contributions to the association.

Eligibility is limited to members or Fellows 65 years or older in good standing of CPA. The members of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the members of the Board of directors of CPA shall be ineligible.

**MEMBER OF THE YEAR AWARD**

This award shall be presented to individuals who, in the opinion of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the Board of Directors of the association, have given exceptional service or made a distinguished contribution to the association during the year.

This award shall be made to members or Fellows in good standing of CPA. The members of the Committee on Fellows and Awards and the members of the Board of Directors of CPA shall be ineligible.

**NOMINATIONS PROCEDURES FOR CPA AWARDS**

Nominations for these awards shall consist of a letter of nomination and a supporting statement by a Member or Fellow of the association, a current vita of the nominee, and letters of support from three people familiar with the nominee's contributions. In the case of the Member of the Year Awards, the number of letters of support shall be two rather than three.

Should the nominee not be selected the year submitted, he or she will automatically be reconsidered in each of the next two years.

The deadline for receipt of nominations and supporting materials shall be October 15. Nominations should be addressed to:

**Chair of the Committee  
on Fellows and Awards  
Canadian Psychological Association  
151 Slater Street, Suite 205  
Ottawa, Ontario K1P 5H3**

**CALL FOR PAPERS FOR THE CPA PRESIDENT'S NEW RESEARCHER AWARDS**

These awards shall be made to recognize the exceptional quality of the contribution of new researchers to psychological knowledge in Canada. A maximum of three awards will be conferred annually in diverse areas of psychology.

Eligible papers must meet the following criteria:

1. Be authored by an individual who is a CPA member with five years or less post-graduate training experience (e.g., post-Master's, post-Ph.D.); and
2. Currently be in-press or been published during the past 2 years.

The winners will receive a certificate and a \$500 cash award that will be presented during the CPA Annual General Meeting. The winner will also receive a year's free membership and a free registration to attend the following CPA Convention and participate in a symposium.

A review committee consisting of the President, the immediate Past President, the President-Elect, and the Chair of the Scientific Affairs will judge papers.

Submissions shall be filed by October 15 of each year and shall include five copies of the paper and the author's vitae. Submissions shall be directed to:

**CPA President's  
New Researcher Awards  
Canadian Psychological Association  
151, Slater Street, Suite 205  
Ottawa, Ontario, K1P 5H3**

The list of previous CPA Award recipients is available on the CPA Web Site at [www.cpa.ca](http://www.cpa.ca)

# AFFAIRES DE LA SCP

## APPEL DE CANDIDATURES POUR LES PRIX DE LA SCP

### PRIX DONALD O. HEBB

Ce prix est décerné à des personnes qui, de l'avis des membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, de même que des membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société, ont apporté d'importantes contributions à la psychologie, au Canada, en tant que science. Le récipiendaire de ce prix répondra à au moins l'un des critères suivants:

1. avoir effectué des recherches qui ont permis d'élargir la base de connaissances de la psychologie;

2. avoir exercé une influence en jouant un rôle de chef de file en tant que professeur, théoricien, conférencier ou concepteur de politiques publiques relatives à la psychologie comme science;

3. avoir réalisé des travaux qui ont influé de façon significative sur le développement de la psychologie.

Quelle que soit la forme de la contribution considérée comme éminente, le travail de la personne doit se répercuter sur la psychologie en tant que science.

Ce prix s'adresse à des citoyens canadiens ou à des immigrants reçus. En outre, il n'est pas nécessaire d'être membre de la SCP pour être admissible à ce prix. Les membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, ainsi que les membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie ne sont pas admissibles.

### PRIX DE L'ÉDUCATION ET DE LA FORMATION

Ce prix est décerné à des personnes qui, de l'avis des membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, de même que des membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société, ont apporté d'importantes contributions à l'enseignement de la psychologie au Canada et à la formation en ce domaine. Le récipiendaire de ce prix répondra à au moins l'un des critères suivants:

1. avoir exercé une influence sur l'éducation et la formation grâce à son excellence ou son leadership comme professeur;

2. avoir réalisé des travaux, comme professeur, chercheur, surveillant ou administrateur, qui ont une très grande incidence positive sur les méthodes et les cadres utilisés en éducation et en formation;

3. avoir réalisé, comme universitaire, des travaux en éducation ou en formation qui ont permis d'élargir la base de connaissances dans ces deux domaines;

4. avoir réalisé des travaux qui ont entraîné des changements dans les pratiques utilisées en éducation ou en formation.

Quelle que soit la forme de la contribution considérée comme éminente, le travail de la personne doit se répercuter sur l'éducation et la formation en psychologie, au Canada.

Ce prix s'adresse à des citoyens canadiens ou à des immigrants reçus. En outre, il n'est pas nécessaire d'être membre de la SCP pour être admissible à ce prix. Les membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, ainsi que les membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie ne sont pas admissibles.

### PRIX POUR RÉALISATION HUMANITAIRE

Ce prix est décerné à des personnes ou des organismes exceptionnels dont l'engagement et l'application constante ont permis d'améliorer considérablement la santé psychologique et le bien-être des Canadiens, aux paliers régional, provincial ou national.

Le récipiendaire de ce prix doit répondre aux critères suivants:

1. l'individu doit être citoyen canadien ou avoir le statut de résident au moment de l'attribution du prix;

2. l'organisme doit être enregistré en tant que tel au Canada au moment de l'attribution du prix;

3. il faut prouver que la contribution a eu une incidence significative et démontrable sur la santé psychologique et le bien-être de la collectivité canadienne;

4. l'objectif de la contribution doit être d'améliorer la santé psychologique et le bien-être de la collectivité canadienne et non de favoriser l'avancement personnel du candidat.

Les membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, ainsi que les membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie ne sont pas admissibles.

### PRIX PROFESSIONNEL

Ce prix est décerné à des personnes qui, de l'avis des membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, de même que des membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société, ont apporté d'importantes contributions à la psychologie, au Canada, en tant que profession. Le récipiendaire de ce prix répond à au moins l'un des critères suivants:

1. avoir effectué des travaux ayant influé sur les méthodes, les cadres ou les personnes engagées dans la pratique appliquée de façon que la profession et les clients en tirent des avantages importants;

2. avoir réalisé des travaux de recherche empirique ayant permis d'élargir la base de connaissances sur la psychologie en tant que profession;

3. avoir fait fonction de chef de file en tant que professeur, clinicien, théoricien ou porte-parole auprès du grand public ou sur des tribunes professionnelles;

4. avoir réalisé des travaux qui ont entraîné des changements dans la pratique ou les activités de formation exécutées par d'autres ou qui ont réorienté les efforts déployés en psychologie appliquée.

Quelle que soit la forme de la contribution considérée comme éminente, le travail de la personne doit se répercuter sur la psychologie au Canada en tant que profession.

Ce prix s'adresse à des citoyens canadiens ou à des immigrants reçus. En outre, il n'est pas nécessaire d'être membre de la SCP pour être admissible à ce prix. Les membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, ainsi que les membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie ne sont pas admissibles.

### PRIX POUR CONTRIBUTIONS REMARQUABLES À L'AVANCEMENT INTERNATIONAL DE LA PSYCHOLOGIE

Ce prix sera accordé à des personnes qui, de l'avis des membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, de même que des membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie, ont apporté d'importantes contributions à l'avancement international de la psychologie. Le récipiendaire de ce prix devrait être une personne qui a apporté des contributions éminentes et durables à la coopération internationale et à l'avancement des connaissances en psychologie. Quelle que soit la forme qu'ait pu prendre les contributions jugées éminentes, les travaux des candidats devront avoir eu une incidence sur l'avancement international de la psychologie.

Les candidats peuvent être originaires de n'importe quel pays. En outre, il n'est pas nécessaire d'être membre de la SCP pour être admissible à ce prix. Les membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, ainsi que les membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie ne sont pas admissibles.

### PRIX POUR CONTRIBUTIONS REMARQUABLES AU SERVICE PUBLIC OU COMMUNAUTAIRE

Ce prix sera accordé à des personnes qui, de l'avis des membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, de même que des membres

du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie, ont apporté d'éminentes contributions en servant le public ou une collectivité grâce à leurs connaissances et à leurs compétences pratiques. Quelle que soit la forme qu'ait pu prendre les contributions jugées remarquables, celles-ci devront avoir été orientées vers le service au public ou à la collectivité.

On étudiera les candidatures de psychologues dont l'activité professionnelle a beaucoup profité au public, ainsi que ceux qui ont fait d'importantes contributions à des groupes spéciaux comme les personnes atteintes d'invalidité, les personnes défavorisées ou désavantagées ou encore celles qui sont membres de groupes minoritaires. Seront aussi étudiées les candidatures des psychologues qui sont actifs dans les domaines législatif, juridique, politique, organisationnel et autres qui visent à offrir des avantages au public ou à une communauté.

Ce prix s'adresse à des citoyens canadiens ou à des immigrants reçus. En outre, il n'est pas nécessaire d'être membre de la SCP pour être admissible à ce prix. Les membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, ainsi que les membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie ne sont pas admissibles.

