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President's Introduction



Dear colleagues and IPSO members.

We would like to present our Newsletter of July 2016!

Again you can get an overview on the past and next events and activities in the several IPSO regions, and short reports from our Treasurer, Editor and Secretary. As you will see from the reports, all IPSO Executive Committee Officer's are really busy in doing their tasks and promoting IPSO and its goals. At the moment, our Secretary from the IPA Office in Broomhills (London) is still Karina Gutierrez, as a successor for her hasn't been found yet. You can literally say that there is no replacement for her and the work she does for IPSO.

Given the procedures in the IPSO Bylaws, the IPSO Executive Committee decided on a new officer taking over the vacant position of the Vice President-Elect for Europe. Artur Sousa from Lisbon/ Portugal, candidate at the Portuguese Psychoanalytic Society, was appointed to this position by the beginning of March 2016. He will stay in this position until the next IPSO elections at the Business

Meeting during the IPSO/IPA-Congress in Buenos Aires in July 2017, when members will be able to vote directly for this position.

Of course the big IPSO event next year will be 24th Biennual IPSO Congress "Intimacy in Training" in Buenos Aires in July 2017 (together with the IPA Congress). Here, we have some very important news concerning the deadline and requirements for submission and a reduced congress registration fee for IPSO members:

The deadline for the submission of papers has been extended to August 1st, 2016. Because of this very short time to finish a paper, the IPSO ExCom has decided that abstracts will be submitted until August 1st, 2016 and the full paper by October 1st, 2016. If the full paper is not submitted by October 1st, 2016 it will not be reviewed and accepted for the Congress. Please be also aware that all candidates and other participants can attend the IPSO Congress, but only IPSO members can submit papers and present them at the event.

There will be a reduced Congress fee for IPSO members, which will be lower than US \$ 200.- (exact amount will be determined later). The IPA Board finally agreed to our proposal of a reduced congress fee for IPSO members, due to the dedicated efforts of the IPSO ExCom, the IPA-IPSO-Relations-Committee (IIRC) and especially our treasurer Davide Rosso.

Those who are IPSO members as of December 31, 2016 and will pay their IPSO dues in 2017, can register for the Congress with the reduced fee.

So please make sure being an IPSO member by December 31st, 2016 to be able to register with the reduced fee and come to Buenos Aires, the place in the world with the most psychoanalysts!

Asian Event!!

Three months before Buenos Aires, there will be an IPA Asia Pacific Conference titled "Asian Oedipus" in Taipei/Taiwan, May 4-6, 2017. We are working for IPSO's involvement in the planning for this Conference, so that we can arrange an interregional and international exchange of candidates there.

I also want to remind you that by the end of this year, we will announce for the next ExCom Officers to be elected in Buenos Aires 2017. So please stay tuned for the following regular

I also would like to encourage you to visit our Website regularly, which has a new domain name now: www.ipso.world IPSO is also on Facebook, where you can find IPSO news and members from all around the world.

I would also be happy to meet as many of you at the coming IPSO events and activities around the world during this year!

Enjoy reading this Newsletter!

Warmly,

Holger Himmighoffen





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Europe





Dear Colleagues,

During the first semester of 2016, we had interesting events in Berlin, Brussels and Lisbon. In June and July there were in Italian mountains and in Vienna and for the second semester there will be in Geneva and London.

In the 29th EPF Annual Conference "¿Authority?" from March 16-20, 2016 in Berlin, there were the highest number of candidate and IPSO member participation compared to any previous conferences, which was around 200 candidates! It was lovely to meet those who attended in person, and those who could not, we are looking forward to seeing you in the future, in other meetings.

The 29th EPF Annual Conference on ¿Authority? was very



interesting and during the conference we had the opportunity to explore various ideas regarding what "authority" meant, whether or not it was necessary, how much authority, differentiating authority from authoritarianism and many more stimulating themes.

All the IPSO sessions were packed with participants, lively stimulating discussions took place, and it was thrilling to see so many candidates interested. Last but



not least, we had, of course, our famous IPSO Party and this time it was in "Grüner Salon" with a lot of dancing, fun and socializing organized by Robert Span, Alice Färber and Sanja Hodzic.

Another interesting event took place in **Lisbon, on April 15, 2016**: XXVII Colloquium of the Portuguese Psychoanalytical Society, with interesting participation of IPSO members.

In May, we had four IPSO clinical workshops in French, that took place as a part of the 76th Conference of the French Speaking

Societies (CPLF) "Le moi inconscient" in Brussels, from May 6-7, 2016.

