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Embracing
Our Fear, Courage and Love
in Pursuit of a Just Community

August 8-11
Chicago, IL
Presidential Address

Embracing our
FEAR, COURAGE & LOVE
in Pursuit of a Just Community

FEAR, the most debilitating human experience known to man second to the finitude of life, albeit, the sting of death, and yet the most powerful motivator of all has been disregarded even with Humanistic Psychology’s aim to be faithful to the full range of human experience. In psychology, it is the phobias that present the greatest challenge in which to ‘cure’. Nothing makes us more uncomfortable than fear, and, no emotion is avoided more. Fear is the culprit that would coerce the human psyche into turning a blind eye or deaf ear to insurgences of inhumanity. And, with today’s changes in both environmental and political climates, the intersection of humanistic psychology and environmental and political concerns related to climate change is in need of dire attention but met with much trepidation. Cowardice to confront social injustices as well climate change has become fashionable. Regardless of race, creed, socioeconomic status, and sexual orientation, people everywhere are paralyzed by fear marked by the chaos of the current state of affairs and uncertainties about the future of the world in which we live. As a result, our global community sits frozen in the anthropocene while injustices against marginalized groups prevail with little to no effective fanfare because the fear of retribution for advocating and ‘fighting’ for the rights of others forces us to abide in our comfort zones, watching from a seemingly safe distance.

In the end,
we will remember not the words of our enemies,
but the silence of our friends. — Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

COURAGE, the quality of mind or spirit that enables a person to face difficulty, danger, pain, etc. without fear, and more often than not, in the face of fear: bravery. Because humanistic psychologists are particularly sensitive to uniquely human dimensions, such as experiences of creativity and transcendence, and to the quality of human welfare, courage lends itself to every experience and becomes the substratum upon which Heidegger’s ‘Being’ rests. It was Courage, that in the face of death, During World War II, millions of Jewish people and perceived enemies of the Nazis were sent to their deaths in concentration camps. Upon hearing about these atrocities, a 39-year-old veteran of the Polish-Soviet War and member of the resistance, Witold Pilecki, volunteered to be imprisoned at Auschwitz to secretly collect intelligence and then escape. While in the concentration camp, Pilecki was responsible for informing the Allies of the atrocities of Auschwitz and organizing a resistance movement. It was Courage that allowed Harriet Tubman, a born slave, to escape slavery, and risk her life to free over 300 slaves while working as the conductor of what was called “The Underground Railroad”. It is courage that allows us to not avoid or flee Fear but rather embrace it. And, it is Courage that will uphold us in these changing times and enable us to continue the march for the betterment of humanity.
Being terrified but going ahead and doing what must be done—
that's courage.
The one who feels no fear is a fool,
and the one who lets fear rule him
is a coward. — Piers Anthony

LOVE, an antithesis of FEAR, in that we would rightfully deduce that love's opposite is
“hatred” and yet with further inquiry, hatred more often than not derives out of FEAR.
There is no fear in love; but perfect love casts out fear, because fear involves torment. He
that fears is not made perfect in love (1 John 4:18 NKJV). Although difficult to define, we
can delineate from the countless examples of what LOVE is what it isn’t: Bigotry, hatred,
discrimination, prejudice, etc., against which LOVE has no tolerance. Realizing that we
are in a powerful and strategic position, we must embrace LOVE and not be overcome by
the air of hatred plaguing the 21st century. From the words of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.,
“Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate;
only love can do that.” Predicated on core values — including caring and commitment,
trust and realistic understanding of the complexity of people, as individuals, in groups,
organizations, and community — LOVE (a peaceful conquest), and that unconditional,
ought to be the motivating factor of the Society for Humanistic Psychology in its efforts in
PURSUIT OF what we all would like to realize, A JUST COMMUNITY.