### PRIX POUR CONTRIBUTIONS REMARQUABLES À L'APPLICATION DE LA PSYCHOLOGIE

Ce prix sera accordé à des personnes qui, de l'avis des membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie, de même que du Comité des fellows et des prix, ont réalisé, dans le domaine de la psychologie, d'importants progrès théoriques ou expérimentaux permettant la compréhension ou la résolution d'importants problèmes pratiques. Quelle que soit la forme qu'ait pu prendre les contributions jugées remarquables, ses travaux devront avoir eu une incidence sur l'avancement de la psychologie appliquée.

Ce prix sera attribué à des citoyens canadiens ou à des immigrants reçus. Il n'est pas nécessaire d'être membre de la SCP pour être admissible à ce prix. Les membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, de même que les membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie ne sont pas admissibles.

### PRIX DE LA MÉDAILLE D'OR POUR CONTRIBUTIONS REMARQUABLES À LA PSYCHOLOGIE CANADIENNE AU COURS DE L'ENSEMBLE DE LA CARRIÈRE

Ce prix sera accordé à des personnes qui, de l'avis des membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie, ainsi que du Comité des fellows et des prix, ont apporté des contributions éminentes et durables à la psychologie canadienne tout au long de sa vie.

L'admissibilité est limitée aux membres ou aux fellows âgés de 65 ans au moins qui sont en règle avec la Société canadienne de psychologie. Les membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, ainsi que les membres du Conseil d'administration de la SCP ne sont pas admissibles.

### PRIX DE LA SCP POUR CONTRIBUTIONS REMARQUABLES À LA SOCIÉTÉ CANADIENNE DE PSYCHOLOGIE AU COURS DE L'ENSEMBLE DE LA CARRIÈRE

Ce prix sera accordé à des personnes qui, de l'avis des membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie, ainsi que du Comité des fellows et des prix, ont apporté des contributions éminentes et durables à la Société canadienne de psychologie tout au long de sa vie.

L'admissibilité est limitée aux membres

ou aux fellows âgés de 65 ans au moins qui sont en règle avec la Société canadienne de psychologie. Les membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, ainsi que les membres du Conseil d'administration de la SCP ne sont pas admissibles.

### PRIX DU MEMBRE DE L'ANNÉE

Ce prix sera accordé à des personnes qui, de l'avis des membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, ainsi que du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie, ont fourni des services exceptionnels ou apporté une contribution éminente à la Société canadienne de psychologie au cours de l'année.

Ce prix sera accordé à des membres ou fellows en règle avec la SCP. Les membres du Comité des fellows et des prix, de même que les membres du Conseil d'administration de la Société canadienne de psychologie ne sont pas admissibles.

### MODALITÉS DE MISE EN CANDIDATURE

Les mises en candidature pour ces prix consistent en une lettre d'un membre ou d'un fellow de la Société proposant la candidature, accompagnée du curriculum vitae du candidat ainsi que trois lettres de personnes pouvant témoigner des réalisations de ce candidat. Dans le cas du Prix du membre de l'année, le nombre de lettres sera de deux au lieu de trois.

Si le ou la candidate n'est pas élu(e) l'année de la mise en candidature, il ou elle sera éligible pour les deux années suivantes.

La date limite pour la réception des mises en candidature est le 15 octobre. Prière de faire parvenir les mises en candidature au:

**Président du Comité des fellows et des prix  
Société canadienne de psychologie  
151, rue Slater, bureau 205  
Ottawa, Ontario K1P 5H3**

### APPEL DE DISSERTATION POUR LE PRIX DU NOUVEAU CHERCHEUR DÉCERNÉ PAR LE PRÉSIDENT DE LA SCP

Ce prix sera décerné à de nouveaux chercheurs qui ont enrichi de façon exceptionnelle les connaissances en psychologie au Canada. Trois prix au plus seront décernés chaque année.

Les dissertations admissibles doivent répondre aux critères suivants:

1. Avoir pour auteur une personne membre de la SCP, possédant cinq années d'expérience ou moins liée à la formation de deuxième ou de troisième cycle (suivant la maîtrise ou le doctorat);

2. Être actuellement sous presse ou avoir publié au cours des deux dernières années.

Les lauréats recevront un certificat et un montant de 500 dollars qui leur seront remis durant l'assemblée générale annuelle de la SCP. Ils pourront également assister gratuitement au Congrès de la SCP et participer à un symposium.

Les dissertations seront évaluées par un comité d'examen, composé du président, du tout dernier président sortant, du président désigné et du président du Comité des affaires scientifiques.

Les documents, comprenant cinq copies de la dissertation et du curriculum vitae de l'auteur, doivent être envoyés d'ici le 15 octobre à l'adresse suivante:

**Prix du nouveau chercheur décerné par le président de la SCP  
Société canadienne de psychologie  
151, rue Slater, bureau 205  
Ottawa (Ontario) K1P 5H3**

**Veillez consulter notre site Web  
www.cpa.ca pour la liste des récipiendaires précédents des prix de la SCP.**

# NEWS / NOUVELLES

## Legal Advice Service

CAMERON C.R. GODDEN AND RODNEY HANCOCK

**T**o reduce the risk of civil claims or disciplinary complaints against the members of the Canadian Psychological Association, McFarlan Rowlands Commercial Insurance Brokers and your insurers ING Wellington, support a pro bono summary legal advice program provided by Bell, Temple, Barristers and Solicitors.

This pro bono legal service is available to all members of the Canadian Psychological Association who participate in the CPA Professional Liability Insurance Program offered through McFarlan Rowlands Commercial Insurance Brokers.

This program was instituted in 1997 and the response to this pro bono service provided by Bell, Temple - Barristers and Solicitors, has been overwhelming. Typically, Cameron Godden of Bell, Temple and his Health Discipline partner, Lisa Hamilton, field more than 150 pro bono calls a year from across Canada.

Cameron C.R. Godden is a senior partner of Bell, Temple. He was called to the Bar of the Law Society of Upper Canada in 1974 and since that time has built an extensive practice in the defence of health professional malpractice claims and health discipline matters. Cam leads the Health Discipline Unit at

Bell, Temple.

Lisa Hamilton studied philosophy and psychology as an undergraduate at the University of Victoria and received her LL.B. in 1989 from the University of British Columbia. She articulated at Bell, Temple and was called to the Bar in 1991 in Ontario. In 1994, she was called to the Bar in California. As part of the health discipline team at Bell, Temple, Lisa represents health professionals in malpractice claims and before Professional Health Discipline Tribunals.

Together they represent, among others, insurers and health professionals for the Canadian Association of Social Workers, The Canadian Psychological Association, the Canadian Physiotherapy Association, the Canadian Association of Occupational

Therapists, various Children's Aid Societies, the Ontario Occupational Health Nurses

Association, the Victorian Order of Nurses, the Canadian Dental Association and the Ontario Pharmacists' Association.

Some of the inquiries of members of the CPA/CPAP sponsored Professional Liability Insurance Program deal with the following issues:

- Response to subpoena;
- Security of records;
- Self assisted suicide;
- Harassment by client / peace bond;
- Billing/collection practices;
- Custody and access;
- Danger of harm to others / duty to report;
- Consent;
- Confidentiality.

The pro bono program was created in collaboration with the Canadian Psychological Association, your broker, McFarlan Rowlands Commercial Insurance Brokers Ltd. and your insurers, ING Wellington. The purpose is to provide a summary legal advice service to CPA members who participate in the CPA/CPAP sponsored Professional Liability Insurance Program on practical and legal issues. The goal is to render advice on questions regarding potential civil claims or disciplinary complaints in order to avoid or reduce the probability of a claim or complaint.

By using the Bell Temple toll

free inquiry line, psychologist members who participate in the program from across Canada have access to prompt and informed legal advice as to the everyday issues that challenge them.

Cam and Lisa respond to all pro bono calls from participants of the CPA Professional Liability Insurance Program in Ontario. They act as a clearing-house for calls by members from provinces other than Ontario. They refer such calls to one of the approved pro bono counsel in the appropriate province. The service provided is to be summary. Each telephone consultation is limited to 30 minutes per inquiry. They endeavour to

respond promptly to your calls, as often, there is an element of urgency. They take full particulars of the caller's name, telephone number and address as well as your policy and certificate number. They ask for a concise summary of all relevant facts and the specific nature of your questions and concern. Often it is necessary to research the issues and guidelines and jurisprudence and typically there are calls back and forth concerning the inquiry.

In their response they endeavour to provide information, advice and practical suggestions to respond to the problem. This

legal advice service is intended to address an actual fact situation as opposed to a hypothetical one. In some situations the subject matter and the time available may be inappropriate under the pro bono format. In such circumstances they may recommend to the psychologist that he or she must seek formal legal advice outside the ambit of the pro bono program.

In the event of a formal civil claim or complaint made to a disciplinary body, the pro bono service has no application. Any such claims or complaints for which the member seeks coverage under the program should be referred to McFarlan Rowlands Commercial Insurance Brokers.

We encourage the participants in the Professional Liability Insurance Program to take advantage of this exceptional pro bono legal advice service! Following are the toll free numbers.

