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**1. New edition of IUPsyS Newsletter**

Volume 10(1) of the IUPsyS Newsletter includes a report by President Rainer K Silbereisen, a foretaste of ICP2012 in South Africa, update articles on the Revision of WHO's ICD-10 Mental and Behavioural Disorders and on the History and Current Status of the Interamerican Society of Psychology, and more. See:

[www.iupsys.net/index.php/publications/newsletter](http://www.iupsys.net/index.php/publications/newsletter)

**2. Past Union Executive Committee member honoured**

Professor Hiroshi Imada, a valued member of the IUPsyS Executive Committee from 1992 to 2000, is a recipient of the Japanese Order of the Sacred Treasure 2nd class, Gold and Silver Star. The honour was awarded to Professor Imada in June for his contributions to academic research and university administration.

**3. Nominations invited for new IUPsyS Awards and Mattei Dogan Prize in Psychological Science**

The Union has launched four new awards, to be presented at the 2012 International Congress of Psychology in South Africa. The Awards are: two Young Investigator Awards (one in the field of basic science, one in the field of applied science), one Achievement Against the Odds Award and one Lifetime Career Award. The deadline for receipt of nominations is **30 September 2011**. Nominations are also being accepted for the 2012 Mattei Dogan Prize, with the same deadline, which is awarded in recognition of a contribution that represents a major advancement in psychology by a scholar or team of scholars of high international reputation. Further details are available at:

[www.iupsys.net/index.php/prog-awards](http://www.iupsys.net/index.php/prog-awards)

**4. Caribbean Regional Conference of Psychology: still time to register**

CRCP2011 (15-18 November 2011 in the Bahamas) is hosted by the Bahamas Psychological Association (BPA), under the auspices of the IUPsyS, the International Association of Applied Psychology (IAAP) and the International Association for Cross Cultural Psychology (IACCP). The theme of the conference is Psychological Science & Well-Being: Building Bridges for Tomorrow. For details, including programme information, see:

[www.caribbeanpsychology.org](http://www.caribbeanpsychology.org)

**5. Submission of abstracts for the 2012 International Congress of Psychology**

The final deadline for abstract submission for the XXX International Congress of Psychology is 1 December 2011. ICP2012 will be held in Cape Town, South Africa, 22-27 July 2012, under the theme Psychology Serving Humanity. A list of invited speakers and invited symposia is now available on the

Congress website. For details, see:  
[www.icp2012.com/](http://www.icp2012.com/)

## **6. Emerging Psychologists' Programme at ICP2012**

ICP 2012 will feature an Emerging Psychologists' Programme as an integral part of the scientific programme. The EPP is intended to enhance communication between Emerging Psychologists from different countries and diverse cultural backgrounds, to promote exchange of knowledge between established and younger scientists, and to help younger scientists to acquire new insights into specific fields of psychology and psychology generally. Applications must be received by 30 September. For details see:

[www.icp2012.com/index.php?bodyhtml=program-emerging-scientists.html](http://www.icp2012.com/index.php?bodyhtml=program-emerging-scientists.html)

## **7. ISSC to launch World Social Science Fellows Programme**

The ISSC has been awarded a grant of 1.2 million Euros from the Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency for a new World Social Science Fellows Programme. The programme will be launched in September 2011. It has a duration of 4 years, targeting the next generation of social science leaders from South and North working in a cross-disciplinary way on key global development issues. At its core there will be convened a series of fortnight-long Fellows Workshops, where younger social scientists receive training from more senior colleagues. The Programme aims to benefit personally around 60 young scholars per year. For details, see:

[www.worldsocialscience.org/?p=1855](http://www.worldsocialscience.org/?p=1855)

## **8. ICSU seeks an Executive Director**

The International Council for Science (ICSU) is seeking to recruit a candidate for the post of Executive Director of the organization. The deadline for applications is 10 September 2011. For details, see:

[www.icsu.org/news-centre/jobs-at-icsu/executive-director](http://www.icsu.org/news-centre/jobs-at-icsu/executive-director)

## **9. ICSU publish Report on Science Education**

ICSU have released the Report of the ICSU Ad-hoc Review Panel on Science Education. It reports the results of a year-long study by a Review Panel set up by ICSU to consider, and make recommendations on, the future role that the organization might play in the field of science education. See:

[www.icsu.org/publications/reports-and-reviews/report-of-the-icsu-ad-hoc-review-panel-on-science-education/report-of-the-icsu-ad-hoc-review-panel-on-science-education](http://www.icsu.org/publications/reports-and-reviews/report-of-the-icsu-ad-hoc-review-panel-on-science-education/report-of-the-icsu-ad-hoc-review-panel-on-science-education)

## **10. APA invites nominations for Ursula Gielen Global Psychology Book Award (2011)**

The mission of APA Division 52 is to advance psychology internationally as a science and profession, and through education and advocacy. In support of this mission, the Ursula Gielen Global Psychology Book Award is presented to the author(s) or editor(s) of a recent book that makes the greatest contribution to psychology as an international discipline and profession, or more specifically, the degree to which the book adds to our understanding of global phenomena and problems from a psychological point of view. Nominations may include authored or edited volumes in any language. For details, see:

[www.apa.org/about/awards/div-52-gielen.aspx](http://www.apa.org/about/awards/div-52-gielen.aspx)

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