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1. Advanced Research Training Seminars (ARTS) 2012: Announcement and Call for Participants

Application for participation in the ARTS 2012 Programme is now open (deadline 21 November 2011). ARTS provide training opportunities for scholars from low-income countries, and is sponsored jointly by IAAP, IACCP and IUPsyS. The Programme takes place from 16 to 19 July 2012 in Stellenbosch, South Africa, in association with the International Congress of Psychology (ICP 2012) and the Congress of the International Association of Cross-Cultural Psychology (IACCP 2012). The three Seminars in the 2012 ARTS Programme are entitled: (1) Coping with the Strains of Globalization: Culturally Appropriate Methods for Research on Health and Wellbeing; (2) Analyses of Psychological Data with R; (3) Research as Praxis: Action and Theory-Making and Application in Community Psychology Research. For further details, see:

www.iupsys.net/index.php/capacity-building/arts

2. IUPsyS Awards and Mattei Dogan Prize in Psychological Science: Deadline 30 September

Nominations for the prestigious IUPsyS Awards and the Mattei Dogan Prize must be submitted by **30 September 2011**. The IUPsyS 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 Mattei Dogan Prize 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. All the awards will be presented at the 2012 International Congress of Psychology in South Africa. Further details are available at:

www.iupsys.net/index.php/prog-awards

3. July edition of the 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

4. Emerging Psychologists' Programme at ICP2012: Deadline 30 September

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. Applicants may attend EPP and ARTS and are encouraged to apply for both programmes. For details see:

www.icp2012.com/index.php?bodyhtml=program-emerging-scientists.html

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/

6. 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

7. ISSC launches 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 will have 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

8. 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

9. The Kavli Prize in Neuroscience 2012: Call for Nominations

The Norwegian Academy of Science and Letters has announced the call for nominations of candidates for the Kavli Prize 2012 (deadline 1 December 2011). Kavli Prizes recognize scientists whose discoveries have dramatically expanded human understanding in the fields of astrophysics, nanoscience and neuroscience, and include cash awards of one million US dollars. The Kavli Prizes are a partnership between The Norwegian Academy of Science and Letters, The Kavli Foundation, and The Norwegian Ministry of Education and Research, and the prize recipients are chosen by an international committee. Further details are available at:

www.kavliprize.no

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