**Bell Temple, Barristers & Solicitors**  
**Pro Bono Legal Service**  
**888-263-8600**

**McFarlan Rowlands**  
**Insurance Brokers**  
**Claims Reporting**  
**877-679-5440**

**Contact: Colleen McGill or**  
**Leisha Ruddy**

## Service de consultation juridique

CAMERON C.R. GODDEN ET RODNEY HANCOCK

**P**our réduire les risques de poursuites civiles ou de plaintes disciplinaires à l'endroit des membres de la Société canadienne de psychologie, McFarlan Rowlands Commercial Insurance Brokers et les assureurs ING Wellington appuient un service de consultation juridique offert sans frais par Bell, Temple, Barristers and Solicitors.

Ce service est destiné à tous les membres de la Société canadienne de psychologie qui adhèrent au régime d'assurance responsabilité professionnelle de la SCP offert par McFarlan Rowlands Commercial Insurance Brokers.

Le régime d'assurance responsabilité professionnelle a été instauré en 1997 et un nombre considérable d'adhérents se sont prévalus du nouveau service de consultation fourni gratuitement par Bell, Temple - Barristers and Solicitors. Chaque année, Cameron Godden, de Bell, Temple, et sa partenaire de la section de la santé, Lisa Hamilton, prennent plus de 150 appels provenant des quatre coins du pays.

Cameron C.R. Godden est associé principal de Bell, Temple. Il a été admis au Barreau du Haut-Canada en 1974 et a créé depuis un vaste cabinet qui se spécialise dans la défense des causes de négligence professionnelle et de manquement à la discipline dans le domaine de la santé. Il dirige la section de la santé chez Bell, Temple.

Lisa Hamilton a étudié la philosophie et la psychologie comme étudiante du premier cycle à la University of Victoria et a obtenu son LL.B. en 1989 de la University of British Columbia. Elle a fait un stage chez Bell, Temple et a été admise au Barreau en 1991 en Ontario. En 1994, elle a été admise au Barreau en Californie. Comme membre de l'équipe responsable du secteur de la santé chez Bell, Temple, Lisa représente les professionnels de la santé dans les causes de négligence professionnelle et devant les tribunaux pour professionnels de la santé.

Ensemble, Cameron et Lisa représentent, entre autres, les assureurs et les professionnels de la santé de divers organismes : Association canadienne des travailleuses et travailleurs sociaux, Société canadienne de psychologie, Association canadienne de physiothérapie, Association canadienne des ergothérapeutes, sociétés d'aide à l'enfance, Ontario Occupational Health Nurses Association, Infirmières de l'Ordre de Victoria du Canada, Association dentaire

canadienne et Ontario Pharmacists' Association.

Les demandes de renseignements présentées par les adhérents au régime d'assurance responsabilité professionnelle que parrainent la SCP et le Conseil des sociétés provinciales de psychologues (CSPP) portent, entre autres, sur les questions suivantes :

- réponse à une citation à comparaître,
- protection des dossiers,
- suicide assisté,
- harcèlement de la part d'un client et obligation de ne pas troubler la paix publique,
- méthodes de facturation et de recouvrement,
- garde et accès,
- danger de tort à autrui et obligation de signaler,
- consentement,
- confidentialité.

Le service de consultation sans frais a été créé avec la collaboration de la Société canadienne de psychologie, le courtier McFarlan Rowlands Commercial Insurance Brokers Ltd. et les assureurs ING Wellington. Les membres de la SCP qui adhèrent au régime d'assurance responsabilité civile que parrainent la SCP et le CSPP peuvent se prévaloir de ce service de consultation juridique sommaire pour ce qui concerne les questions pratiques et juridiques. Ils peuvent ainsi obtenir des avis sur des questions qui touchent des poursuites civiles ou des plaintes de man-

quement à la discipline éventuelles afin de les éviter ou d'en réduire les probabilités.

En s'adressant à la ligne d'information sans frais de Bell, Temple, les psychologues canadiens qui adhèrent au régime peuvent obtenir rapidement des conseils juridiques éclairés sur des questions courantes qui les préoccupent.

Cam et Lisa répondent aux appels de tous les adhérents au régime d'assurance responsabilité professionnelle de la SCP en Ontario. Les appels provenant des adhérents des autres provinces leur sont également acheminés, puis transmis à l'un des avocats désignés dans la province de l'appelant. Les avis fournis sont des avis sommaires. Les consultations téléphoniques durent chacune 30 minutes au plus. On s'engage à répondre promptement aux appels et aussi souvent qu'il le faut s'il y a urgence. On prend en note le nom de l'appelant, son numéro de téléphone et son adresse, ainsi que le numéro de la police et le numéro du certificat. On demande de fournir un résumé concis des faits pertinents et de préciser la nature des questions ou préoccupations. Souvent, il est nécessaire d'effectuer des recherches au sujet des questions en cause, des lignes directrices et de la jurisprudence, et la demande de renseignements donne généralement lieu à plusieurs appels de part et d'autre.

Cam et Lisa s'engagent à fournir des renseignements, des avis et des suggestions pratiques pour résoudre le problème. Le service de consultation juridique vise à régler des situations non pas hypothétiques mais bien réelles. Dans certains cas, le sujet et le temps disponible débordent le cadre du service. On peut alors recommander au psychologue de s'adresser ailleurs pour obtenir un avis juridique.

En cas de poursuites civiles ou de plaintes adressées à un organisme disciplinaire, le service gratuit n'est d'aucune utilité. De pareilles poursuites ou plaintes pour lesquelles le membre cherche à obtenir protection dans le cadre du régime doivent être portées à l'attention de McFarlan Rowlands Commercial Insurance Brokers.

Nous invitons les adhérents au régime d'assurance responsabilité professionnelle à profiter de ce service juridique exceptionnel qui leur est offert gratuitement! Voici des numéros d'appel sans frais :

**Bell Temple, Barristers & Solicitors - Service juridique gratuit (888) 263-8600**

**McFarlan Rowlands Insurance Brokers - Demandes d'indemnité (877) 679-5440 (877) 678-2306 (service en français)**

**Personne-ressource : Colleen McGill ou Leisha Ruddy**

## NEWS

## CPA Initiates a Mentoring Program for Academics

SANDRA PYKE, Ph.D., Education and Training Committee

**T**he idea of establishing a mentoring program for faculty members is not new. On many university campuses there are formally structured or informally organized procedures to allow and encourage new faculty members to access advice and direction from more experienced faculty on a variety of issues relevant to academic life.

The mentoring program designed by the Canadian Psychological Association is distinguished from many of these other programs in that it involves the matching of a junior faculty member with a mentor from a different university. Typically, new academic professionals are matched with or assigned to more experienced faculty at their host university, either within the same department or from another unit but still within the same

institution. In contrast, the CPA program involves cross-university linkages between mentees and mentors. This arrangement is expected to facilitate a freer exchange of information, in the absence of any political considerations that may play a role in when, how or if, new faculty attempt to initiate mentoring relationships within their own department or institution. Additionally it provides new faculty with an opportunity to

develop connections with a faculty member in psychology outside their home institution and to learn about academic practices and structures extant elsewhere in the country. Although close collegial associations may result from mentoring contacts, the primary objective of the program is to facilitate the expedient and helpful exchange of information on academic matters rather than to develop personal relationships that may be excessively time-consuming.

To reiterate, the purpose of this CPA initiative is to offer new faculty members an opportunity to raise questions and explore issues of concern relevant to the role of a university professor, with more experienced, tenured colleagues from another institution who are willing to provide advice and direc-

tion. A mentoring relationship with someone from outside the primary institution provides a non-evaluative context devoid of political pressures where ideas and/or career concerns can be freely explored and discussed with a more senior colleague. The structure of the program resembles a successful program implemented by the American Psychological Association and was an initiative of the CPA Education and Training Committee.

If you are a relatively junior faculty member and would like to participate in this program, i.e., to obtain information, advice or feedback from a tenured faculty member on academic issues, e-mail Marie-Christine Pearson, Coordinator of the Mentoring Service (mpearson@cpa.ca) at CPA

Head Office. She will provide you with the name and contact information of a senior faculty member from another institution who has agreed to take on the role of mentor.

Essential to the success of this program is the development of a diverse cadre of seasoned, qualified and committed mentors. If you are interested and willing to assist young faculty in understanding, adapting to and enriching their role as academics, please e-mail the following information to Marie-Christine Pearson, Coordinator of the Mentoring Service (mpearson@cpa.ca) at CPA Head Office.

Your name, university affiliation, e-mail address, telephone number, fax number and preferred language of communication.

## CPA/CASP Joint Position Statement: An Update

MARVIN L. SIMNER, Ph.D.

**E**ach year newspapers throughout Canada report the results obtained by individual schools on the provincial tests administered at the elementary and/or secondary level. In the articles that accompany these reports the press frequently invites the public to compare the performance of one school against another. It is also common practice for the press to comment on the poor performances displayed by certain schools and to place the blame for these performances largely if not solely on the schools themselves.

Last fall the Canadian Psychological Association in conjunction with the Canadian Association of School Psychologists issued a joint position statement dealing with this practice. The major concern was over the harm that might result if the practice continues. By taking such a narrow position and by not ensuring that the public is made fully aware of the various factors, in addition to schooling, that could lead to differences among schools, it was felt that the press was misinforming the public on a matter that is extremely important to the operation of schools and, therefore, to the education and well-being of children.

The statement was mailed to all of the major newspapers in Canada, to the minister of education in each province, and to each provincial psychological association. It was also mailed to each provincial teachers'

association and to the Canadian Teacher's Federation as a show of support for their opposition to this practice. I am pleased to report that a number of letters have thus far been received at Head Office and in all instances CPA and CASP were commended for their stand.