Above all,
love each other deeply,
because love covers over
a multitude of sins. –1 Peter 4:8

Nathaniel Granger, Jr., PsyD
President
APA Division 32,
Society for Humanistic Psychology
Thursday, August 08

10:00 – 11:50 AM

**Symposium**

Toward a More Equitable Global Psychology---Contributions From Indigenous Psychologies

Chair: Louise K.W. Sundararajan, PhD, EdD

Participant/1st Author

- Fathali M. Moghaddam, PhD
- Gina Belton, PhD
- Rachel Sing-Kiat Ting, PhD
- Kwang-kuo Hwang, PhD
- Carl Martin Allwood, PhD

Discussant: Louise K.W. Sundararajan, PhD, EdD

*Co-Listing Divisions: 01, 24, 39, 48*

01:00 – 02:50 PM

**Symposium**

Coming to Life---Experiences of Zest, Awe, and Art in Psychotherapy

Chair: Will Wadlington, PhD

Participant/1st Author

- Evgenia T. Georganda, PsyD
- Kirk J. Schneider, PhD
- Will Wadlington, PhD

Discussant: Erik Craig, EdD

*Co-Listing Divisions: 24, 29, 47, Psi Chi*

02:00 – 03:50 PM

**Symposium**

#ReclaimingOurTime---The Effects of White Supremacy and Systemic Oppression in Higher Education

*Co-Sponsor: Division 32*

*Co-Listing Divisions: 09, 17, 39, APAGS*

03:00 – 03:50 PM

**Symposium**

I Need a Letter for My Dog!---Multidisciplinary Implications of Emotional Support Dog Certification

Chair: Betz King, PsyD

Participant/1st Author

- Theresa De Porter, DVM, DACB, MD

*Co-Authors: Amy D. Ames, NP, MD; Amy R. Johnson, MA, LPC; Betz King, PsyD*

Discussant: Lori Kogan, PhD

*McCormick Place, Room W470b*

*McCormick Place, Room W470a*

*McCormick Place, Room W471b*

*McCormick Place, Room W187c*
The Indigenous Psychology Task Force

Indigenous Psychology is an intellectual movement across the globe, based on the following factors:

1. A reaction against the colonization/hegemony of Western psychology.
2. The need for non-Western cultures to solve their local problems through indigenous practices and applications.
3. The need for a non-Western culture to recognize itself in the constructs and practices of psychology.
4. The need to use indigenous philosophies and concepts to generate theories of global discourse.

The scholarly work being cultivated by members of the group is diverse and far reaching, including a number of offerings, presentations, collaborations, and publications.

If you are interested in connecting with the Indigenous Psychology Task Force, please contact Chairperson Louise K.W. Sundararajan, PhD, EdD at louiselu@frontiernet.net

Dr. Louise Sundararajan features a published account of the Indigenous Psychology Task Force in the 2019

**Humanistic Approaches to Multiculturalism and Diversity:**

**Perspectives on Existence and Difference**

*L. Hoffman, H. Cleare-Hoffman, N. Granger, Jr., & D. St. John (Eds.),*


Providing an overview of essential topics in multicultural psychology, *Humanistic Approaches to Multiculturalism and Diversity* focuses on the intersection of humanistic psychology and multiculturalism, including history, theory, research, and practice.

The authors examine the unique contributions of humanistic contributions to multicultural psychology on topics often ignored, such as cultural empathy and indigenous psychology and diversity. The book critiques and rectifies previous failures to adequately engage multicultural issues by providing methods for integrating multicultural psychology and humanistic therapy. Readers will find that each chapter advances scholarship through a dialogue with multicultural perspectives and builds a foundation for future scholarship and clinical practice.

This book will be of great interest to mental health professionals interested in humanistic and existential psychology.

"Shockingly honest, refreshing, and accessible to graduate students, academics, and seasoned clinicians, this book provides critical thinking and multifaceted realities. Through lived experiences, psychological literature, and suggested next steps, readers will be validated, challenged, and motivated to expand their theoretical orientation, research paradigms, case conceptualizations, and deepen their use of self in work and life."

