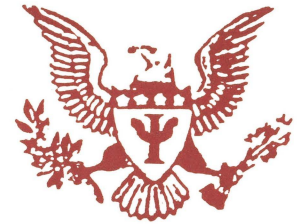


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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Timothy B. Jeffrey, Ph.D.

It is time once again to look forward to our annual meeting which this year will be held in New Orleans. Brian Waters, Bill Strickland, Steve Goldberg, and Russ Hibler have done an excellent job putting together a first rate Division 19 program. The papers and symposium submitted by members are excellent. Those of you who attend will have the opportunity to hear about several first rate research studies on topics important to Military Psychology. We have scheduled a women and minority issues breakfast chaired by Anne Hoiberg and Kathryn Knudson which we hope will be well attended. The Division 19 open business meeting will be Sunday afternoon from 3:00 to 3:50 PM. We look forward to as many of you as possible attending and renewing old friendships. Also please visit our hospitality suite at the convention. Members of the Executive Committee will be there to discuss issues and/or relax with you. Please let us know your wants, likes, dislikes, etc.

Charlie Hazelhurst has resigned as the Division Secretary-Treasurer and Jared Jobe was elected by the Executive Committee as his replacement at the Mid-Winter Meeting in Washington, D.C. Thanks are due to Charlie for the smooth transition and to Jared for his continuing willingness to serve the Division in a variety of ways.

Thanks once again for the privilege of serving as Division President. It's been fun and a lot of work too. We continue to maintain good financial status. Dick Bloom's election ensures continued strong leadership for next year.

Life in Nebraska is great. I am looking forward to seeing all of you at APA in New Orleans. Plan to come and have a good time.

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SUMMARY OF SESSION AND PARTICIPANTS FOR DIVISION 19: 1989 APA CONVENTION

Executive Committee Meeting

Time: 7-9 PM, Thursday, August 10, 1989

Special Symposium

On August 10, the evening before the convention begins, a special symposium on Psychology and National Security Affairs will be conducted for both psychologists and the inquisitive public. The symposium is being sponsored by Division 19 (Psychology and National Security Affairs Working Group), Psychologists for Social Responsibility, and various local organizations from New Orleans. The format will consist of four 20 minute presentations followed by an opportunity for audience dialogue. Arrangements to have sections of the symposium televised at a later date are being pursued. The location for the symposium has not been finalized but posters announcing the exact time and location of the event will be posted at all APA registration centers in New Orleans.

Hospitality Suite

Time: 6 PM - End of Evening, Friday, August 11, 1989  
6 PM - End of Evening, Saturday, August 12, 1989

Session #1

Name of Session: Organizational Considerations in Maintaining Commitment in the U.S. Army Reserve

Time: 9-10:50 AM, Friday, August 11, 1989

Participant # 1

Name: James W. Griffith  
Role: Session Chair and Discussant

Participant # 2

Name: Shelley Perry  
Name of presentation: Soldier Commitment and its Relation to Retention in the U.S. Army Reserve

Participant # 3

Name: LTC Terry White  
Name of presentation: The Relationship between Individual Expectations and Organizational Commitment to the Army Reserve

Participant # 4

Name: Glenda Y. Nogami  
Name of presentation: Implications of Extended Annual Training Exercises on Soldier Commitment

Session # 2

Name of session: Training for Trauma: Organizational, Management, Treatment, and Research Considerations

Time: 11 AM-12:50 PM, Friday, August 11, 1989

Participant # 1

Name: A. David Mangelsdorff  
Role: Session Chair

Participant # 2

Name: Don Ferguson  
Name of presentation: Organizing for Disaster

Participant # 3

Name: Chris Hatcher  
Name of presentation: Critical Incident Stress Debriefing: Major Issues in Training and Implementation

Participant # 4

Name: Connie L. Best  
Name of presentation: Mental Health Counseling of Crime Victims: Description of a Tracking Program

Participant # 5

Name: Shelley Neiderback  
Name of presentation: Group Therapeutic Interventions for Victims of Crime

Participant # 6

Name: James W. Stokes  
Name of presentation: Safeguarding High Risk/High Stress Training

Participant # 7

Name: Susan B. Sorenson  
Name of presentation: Training for Trauma: Research Considerations

Participant # 8

Name: Patrick DeLeon  
Role: Discussant

Session # 3

Name of session: Applied Psychology and Defense Policy (subject to cancelation)

Time: 2-2:50 PM, Friday, August 11, 1989

Participant # 1

Name: David J. Armor, Former Undersecretary of Defense  
Role: Invited Address  
Name of Presentation: Applied Psychology and Defense Policy

Participant # 2

Name: Timothy B. Jeffrey  
Role: Session Chair

Session # 4

Name of session: Debates on Sexuality and Personnel Security Criteria

Time: 3-3:50 PM, Saturday, August 12, 1989

Participant # 1

Name: Richard W. Bloom

Role: Session Chair

Name of presentation: Debate: Should Lesbians and Gays be Given Security Clearances by the US Government?