I am especially pleased to report that the press itself appears to be complying with the recommendations in the statement. For example, unlike previous years, this past year The London Free Press included the following message in a highlighted area directly above its coverage of the Ontario test results: "Though the Free Press publishes this information as a public service, it is not intended to reflect the quality of instruction in individual schools. Because children are not randomly assigned to schools, it is unfair to compare test results of schools without further information . . ." (November 25,

2000, p. A17).

As further examples, on December 2, 2000, The Toronto Star in a banner headline that accompanied its coverage stated "Tests Not Meant to Rank Schools" and in a related two-page article The Star proceeded to alert its readers to the harm that ranking can cause. Also on December 2 the Ottawa Citizen mentioned the concerns expressed in the CPA/CASP Position Statement and on December 10 the Ottawa Carleton District School Board took the unprecedented stand of purchasing two full pages in the Citizen so that the Board itself could fully explain the test results to the public.

What next? Several principals have asked CPA to release the Position Statement again this fall as a further reminder to the press. In line with their request the Statement will be mailed to all of the major newspapers throughout the country. Because it is not possible to contact all papers, especially those with limited circulation and those in smaller communities, if you would like to help us in our endeavor, please request a copy from Head Office and share it with the press in your local jurisdiction. The Position Statement is also available on the CPA web site at [www.cpa.ca/pubslst.html](http://www.cpa.ca/pubslst.html).

## ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS/FELLOWS OF THE CANADIAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

To date, the Canadian Psychological Association does not have an analogue to the American Psychological Association's Division 44 (Society for the Psychological Study of Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Issues). Thus, the Canadian Psychological Association does not provide a means of connecting persons who share an interest in gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender issues.

I intend to address this problem. Specifically, my goal is to establish a new section in the Association; one that is comparable to Division 44 in its objectives, but one that also reflects the unique sensibility of Canadian psychologists.

If you would like to get involved or wish additional information, please contact me at [todd.morrison@rdc.ab.ca]. Written correspondence may be addressed to: Dr. Todd G. Morrison, Department of Psychology, Red Deer College, Red Deer, AB, T4N 5H5.



*Dr. Patrick McGrath has been awarded the Distinguished Career Award from the Canadian Pain Society for 2001. The American Pain Society has named him the 2001 recipient of the Wilbert E. Fordyce Clinical Investigator Award. In addition, Dalhousie University has named him a Killam Professor for 2001-2005.*



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## STUDENTS

## We Want You!!

ANDREA PERRINO, Chair – Section for Students

**T**he CPA Section for Students is looking for new members of its Executive. In addition to a new Secretary/Treasurer and Chair-Elect, the Executive is also looking for someone to serve as Co-Chair of the Section with Christine Chambers from UBC. The individual appointed as Co-Chair would serve along with Christine for their first year on the Executive in order to “learn the ropes” and then would serve as Chair on their own for their second year in office.

In order to be eligible for an Executive Position, individuals must currently be serving as a Student Representative to the Section, must be a Graduate Student, and must be planning on attending the upcoming CPA Annual Meeting (further details and descriptions of the various roles and responsibilities are provided on the Student Section Web Site: <http://www.cpa.ca/Students.htm>). Interested individuals should send a cover letter, CV, and the names and phone numbers of two referees either by e-mail to [cchamber@interchange.ubc.ca](mailto:cchamber@interchange.ubc.ca) or by mail to Christine Chambers, Department of Psychology, University of British Columbia, 2136 West Mall, Vancouver, BC, V6T 1Z4 as soon as possible. A vote will be held at the Student Section Business Meeting in June to determine the new Executive.

Also, the program for the Annual Convention is now finalized. The Section for Students looked at what was provided at the 2000 Convention, what students wanted and several people have come together to meet these needs as much as possible to present for the benefit of all students (and thanks to those who submitted their abstracts and symposia submission!):

What you will see are topics such as:

“Getting the most from the student-supervisor relationship: How to’s & don’t do’s” Conversation Session (Christine Chambers)

“Invited Speaker Conversation Session” with Dr. James Prokasha, Director of Cancer Prevention Research Consortium and Professor of Clinical and Health Psychology at the University of Rhode Island.

“Where do I go from here? After graduation...” Conversation Session with John Service Executive Director of CPA

“Dynamic Dialogue: The Art and Mastery of Oral and Poster Presentations” Conversation Session/Presentation (Andrea Perrino)

“Student Research Symposium” (these students are randomly chosen from the accepted poster submissions from all Divisions, contacted and asked to present in another format).

Of course keep your eyes peeled for the Student Survival Guide which is included in your registration package at the Convention. Within this, is the all-important information on the location and directions to the Student Social Event which will take place on Friday June 22nd. It will be at Laval University in the Desjardins Building. Come meet your fellow colleagues of present and possibly the future. Some refreshments will be furnished by the Section!

Remember that it is wise to register early for the super student rates and to ensure that you have accommodations reserved. Also, do consider the coffee and luncheon tickets. They are very reasonable for the variety and amount of food that will be available (students eat!) but do keep in mind that they must be pre-paid with your registration.

See you soon!

## Want to Become a Student Rep?

Student reps are the direct links between CPA and student affiliates. If you would like to know more about the position of Student Rep please contact the CPA Student Reps Coordinator, Mike Coons, at [coonsie@hotmail.com](mailto:coonsie@hotmail.com).

More information is also available on the CPA website at [www.cpa.ca/Students.htm](http://www.cpa.ca/Students.htm)

## Vous désirez devenir représentant étudiant?

Les représentants étudiants sont le lien directe entre la SCP et ses membres étudiants affiliés. Si vous désirez en savoir plus sur la fonction de représentant étudiant ou si vous voulez soumettre votre candidature pour ce poste au sein de votre université, veuillez communiquer avec le coordonnateur des représentants étudiants, Mike Coons, à l'adresse courriel: [coonsie@hotmail.com](mailto:coonsie@hotmail.com)

Vous pouvez aussi consulter le site web de la SCP au [www.cpa.ca/Students.htm](http://www.cpa.ca/Students.htm) pour plus de renseignements.

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must make is that as members of professional bodies and collegial associations, we are too quick to opt for US organizations than to work to foster our own Canadian ties. Several provinces have affiliate status with APA, 2700 Canadians are members of APA, and many of us (yes, I'm guilty) spend our valuable time volunteering on the boards of US organizations. All the while, we neglect our own interests at home. I was recently elected to the Council of the American Psychological Association (a position I declined). Upon carefully reviewing the agenda for APA council meetings, it was clear to me that very few of their topics are directly relevant to Canadian psychology. One wonders why a Canadian would take the time to work on APA issues when we desperately need all the volunteers we can get to further the interests of psychologists in Canada. I have similar concerns about Canadians spending our time going to focussed conferences in the US rather than attending our own meetings, but it is at least somewhat understandable that with some areas of work, we do not

have the critical mass in Canada to provide the level of intellectual stimulation we all crave.

While in the past, for example prior to the development and maturation of the CPA Accreditation Panel, one could argue that we would learn from the Americans, we now have more than 40 accredited programs and internships in Canada. Surely we can go it on our own. Similarly, while we can learn from some of the excellent work the Americans have done to further the interests of psychology in the United States, surely we can now go it on our own and focus our efforts on our own country's needs. In our scholarship, as with other areas, too, we would do well to go beyond the borders of the US to see what psychologists are up to in other countries.

I do hold some optimism, though. Our meeting on the organization for Canadian psychology is on track and will be held in Winnipeg in May where the representatives of the various national, provincial, and collegial associations will meet to discuss matters including those I raise here. We will be reporting on the results of the "Winnipeg Conference" at our convention in Quebec City.

**Président**

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(oui, mea culpa) consacrons notre précieux temps comme membres bénévoles de conseils d'organismes américains. Pendant ce temps, nous négligeons nos intérêts dans notre demeure. On m'a élu récemment au conseil de l'American Psychological Association (poste que j'ai refusé). En examinant attentivement l'ordre du jour des réunions du conseil de l'APA, je me suis rendu à l'évidence que très peu de sujets se rapportaient directement à la psychologie canadienne. On peut donc se demander pourquoi un Canadien consacrerait du temps à des dossiers de l'APA quand nous avons désespérément besoin de tous les bénévoles que nous pouvons recruter pour défendre les intérêts des psychologues au Canada. J'ai des préoccupations semblables au sujet des Canadiens qui consacrent du temps à des conférences ciblées aux États-Unis plutôt que d'assister à nos propres réunions. Il est vrai cependant que dans certains domaines de travail, nous n'avons pas la masse critique requise au Canada pour offrir le niveau de stimulation intellectuelle auquel nous aspirons tous ardemment.

Dans le passé, notamment avant la création et le développement du Jury d'agrément de la SCP, on pouvait soutenir que les Américains pouvaient nous en apprendre. Mais aujourd'hui, le Canada compte plus de 40 programmes et stages agréés. Nous pouvons certainement faire cavalier seul. De même, nous pouvons tirer parti d'excellents travaux réalisés par des Américains pour favoriser les intérêts de la psychologie aux États-Unis, mais nous pouvons sûrement voler de nos propres ailes maintenant et nous employer à répondre aux besoins de notre pays. Sur le plan de la connaissance, comme dans les autres domaines, on y gagnerait à aller au-delà des frontières américaines pour voir ce que font les psychologues dans les autres pays.

