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1. Former IUPsyS President honoured

Former IUPsyS President Michel Denis has been awarded the Ordre National de la Legion D'Honneur (National Order of the Legion of Honour) by the President of the French Republic. This is the highest civilian distinction in France. A letter of congratulation from current President Rainer K Silbereisen may be seen at:

www.iupsys.net/images/announcements/m-denis-honour.pdf

2. 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. Nominations are now being accepted. Further details are available at: www.iupsys.net/index.php/prog-awards

Nominations are also being accepted for the 2012 Mattei Dogan Prize, 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. The Prize carries an honorarium of US \$4000. Further details may be seen at:

www.iupsys.net/index.php/prog-awards/1735-mattei-dogan-prize

3. IUPsyS Newsletter

Volume 9(2) of the IUPsyS Newsletter, published December 2010, includes a report from the IUPsyS President, an article by the Mattei Dogan Prize winner Michael Posner, a report from the IUPsyS Workgroup on the Education of Psychologists and reflections from departing Deputy Secretary-General Merry Bullock. Available at:

www.iupsys.net/index.php/publications/newsletter

4. Report on the 2010 ARTS Programme

The Advanced Research and Training Seminars (ARTS) are co-sponsored by the International Association of Applied Psychology (IAAP), the International Association of Cross-Cultural Psychology (IACCP) and IUPsyS. A report on the 2010 ARTS Programme, held in Melbourne, Australia in July, is available at:

www.iupsys.net/images/arts/reports/2010-arts-report-submitted.pdf

The next ARTS Programme will be held in South Africa in July 2012. A general flier on ARTS is available at:

www.iupsys.net/images/arts/arts2012/arts-flier.pdf

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

The deadline for abstract submission for the XXX International Congress of Psychology is 1 May 2011 for funding purposes, with a final deadline of 1 December 2011. ICP2012 will be held in Cape Town, South Africa, 22-27 July 2012, under the theme Psychology Serving Humanity. For details, see: www.icp2012.com/

6. Nominations invited for the Klaus J. Jacobs Research Prize 2011

The prize, in honour of the Jacobs Foundation's founder Klaus J. Jacobs, is awarded annually for outstanding scientific contributions of individuals from all disciplines aiming at the improvement of young people's development and perspectives worldwide. The prize is endowed with 1 Million Swiss Francs. Deadline for nominations is 15 March 2011. Details are available at: http://award.jacobsfoundation.org/en/

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