Participant # 2

Name: Theodore H. Blau

Name of presentation: Lesbians and Gays Should Not be given Security Clearances

Participant # 3

Name: Gregory M. Herek

Name of presentation: Lesbians and Gays Should be Given Security Clearances

Participant # 4

Name: Donald Bersoff

Role: Discussant

Session # 5

Name of session: Current Military-Related Research and Clinical Issues (Poster Session and Social Hour)

Time: 8-8:50 AM, Saturday, August 12, 1989

Participant # 1

Name: Lawrence A. Witt

Name of presentation: Satisfaction with Initial Work Assignment and Organizational Commitment

Participant # 2

Name: Alma G. Steinberg

Name of presentation: Dimensions of Army Commissioned and Noncommissioned Officer Leadership

Participant # 3

Name: Linda R. Elliott

Name of presentation: Cognitive Versus Noncognitive Predictors of Air Force Officer Training

Participant # 4

Name: Paul D. Retzlaff

Name of presentation: General Alcohol Abuse Research: Applicability to Active Duty Military

**Participant # 5****Name: Burl Gilliland****Name of presentation: Analysis of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder in Vietnam Era Military Chaplains****Participant # 6****Name: Ralph B. Burr****Name of presentation: Alcohol and Drug Abuse Hospitalizations among Submarine Personnel in the US Navy****Participant # 7****Name: Rudolph A. Smith****Name of presentation: Differential Item Functioning of the Air Force Officer Qualifying Test****Participant # 8****Name: Todd C. Sperl****Name of presentation: Development of an Air Force Officer Qualifying Test Quick Score****Participant # 9****Name: Benjamin A. Fairbank****Name of presentation: A Performance Assessment and Measurement Model for an Automated Tutor****Participant # 10****Name: Beverly G. Burke****Name of presentation: Analyzing a Complex Military Task Through Observation and Interview****Participant # 11****Name: Gloria D. Urban****Name of presentation: Factor and Cluster Analysis of the Special Assignment Battery****Participant # 12****Name: Douglas B. Rosenthal****Name of presentation: Job Characteristics and Military Attrition****Participant # 13****Name: D. Stephen Nice****Name of presentation: Failure of the Health Risk Appraisal for Modifying Lifestyle Behaviors****Participant # 14****Name: Timothy W. Elig****Name of presentation: Advertising and (Youth and Parental) Perceptions of the Armed Forces****Participant # 15****Name: Brian K. Waters****Name of presentation: Development of a Single DoD Reading Grade Level (RGL) Scale**

## Participant # 16

Name: Ryland C. Gaskins III

Name of presentation: Military Recruiting Challenges: Attracting High Aptitude Recruits in a Dual Incentive Market

## Participant # 17

Name: Martin F. Wiskoff

Name of presentation: Journal of Military Psychology

Session # 6

Name of session: Aspects of Navy work and Career Development

Time: 9-10:50 AM, Saturday, August 12, 1989

## Participant # 1

Name: Martin F. Wiskoff

Role: Session Chair

## Participant # 2

Name: Donald E. Super

Name of presentation: The Importance of Work to Navy Enlisted Personnel

## Participant # 3

Name: Herbert G. Baker

Name of presentation: Effects of Assignment on Task Familiarity and Performance

## Participant # 4

Name: Samuel H. Osipow

Name of presentation: Models of Navy Enlisted Career Development Patterns

## Participant # 5

Name: Robert F. Morrison

Name of presentation: Roadblocks to Warrior Subspecialty Development

## Participant # 6

Name: Robert F. Morrison

Role: Discussant

Session # 7

Name of session: Task Selection for Performance Testing

Time: 11 AM -12:50 PM, Saturday, August 12, 1989

## Participant # 1

Name: John J. Pass

Role: Session Chair

**Participant # 2**

Name: J. Mark Schemmer

Name of presentation: Development of Job Samples for the Navy  
Electricians's Mate Rating**Participant # 3**

