



**To Member Organizations
of the International Association of Individual Psychology (IAIP)**

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Dear Colleagues,

This is the final newsletter before we meet in Cologne from July 3 to 7, 2024, to work, learn, and continue building professional friendships at the 29th Congress of the International Association of Individual Psychology.

The Congress program has been built thanks to our DGIP colleagues. You can find all the details and useful local tips in the long program at <https://adler-iaip.net/29th-congress-of-the-iaip/> Please remember that registration is still open too at <https://www.dgip.de/veranstaltungen>



The list of topics and names of presenting colleagues is excellent. We will start each day with two major lectures or panels on some significant contemporary IP themes. Parallel sessions will be held on trauma, diagnostics, parenting and education, resilience, spirituality, early recollections, and much more. We will also have the Great Poster Slam and pre-congress. Gala evening will be held on Saturday, July 6th.

Historical local attractions, strolls along the river Rhine, the Gala dinner, more authentic German food (plus) in local breweries, and much more will make this trip irresistible.

We hope to see you in Cologne in two months!

Organizational Reminders.

Soon, you will be receiving correspondence from the IAIP Board Secretary-General Giansecondo Mazzoli requesting the names of the delegates who will be attending the congress and will be representing your organization at the Delegate Assembly meetings on July 4th and July 5th. We are getting into a very busy organizational season, and we appreciate you staying in touch with us and responding to us. Thank you!

In the news since the last Newsletter:

The exciting news is that four IAIP member organizations applied for and received grants from another member organization, the **Alfred Adler Institute of New York**. Congratulations to Alfred Adler Institute Tel-Aviv (Israel), Centro de Estudio Adlerianos (Uruguay), School of Individual Psychology in Lviv (Ukraine), and a team of Adler Institute and the Bulgarian Society of Individual Psychology. We will make sure to feature the very meaningful and creative projects that are now supported by the grants. Thank you, AAINY! It is good to see so much cooperation and mutual support within IAIP.

The great news source for this newsletter is your annual reports. We will only touch on a few events and hope to mention more in the Board report on July 4th.

Please don't forget to write to us with your events so we can share them widely in the newsletter and some on our website at **a great kaleidoscope of these and other annual events** at <https://adler-iaip.net/member-organizations-conferences-and-congresses/>

Some other news – off the wire:

On April 5, 2024, our Uruguayan colleague, Andres Buschiazzi Figares, defended his doctoral dissertation. Anyone wanting to know more about the dissertation will need to come to Cologne and catch up with Andres. Congratulations, **Dr. Andrés Buschiazzi Figares!**

Adler Institute Bulgaria (with the support of the **Bulgarian Association of Individual Psychology**) held a two-day international conference on February 10-11, 2024. 18 speakers engaged several hundred participants in rich discussions on the topic of democratic education of children.

Adler University held its 3rd annual Belongingness lecture on January 26th, 2024, in Vancouver, Canada, with almost 100 participants. Dr. Sara Saeedi presented “Belongingness and Family Constellation.”

The **Netherland Society of Individual Psychology** shared its 57th news brief in March. There is lots of news, but you will need to reach Dutch. Here is a link, and you can also subscribe to receive these in your mailbox.

Although the early bird registration ended, you can still register to attend the Adlerian Summer School (**ICASSI**) in Steinfeld, Germany (read more www.icassi.net) or the annual **NASAP** conference in Florida (read more at www.alfredadler.org)

Institut de psychanalyse adlérienne des Hauts-de-France **SFPA** now has a new logo!



Some Snippets from Your Annual Reports: A Variety of Experiences

(These are really a few - more will be coming during the reporting at the Delegate Assembly in Cologne)

- ✚ **ÖVIP** is getting ready to start the sixth course, which prepares students for the degree “Master of Arts (Continuing Education).” This is the program's tenth year.
- ✚ **Adler University** completed the digitization project and now offers more than 70 digital recordings of Rudolf Dreikurs and other colleagues of his generation.
- ✚ **Asociación Española de Psicología Adleriana (AEPA)** organized several virtual Adler Cafes together with the Asociación Latinoamericana de psicología Adleriana (ALAPA).
- ✚ **Alfred Adler Institute of New York** completed the second round of grants issued to Adlerian organizations for the dissemination and teaching of Adlerian principles and practices.
- ✚ **Lithuanian Association of Individual Psychology (LIPD)** held its annual conference called "Adlerism in Creativity."
- ✚ **Slovak Association of Individual Psychology** continues its long-term training in Adlerian counseling 2022-2025.
- ✚ **Adler Korea** is working on the Certification of Parenting Program
- ✚ **Adlerian Psychology Association of British Columbia** offers Continuing Education workshops, including Dreams, Early Recollections, Life Tasks Assessment, and Parent Education programs.
- ✚ **NASAP** held its first virtual institute with 35 student attendees and offered several TapTalks.
- ✚ **Japanese Society of Adlerian Psychology** held its 40th Annual Congress
- ✚ **Istituto di Psicologia Individuale "A. Adler" di Torino (IPI)** sponsors research on "Z Generation and Identity."
- ✚ **School of Individual Psychology of Lviv** continued to train and study various facets of PTSD.
- ✚ **S.I.P.I. - SOCIETÀ ITALIANA DI PSICOLOGIA INDIVIDUALE** works on “JOURNAL CLUB” PROJECT aimed at members who wish to improve their ability to carry out basic and clinical research on topics relevant to Adlerian Individual Psychology.
- ✚ **The German Association of Individual Psychology (DGIP)** is preparing to host the IAIP Congress and all of you!

Sad News to Share:

We wrote to you already a few weeks ago about the passing of Dr. Henry Stein passed away. You can now read a eulogy written by Henry’s colleagues Erik Mansager and Dyanne Pienkowski at <https://adler-iaip.net/henry-t-stein-phd/>



On this day, in 1974

The Editors The IPNL (Individual Psychology News Letter) Vol. 23, No. 3 engaged in a discussion titled “Are You a Perfectibilist?” Paul Rom, the Editor at that time, posited that “we Adlerians are gradualist perfectibilists, for we believe that man is perfectible, is capable of improvement” (p. 45) and concluded that “in each person’s life such moments of a perfect wholeness can naturally be but rare” (p.48). That is, of course, unfortunate. Any hope for women 😊 ?

Finally,

What about these photos on the top of page 1? The images are from the four SE Asian countries with a significant presence of Adlerian training and clinical practice. Any guesses? Find us in Cologne and let us know.

This is all for now.

You can write to all four of us at info@adler-iaip.net or to any one of us individually if you want.

As a team, we will take time to discuss any of your feedback – in writing or in a video meeting.

Please share this letter with members of your organization.

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