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FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT . . .

Patricia Arredondo, Ed.D.
Arizona State University



On behalf of the National Latino Psychological Association (NLPA), I invite your membership with this very vital professional organization. In existence since 1979, we have had many chapters of change and growth and are now in another phase of evolution.

For the past 5-6 years, Dr. Maryann Santos de Barona and Dr. Andrés Barona of Arizona State University have provided guidance and visibility to NLPA. Now it is time for others to take on leadership responsibilities. At the annual APA conference in Chicago in August, several individuals volunteered their service to the growth and expansion of NLPA. Now we are seeking yours, initially to membership.

In the short term, we are building our treasury so that we can produce a newsletter and other forms of visibility that give us the presence that is necessary in psychology. For example, we would like to have a fully operating website with scholarship/fellowship information, employment opportunities, recent publications by Latino professionals, and announcements about conferences.

We are often asked if NLPA is a part of the American Psychological Association. (APA). The answer is no. The four ethnic minority psychology associations have independent status. NLPA and the Asian American Psychological Association tend to meet at APA. However, the Association of Black Psychologists and the Society of Indian Psychologists have separate annual meetings.

The Latino landscape in the United States continues to grow, and we need to be proactive on our own behalf and that of the millions who share in our heritage. In this Hispanic/Latino Heritage month, I encourage you to make a commitment to join NLPA. We look forward to hearing from you!

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

This section of the newsletter will focus on topics relevant to membership in the NLPA. In this issue, we will highlight the many benefits of membership in the NLPA.

Membership Benefits: Membership in the NLPA is beneficial to everyone! Benefits to students include not only receiving this newsletter, but also participating in the listserv discussions and chat sessions; receiving information on scholarships, conferences, research and internship opportunities, receiving information about Latinos in academic institutions; and engaging in networking, advocacy, and mentorship with others interested in Latino psychology. Additional benefits for psychologists, other professionals, and institutions include serving as an outlet for professional development; sharing syllabi; communicating with students and other professionals; receiving information on assessment tools; and receiving mentorship for research, clinical practice, and education.

If you are a professional, please encourage your colleagues and undergraduate and graduate students to join the NLPA. Membership is not restricted to anyone--you do not have to be of Latina/o heritage to join.

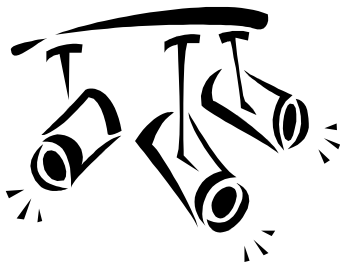
Membership Dues: Dues are as follows: Institutions: \$100; Psychologists and other professionals: \$35; and Students: \$15. Voluntary contributions are also encouraged.

Where to Send Dues: Please send dues to: Dr. Edward Delgado-Romero, Department of Counseling and Educational Psychology, WW. Wright School of Education, 201 North Rose Avenue, Room 4060, Bloomington, IN 47405-1006

STUDENT COLUMN

This column will focus on issues affecting undergraduate or graduate students. We especially encourage students to submit articles or anything of interest to students. If you are interested in submitting something for the newsletter, please contact us.

SPOTLIGHT ON LATINO RESEARCH



This brief column will focus on issues relevant to Latino psychology. This column will also focus on a brief review of a book or a newsworthy research, clinical, or education/training issue. We encourage submissions from anyone! Please contact us if you would like to submit an article.

HONORS AND AWARDS

The following is a short list of the many individuals who recently received honors or awards. On behalf of the NLPA, we congratulate you and wish you much continued success and happiness!

Jesús Arros, who was elected as the Guam Representative to the APA Council.

María Garrido, who was recently promoted to the Board of Trustees of the Providence Center.

Alberta Gloria, who won the Division 45 Award for Emerging Professional.

Eduardo Morales, who won the APA Distinguished Career Contribution Award.

Brian McNeill, for his role in helping Washington State University to win the prestigious Richard Suinn Award.

Melba Vázquez, who won the APA Distinguished Psychologist in the Public Interest Award.

PROMOTIONS AND TENURE



Congratulations to the following individuals who recently received promotions and tenure!

Robert Davidson-Avilés, from Bradley University.

Andrés Consoli, from San Francisco State University.

Grants and Fellowships

Hispanic Scholarship Fund: The Hispanic Scholarship Fund has several scholarships available for Latino students. The following scholarships are available:

- General College Scholarship Fund (Deadline: Oct. 15)
- HSF/Oakland Raiders Offensive Lineman & Wells Fargo Scholarship (Early Deadline: October 31)
- High School Scholarship (Deadline: Feb. 15)
- Community College Transfer Scholarship Program (Deadline: Feb. 15)

For more information, visit the HSF website at: www.hsf.net

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Call for Papers: 2003 Winter Roundtable



Abstracts are being solicited for research projects, symposia, and half-day (3-hour) workshops for the 20th Annual Roundtable on Cultural Psychology and Education (Feb. 20-22, 2003). Abstracts must be submitted by November 1, 2002. The theme of the Roundtable is "Identity in Cultural Psychology and Education". For more information, contact Bryant Williams, at (212) 678-4111 or visit the website at www.tc.edu/roundtable

SAMHSA Grants: The APA Public Policy Office is pleased to inform you that two centers of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) recently announced the availability of fiscal year 2003 funds in the following areas:

- Prevention and Early Intervention Services
- Mental Health and Early Intervention Services
- Mental Health Evaluation Technical Assistance Center
- State Implementation of Evidence-Based Practices
- State Emergency Response Capacity
- American Indian/Alaskan Native Resource Center for Substance Abuse Services

For more information, please visit the SAMHA website at: <http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/content/2003/currentgrants.htm>

LISTSERVE INFORMATION

The NLPA listserv is a great way to communicate with others who are interested in Latino psychology! To subscribe or unsubscribe to the listserv, e-mail Dr. Consoli, at consoli@sfsu.edu. Once you are signed up, you can post messages by writing to lpa-l@sfsu.edu.

