

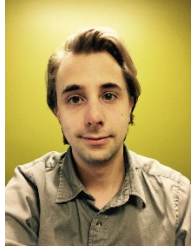







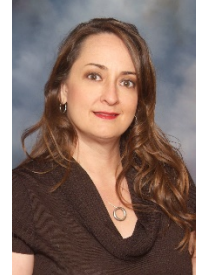

# 2017 IPA Election

## Nominees

President Elect	
Lynda Behrendt	 <p>Lynda Behrendt’s experience with IPA began as Coordinator of the Campaign for Prescriptive Privileges. Beginning in 2001, she served as Director of Professional Affairs for 15 years; answering members’ questions, organizing annual clinical workshop series, creating and then serving on the Health Care Reimbursement Committee. Lynda is seeking the office of IPA President to continue her service.</p> <p>Lynda states, “I see IPA as an <b>association that serves psychologists</b>. Psychologists want to develop their businesses and practices to serve the citizens of Illinois. IPA is here to help all psychologists in <b>all</b> fields: academia, clinical practice, consulting, primary care, forensics, public service, military, and prescriptive authority, and those who serve in <b>all settings</b>: private practice, schools, group practices, hospitals, universities, corporations, and the public sector. I support an association structure that encourages consensus, dialogue, independent thinking, and creative suggestions.”</p> <p>Lynda Behrendt was a Registered Nurse for over ten years, working in Telemetry, Home Care, and Orthopedics She worked at two U of California psychiatric hospitals with persons who suffered from severe mental illness as well as at a private psychiatric hospital. Lynda Behrendt has a MA in Intercultural Studies from Fuller Theological Seminary. She also has an MA and Psy.D from Pepperdine University. Lynda is a licensed Clinical Psychologist in Illinois and California (where she also holds MFT licensure). Her internship and was at Rancho Los Amigos Medical Center/Rehabilitation Hospital in California</p>
Treasurer	
Margot Jacquot	 <p>This is YOUR state association and you want to know that the leadership is hearing and representing you. What I bring to the office of Treasurer stems from years of experience growing a practice fiscally and programmatically, all the while meeting the needs of clients we serve and therapists we employ. As Treasurer I want to do the same for the IPA membership. People, budgets and fiscal matters are central to practice management, just as they are to association management. I would like to bring my interest and experience in fiscal management to Council. I ask for your valuable vote.</p> <p>Margo Jacquot is a clinical psychologist and owner of a practice with 23 therapists and 5 locations. She sits on other boards and was previously chair of the Sexual Orientation and Gender identity Section of IPA (SOGI).</p>

<b>IPAGS Chair Elect</b>	
<p>Matthew Harings</p> 	<p>My goal as IPAGS Chair-Elect is to assist the organization in adapting to changing circumstances. As IPAGS Student Membership Chair, I proposed a multifaceted plan to bolster membership and increase participation of graduate students in IPA events. If elected as Chair-Elect, I plan to implement and evaluate the strengths and benefits of this plan. I am the president and founder of ARx at Adler University and my personal ambition is to promote the IPA’s prescriptive authority legislation to graduate students. I look forward to the opportunity to continue these efforts at the state level.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Doctoral Student of Child and Adolescent Clinical Psychology at Adler University</li> <li>• IPAGS: Student Membership Chair, 2016 – Present</li> <li>• President/Founder of Adler’s Psychopharmacological Association, 2015 – Present</li> </ul>
<p>Earle Grosvenor</p> 	<p>As an officer in the Illinois Psychological Association of Graduate Students, I would like to help increase student awareness of graduate student association on campuses around the state. It seems that a fairly large segment of the graduate student population fails to take advantage of the service offered by the association, due in part to low inertia, but I am particularly interested in outreach efforts on behalf of the association to increase awareness, particularly with respect to professionalization and service beyond the years of formal education. I believe that some emphasis should be placed on attention to master's level students .</p> <p>I am a fifth year doctoral PsyD learner at Capella University. I earned undergraduate and masters's degrees in clinical psychology from Roosevelt university and served for several years as the administrator for Wanczyk- Grosvenor Family Health Services, located in Chicago.</p>
<b>Academic Section</b>	
<p>Mark Reineke</p> 	<p>The Academic Section is among the smallest in IPA. Bringing academic psychologists into IPA strengthens both our organization and profession. For several years the section has given a “Distinguished Contributions Award” to an academic psychologist whose research has advanced clinical practices in our field. Acknowledging the importance of translational and clinical research, and creating an inviting professional home for academic psychologists (and their students) creates a stronger, more scholarly, organization. Members of the academy make us a more credible organization. My goal, in heading the section, is to continue this mission of integrating science with the professional practices in IPA.</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Professor &amp; Chief Psychologist, Northwestern University;</li> <li>• Post-Doctoral Fellow (University of Pennsylvania), PhD (Purdue University), AB, MS (Stanford University);</li> <li>• Fellow of APS and APA (Divisions 12, 37, 43, 53, 54), Cynthia Belar Distinguished Service Award;</li> <li>• Approximately 100 publications, 10 books;</li> <li>• ABPP in Clinical and Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology.</li> </ul>
<p>Susan Zoline</p> 	<p>I seek your vote for Academic section chair, having 28 years of experience as a Clinical Psychology faculty member at ISPP/Argosy University. My plan is to enhance involvement of ECPs and IPAGS within IPA. Further, section resources will be pooled to promote legislative work for 'limited transitional licensure' in Illinois, allowing post-docs to obtain required hours for licensure, as in seven other states. I will advocate for increased funding of Illinois colleges/universities and of scientific research at the state and national level. Finally, the Academic section will guide members regarding APA proposed changes in the training/licensure of psychologists. Thank you!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Since completing my PhD from De Paul University and becoming licensed as a Clinical Psychologist, I have engaged in clinical and consulting practice in a variety of settings, as well as holding an academic appointment.</li> <li>• I have served on the Clinical Psychology faculty of ISPP/Argosy University for the past 28 years, where I hold the rank of Associate Professor.</li> <li>• Additionally, I have served on the IPA Ethics Committee for 20 years, serving as Co-Chair for the past six years.</li> </ul>
<b>Early Career Psychologists Section</b>	
<p>Andrea Seefeldt</p> 	<p>Dr. Andrea Seefeldt is currently the Communications Chair of the IPA Early Career Psychologist Section and hopes to take on more of a leadership role if elected for the IPA ECP Section Chair. She is committed to creating a supportive environment for early career psychologists to engage, consult, and advocate for one another as well as ensuring we have a voice in the IPA leadership. Dr. Seefeldt serves as the Clinical Coordinator at Roosevelt University Counseling Center and works in private practice.</p>
<b>Clinical Practice Section</b>	
<p>Patricia Farrell</p>	<p>I seek your vote as Clinical Section Chair. In planning for the next 2 fiscal years, I will be contacting section members to inquire: <i>what is the one thing the clinical section already does that helps you the most in your practice as a psychologist?</i> My plan is to build on existing section strengths identified by its members. What the section can do to assist psychologists to work more efficiently and effectively and helps you the most will be enhanced. Practice is in an era when <i>Psychologist</i> is being</p>