— Terri M. Davis, director of the PsyD program and associate professor, University of Denver, USA
Thursday, August 08

04:00 – 06:00 PM  Outgoing Executive Board Meeting  Marriott Marquis Chicago  Hospitality Suite Closed

06:00 – 06:50 PM  Chicago! A Welcome Addressing Shadow and Light  Marriott Marquis Chicago  Aliya Granger

07:00 – 10:00 PM  Division 32 Social Hour  Marriott Marquis Chicago  All are welcome!

Division 32 Hospitality Suite
hosting enriching programming, brave conversation, rich interaction, and community connection
MARRIOTT MARQUIS CHICAGO
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Chicago, IL 60616

Meet Your Division 32 Student Representatives!

As the Student Representatives for Division 32, we are committed to exploring the ways students can deepen their understanding of Humanistic Psychology as well as fortifying the enriching relationships that comprise the community of our Division.

Some students have expressed their struggles to find pertinent information on how to better immerse themselves in the work of the Division, who they can network with, who can mentor their projects, and where can they offer their talents. To address the these issues, the student representatives are working with board members of the division to create an emergent leadership orientation - dedicated to preparing students to see where their talents are needed, a collection of projects to contribute to, and suggestions for ways and opportunities to strengthen professional relationships.

We are the future of the division and the board members are invested in student success and development! We are lucky to have an organization dedicated to learning from each other, from the senior most members to the newest student. Please let us know what we can do for you as we prepare this orientation.

Jacob H Tengelsen
A current doctoral student and adjunct college instructor from the University of West Georgia. His research interests are principally the improvement of aftercare centers for victims of human trafficking as well as theological and theoretical psychologies. He has a family with two children and a wife he still has a crush on.

Micah Ingle
A current doctoral student and teaching assistant from the University of West Georgia. His research interests involve social justice, critical psychology, and mythopoetic/Jungian perspectives. Micah has a cat named Malcolm who loves him a lot, probably because he feeds him.
The Society for Humanistic Psychology’s Task Force on Diagnostic Alternatives (formerly the DSM-5 Open Letter Committee and the Task Force on Humanistic Approaches to Psychological Diagnosis) is delighted to present a roundtable as part of the 2019 APA Convention Programming:

**Diagnosing Diagnosis Roundtable on the Status and Future of Diagnostic Reform**

_Friday, August 9, 2019 from 12:00 – 12:50 PM at McCormick Place Room W187c_

In recent years, the Society for Humanistic Psychology (SHP) has been at the forefront of the diagnostic reform movement. After our efforts to address concerns during development of the fifth edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-5), which was published in 2013, we have turned our attention to exploring and identifying diagnostic alternatives, or alternatives to the current diagnostic paradigm.

This presentation and roundtable discussion will bring together members of the SHP Task Force on Diagnostic Alternatives (TFDA) to discuss the past history, present, and future plans of the diagnostic reform movement. We will briefly present the history of TFDA (formerly the Task Force on Humanistic Approaches to Psychological Diagnosis, and before that the DSM-5 Response Committee) before outlining a new open letter addressed to the developers of future DSMs, the *International Classification of Diseases* (ICD), and the National Institute of Mental Health’s Research Domain Criteria (RDoC) project. This “Open Letter II” expresses ongoing concerns about the ways in which the current diagnostic paradigm—as represented in the DSM, ICD, and (future) RDoC—continue to locate problems within individuals while ignoring robust and growing evidence for the social determinants of mental health and mental distress.

We will also discuss the recent work of TFDA members focusing on the intersections between diagnostic discourse and social marginalization. In doing so, roundtable presenters will identify the social pathologies of psychiatric diagnosis and propose new approaches for orienting diagnosis towards social disparities and structures.

This open roundtable is intended to engage audience members in active discussion about contemporary diagnostic paradigms, the diagnostic reform movement, and social justice in mental health discourse more broadly. Audience members will also be invited to continue the conversation in a smaller gathering to be held after the roundtable.