CONFERENCES/MEETINGS

A Note from the Midwest Association of Latino Psychology

"On behalf of the Midwest Association of Latino Psychology (MALP), we would like to thank each of you for attending the social gathering and networking session sponsored by MALP on August 23, 2002. It was great to meet so many of you in person and to begin the process of a closer collaboration with your organization. Thank you also to Patricia Arredondo for allowing us to attend the National Latino Psychological Association meeting. We look forward to working with you in the future and to our next meeting at the Latino Psychology conference in October".

To join MALP, e-mail Dr. Johnsen at l-johnsen@northwestern.edu

Sinceramente,

Lisa A. P. Johnsen, Ph.D.; John Arroyo, Psy.D.; Liz Vera, Ph.D.;
John Benitez, Ph.D. (MALP Board of Directors)

Multicultural Guidelines Endorsed by APA!



The Guidelines for Multicultural Education and Training, Research, Practice and Organizational Change for Psychologists were recently endorsed by APA at the 2002 convention, and they are now APA policy! We are eternally grateful to Patricia Arredondo, Nayda Fouad, Michael D'Andrea, Allen Ivey, and all those who worked tirelessly for so many years on the development and refinement of The Guidelines. ¡Muchísimas gracias por su dedicación!

NLPA Logo Selected



A very special thank you to everyone who helped to design the NLPA logo! The official NLPA logo was selected at the NLPA meeting in August and is shown above.

2002

Latino Psychology 2002 Conference

October 17-20, 2002, Providence, Rhode Island

For information, go to: <http://www.thewisdomgroup.net/psych/>

National Latino Psychological Association

Latino Psychology 2002 Conference

October 19, 2002, Providence, Rhode Island

For information, e-mail Dr. Arredondo at empower@asu.edu

APPIC Competencies Conference

November 7-9, 2002, Scottsdale, Arizona

For more information, go to:

http://directories.appic.org/news/3_1_news_competencies.htm

Trauma, Culture, and The Brain

December 13-15, 2002, Los Angeles, California

For information, go to: www.thefpr.org/events/conference.html

2003

RACE 2003

Arizona State University

January 9-11, 2003, Tempe, Arizona

For more information, go to: <http://coe.asu.edu/race>

National Multicultural Conference and Summit

January 23-24, Hollywood, California

For more information, go to: www.multiculturalsummit.org

20th Anniversary Teacher's College

Winter Roundtable on Cross-Cultural Psychology and Education

February 20-22, 2003, New York, New York

For more information, go to: www.tc.edu/roundtable

American Counseling Association

March 23-27, 2003, Anaheim, California

For information, go to: www.counseling.org/convention

Interamerican Congress of Psychology

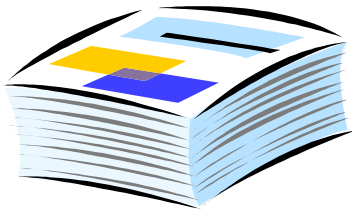
Sponsored by the Interamerican Society of Psychology (SIP)

July 13-18, 2003, Lima, Peru

For more information, e-mail sip2003@universia.edu.pr or

go to: www.am.org/sipsych

UPCOMING AND RECENT PUBLICATIONS



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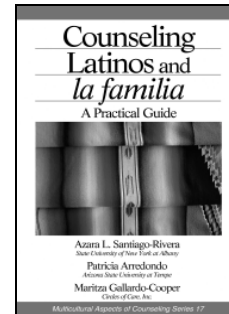
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Velásquez, R. J., Arrelano, L. & McNeill, B.W. (Eds.). (in press). Handbook of Chicana and Chicano Psychology. Lawrence Erlbaum.

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Counseling Latinos and la familia, provides an integrated approach to understanding Latino families and increasing competency for counselors and other mental health professionals who work with Latinos and their families. It provides essential background information about the Latino population and the family unit which is so central to Latino culture. The book also includes practical counseling strategies, focusing on the multicultural competencies approach. **Contact:** SAGE PUBLICATIONS: (805)499-0721, E-mail: info@sagepub.com, Mention: A020871-A . Website: www.sagepub.com

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As part of the NLPA dissemination effort, we want to encourage you to communicate your work and opinions to our readership. Brief reports on your research, innovative mental health practices, or book reviews on Latino mental health and education are welcome. This is a great way to communicate with other about your work on a national level. Send your manuscripts directly to: Lisa Johnsen, Ph.D., Editor, El Boletín, Northwestern University, Feinberg School of Medicine, 710 North Lake Shore Drive, Suite 1205, Chicago, Illinois 60611, E-mail: l-johnsen@northwestern.edu.

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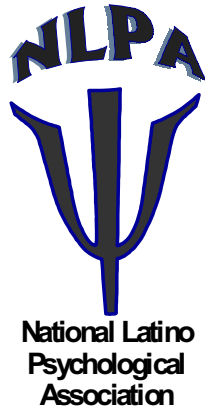
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