Un certain optimisme m'habite malgré tout. Les préparatifs pour notre réunion sur l'organisation de la psychologie au Canada vont bon train; la réunion aura lieu à Winnipeg en mai, où les représentants des diverses associations nationales, provinciales et d'enseignement supérieur se réuniront pour discuter de questions comme celles que je viens d'aborder. Nous ferons rapport des résultats de la « Conférence de Winnipeg » au congrès prévu à Québec.



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# Basic Science Needs Your Help

JOHN C. SERVICE, Ph.D., Executive Director

**I**n the Fall 2000 Edition of *Psynopsis* Jim Clark of the University of Winnipeg argued eloquently that Canadian governments have seriously neglected basic research. He correctly pointed to several important issues including federal/provincial transfer payments and support for the granting councils.

The issue is a two-edged sword. On the one hand, much has been done. Transfers via the Canadian Health and Social Transfer have increased, albeit intended for health. New programs have been rolled out including an expanded Canadian Institutes for Health Research which includes a significant budgetary increase, regular increases and an expansion of funding parameters for the Canadian Foundation for Innovation, the Chairs program, the Millennium scholarships and small relative increases to the SSHRC and NSERC base budgets. Red Book Tertiarius also commits the federal government to research and innovation.

The Minister of Industry, Brian Tobin, has asked Deputy Minister Harder to develop a position paper or research and innovation to direct the federal government's investments in the near future. In addition, the federal government is looking at the issue of the indirect costs of research. A report is before Cabinet penned by the Prime Minister's Advisory Committee on Science and Technology.

Some provincial governments, such as Alberta, have increased funding for universities and university research. Others have not, leaving universities in a serious state regarding core funding.

There is no doubt that, although some of the above initiatives have been controversial (Chairs and Scholarships programs), they have been significant investments in research in Canada. What remains to be addressed are the issues correctly raised by Jim Clark.

Currently, there is little appetite to support the core funding needs of university education and science from the federal perspective. This means that the Canadian Health and Social Transfer is becoming de facto a health transfer. This is a serious and dramatic change of policy that can have significant consequences for universities' capital expenditures, tuition fees, human resources, and so on. These costs will be borne increasingly and exclusively by provincial governments.

Substantial increases to council base budgets are needed as well. SSHRC has never been able to fund research and students in an equal fashion to NSERC and CIHR. All three councils are experiencing more pressure on grants as a result of increased research activity due

to government programs such as the CFI. Increased support for basic research in addition to strategic initiatives and commercialization is badly needed. Increased support for basic research equally in all disciplines is badly needed. Currently, governments seem much more interested in limiting their support to strategic initiatives and commercialization activities.

Groups such as CPA and the Canadian Consortium for Research discuss the issues with federal and provincial officials and elected members on an ongoing basis. They need to hear from you. Your Member of Parliament and your Member of the Provincial Legislature need to hear your issues. They bring forward support to Caucus and to Cabinet. They take the concerns of constituents seriously. They need to hear what is working and what needs to be done; both positive reinforcement for useful actions and constructive policy directions and clear direction on actions that must be taken and the consequences of not taking said actions. The Government Officials at the provincial and federal levels need to hear from you as well. They play a critical role in advising politicians and administering programmes.

Now is an excellent time to act. The new initiative under Deputy Minister Harder provides another opportunity to help shape public policy. Refer to the CPA's Psychology and Public Policy document for direction. Copies are free from CPA. Contact Patricia Black at pblack@cpa.ca at Head Office for more information.

## NATIONAL WORKING CONDITIONS SURVEY

Are professional psychologists happy with their working conditions? Are incomes in public and private practice adequate? What are the three best and three worst aspects of a practitioner's daily professional life?

These are fundamental questions for any profession. They, among others, are the questions being asked of practitioners across the provinces and territories. The survey sample is taken from the current lists of the regulatory bodies and the survey was developed by CPA and the Hospital Psychology Association of Ontario.

The data will be presented at CPA in Québec, at the national conference of the Canadian Healthcare Association/

Canadian College of Health Service Executives and be published in hard copy and on the web. The data will be used by psychological associations at the national and provincial levels to advocate on behalf of practising psychologists in health, criminal justice, education etc., be they in public or private practice.

## MOBILITY FOR CANADIAN PSYCHOLOGISTS

The Canadian regulatory bodies are close to signing an agreement to make interprovincial mobility of psychologists and psychological associates much less problematic. The talks have been ongoing for three years under the federal/provincial Agreement on Internal Trade. The Council of Provincial Associations of Psychologists is coordinating the talks with support from CPA, CRHSPP and provincial and federal government officials. The hope is to have an official signing ceremony in Québec City during the CPA Convention and the CPAP meetings.

## STRENGTHENING SERIES

The response to the recently released Strengthening Primary Care has been very positive. Copies are available for advocacy purposes. Just contact Anne Marie Plante [aplante@cpa.ca](mailto:aplante@cpa.ca) to order as many as you need. It will soon be on the web as well.

Strengthening Medicare and several other advocacy documents have been sent to the

Council of Health Ministers and the Council of Deputy Ministers of Health as well as to the members of the Federal/Provincial/Territorial Committees on Health Services, Health Human Resources and Information Technology. It will soon be going to the Task Force on Mental Health and the Federal Minister's Advisory Group on Rural Health.

The Strengthening series continues in this edition of *Psynopsis* with Strengthening Home and Community Care. You will receive Strengthening Pharmacare in the summer. They will each be distributed widely as outlined above.

Send them to your Member of Parliament and your Member of the Provincial Legislature. They need to hear from you. They are useful for employers and as marketing tools with insurers and companies. Contact us for copies.

Feedback is greatly appreciated. Contact Sam Mikail at [smikail@neptune.on.ca](mailto:smikail@neptune.on.ca).

## CPA NEWS

CPA NEWS is a new electronic communications initiative. Periodically during the year, you will receive a VERY SHORT e-mail. The message will have several one-sentence descriptors accompanied by URL's that will lead you to information on the web site. You can read the descriptors quickly and decide which information you wish to access.

The goal is better communications with members and a quick and inexpensive vehicle to alert members to advocacy issues that need attention.

Please give us feedback on CPA NEWS. Send comments to Kang Lee at [kang@psyc.queensu.ca](mailto:kang@psyc.queensu.ca) or Ivan Parisien at [iparisien@cpa.ca](mailto:iparisien@cpa.ca).

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Have we got a place for you! Contact Marie Christine Pearson at [mpearson@cpa.ca](mailto:mpearson@cpa.ca).

## CPA DOCUMENT PRAISED

The CPA document Psychology and Public Policy was identified as one of the best advocacy guides available at the most recent strategic planning and annual meeting of the Psychological Society of Saskatchewan. The guest facilitator, the Dean of the University of Regina business school, stated that he was in the process of writing a book on advocacy for non-profit organizations in Canada. His evaluation of the current literature on the subject led him to the conclusion that the CPA document was one of the best in the field and he encouraged all psychologists to use it. A copy was sent to each CPA member and is given to each new CPA member. Additional copies are available at no cost from Anne Marie Plante at [aplante@cpa.ca](mailto:aplante@cpa.ca).

## La science fondamentale a besoin de votre aide

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**D**ans le numéro d'automne 2000 de *Psynopsis*, Jim Clark, de la University of Winnipeg, a fait valoir avec éloquence que les gouvernements canadiens négligent gravement la recherche fondamentale. Il a souligné avec exactitude plusieurs points importants, dont les paiements de transfert fédéraux et provinciaux et l'appui accordé aux conseils subventionnaires.

La question est un couteau à deux tranchants. D'une part, on en a fait beaucoup. Les transferts effectués au moyen du Transfert canadien en matière de santé et de programmes sociaux, ont été majorés, bien que prévus pour la santé. De nouveaux programmes ont vu le jour : Instituts de recherche en santé du Canada (IRSC) élargis comprenant une augmentation significative de l'enveloppe budgétaire, augmentations régulières du budget et l'élargissement des paramètres de financement de la Fondation canadienne pour l'innovation,

programme des chaires de recherche, Bourses d'études canadiennes du millénaire et augmentations relativement minces des budgets de base du Conseil de recherches en sciences sociales (CRSH) et du Conseil de recherches en sciences naturelles et en génie (CRSNG). Dans le Livre rouge Tertiarius, le gouvernement fédéral s'engage à favoriser la recherche et l'innovation.

Le ministre de l'Industrie, Brian Tobin, a demandé au sous-ministre Harder d'élaborer un document sur la recherche et l'innovation afin de guider les

investissements du gouvernement fédéral. Il se penche en outre sur la question des coûts indirects de la recherche. Un rapport rédigé par le Comité consultatif des sciences et de la technologie qui relève du Premier ministre a été présenté au Cabinet.

Certains gouvernements provinciaux, dont celui de l'Alberta, ont augmenté le financement des universités et de la recherche en milieu universitaire. D'autres provinces n'ont pas bronché et certaines universités se retrouvent dans une position précaire au niveau du financement.

Bien que certaines des initiatives susmentionnées aient été prêtées à controverse (chaires de recherche et Bourses d'études), il ne fait aucun doute que des sommes considérables ont été investies dans la recherche au Canada. Reste à régler les ques-

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tions si bien soulevées par Jim Clark.

