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Introduction of New IAPS Members

The following new members have joined our society, bringing the total to 225:

Ann Marie Albano Ph.D.

Associate Professor, Columbia University

Danielle Balzafiore M.A.

Doctoral Student, Palo Alto University

Paul Bartone, Ph.D.

Professor and Senior Research Fellow, National Defense University

Kathleen Catanese Ph.D.

Professor, Cuyahoga Community College

Alicia Del Prado Boquiren Ph.D.

Associate Professor, The Wright Institute

Stefano Di Domenico M.A.

Doctoral Student, University of Toronto

Santo Di Nuovo, Ph.D.

Professor, University degli Studi di Catania

Stephen De Berry Ph.D.

Independent Researcher – Rome

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Recent IAPS Member Accomplishments

Dr. Linda Caterino served as the 2015 President of the *American Academy of School Psychology*. Dr. Caterino was also awarded the 2105 Distinguished Mentor of the Year Award by the *Arizona Psychological Association*. Previously, The *Arizona Association of School Psychologists* (AASP) selected her as the recipient of its Keith Perkins Lifetime Achievement Award.

Dr. Patrizia Guarnieri's *Italian psychology and Jewish emigration under fascism: from Florence to Jerusalem and New York*, was published by Palgrave Macmillan. Dr. Guarnieri examines the impact of fascism on psychology in Italy and takes a closer look at key figures in Jewish emigration. *La Repubblica* featured an excerpt of her research on Italian born Renata Calabresi, a Jew and antifascist, who moved to New York and worked as an APA member. Review: <http://www.palgrave.com/it/book/9781137306555#reviews>

Dr. Lorraine Mangione and Dr. Donna

DiCello's article: *Spirituality and religion in experiences of Italian-American daughters grieving their fathers* has been published in *Psychology of Religion and Spirituality*. The online publication is available at:

<http://psycnet.apa.org/doi/10.1037/rel0000056>

Dr. Lorraine Mangione will be touring in the Rome area in the month of April and is available to speak on her research dealing with grief among Italian-American Daughters. Contact lmangione@antioch.edu

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Ralph Dell'Aquila, Ed.D.

Psychologist, Private Practice – New Jersey

Amelio D'Onofrio Ph.D.

Professor, Fordham University

Matthew D'Ortona, PSY.D.

Clinical Psychologist, Affiliated Psychological Consultants – New York

Laura Dryjanska Ph.D.

Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Rome

Marzia Giua PSY.D.

Clinical Psychologist, Center for Family Therapy and Court of Rome

Laura Guli Ph.D.

Clinical Psychologist, Private Practice - Texas

John Lombardo Ph.D.

Professor, SUNY College at Cortland

Linda Malnasi McCarter B.A.

Senior Acquisitions Editor, American Psychological Association

Luca Mazzucchelli, Ph.D.

Vice President, Lombardy Psychological Association

Carmella Pasqualini-Yates Ph.D.

Clinical Psychologist, Daniels, Yates, and Associates – Kentucky

Edward Rossini Ph.D.

Professor, Roosevelt University

Giulia Scalambra M.A.

Private Practice – Ferrara

Catherine Sidoti B.A.

Consultant, Sidoti Enterprises – New York

Francesca Trussoni Ph.D.

Clinical Psychologist, Private Practice – Milan

Maurizio Valenti Ph.D.

Counselor, Private Practice – Umbria

Randall Wyatt Ph.D.

Professor, Alliant International University, CSPP SF



INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF METACOGNITIVE THERAPY

Supported by the Metacognitive Therapy Institute

Main conference April 8th - 9th, 2016

Preconference April 7th 2016

Learn the latest therapeutic skills: Pre-congress Workshop in MCT

Venue: [Palazzo Mezzanotte](#)

This conference covers state-of-the-art work on assessment, mental processes, research and treatment across a wide range of disorders. There will be workshops, keynotes, master-clinician presentations, posters and symposia.

For more Information visit:

<http://www.mctconference.no/2016/index.html>

I want to acknowledge IAPS member **Dr.**

Giovanni M. Ruggiero who not only brought this conference to our attention but hosted a number of our Italian American members at his home during the European Congress of Psychology this past year. Thank you Giovanni!

501 (c) 3 Status Update

We have taken the first step in establishing IAPS as a 501(c)3. This designates a tax-exempt nonprofit in the United States. Step one was to file articles of incorporation – this has been done. The next step is to obtain an Employer Identification Number (EIN). Step three will be to file papers with the federal government. The steps must be completed in order, and we must await approval at each point in the process.

One of the goals of forming a non-profit will be to secure grants and tax-deductible donations for IAPS. The society would like to support its members with various educational and scholarly opportunities. First, we need to develop the appropriate organizational infrastructure as well as a robust financial plan.

Future Communication Platforms

IAPS is exploring one or more platforms to speed the flow of communication among members, including a Listserv or a Facebook page. One of our new members, Lisa Malnasi McCarter has volunteered to lead this project.

We will update the membership soon and if there are alternatives, we may seek recommendations.

**American Psychological Association Convention
Denver, Colorado**

August 4 – 7, 2016

Annual IAPS Dinner

Wed Evening: August 3rd, 2016

We are seeking nominations for a good
Italian restaurant and an appropriate speaker
Please email suggestions to tscioli@keene.edu



Please send news, updates, etc., you would like to see in this newsletter to me at tscioli@keene.edu
Best Wishes,

Tony / Antonio