Name: Len Kroeker

Name of presentation: Creating a Random Sampling Design for Job  
Performance Measures**Participant # 4**

Name: Fritz Drasgow

Name of presentation: Task Selection Models for Job Performance  
Measurement**Participant # 5**

Name: Richard Shavelson

Role: Discussant

**Participant # 6**

Name: Gerald Laabs

Role: Discussant

**Session # 8**Name of session: Manpower, Personnel, and Training Issues for Developing  
New Weapon Systems

Time: 3-4:50, Monday, August 14, 1989

**Participant # 1**

Name: Michael J. Kavanagh

Role: Discussant

**Participant # 2**

Name: William E. Alley

Role: Session Chair

**Participant # 3**

Name: Frank C. Gentner

Name of presentation: Including MPT Considerations Early in the  
Design Process: User's Perspective**Participant # 4**

Name: R. Bruce Gould

Name of presentation: Challenges of Developing MPT Tools and Data  
Bases: Researcher's Perspective**Participant # 5**

Name: Lawrence O. Short

Name of presentation: Task-Level Data Bases Developed to Support  
MPT Decisions

**Participant # 6**

Name: Wayne B. Archer

Name of presentation: Analysis Tools under Development to Support  
MPT Decisions**Session # 9**

Name of session: Women and Minorities Issues Breakfast

Time: 8-8:50 AM, Sunday, August 13, 1989

**Participant # 1**

Name: Anne Hoiberg

Role: Session Co-chair

**Participant # 2**

Name: Kathryn Knudson

Role: Session Co-chair

**Session # 10**Name of session: Updating Ethical/Professional Practices in Military  
Clinical Psychology

Time: 10-11:50 AM, Sunday, August 13, 1989

**Participant # 1**

Name: Randy J. Smith

Role: Session Chair

Name of presentation: Updating Ethical/Professional Practices in  
Military Clinical Psychology**Participant # 2**

Name: Eric J. Getka

Name of presentation: Confronting Ethical Dilemmas in Assessment of  
Military Clients**Participant # 3**

Name: Timothy B. Jeffrey

Name of presentation: The Ethical Practice of Military Clinical  
Psychology**Participant # 4**

Name: Richard W. Bloom

Name of presentation: An Unethical and Nonprofessional Approach to  
Standards**Session # 11**Name of session: Linking Mental Health and Psychological Epidemiology:  
What We Can Learn from Large Scale Population StudiesTime: Time not confirmed at date of publication, check schedule at upon  
arrival.

9-10:50 AM, Friday, August 11, 1989 or

12-1:50 PM, Sunday, August 13, 1989



## Participant # 1

Name: A. David Mangelsdorff  
Role: Session Chair

## Participant # 2

Name: Audrey Burnam  
Name of presentation: Depression Prevalence and Severity:  
Comparing Health Care System Outpatient  
Populations

## Participant # 3

Name: James M. Georgoulakis  
Name of presentation: Army Psychiatric Epidemiology: Preliminary  
Findings

## Participant # 4

Name: Alan B. Zonderman  
Name of presentation: Undecided

## Participant # 5

Name: Herbert Dorken  
Name of presentation: Outpatient Mental Health Services Utilization  
Under Medicaid

## Participant # 6

Name: Gary VandenBos  
Role: Discussant

Session # 12

Name of session: Division 19 Business Meeting

Time: 3-3:50 PM, Sunday, August 13, 1989

Name: Timothy B. Jeffrey  
Role: Session Chair

Session # 13

Name of session: Division 19 Presidential Address

Time: 4-4:50 PM, Sunday, August 13, 1989

## Participant # 1

Name: Timothy B. Jeffrey  
Name of presentation: Division 19 Presidential Address

## Participant # 2

Name: Richard W. Bloom  
Role: Session Chair

Session # 14

Name of session: Noncognitive Predictors of Military Effectiveness  
and Attrition Using Biographical Data

Time: Time not confirmed at date of publication, check schedule upon arrival.