Au niveau fédéral, on cherche actuellement peu à répondre aux besoins de base de l'éducation universitaire et de la science en matière de financement. C'est donc dire que le Transfert canadien en matière de santé et de programmes sociaux devient en fait un transfert en matière de santé. Il s'agit d'un changement d'orientation draconien qui peut avoir des conséquences non négligeables sur les dépenses en capital des universités, les frais de scolarité, les ressources humaines et ainsi de suite. Les gouvernements provinciaux, et eux seuls, devront assumer une part toujours plus grande de ces coûts.

Des augmentations substantielles des budgets de base des Conseils s'imposent également. Le CRSH n'a jamais pu financer la recherche et offrir une aide financière aux étudiants comme le font le CRSNG et les IRSC. Par suite de l'intensification des activités de recherche attribuable aux programmes gouvernementaux comme la Fondation canadienne pour l'innovation, les trois conseils subventionnaires doivent faire face à des pressions plus grandes qui pèsent sur l'attribution des subventions. Il faut à tout prix accroître le soutien de la recherche fondamentale en plus des initiatives stratégiques et de la commercialisation. Une augmentation de l'appui pour la recherche dans toutes les disciplines est nécessaire. En ce moment, les gouvernements semblent favoriser les initiatives stratégiques et les activités de commercialisation.

Des groupes tels la SCP et le Consortium canadien pour la recherche discutent couramment des grands dossiers avec des représentants fédéraux et provin-

ciaux ainsi qu'avec des députés. Ces derniers ont besoin de connaître vos points de vue. Vos députés, fédéraux et provinciaux, doivent connaître vos préoccupations, qu'ils peuvent ensuite défendre auprès du Caucus et du Cabinet. Ils prennent au sérieux les inquiétudes de leurs commentants. Ils ont besoin de savoir ce qui fonctionne et ce qui doit se faire (renforcement positif à l'égard des mesures utiles, orientations stratégiques constructives et orientation précise en ce qui concerne les mesures à prendre et les répercussions de l'absence de telles mesures). Les fonctionnaires aux niveaux fédéral et provincial doivent aussi être sensibilisés. Ils jouent un rôle critique dans l'administration des programmes et avisent les politiciens.

Le moment est bien choisi pour agir. La nouvelle initiative du sous-ministre Harder offre une autre opportunité pour remodeler les politiques gouvernementales. Veuillez vous référer au document de la SCP, Psychologie et politique gouvernementale. Des exemplaires sont disponibles gratuitement au siège social de la SCP. Pour plus de renseignements, prière de communiquer avec Patricia Black (pblack@cpa.ca) au bureau de la SCP.

#### SONDAGE NATIONAL SUR LES CONDITIONS DE TRAVAIL

Les psychologues professionnels sont-ils satisfaits de leurs conditions de travail? Les revenus associés à l'exercice de la profession dans les secteurs public et privé sont-ils suffisants? Quels sont les trois meilleurs aspects et les trois pires aspects de la vie professionnelle quotidienne des praticiens?

Voilà des questions fondamentales pour toute profession. Elles sont au nombre des questions posées aux praticiens des provinces et des territoires. L'échantillon du sondage est

établi à partir de listes à jour des organismes de réglementation et du sondage élaboré par la SCP ainsi que par la Hospital Psychology Association of Ontario.

Les données seront présentées à la SCP au Québec, à la conférence nationale de l'Association des services de santé aux étudiants des universités canadiennes et du Collège canadien des directeurs de services de santé. Elles seront publiées sur papier et sur le Web. Les sociétés de psychologie s'en serviront aux niveaux national et provincial pour faire avancer la cause des psychologues praticiens dans le domaine de la santé, de la justice pénale, de l'éducation, etc., qu'ils oeuvrent dans le secteur public ou privé.

#### MOBILITÉ POUR LES PSYCHOLOGUES CANADIENS

Les organismes de réglementation canadiens sont sur le point de signer une entente qui facilitera la mobilité interprovinciale des psychologues et des associés en psychologie. Les pourparlers durent depuis trois ans dans le cadre de l'Accord fédéral-provincial sur le commerce intérieur. Le Conseil des sociétés provinciales de psychologues (CSPP) coordonne ces pourparlers avec l'appui de la SCP, du Répertoire canadien des psychologues offrant des services de santé et des représentants provinciaux et fédéraux. Il est à espérer qu'une cérémonie de signature aura lieu à Québec pendant le congrès de la SCP et les réunions du CSPP.

#### SÉRIE DE DOCUMENTS

La réponse au document Pour de meilleurs soins primaires récemment publié a été très positive. On peut s'en procurer des exemplaires aux fins de promotion. On n'a qu'à communiquer avec Ann Marie Plante (aplante@cpa.ca) pour en commander le nombre voulu. Le document paraîtra bientôt sur le Web.

Rehausser l'assurance-maladie et plusieurs autres documents de promotion ont été envoyés au Conseil des ministres de la Santé et au Conseil des sous-ministres de la Santé, de même qu'aux membres des comités fédéraux-provinciaux-territoriaux des services de santé, des ressources humaines en matière de santé et de la technologie de l'information. Ils seront transmis sous peu au Comité directeur national de la santé mentale ainsi qu'au groupe consultatif sur la santé en milieu rural du ministre fédéral.

La série de documents se poursuit dans le présent numéro de Psynopsis avec Pour de meilleurs soins à domicile et communautaires. Vous recevrez Pour de meilleurs régimes d'assurance-médicaments à l'échéance. Comme on l'a indiqué précédemment, chacun des documents sera largement distribué.

Faites-les parvenir à vos députés fédéraux et provinciaux. Vous devez vous manifester auprès d'eux. Ces documents sont utiles aux employeurs et peuvent servir d'outils de marketing aux assureurs ainsi qu'aux entreprises. Veuillez communiquer avec nous pour en obtenir des exemplaires.

Nous aimerions beaucoup recevoir vos commentaires. Communiquez à cet effet avec Sam Mikail (smikail@neptune.on.ca).

#### NOUVELLES DE LA SCP

Les NOUVELLES DE LA SCP constituent un nouveau projet de communications électroniques. Régulièrement au cours de l'année, vous recevrez un TRÈS BREF message par courrier électronique. Ce message se composera de plusieurs descripteurs d'une phrase, accompagnés de l'adresse URL qui vous conduira à de l'information sur le site Web. Vous pouvez lire les descripteurs rapidement et décider du type d'information que vous souhaitez obtenir.

Le but du projet est d'améliorer les communications avec les membres et d'attirer leur attention, rapidement et à peu de frais, sur des questions de promotion importantes.

Veillez nous faire part de vos observations sur les NOUVELLES DE LA SCP. Transmettez vos observations à Kang Lee (kang@psych.queensu.ca) ou à Ivan Parisien (iparisien@cpa.ca).

#### NOUS SOMMES À LA RECHERCHE DE MEMBRES BÉNÉVOLES

Vous avez une bonne idée? Vous voulez vous engager? Vous désirez promouvoir la science ou la pratique?

Nous avons une place pour vous! Communiquez avec Marie-Christine Pearson (mpearson@cpa.ca).

#### UN DOCUMENT DE LA SCP REÇOIT DES ÉLOGES

Lors de la récente assemblée annuelle de la Psychological Society of Saskatchewan, le document de la SCP, Psychologie et politique gouvernementale, a été identifié comme étant un des meilleurs guides sur la représentation présentement disponibles. Le doyen de l'école des affaires de l'University de Regina, sur place à titre d'invité, a mentionné qu'il préparait un livre sur la représentation des organismes sans but lucratif au Canada. Suite à une évaluation de la documentation présentement disponible à ce sujet, il a conclu que le document de la SCP était un des meilleurs dans le domaine et il a incité tous les psychologues à l'utiliser. Un exemplaire de ce document a été envoyé à tous les membres de la SCP et un exemplaire est remis à tous les nouveaux membres. Des exemplaires sont disponibles gratuitement, il suffit de communiquer avec Ann Marie Plante (aplante@cpa.ca) pour commander.

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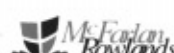
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## NEWS

## Green Space is Good

DR. JIM RICKS, Vancouver, British Columbia

**A**sk most people and they will tell you they like to get out into nature, even if it is only by viewing it through a car window.

Two recent studies suggest that it may be more important than we realize to be able to access green space, because it's good for our psychological well being.

One study from the University of Illinois was aimed at finding out if the presence of nearby nature might lead public housing residents to grapple with the challenges they collectively

faced, most of which were caused by poverty and having to live in low-income neighborhoods.

The investigators wondered if trees and grass were a kind of "psychological resource." They thought the green space could work as a sort of tonic to ease the pain of struggling against poverty.

So, they went out and queried

145 urban public housing residents, some living near nature, others not. They compared how they handled major life issues.

What they found was this: Residents living in buildings without nearby trees and grass reported more procrastination in facing their major issues. They also thought their issues were more longstanding, more severe, and less solvable than did their counterparts who lived in greener environments.

So the green space somehow seemed to correlate with increased well being of people living in low-income public housing. Maybe they felt less

crowded, or the park gave them an opportunity to gather and do a little community building. We don't know for sure. But in any case, urban planners take note.

