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GET INVOLVED IN THE DIVISION!

Health Psychology is one of the IAAP divisions with the largest membership. As Division board, we want to make sure that our activities appeal to and engage our diverse membership. Members have various expertise, are at different stages in their career, work in a range of settings and are based in countries across the globe. The best way to ensure that division activities resonate with the membership is for you to get involved! You can contribute in various ways. For instance, by sharing your news for our bi-monthly contribution to IAAP enews or posting our division's social media. Can also contribute to organizing division webinars and other activities, such as talks, symposia, or other contributions at conferences. Engaging in knowledge transfer activities with policy makers, practitioners and service users is a particularly important part of our mission. We also very much welcome expressions of interest for new board members, to increase our capacity to become an even more active division. Want to know more or talk further? Just send an email to John de Wit (j.dewit@uu.nl).

JOIN DIVISION 8 MEMBERS AT ICP24

The 33rd International Congress of Psychology will take place in the beautiful city of Prague, Czech Republic, from 21-26 July 2024. ICP only takes place every four years and is a great opportunity to connect and share your work with the global psychological science community. As in the past, Division 8 board members will attend ICP24 and build the profile of our division through talks as well as symposia.

The Division president (Prof. Yiqun Gan) and past-president (Prof. Sonia Lippke) have submitted a proposal for a IAAP Health Psychology Division Symposium entitled Health and Stress: Recent advances relating to nutrition. This symposium showcases the significance of the research by members of the International Association of Applied Psychology Health Psychology Division in tackling international health psychology challenges. The symposium's overarching goal is to foster global connections among (health) psychologists, offering insights into recent advances in nutrition behavior, psychological predictors, interrelations, and outcomes.

It will be great to see many of Division members attend and contribute to ICP24. See here for more information: <https://icp2024.com/#>



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