12-1:50 PM, Sunday, August 13, 1989 or

9-10:50 AM, Monday, August 14, 1989

Participant # 1

Name: Paul D. Grubb

Role: Session Chair

Participant # 2

Name: Brian K. Waters

Name of presentation: Issues in the Development of the Educational and Biographical Information survey (EBIS)

Participant # 3

Name: Clinton Walker

Name of presentation: Implementing the US Army's Assessment of Background and Life Experiences

Participant # 4

Name: Karl W. Kuhnert

Name of presentation: Selection and Development of Military Leaders at the Service Academies

Participant # 5

Name: Thomas Trent

Name of presentation: An Old-Fashioned Biographical Inventory

Participant # 6

Name: Victor H. Appel

Name of presentation: Rationale and Strategies Underlying Construction of LEAP: A Conceptually Based Bioform

Participant # 7

Name: Daniel L. Leighton

Role: Discussant

Participant # 8

Name: C. Paul Sparks

Role: Discussant

Session # 15

Name of session: Developing a Support System for Training: Interdisciplinary Perspectives

Time: 11 AM -12:50 PM, Monday, August 14, 1989

Participant # 1

Name: Hendrick W. Ruck

Role: Session Chair

## Participant # 2

Name: Theodore A. Lamb  
 Name of presentation: Overview of the Training Decisions System

## Participant # 3

Name: Winston R. Bennett  
 Name of presentation: The Task Characteristics Subsystem:  
 Allocating Task Modules to Training Settings

## Participant # 4

Name: J.L. Mitchell  
 Name of presentation: The Field Utilization Subsystem: Job and  
 Training Pattern Simulations

## Participant # 5

Name: F.H. Rueter  
 Name of presentation: Resource/Cost Subsystem: Estimating Training  
 Capabilities and Costs

## Participant # 6

Name: David S. Vaughan  
 Name of presentation: Integration/Optimization Subsystem: An  
 Integrated Modeling Approach

## Participant # 7

Name: J. Kevin Ford  
 Role: Discussant

Session # 16

Name of session: Social Representation in the Military

Time: 1-2:50 PM, Monday, August 14, 1989

## Participant # 1

Name: W.S. Sellman  
 Role: Session Chair and Discussant

## Participant # 2

Name: Mark J. Eitelberg  
 Name of presentation: An Overview of Social Representation in the  
 Military

## Participant # 3

Name: David P. Boesel  
 Name of presentation: Recruit Socioeconomic Status: Results from  
 the DoD Survey

## Participant # 4

Name: Mady W. Segal  
 Name of presentation: Social Representation in the Military: The  
 Case of Gender

Session # 17

Name of session: Army Selection: Recruitment and Setting Standards

Time: 8-8:50 AM, Monday, August 14, 1989

Participant # 1

Name: George Lawrence  
Role: Session Chair

Participant # 2

Name: Darlene M. Olson  
Name of presentation: The Search for Low-Aptitude High-Performing Soldiers

Participant # 3

Name: Philip L. Szenas  
Name of presentation: Combining Individual Job Performance Standards into an Overall Standard

Participant # 4

Name: Jane M. Arabian  
Name of presentation: Setting Performance Standards for Army Enlisted Jobs

Participant # 5

Name: Thomas E. Ulrich  
Role: Discussant

Session # 18

Name of session: Debate: Should Paraphiliacs be Given Security Clearances?

Time: 4-4:50 PM, Saturday, August 12, 1989

Participant # 1

Name: Richard W. Bloom  
Role: Session Chair  
Name of presentation: Debate: Should Paraphiliacs be Given Security Clearances by US Government?

Participant # 2

Name : Judith V. Becker  
Name of presentation: Paraphiliacs Should Not be Given Security Clearances.

Participant # 3

Name: Nancy A. Slicner  
Name of presentation: Paraphiliacs Should be Given Security Clearances

Participant # 4

Name: Donald Bersoff  
Role: Discussant

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MINUTES OF THE DIVISION 19 MIDWINTER EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

FEBRUARY 1, 1989

Submitted by Jared B. Jobe, Secretary-Treasurer

The meeting was called to order by President Jeffrey at 0930. Attendees were: Tim Jeffrey, Joe Fishburne, Dick Bloom, Dave Mangelsdorff, Brian Waters, Kathy Knudson, Steven Goldberg, and Jared Jobe.