There were also an IPSO Supervision on the Psychoanalytic Congress of Portuguese speaking countries, on May 13th, in Lisbon – Portugal, case presentation by candidate Ricardo de Moura (Brazil), and supervision by Tereza Salazar Leite (Portugal) and Leonardo Fancisschelli (Brazil)

Other events June and July

Mens sana in corpore sano? Running, thinking and dancing with IPSO in the Alps of Valle d'Aosta (Italy), 24th-26th June, 2016.



IPSO Colloquium in Vienna, Austria, July 1-3, 2016.

Next events

IPSO 22th European Meeting Sept. 30sept- Oct. 2 2016, in Geneva, "To play or not to play".

More information is available on the following websites: www.cprs.ch or www.ipso.world

English-Speaking Weekend Conference, London, October 14-16, 2016" Metapsychology in the Consulting Room". The theme will be explored in a series of dialogues between senior analysts of different theoretical orientations from the British Psychoanalytical Society and one guest from the Paris Psychoanalytical Society.

For further details on the complete program of scientific and social events and to book, please contact Marjory Goodall, Events Officer – Marjory.goodall@iopa.org.uk

As you notice, there is a busy agenda waiting us all, where hopefully we will all get together to think, work and of course socialize. Looking forward to seeing you all at these meetings.

Thank You for distributing information regarding IPSO programs, for presenting, chairing, organizing, paying dues, in short, for your support and participation in IPSO.

Warmly,

Nergis Güleç and Artur Sousa

North America





Greetings Colleagues!

This past January, 2016, during the APsaA winter meetings in NYC, we held our yearly activity, the IPSO Discussion Group 'International Perspectives in Psychoanalysis'.



Davide Rosso (Torino, Italy) gave a dynamic presentation, 'Encounter in a Soccer Field' (A Case of a 12 Year Old Child), followed by a rich discussion with discussants Marielle Kellermann Barbosa (Campinas, Brazil), Carmen Cepeda (New York, NY), and colleagues in attendance, chaired by Kathryn McCormick (Seattle, WA).





During the 105th Annual APsaA meeting, in Chicago, IL (June 17th-19th), Holger Himmighoffen (IPSO President), and Kathryn McCormick (IPSO VP North America), participated in the meeting and represented IPSO in various functions including the APsaA Candidate's Spring Soiree held at the Cliff Dwellers Club, which offers a marvelous panoramic view of the downtown Chicago skyline. A special shout out to our IPSO Rep at the Chicago Institute for Psychoanalysis, Gina Shapiro, for organizing this marvelous and well received event. This provided a great opportunity for Holger and I to further share about IPSO benefits, generating excitement among APsaA colleagues.

During our IPSO Discussion Group, 'International Perspectives in Psychoanalysis', Holger presented a very complicated case of a chronically depressed patient, followed by a vibrant discussion with discussant, Sue Radant (Seattle, WA), colleagues in attendance, chaired by Kathryn McCormick (Seattle, WA).

Stay tuned to hear future reports from IPSO North America, regarding our upcoming participation in various meetings and activities, including the following meetings and activities:

- Continuing Education discussion group and panel at Seattle Psychoanalytic Society and Institute (SPSI), Seattle, WA, fall, 2016 (dates to be definied).

Kathryn McCormick and Hanna Ratjen

Latin America





Dear All,

Last semester was full of activities and we are very proud of our members. In March we had a very interesting international IPSO event in Rio de Janeiro organized by our representatives Indira Stevanato (SBPRJ) e Carolina Elmann (SPRJ): Marco Posadas came from Canada (Canadian Psychoanalytic Society - Toronto) to talk about the Psychoanalytic work with the LBGTQ community from a non oppressive perspective. Rodrigo Lage, the president of the São Paulo candidate's organization (SBPSP) was also there discussing a clinical case of Barbara Passarelli Domingues (SBPRJ). It was such an enriching discussion, we would like to invite you all to read more about this kind of psychoanalytic work.

The Candidate's meeting took place in Rosario, Argentina, the 25th and 26th of June, during the event, called: "Journey of analysts in training" our Vice President-Elect, Giuliana Rivera, coordinated an IPSO clinical discussion with the participation of our colleagues Cecilia Caruana (Spain - SPM), Carmen Cuenca (APG), Claudia Tapia (APA) and Leonardo Pedemonte (APR).





We are looking forward to meeting many of you at the OCAL's congress (the candidate's organization in Latin America) in Cartagena, Colombia, where IPSO is planning another intercontinental clinical discussion, and this event will have a new IPSO Writing Award. Stay tuned!

Warmly,

Isabel Silveira and Giuliana Rivera

Visiting Candidate Programme (VCP) and Cross Regional Study Groups (CRSG)



Dear colleagues,

The Visiting Candidate Program is an IPSO program that allows members to apply for any institute belonging to the program, a candidate will host the member in the visited city and arrange for supervisions and lectures.