Another interesting study is a sort of sidebar to the one I just described. It has to do with kids who have Attention Deficit Disorder (ADD), or what we used to call hyperactivity.

Parents were asked to rate their kids' behavior in various settings. They found that parents saw their children as functioning better than usual after activities in green settings. The "greener" a child's play area, the less severe his or her attention deficit

symptoms were.

I'm aware of other interesting research along this same line, for example hospital patients who have a window to look out on nature seem to spend less time in hospital and require lower levels of medication.

All of us resonate to nature in our own way. It probably has something to do with learning we acquired a million years ago. In any event, these studies are telling us: Green is good.

Shrink Rap with Dr. Jim Ricks can be heard at wilsonbanwell.com or drjim-ricks.com

CPA Section on Women and Psychology (SWAP) Presents:

# Women's Lives: Visions, Culture and Context

June 20, 2001, Hotel Plaza Quebec, Ste-Foy, Quebec, Canada

TENTATIVE PROGRAM			
8:00	REGISTRATION	1:00	Concurrent sessions
8:30	WELCOME/KEYNOTE ADDRESS Women's work lives: Management, culture and context. Mona Abbondanza, U. de Quebec a Trois Rivieres		DISCUSSION SESSION: Researching sexuality and power: Reflections on difference, political division, and feminist process. J. M. Fraser and C. Y. Senn, University of Windsor
10:00	REFRESHMENT BREAK		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
10:15	Concurrent sessions SYMPOSIUM: Violence against women: A focus on context. South Asian-Canadian Women's experience of intimate violence: Preliminary findings. S. Hunjan, University of Windsor		Women's ways of coping with employment stress: A feminist contextual analysis. B. Long, University of British Columbia
	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	2:30	"I'm stressed": A metaphorical exploration of pervasive personal stress. A. Maglio, University of British Columbia
	Research on domestic violence and the criminal justice system: Perils and possibilities. P. Barata, University of Windsor	2:45	REFRESHMENT BREAK
	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		Concurrent sessions
	Objectification theory: Exploring self-objectification and health risk behaviors. D. Füssel, University of Windsor		WORKSHOP: Thinking back through the culture to our mothers. N. Morgan Ronan, Scottsdale Prevention Institute, Scottsdale, AZ
	Women's experiences of consciousness-raising: Paths of liberatory resistance. L. Irlam, University of British Columbia		PAPER SESSION: Cultural context and the sexual lives of women. Women in transition: Leaving heterosexuality at midlife. M. S. Armstrong, York University
11:45	LUNCH (Provided)		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

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## REGISTRAR

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- Minimum of 3 years experience in an administrative position.

Candidates should:

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Preference will be given to candidates who are actively involved in professional psychological organizations. Travel is required.

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*All applications are taken in confidence.*

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of School Psychologists  
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Vancouver, British Columbia  
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Banff, Alberta  
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**April 20-21, 2001**  
Montréal, Québec  
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For information:  
Richard Karmel, Ph.D.  
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**1-4 mai 2001**  
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# CAREERS / CARRIÈRES

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## PEDIATRIC PSYCHOLOGIST

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- Registered or eligible to be registered as a psychologist in Nova Scotia.
- Strong background in learning theory and clinical application to cognitive-behavioural interventions.
- Two to three years clinical experience in a similar role at a Pediatric Health Care Centre preferred.
- Ability to participate in the clinical training activities of the Psychology Discipline.
- Demonstrated ability to participate as a team member and provide interdisciplinary health service delivery.

Please submit a curriculum vitae, publications and the names of three qualified references willing to submit a letter of recommendation upon request. Individuals with less than three years training will be requested to provide a letter from their Director of Clinical Training. The competition will remain open until a suitable candidate is found.



**Amanda LeBlanc, Human Resources**  
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We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.  
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### PSYCHOLOGIST/TEAM LEADER – EATING DISORDER PROGRAM

The Eating Disorder Program provides specialized outpatient assessment and treatment services for youth and adults and their families presenting with eating disordered symptomatology. Clinically, the Psychologist will be responsible for providing assessments, as well as psychoeducation and both individual and group therapies to clients and their significant others. The Psychologist will also engage in community education, consultation, program development and liaising with community agencies. Travel will be required on occasion.

In addition the individual will be required to provide clinical supervision to psychology team members within Mental Health Services. As a Team Leader, the successful candidate will be responsible for coordinating the day to day functions of the program within a Program Management Model, in collaboration with the Manager of Mental Health Services.

Candidates must have a Ph.D in Clinical or Counselling Psychology and be registered or eligible for registration with the College of Psychologists of Ontario. Experience is required in psychological assessment and counselling, psychoeducation and group therapy, and working with clients who have eating disorders. Applicants must have a demonstrated ability and eligibility to supervise psychometrists and/or students, as well as experience with research and program evaluation. A minimum of two years of clinical experience in addressing general mental health issues among youth and adults and their families is also required. The ability to work independently and within an interdisciplinary team, and excellent interpersonal, verbal and written communication skills are also important prerequisites.

### PSYCHOLOGIST – TRANSITION SERVICES

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Candidates must be registered or eligible for registration with the College of Psychologists of Ontario and must have a declared competency (or the qualifications necessary to declare competency) in Clinical Psychology, Rehabilitation Psychology and/or Clinical Neuropsychology. Applicants must have demonstrated clinical skills working with older adults and their families. Other qualifications which would be an asset in this position include knowledge in the area of managing difficult behaviours and increasing a client's more functional behaviours, as well as experience in assessments regarding a person's functional abilities, level of independence and capacity to consent to Long Term Care. Excellent clinical, interpersonal and communication skills are required.

Thunder Bay is a scenic port city of 117,000 located on the shores of beautiful Lake Superior. The area offers a year-round variety of cultural and recreational activities. For more information visit the following websites: St Joseph's Care Group at [www.sjcg.net](http://www.sjcg.net) and the City of Thunder Bay at [www.city.thunder-bay.on.ca](http://www.city.thunder-bay.on.ca)

Qualified candidates interested in pursuing these challenging career opportunities are asked to submit resumes in confidence to:

**St. Joseph's Care Group**  
 Human Resources Department  
 P.O. Box 3251, Thunder Bay, ON P7B 5G7  
 Fax (807) 345-8745 Email: [hilla@tbh.net](mailto:hilla@tbh.net) Phone (807) 343-2466

## ÉVÉNEMENTS À VENIR

**May 17-19, 2001**

Sinaia, Romania  
 Third International Conference  
 of Applied Psychology  
 E-mail: [eupsiro@tibiscus.ro](mailto:eupsiro@tibiscus.ro)

**May 18-19, 2001**

Ottawa, Ontario  
 12th Annual Posttraumatic  
 Stress and Dissociation:  
 Back to Basics and Beyond  
 Tel: 613-225-1435  
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**May 23-30, 2001**

**23-30 mai 2001**  
 Ste-Foy, Québec  
 Congress of the Social  
 Sciences and Humanities  
 Congrès des sciences  
 sociales et humaines  
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 Fax: 613-236-4853  
 email: [CONGRESS@HSSFC.CA](mailto:CONGRESS@HSSFC.CA)  
[www.hssfc.ca](http://www.hssfc.ca)

**May 31 - June 2, 2001**

Berkeley, California  
 Biology and Knowledge Revisited  
 From Embryogenesis to Psychogenesis  
 31st Annual meeting of  
 the Jean Piaget Society  
 For information:  
 Chris Lalonde [lalonde@uvic.ca](mailto:lalonde@uvic.ca)  
[www.piaget.org](http://www.piaget.org)

**May 31 - June 2, 2001**

Quito, Ecuador  
 3rd Latin American  
 Congress for Psychotherapy  
 Email: [faigle@teletel.com.ar](mailto:faigle@teletel.com.ar)

**June 6-8, 2001**

London, Ontario  
 International Conference  
 Children Exposed  
 to Domestic Violence  
 hosted by: Centre for  
 Children & Families  
 in the Justice System  
[pat@lfc.on.ca](mailto:pat@lfc.on.ca)  
[www.lfcc.on.ca](http://www.lfcc.on.ca)

**June 7-8, 2001**

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[www.changeways.com](http://www.changeways.com)

**June 11-15, 2001**

Guelph, Ontario  
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 & Training Institute on Sexuality  
 Tel: 519-767-5000  
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[info@openimg.uoguelph.ca](mailto:info@openimg.uoguelph.ca)  
[www.open.uoguelph.ca/sexconf](http://www.open.uoguelph.ca/sexconf)

**June 12, 2001**

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 Relaxation Program  
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**June 11-15, 2001**

Ottawa, Ontario  
 Summer Institute 2001  
 in Addiction and Mental Health  
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 Fax: 613-225-0130  
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**June 13-17, 2001**

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 2001 World Gathering on  
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**June 13-17, 2001**

Vancouver, British Columbia  
 Annual Conference of the  
 Canadian Paediatric Society  
 Tel: 613-526-9397 ext. 248  
[www.cps.ca](http://www.cps.ca)

**June 14-17, 2001**

Honolulu, Hawaii  
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 of the University of Hawaii  
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[www.hcb.hawaii.edu](http://www.hcb.hawaii.edu)

**June 18 - August 24, 2001**

Cape Cod, MA  
 18th Annual Cape Cod  
 Summer Symposia  
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## Bourse Postdoctorale

**Centre d'étude des troubles du sommeil**  
**Centre de recherche Université Laval/Robert Giffard**

Une bourse postdoctorale est offerte à compter de septembre 2001 pour une période minimale de deux années et pouvant se poursuivre jusqu'à cinq ans.