Presenters:

**Brent Dean Robbins, PhD** Point Park University (brobbins@pointpark.edu)

**Peter Kinderman, PhD** University of Liverpool (p.kinderman@liverpool.ac.uk)

**Theopia Jackson, PhD** Saybrook University (tjackson@saybrook.edu)

**Justin Karter, MA, MA** University of Massachusetts – Boston (jkarter22@gmail.com)

**Frank Farley, PhD** Temple University (**discussant**; frank.farley@comcast.net)
Friday, August 09

Poster Feature
Marriott Marquis Chicago
A Review of Meta-Analytic Findings Regarding the Rogerian Factors of Empathy, Unconditional Positive Regard, and Genuineness/Congruence
Bernadette D. O’Koon, MA, JD & La Pearl Logan Winfrey, PhD

09:00 – 10:20 AM
Humanistic Traditions
Marriott Marquis Chicago
Teaching Graduate Humanistic/Existential Courses: Challenges and Opportunities
Janna Henning, PsyD; Damita LaRue, PsyD; Brittany Trauthwein, PsyD

10:30 - 11:50 AM
Humanistic Traditions
Marriott Marquis Chicago
Beyond Deficit-Correction and Interpretive-Understanding: Toward a Therapoetics of Khoratic Hospitality as Therapeutic Care
Todd DuBose, PhD

11:00 – 11:50 AM
Symposium
McCormick Place, Room W181c
Contemporary Humanistic Psychology---Phenomenology, Emotion-Focused Therapy, and Credulously Teaching Abnormality
Chair: Donna Rockwell, PsyD
Participant/1st Author
Rodger E. Broomé, PhD
Rhonda Goldman, PhD
Jonathan D. Raskin, PhD
Discussant: Donna Rockwell, PsyD

Co-Listing Divisions: 02, 17, 24, 29

12:00 – 12:50 PM
Discussion
McCormick Place, Room W187c
Diagnosing Diagnosis Roundtable on the Status and Future of Diagnostic Reform
Participant/1st Author
Brent Dean Robbins, PhD
Peter Kinderman, PhD
Justin M. Karter, MA, MA
Theopia Jackson, PhD
Frank Farley, PhD

12:00 - 12:50 PM
Humanistic Clinical
Marriott Marquis Chicago
Rebirth of a Dakini: An Autoethnography of Psychopharmaceutical Withdrawal
Jyl Ion
Join Division 32 - The Society for Humanistic Psychology
6 PM - 7 PM in the Marriott Marquis Chicago Hospitality Suite
to honor our distinguished 2019 Awards Recipients

Charlotte and Karl Bühler Award
given to an institution, and an individual associated with an institution, that has made an outstanding and lasting contribution to humanistic psychology

The Michigan School of Professional Psychology

Diane Blau, Ph.D.

Abraham Maslow Award
given to an individual for an outstanding and lasting contribution to the exploration of the farther reaches of the human spirit

Miles Vich, D.H.I.

Early Career Award
for psychologists no more than 10 years after receiving their doctorate

Zeno Franco, Ph.D.
Friday, August 09

01:00 - 01:50 PM  Humanistic Clinical  Marriott Marquis Chicago
Going Beyond Symptoms and Measuring Psychotherapy Outcomes as Clients
Experiencing It: The Clients' Experiences in Therapy Scale (CETS)
Heidi Levitt, PhD; Zenobia Morrill, Ed.M, M.A.; Lauren Grabowski, MA; Takuya Minami, PhD

02:00 – 04:00 PM  Incoming Executive Board Meeting  Marriott Marquis Chicago
Hospitality Suite Closed

04:00 – 05:50 PM  Symposium  McCormick Place, Room W185bc
Veterans and Activists Speak Out on Warfare, Interrogations, and Torture---A Mini-History of PSYOPS, the APA, and the Hoffman Report
Chair: Scott D. Churchill, PhD
Participant/1st Author
  Dan Aalbers, MA
  Steven J. Reisner, PhD
  Monisha Rios, MSW
Discussant: Stephen Soldz, PhD

