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1. Invitation for National Members to adopt revised statute on the free circulation of scientists

At its recent meeting in Melbourne, the IUPsyS Assembly voted to amend the Union's statute on the free circulation of scientists by the addition of the following text:

"The Union adheres to the ICSU principle of the Universality of Science embodying freedom of movement, association, expression and communication for scientists, as well as equitable access to data, information and research material; and actively upholds this principle, by opposing any discrimination on the basis of such factors as ethnic origin, religion, citizenship, language, political stance, gender, sex, sexual orientation, or age."

National Members are invited to consider whether their associations or official bodies might adopt the revised Union statute within their own policy statements.

2. Call for abstracts for ICP2012

The second announcement of the XXX International Congress of Psychology has been issued and abstracts can now be submitted. The deadline for abstract submission for funding purposes is 1 May 2011, and the final deadline for abstract submission is 1 December 2011. ICP2012 will be held in Cape Town, South Africa, 22-27 July 2012, under the theme Psychology Serving Humanity. For further details, see: http://www.icp2012.com/

3. ICP2008 Proceedings available

The Proceedings of the 2008 International Congress of Psychology (ICP2008) are now published. There are two volumes. Volume 1 focuses on cognition and neuropsychology, including: perception, attention, and action; social cognition; learning, memory and development. Volume 2 focuses on personality, human development and culture, including issues in clinical, health, social, developmental and cross-cultural psychology.

For the table of content for each volume and ordering information, see:

Volume 1: www.psypress.com/cognition-and-neuropsychology-9781848720220

Volume 2: www.psypress.com/personality-human-development-and-culture-9781848720237

4. International Social Science Council (ISSC) Award

The winner of the ISSC's XVth Stein Rokkan Price for Comparative Social Science Research is Beth A. Simmons of Harvard University, USA, and author of 'Mobilizing for Human Rights. International Law in Domestic Politics' Further details may be seen at: www.worldsocialscience.org/?page_id=78#stein

5. International Council for Science (ICSU) News

The ICSU Annual Report 2009 is now available at: www.icsu.org/2 resourcecentre/AnnReport2009.html

The latest edition of the ICSU 'Insight' newsletter is available at: www.icsu.org/3 mediacentre/INSIGHT 07 2010.html

6. Pathways to Adulthood Post-doctoral Fellowship Programme

The mission of the Pathways Collaborative Post-Doctoral Fellowship Programme is to stimulate innovative, interdisciplinary, and comparative research on productive youth development, with a major objective of promoting the next generation of researchers to help equip young people for mastering the challenges of growing up in a changing social context. The programme is led by a consortium of leading institutions located in Finland, Germany, Sweden, UK and the US. Post-doctoral fellowships are available under the programme. For more details see: www.pathwaystoadulthood.org/

A recent Newsletter about the programme is available at: www.pathwaystoadulthood.org/docs/PathwaysNewsletterIssue1.pdf

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