

IAAP TASK FORCE ON TERRORISM ACTIVITIES (August 2018)

- During the IAAP Board of Directors Meeting held June 24th and 25th Maria Paz Garcia-Vera, Chair of the Task Force on Terrorism, provided an update on the Task Force on Terrorism activities and objectives (10.4. Task Force on Terrorism: Progress Report). The proposal of IAAP President Christine Roland-Lévy to prolong the mandate of the ***IAAP Task Force on Terrorism Contributing to the Building of World Peace***, was unanimously approved by the Board.
- IAAP Task Force on Terrorism developed a number of Scientific contributions and Meetings at the ICAP 2018 held in Montreal. We counted on a lot of audience and long, interested and passionate debates with experts in the field from all over the world.
 - June 26th Tuesday
 - Division 6 President Address by Maria Paz Garcia-Vera *Psychological Treatments for Victims of Terrorism*
 - Invited Symposium *Combating terrorism and mitigating its consequences: The role of applied psychology* was led by Janel Gauthier, current Past President of the IAAP. This Symposium had the participation of Task Force Members: Maria Paz García-Vera, Daniel Dodgen, James Kagaari. and Wilson Lopez, that was represented by Laura Velazquez
 - Keynote Address by Fathali Moghaddam: *Understanding and Solving Mutual Radicalization: When Groups and Nations Drive Each Other to Extremes*
 - June 27th Wednesday
 - IAAP Task Force on Terrorism Meeting. A face-to-face meeting among Task Force Members and other experts and attendants to the ICAP that were invited to participate. During this Meeting, Maria Paz García-Vera provided a comprehensive update on the Task Force activities and objectives.
 - June 28th Thursday
 - Congress Keynote Address by Stevan E. Hobfoll: *Terrorism Threat: Trauma, Resilience and Political Decay*
 - Congress State of Art by Jesus Sanz: *Mental health consequences of terrorist attacks* (room 512a & b)
 - June 29th Friday
 - Discussion Forum by Daniel Dodgen: *Advancing Psychology's Role in Addressing the Causes and consequences of terrorism: a discussion with the IAAP Task Force on Psychology and Terrorism*

Please, in the next few weeks more detailed information will be available in <https://iaapsy.org/policies-initiatives/task-force-on-terrorism/>