Dave Mangelsdorff gave the Council Representative's report. Dave reported that our division lost its one seat on the APA council of Representatives for the 89-90 year. We received just .47% of the overall vote; we needed only .51% to retain our seat. Joe Fishburne said that if only five more members have given the division all ten votes, we would have retained our seat. Attendees discussed ways of networking to encourage the membership to vote in the apportionment next year, so that we can regain our seat. A motion was passed authorizing our new representative, Joe Fishburne, to try to find a way to share a seat for the 89-90 year by forming a coalition with another division.

Dave also reported that APA finished the CY 88 with a small surplus. APA's CY 89 budget is \$33,615,000. APA has also narrowed the sites for the new headquarters.

Joe Fishburne reported on the American Psychological Society (APS) meeting that he attended as a representative of another organization. APS now has 3,000 members, with a total of around 5,000 projected by the summer convention in Washington (22 of the 24 living past APA presidents are members). APS will publish its own journal, and is already publishing a newsletter, the APS Observer. Attendees discussed the viability of the new organization and the implications for APA and psychology as a whole.

Tim Jeffrey reported that Secretary-Treasurer Charlie Hazelhurst has regretfully resigned because of the demands of his new job. A motion was passed naming Jared Jobe as the new secretary-treasurer effective immediately. As stated in the new bylaws, the position will be split, with an election of a secretary this year. The new secretary will take office immediately after the election, and Jared will fill the remainder of Charlie's term as treasurer. Attendees discussed the budget for CY 89 year, and made some modifications to reflect newly available information (a budget is attached). This will be a lean budget year. the committee voted to accept the proposed budget as amended and to hold divisional; dues/assessments constant next year.

Joe Fishburne reported on progress on the new edition of the Military Psychology Handbook. Attendees discussed ways of improving the accuracy of the new edition by increasing the number of people having input.

Dick Bloom gave the newsletter report for Mark Winborn who was unable to attend the meeting. Attendees discussed implications of the lean budget year for the newsletter. Apparently APA printing costs have increased significantly. The committee approved a newsletter budget of \$2,000 for the year, and gave wide latitude to the editor to publish two or three issues, depending on possible cost-cutting measures.

Dick reported for the Nominations and Elections Committee. He mentioned that at least two nominations have been received for all positions, and that nominations were still open.

Brian Waters reported for the Program Committee. A total of 46 proposals were received, with 67% acceptance. This includes around 10 symposia, one debate, one paper per session, and one poster session with 16 posters. In addition, there will be an invited address, a women and minorities breakfast, an Executive Committee meeting, and the traditional business meeting/presidential address. The division also plans to host a hospitality suite at the Hilton on Friday and Saturday evenings. All members and prospective members are invited, naturally. Attendees discussed the problem of outside crashers eating our food at the combination social hour/poster session. All agreed that the concept was a good one. Joe suggested that we hold the poster session/social hour in the morning as a breakfast. Brian will explore the idea with APA's Candy Won and make a decision. The committee agreed to hold the Executive Committee meeting at APA from 7-9 pm on Thursday night to free two program hours. Attendees discussed the proposed debate on security clearances for gays and lesbians.

Kathy Knudson reported on the Committee for Women and Minorities in the Military. Attendees discussed ways of increasing participation on the ad hoc committee.

Randy Chambers was unable to attend, but submitted a written report for the Military Psychology History Committee. The plans and progress include a somewhat documented history, some selected biographies and autobiographies, interviews, and some recent events.

Dick reported on the efforts of the National Security Affairs Committee to develop position papers on security issues. Dick is working with the Cambridge Center for Behavioral Studies.

Attendees discussed the new journal, Military Psychology. Brian mentioned that a special issue is being considered on the new use of biographical data for recruiting.

Joe reported that two nominations have received for this year's awards. One person has been nominated for the Yerkes Award, and one for the Military Psychology Award. More nominations are being sought.

In response to a motion by Tim, the committee voted to recommend two minor bylaws changes. Both proposed changes are in the wording of the purpose of Division 19 and reflect changes made to APA Bylaws in recent years. The first sentence from paragraph 2A was rewritten as follows (additions are underlined and deletions are in parenthesis):

To advance Psychology as a science and a profession and a means of promoting (the public welfare) human welfare. . .

The meeting was adjourned at 1:07 PM.