The Visiting Candidate Program is always taking applications! I would like to suggest that, since we will have a Congress in Argentina next year, you take this opportunity to perhaps spend some time in an Institute in the Latin America region. It could be a chance to meet some new people and get in touch with different psychoanalytical traditions. If you are interested, and/or want some more information, just send us an e-mail.

The Cross-Regional Study Groups are also taking applications. Spread the word to your colleagues! I feel this is an amazing tool for us to exchange experiences with one another. We are trying to form new groups, so if you are interested, do not hesitate to visit the webpage *here* or, again, send us an email.

The address for any enquiries you may have is ipso-presidentelect@ipso-candidates.org.uk.

Best regards,

Leonardo Siqueira Araújo

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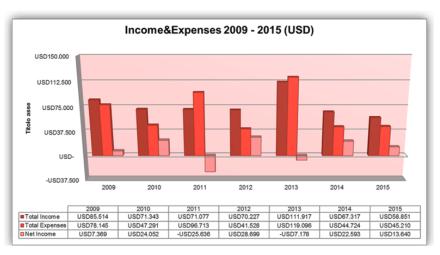


Financially speaking IPSO is balanced and gradually growing.

We would like to inform that, thanks to the efforts of the former committee, the Boston IPSO Congress, in 2015, was the first in our history to yield a positive financial result.

There has been a small but significant increase in the number of candidates, which allows us to count on a stable future, but it is not enough, we are working to achieve, in the next four years, 1,000 new candidates.

Only half of IPA candidates actually join IPSO, we are working round the clock on the goal of bringing more candidates in two different ways:



One: the relations IPSO/IPA

We achieved two important goals:

- Stefano Bolognini, IPA President, signed the letter sent to all IPA treasurers to endorse the payment of IPSO fee directly in the institute.
- Low cost project for the Buenos Aires Congress: less than U\$200 fee (half price) ONLY for IPSO candidates!!!

IPSO will invest some of its budget to support the candidates in the Buenos Aires congress: low cost accommodation, IPSO lunches, and low cost party.

To create an enthusiastic experience for all our colleagues!

Davide Rosso.

Editor



Dear IPSOers.

The Executive Committee met last January with interesting and inclusive ideas for members, we had a meeting with the president and the treasurer of the IPA and we made a revolutionary proposal regarding reduced fees for IPSO members to the next IPA/IPSO International Congress, which will take place in Buenos Aires from 25th to 29th July, 2017.

Since then I, as the editor, have being working with our colleagues, from ExCom, to improve communication among members, developing a visual standard for IPSO and getting our information across to you, through our Facebook page, emails and website.

IPSO has a diversity of events in Latin America, Europe and North America, and our goal is to build a candidate's community in which each one has their own experience in one's consulting room and institute, and on the other hand, can experiment the international contact with the colleagues.

In this IPSO spirit, we invite you to send your paper to the 24th Biannual IPSO Congress.

The submission is done online, in the IPA website **www.ipa.world**, you can find all the necessary information, regarding editorial guidelines, in our website **www.ipso.world**. The deadline to send the abstract is August 1st and full paper, October 1st, 2016 You can also present your clinical case and get the chance of having it supervised by colleagues and IPA members from other institutes.

Do it in your institute, share it with the world. Send your paper and come to Buenos Aires to have the IPSO experience, meeting new people, going to IPSO lunches, party and having good Argentinean wine.

Warmly,

Marielle Kellermann Barbosa

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Secretary



Dear candidates,

We are working in the preparation of Buenos Aires Congress 2017, the call for papers is now open and receiving a good number of proposals. To send yours now, please visit **our website** and check the **guide on how to submit**. The deadline for all proposals is 1 August 2016, you may send your paper by 1 October but it is important your abstract is submitted by 1 August.

For this congress we have merged the online system to receive all proposals for Buenos Aires at the same time we are hoping this will bring all deadlines together and will make it easier and more efficient to programme. Therefore, you will see that the form online itself will ask you to select if you are presenting your proposal for IPSO or IPA congress and also asks about the wish to participate on one or more of the IPA Awards.

Please select IPSO from the dropdown menu and remember all IPSO proposals will be taken into account for the IPSO Writing Award respectively.

We are looking for a suitable replacement for this role, as IPSO Secretary but in the meantime I am happy to continue to help with queries and issues related to IPSO. Any questions please write to us on IPSO-Mail@ipso-candidates.org.uk

In other news, we are pleased to announce that our website has changed domain, our new website address is **www.ipso.world**With best wishes,

Karina

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