Co-Listing Divisions: 01, 17, 24, 39, 47

04:00 – 05:00 PM  Division 32 Business Meeting  Marriott Marquis Chicago

05:00 – 06:00 PM  Presidential Address: Drake Spaeth  Marriott Marquis Chicago
As Within, so Without: Humanistic Psychology, Revolutionary Stewardship, and Global Justice
Drake Spaeth, PsyD, President-elect of Division 32 is Chair of the Humanistic Psychology Program in the Humanistic and Clinical Psychology Department at Saybrook University and Associate Adjunct Professor at The Chicago School of Professional Psychology, where he has taught for 15 years. His scholarly and professional interests center around existential-humanistic psychology, ecopsychology, indigenous cultures, trauma, and spirituality.

06:00 – 07:00 PM  Awards Ceremony  Marriott Marquis Chicago

07:00 – 10:00 PM  Division 32 Social Hour  Marriott Marquis Chicago
All are welcome!

Call for Participation:
The Division 32 Communications Committee is excited to continue its mission promoting Humanistic psychologies through new and traditional media. The Committee is looking for students and members who are interested in social media, and would like to join our SHP team working on the Society’s community outreach initiatives and media platform engagement. If you are interested and have a passion and knowledge in this area, contact us at drockwell@saybrook.edu! We welcome you!

Donna Rockwell
Richard Bargdill
Gina Belton

Roxanne Christensen
Justin Karter
Micah Ingle
# Saturday, August 10

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**The Task Force on Diversity and Inclusion**<br>invites membership, participation, interest, and collaborators!<br>Please contact Chairperson Dr. Gina Belton (gbelton@saybrook.edu) for more information!
The mission of the Task Force on Hate Incidents is to develop and implement ways of addressing hate incidents using the values, principles, literatures, and resources of professional psychology. We also consider ways of supporting and creating safe spaces that affirm equal rights for all persons. In doing so, we affirm the principles of the American Psychological Association ethics code, with special emphasis on the principles of justice and respect for all people’s rights and dignity.

The Task Force is honored to present the following workshop as part of the 2019 APA Convention programming:

**Hate Incidents and Safe Spaces: An Experiential Workshop**

*Saturday, August 10, 12:00 – 12:50 pm*

*McCormick Place/Room S105bc Level 1 – South Building*

A pressing question for contemporary psychologists is how the scientific, scholarly, and practical tools of our discipline might be used to address the recent increase in hate incidents in the United States (U.S.). Hate incidents are defined as expressions of hate towards other human beings, including hate crimes and hate speech. According to the Southern Poverty Law Center (2018), the past three years have seen the most hate crimes since the 1992, when the FBI started collecting data on hate crimes.

The aim of this experiential workshop is to explore ways of addressing hate incidents, as well as the experiential meanings and sequelae of hate in social context. In doing so, the majority of the session will be dedicated to experiential activities that will allow audience members to explore the possibility and meanings of safe spaces (see Coleman, 2016; Perry & Dyck, 2014)—in other words, spaces for the fostering and cultivation of mutual respect, empowerment, and solidarity.

We will first identify a member of our task force who will serve as a Rooting Guardian during the session. The Rooting Guardian will lead the group in a grounding exercise that facilitates focus on the body in the here-and-now. We will then designate Safe Space Guardians who preside over the session with dignity, respect, and appreciation. After the designation of guardians, we will invite the audience members to explore and interact with them at tables that are each dedicated to different types of safe spaces. There will be Safe Space Guardians at tables for gender equality, racial justice, LGBTQ+ rights, religious freedom, recognition of different abilities, responses to political rhetoric, and diversity in ages and all walks of life.