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DIVISION 19 BUDGET FOR CALENDER YEAR 89

<u>EXPENSES</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
1. Military Psychology journal (assume 600 members)	\$ 6,000.00
2. Newsletter	\$ 2,000.00
3. Convention Expenses	
A. Awards	\$ 200.00
B. Hospitality Suite	600.00
C. Division Social Hour	<u>500.00</u>
	\$ 1,300.00
4. Divisional Affairs	
A. Mailings	\$ 75.00
B. Mid-winter Executive Committee Meeting	398.00
C. Division memberships in associations	<u>300.00</u>
	\$ 773.00
5. Total Expenses	\$10,073.00
<u>INCOME</u>	
Dues and assessments (assume 600 members) at \$16/yr	\$ 9,600.00
NET PROFIT/LOSS FOR THE YEAR	-\$ 473.00

APA COUNCIL OF REPRESENTATIVES REPORT: FEBRUARY 3-5, 1989

Submitted by A. David Mangelsdorff, Div. 19 Council Representative

The APA Council and membership actions affecting members of Division 19 include the following: loss of Division 19 representation to APA Council, aligning Association rules with APA Bylaws, defining term of service on Council, discussing guidelines for conflict of interest, defining residency for APA Accreditation, APA Headquarters Building update, and the 1989 budget.

The most significant news was the apportionment balloting that gave Division 19 less than 0.5 percent; this resulted in the loss of the Council seat effective January, 1990. The Division 19 Executive Committee was appraised of the situation and will discuss the options with the APA Division Liaison Office. Members are requested to vote more of the apportion ballot to Division 19.

The general tone of the Council meeting was of a calm, low-key get together, which was a decided change from the previous Council meetings. The first agenda item dealt with aligning some Association rules with the APA Bylaws with respect to: 1) filling vacancies for unexpired terms on the Board of Directors and 2)

specification of the title of APA's chief staff officer. This housekeeping item was approved by consent.

The term of service on Council was resolved so that a Council member who had served six consecutive years would not be eligible for election or appointment for three years. This will require a Bylaws change; the issue will be voted on by the APA membership.

There was significant discussion of guidelines for defining conflict of interest between dual governance roles. Nothing was resolved. This issue will probably resurface in the August meeting.

The APA and the Canadian Psychological Association agreed to undertake concurrent accreditation of doctoral training programs and predoctoral internships in professional psychology consistent with the recognized accrediting scope of the two associations. A policy agreement to afford procedural guidance for concurrent accreditation was approved.

Psychology programs leading to a doctoral degree minimally require the equivalent of three full-time academic years of graduate study. There should be flexibility in the application of residency requirements with respect to an individual student who has particular needs. Exceptions to "residency program requirement" would be for individual students, not for programs.

Talks with developers are ongoing for the APA Headquarters to be established in the Union Station area. The building should be available by 1992.

A budget was approved for 1989; it would be for \$33,615,000. The 1988 year-end budget projected a surplus of \$380,000. This is a distinct improvement from the 1987 budget deficit of \$1,699,950. To interpret the budget discrepancies, one must recall that historically the APA budget discrepancies have been within two percent of the total budget (1987 being the exception).

It has been my pleasure to serve on the behalf of Division 19; I wish my successor smooth sailing through less choppy waters. Remember to vote for Division 19 on the apportionment ballot in the fall. Appreciate your attention!

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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

JCCP EXPANDED: To accommodate the growing area of clinical assessment and evaluation, the Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology has split into two sections. JCCP will continue much as it has in the past. The policy statement for the new section, Psychological Assessment: A Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology follows:

Psychological Assessment: A Journal of Consulting and Clinical Psychology publishes mainly empirical articles concerning clinical assessment and evaluation. Papers that fall within the publication domain include investigations related to the development, validation, and evaluation of assessment techniques. Diverse modalities (e.g., cognitive and motoric) and methods of assessment (e.g., inventories, interviews, direct observations, and



psychophysiological measures) are within the domain of the journal, especially as they are evaluated in clinical research or practice. Also included are assessment topics that emerge in the context of such issues as cross-cultural studies, ethnicity, minority status, gender, and sexual orientation. Case studies occasionally will be considered if they identify novel assessment techniques that permit evaluation of the nature, course, or treatment of clinical dysfunction. Nonempirical papers, including highly focused reviews and methodological papers, are considered if they facilitate interpretation and evaluation of specific assessment techniques.

Alan Kazdin, present editor of JCCP, now serves as also as the editor of Psychological Assessment. A search for a new editor for Psychological Assessment will be announced in the fall of 1989.

POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER: A Presidential Task Force on Curricula, Education, and Training is being established by the Society for Traumatic Stress Studies. The Task Force is being organized to develop a curriculum appropriate for training psychologists to work with the victims of natural and humanmade disasters.

Accumulating research findings indicate that it is essential for individuals who work with victims of traumatic stress to receive formal training in order for them to recognize and understand the consequences of exposure to traumatic stress, and to utilize appropriate procedures to help victims/survivors. The failure of the professional community to recognize and provide adequate treatment for post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) has been costly in terms of preventable human suffering. The developing research base has provided rigorous demonstrations of the pervasiveness of traumatic stress disorders and has identified technical information that contributes to more accurate diagnosis and more effective treatment of patients with PTSD. Recent research also documents the substantial public health costs arising from the failure to correctly diagnose and treat PTSD.

In response to the need to educate clinicians and researchers about PTSD, the president of the Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, Yael Danieli, Ph.D., has convened a multi-disciplinary Task Force that is charged with developing curricula for professionals in each major specialty that currently works with victims of traumatic stress. Presentation of a model curricula for the training of psychiatrists will be made at the Fifth Annual Meeting of the Society in San Francisco, October 27-30, 1989. Further information on the Society and the Task Force can be obtained through the Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, P.O. Box 1564, Lancaster, PA 17603, (717)396-8877.

PUBLICATION: Wiener, Earl L. and Nagel, David C. (Eds.) (1988) Human Factors in Aviation. Academic Press; San Diego, CA. According to the publisher, this is the first comprehensive review of contemporary applications of human factors research to aviation. Sections include pilot performance, human factors in aircraft design, and vehicles and systems.

FELLOWSHIPS: Applications are now being accepted for the 1990-91 Fulbright Scholar Awards. The Fulbright grants provide support for research and university lecturing abroad. The deadline for application is dependent upon location but the deadlines begin June 15, 1989 and extend through January 1, 1990. Applications are also

being accepted for the 1990-91 Advanced Research Fellowships in India. Application deadline for this program is June 15, 1989. Complete information concerning both of these programs can be obtained from the Council for International Exchange of Scholars, 3400 International Drive, Suite M-500, Washington, DC 20008-3097. Telephone (202)686-7866.

EDITOR'S NOTES: Due to budget constraints only two issues of the newsletter will be published this year. My thanks to those of you who dropped relevant tidbits in the mail. Feature articles will be considered for publication as well as items regarding conferences, publications, promotions, awards, job changes, and meetings. Contributions for the Fall/Winter 1989 issue should be mailed to Mark D. Winborn, 64 Chestnut Ridge Rd., Montvale, NJ 07645. My work telephone is (914) 938-3441 or Autovon 688-4684.

#### NEWS ABOUT MEMBERS OF DIV. 19

AWARD: Dr. A. David Mangelsdorff, technical director with the Health Care Studies and Clinical Investigation Activity at Ft. Sam Houston, TX was recently presented the Decoration for Exceptional Civilian Service. Secretary of the Army John Marsh made the presentation in a ceremony at the Pentagon. The Decoration for Exceptional Civilian Service is the highest award given to Army civilians. It is equivalent to the Distinguished Service Medal for soldiers. Dave received the award for exceptional service in his years at HCSCIA. His award reads in part, "His specific contributions in stress, military psychology and health care management and productivity have resulted in enhanced combat readiness, personnel retention and health care organization."

PUBLICATION: A book, co-edited by Marshall J. Farr (along with Michelene Chi and Robert Glaser), entitled The Nature of Expertise, has recently (1988) been published by Lawrence Erlbaum Associates. The collection focuses on the unique knowledge representations, search heuristics, and information-processing skills possessed by true experts in various domains, such as programming skills, visual pattern analysis and decision making under uncertainty. Dr. Farr has been doing consulting in cognition and instruction since he retired, in 1985, from running the Office of Naval Research's program in psychometrics, learning and training, cognitive psychology and intelligent computer-based instruction. He can be contacted at 2520 North Vernon St., Arlington, VA 22207, phone (703) 524-8888.

APPLICATION FOR ASSOCIATE OR MEMBER STATUS  
IN THE DIVISION OF MILITARY PSYCHOLOGY (DIV 19)  
OF THE AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

This application is for Associate \_\_\_\_\_ or Member \_\_\_\_\_ status in  
Division 19.

Present APA membership status:

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