Cette bourse permettra de travailler sur différents projets de recherche clinique portant sur l'épidémiologie et le traitement de l'insomnie. Ce programme de recherche est subventionné par le National Institute of Mental Health, l'Institut canadien de recherche en santé, le Fonds FRSQ et le FCAR.

Les candidates et candidats intéressés doivent faire parvenir leur curriculum vitae ainsi que deux lettres de recommandation avant le 1er mai 2001 à :

**Charles M. Morin, Ph.D., Professeur et Directeur,**  
 Centre d'étude des troubles du sommeil  
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**June 21-24, 2001**  
 Bloomington, Indiana USA  
 33rd Annual Meeting  
 International Society for the  
 History of Behavioral  
 and Social Sciences  
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 Program Chair  
 Tel.: (416) 736-5123  
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 E-mail: mshore@yorku.ca

**June 28-July 1, 2001**  
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 www.asaging.org

**July 1-6, 2001**  
 London, England  
 11th European Congress  
 of Psychology  
 Tel: +44 (0)171 499 0900  
 Fax: +44 (0)171 629 3233  
 E-mail: ecp2001@thguk.com  
 Web site: www.bps.org.uk

**July 1-6, 2001**  
 Vancouver, British Columbia  
 17th Congress of the International  
 Association of Gerontology  
 Tel: (604) 268-7972  
 Fax: (604) 291-5066  
 iag\_congress@sfu.ca

**July 2-4, 2001**  
 Brisbane, Australia  
 12th Biennial Conference of the  
 Australian Human  
 Development Association  
 www.tedi.uq.edu.au/AHDA  
 ahda2001@tedi.uq.edu.au

**July 7-11, 2001**  
 Edinburgh, Scotland, UK  
 10th Biennial Meeting of the  
 International Society  
 for the Study of Individual Differences  
 Prof. Ian Deary  
 www.psy.ed.ac.uk  
 http://issid.org/issid.html

**July 7-11, 2001**  
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 Cross-Cultural Psychology  
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 IACCP2001@wkac.ac.uk  
 www.wkac.ac.uk/psychology/IACCP

**July 7-11, 2001**  
 Winchester, England  
 International Council of Psychologists  
 59th Annual Convention  
 Dr. Roswith Roth  
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**July 8-11, 2001**  
 Brighton, U.K.  
 AIDS Impact 2001  
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 of HIV Infection  
 Telephone/Fax: +44 20 8670 1964  
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 Web site: www.aidsimpact.com

**July 8-12, 2001**  
 Winchester, U.K.  
 59th Annual Convention  
 of the International  
 Council of Psychologists  
 E-mail: fried@prodigy.net  
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 www.geocities.com/icpsych/icp.htm

**July 11-14, 2001**  
 Montréal, Québec  
 27th annual meeting of the  
 International Academy  
 of Sex Research  
 Ken Zucker, Ph.D.  
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**July 12-14, 2001**  
 Majorca, Spain  
 STAR-2001 Conference  
 Stress and Anxiety Research Society  
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 Fax: +34 971 17 31 90  
 E-mail: dpsjpp0@ps.uib.es  
 www.star-society.org

**July 15-18, 2001**  
 Cuernavaca, Mexico  
 24th Annual Scientific Meeting  
 of the International Society  
 of Political Psychology  
 Tamra Pearson d'Estree  
 Tel: 703-993-1364  
 Fax: 703-993-1302  
 E-mail: tdestree@gmu.edu

**July 16-20, 2001**  
 Valencia, Spain  
 III International Conference on  
 Memory  
 For information:  
 Web: www.uv.es/ICOM-3

**July 17-19, 2001**  
 Jerusalem, Israel  
 2nd International Seminar on  
 Violence and Adolescence  
 confer@isas.co.il

**July 17-21, 2001**  
 Vancouver, British Columbia  
 World Congress of Behavioral  
 and Cognitive Therapies  
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 Mary Jane Eimer  
 mjeimer@aabt.org

**July 20, 2001**  
 Halifax, Nova Scotia  
 Neuropsychological Rehabilitation:  
 Principles, Clinical Practice & Research  
 A Continuing Professional  
 Education Workshop  
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 Fax: 902-473-3204  
 domkll@qe2-hsc.ns.ca

**July 22-27, 2001**  
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 World Assembly for Mental Health  
 The 26th Biennial Congress of the  
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**July 25-29, 2001**  
 Dinan, France  
 The International School  
 Psychology Association  
 Annual Conference  
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 www.ispaweb.org/en/colloquium/  
 dinan/index.htm

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The successful candidate will normally possess a doctoral degree in clinical or counselling psychology. An equivalent combination of education and work experience will also be considered.

Candidates' applications/resumes should clearly demonstrate their related qualifications. Statements of qualifications and job descriptions are available upon request. For further information contact Dr. Shannon Baskerville, Mental Health Services, at (867)667-8346 OR by e-mail at shannon.baskerville@gov.yk.ca.

**Competition No. 00SS-17-03**  
**Review Date: May 15, 2001**

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 Fax: 867-667-5755  
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 Health and Social Services

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Direct experience in the treatment of persons with eating disorders would be ideal, but candidates with similar experience will be considered.

For more information on the St. Paul's Eating Disorders Program, please visit [www.eatingdisorders-sph.org](http://www.eatingdisorders-sph.org).

Please forward your résumé, citing position title, by May 31, 2001 to: Tricia Wharton, Human Resources, Providence Health Care, 1081 Burrard Street, Vancouver, BC V6Z 1Y6. Tel: 604.806.8858; fax: 604.806.8144; email: [twharton@providencehealth.bc.ca](mailto:twharton@providencehealth.bc.ca).

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Applicants are invited to submit a curriculum vitae and copies of recent publications to:

Dr. Tony Toneatto,  
Head, Addiction Section,  
Clinical Research Department,  
Center for Addiction and Mental Health,  
33 Russell St., Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M5S 2S1.  
Tel: (416) 535-8501 x6828. E-mail: [tony\\_toneatto@camh.net](mailto:tony_toneatto@camh.net).

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Send your curriculum vitae and two letters of reference before May 1st 2001 to :

Charles M. Morin, Ph.D., Professeur et Directeur,  
Centre d'étude des troubles du sommeil  
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**August 9-11, 2001**

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E-mail: cspp-adm@tc.umn.edu  
www.education.umn.edu/edpsych/mici

**August 22-26, 2001**

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**September 27-28, 2001**

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pgmitch@cyberus.ca

**September 27-29, 2001**

Halifax, Nova Scotia  
13th National Conference  
on Learning Disabilities  
Tel: 902-423-2850  
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LDANS@NS.SYMPATICO.CA  
WWW.NSNET.ORG/LDANS

**September 28-30, 2001**

Ottawa, Ontario  
PHICS  
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on Philosophy of Mind,  
Philosophy of Language,  
and Cognitive Science  
www.carleton.ca/iis/PHICS  
**October 4-6, 2001**  
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in Women's Health  
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Psychological Association  
Wesley Baker, Conference  
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E-mail: wbaker@apa.org

**October 21-24, 2001**

Victoria, British Columbia  
Canadian Palliative  
Care Association's  
National Conference  
Tel: 250-704-2500  
Fax: 250-370-8625  
E-mail: jerry.rothstein@caphealth.org

**June 17-21, 2002**

Saint Petersburg, Russia  
International Conference on  
Psychology Education  
Contacts:  
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**July 7-12, 2002**

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**July 14-18, 2002**

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Interested applicants are asked to reply in confidence stating salary expectations to:

**Wayne Benedet**  
C.E.O.

**Valley Rehab Centre Inc.**  
P.O.Box 1448  
Winkler, Manitoba. R6W 4B4  
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Fax: (204) 325-1958  
E-Mail vrceo@mb.sympatico.ca



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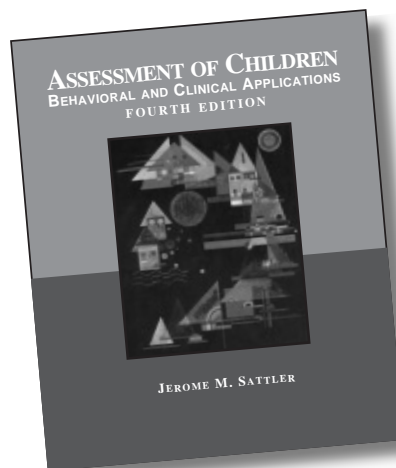
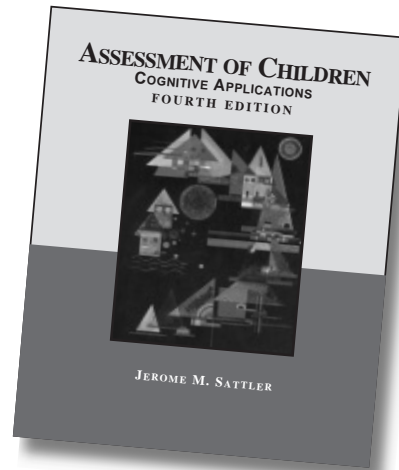
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