Participants will be asked to interact with guardians and other visitors of at least two tables where they feel a personal connection and at least one table where they do not have a personal connection but would like to learn more. As the participants interact with each table, the Rooting Guardian will stand in the center of the room, available for grounding exercises. After reconvening as a larger group, we will discuss means of bringing what was learned at the tables to the rest of the conference and into participants’ own communities.

At the end of the session, we will present a statement/open letter that the Society for Humanistic Psychology’s Task Force on Hate Incidents composed about hate incidents composed about hate incidents. Finally, attendees will be invited to leave in loving kindness and to apply what they’ve learned during the rest of the conference. Throughout the session, we will abide by the words of Martin Luther King, Jr. in his 1967 speech to the APA: “through such creative maladjustment, we may be able to emerge from the bleak and desolate midnight of man’s inhumanity to man, into the bright and glittering daybreak of freedom and justice.”

**Sarah Kamens, PhD - Chairperson**

**Presenters:**

Roxanne Christensen, PsyD - Aloe Integrative Psychology and Oakland University

Gina Belton, PhD - Saybrook University

Nathaniel Granger, PsyD - Saybrook University

Elliot Benjamin, PhD - Capella University

Oksana Yakushko, PhD - Pacifica Graduate Institute

Theopia Jackson, PhD - Saybrook University
### Saturday, August 10

#### 12:00 – 12:50 PM
**Skill-Building Session**
Hate Incidents and Safe Spaces---An Experiential Workshop
Participant/1st Author
- Roxanne Christensen, PsyD
- Gina Belton, PhD
- Nathaniel Granger, PsyD
- Elliot Benjamin, PhD
- Oksana Yakushko, PhD
- Theopia Jackson, PhD

McCormick Place, Room S105bc

#### 01:00 - 02:20 PM
**Humanistic Transpersonal Innovations - Social Justice**
Marriott Marquis Chicago
Is Racism and Racial Violence a Shadow of Religion? Existential and Depth Psychology Perspectives
Drake Spaeth, PsyD

#### 03:00 – 03:50 PM
**Humanistic Students and Practitioners Poster Session**
McCormick Place, Hall F
Animal Summit 2019

#### 03:00 - 03:55 PM
**Humanistic Transpersonal Innovations - Social Justice**
Marriott Marquis Chicago
Nathaniel Granger, PsyD; Anthony Nkyi, PhD; Kirk Schneider, PhD

#### 04:00 – 05:50 PM
**Invited Address**
McCormick Place, Room W194a
Reflections on Meditation in Psychotherapy---Contextually Informed Approaches to Practicing With Our Clients
Co-Chairs: Asha Wilkus-Stone, PsyD; Nathaniel Granger, PsyD
Participant/1st Author
- Todd R. Avellar, PhD
- Anahita Holden, PhD

#### 04:00 - 04:50 PM
**Humanistic Transpersonal Innovations - Social Justice**
Marriott Marquis Chicago
The Engaged Witnessing of Eco-Martyrs and Their Self-Actualization
Josh Green; Victoria Farnsler; Andrea Lee; Richard Bargdill, PhD

#### 05:00 - 05:50 PM
**Humanistic Transpersonal Innovations - Social Justice**
Marriott Marquis Chicago
The Horse Archetype and Social Consciousness: Roadmap to Bio-Psycho-Spiritual Healing
Lawrence Graber, MA
Saturday, August 10

06:00 - 06:50 PM
Humanistic Transpersonal Innovations - Social Justice
Marriott Marquis Chicago

Animal Issues and Humanistic Psychology: A Community Conversation
Harold Takooshian, PhD; Scott D. Churchill, PhD; Lori Kogan, PhD; Candi Corbin-Sicoli, PhD;
Mary Beth Morrisey, PhD

07:00 – 10:00 PM
Division 32 Social Hour
Marriott Marquis Chicago

Division 32: The Society for Humanistic Psychology

Executive Board Spotlight

Division 32 members are represented by a Board of elected and appointed leadership led by 2018-2019
President Dr Nathaniel Granger, Jr. The Board is tasked with serving the interests of the Society
Membership within the Division and across the American Psychological Association. Board interests include
providing Humanistically-oriented representation on global events relevant in psychology. The Board also
strives toward consistent, authentic, and transparent management of Society systems and processes,
governance, and performance. Your Board is honored to serve your interests and invites your feedback!

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The Society for Humanistic Psychology recognizes Scott D. Churchill, Kevin Keenan, and Brent Dean Robbins for their
years of outstanding service and dedication to Division 32 - thank you for all you have done for Humanistic Psychology!
APA Division 32 Membership and Student Ambassadors

Becoming a member of APA Division 32 means more than networking and collaborative work between like-minded professionals. Membership within the Society of Humanistic Psychology is an opportunity to feel at home, being accepted by one another and co-creating experiences to promote humanistic psychology in action. Our members comprise a wide range of theoretical orientations, including social justice/multicultural, transpersonal, humanistic-existential, and ecopsychological frameworks.

As part of the fostering of the growth for our members, SHP is committed to providing opportunities to our students and early career professional. This includes our Student Ambassador (SA) program, where undergraduate and graduate students can take part in research, scholarly writing, presentation opportunities, and other CV building opportunities. Our SAs also can be elected to be a Student Representative, where they can serve on our Executive Board. We believe all members have a voice that needs to be heard, so this allows students to have voting power. Many of our former SAs have become active members on the Board and other aspects of Division 32. I, myself, was a former SA who became passionately involved in Division 32, to the point of being the Membership Chair and a Member-at-Large today. An opportunity that has only been rivaled by the depth of relationships cultivated within SHP.

Derrick Sebree, Jr, PsyD


SHP aims to keep membership fees accessible for professionals, students, friends, and affiliates

- APA Members, Fellows, Associates, & Affiliates: $48
- First Year Membership for APA, AHP, ADPCA, WAPCEPC, BAPCA: $32
- Student Affiliates (online & hard copy of journal): $25.
- Student Affiliates (online journal access only): $15
- International Affiliates (online journal access only): $15

Added Benefits of Membership:

- Online and/or Paper access to Humanistic Psychologist Journal.
- Access to the Division 32 listserv and various postings for job, research, and collaborative opportunities.
- You will receive access to our divisional newsletter, which details current initiatives in the division.
- Opportunities for mentorship and networking with established members.
Sunday, August 11

09:00 – 09:50 AM  Symposium  McCormick Place, Room W194b
Reducing Health Disparities With an Integrated Approach----Addressing the Spirituality Taboo
Chair: Tina M. Lincourt, PsyD
Participant/1st Author
Carlos Fayard, PhD
Brian W. McNiell, PhD
Wendy M.K. Peters, PhD
Byron Rivera, PsyD
Discussant: Tina M. Lincourt, PsyD

Co-Listing Divisions: 24, 29, 39, 45

09:00 - 10:20 AM  Innovations - Social Justice and Peace  Marriott Marquis Chicago
Embodiment, Resisting Trump and Humanistic Psychology
Elliot Benjamin, PhD

10:00 – 11:50 AM  Symposium  McCormick Place, Room W187b
The Eye of the Storm---Using Sufi Psychology to Find Peace Amidst Chaos
Chair: Saloumeh S. Bozorgzadeh, PsyD
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Lynn Wilcox, PhD
Saloumeh S. Bozorgzadeh, PsyD
Faith Nouri, PhD
Marjon Fariba, MD
Mo S. Sadoghi, PhD

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10:30 - 11:20 AM  Innovations - Social Justice and Peace  Marriott Marquis Chicago
Building Peace Through Integrating Youth Utilizing Skill Building: Projects And Paradigms
Steven E. Handwerker, PhD, DDiv

11:30 - 12:00 PM  Division 32 Hospitality Suite Closing  Marriott Marquis Chicago
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