	<p>redefined. Clinical education and advocacy will remain paramount. Thanks for voting!</p> <p>Patricia Farrell holds a PhD from IIT awarded in 1981. She is Chair of IPA's Health Care Reimbursement Committee, a Past President of IPA, and former APA Federal Advocate, having won the APA Practice Organization's FAC of the year in 2011.</p>
<p><b>Consulting Section</b></p>	
<p>Lisa Page</p> 	<p>I have just begun to see the greater picture and learn more about the frustrations people experience and the changes that required to make IPA successful again. With so many changes occurring in the profession, in healthcare, in our Country and competition with other associations, I hope for the opportunity to continue the strategic planning process that I have begun in order to support all members, the long-time, dedicated staff, rich history, and volunteers who have made life-long commitments to IPA. I would approach this position again with great passion and enthusiasm to help make IPA successful.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approximately equal experience in clinical and organizational/consulting psychology</li> <li>• Psy.D. Clinical Psychology</li> <li>• Demonstrated leadership including heading the crisis-intervention for pilots and flight attendants of United Airlines following the 9/11 terrorist attacks</li> </ul>
<p><b>Military Section</b></p>	
<p>Elva Johnson-Pompa</p>	
<p><b>SOGI</b></p>	
<p>Daniel Brewer</p> 	<p>Dr. Brewer has been SOGI Chair since 2015 and is excited to seek reelection. Dr. Brewer believes strongly that advocacy and organization are vital given our current zeitgeist, and hopes to continue representing the concerns of our diverse community. Dr. Brewer, a graduate of ISPP, has been actively involved with IPA for more than 13 years: as an IPAGS school representative, as IPA Convention Committee co-chair, as an ECP at APA SLC, and with the IPAPIC since its inception. He is involved in student training and serves as Treasurer for the IPAPIC Board – a doctoral internship training consortium.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assistant Clinical Director of Psychological Consultations, specializing in LGBTQIA services.</li> <li>• Presenter on treatment considerations and institutional sensitivity with LGBTQIA clients.</li> <li>• 2014 Award for Outstanding Service to IPAPIC.</li> </ul>
<p>Claudia Mosier</p>	<p>In these changing and challenging times ease of communication</p>



between SOGI members is paramount and the first thing I'd work to arrange. We'll better be able to brainstorm, commiserate, share our successes and inspire each other. I think our section of the IPA website needs some revamping to become more useful/accessible to both members and the general public. While all people represented by our rainbow flag need LGBTQ competent care, our transgender/gender expansive family members have critical needs. I envision SOGI offering readings and seminars to increase this knowledge base in Illinois. Thank you for this opportunity to serve.

- I've been an LGBTQ activist since the 1970s.
- I've focused my professional life on LGBTQ areas of concern. I train students and professionals in LGBTQ competent care.
- Currently revamping the LGBTQ policy for DCFS with the ACLU's assistance.

**Social Responsibility**

Abigail Damsky Brown



Respectfully, I seek your vote for Chair of IPA's Social Responsibility section. During my postdoctoral training, I observed what society's tragic discrimination does to damage patients suffering from eating disorders. When elected, the resources of the section will be diligently rallied to promote the broad values of social responsibility for civil rights, human rights, peace, and the public interest along with social justice.

Lets prioritize issues commanding immediate attention for our community! Our section will work collaboratively with the IPA Task Force on Violence. As my constituents, your input & guidance will be sought with regard to Council's agenda. Thank-you!

- Abigail Damsky Brown holds a PsyD from the Adler School of Professional Psychology (2015, Adler University) and MA in Counseling Psychology (2013), with a doctoral internship at Northwestern University Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) and postdoctoral fellowship at the Eating Recovery Center/Insight Behavioral Health in the Eating Disorders Partial Hospitalization Program. Since September 2016, Dr. Damsky Brown holds a full time staff position with the Eating Recovery Center and continues to develop a clinical specialty with this population. She has served IPA in the roles of IPAGs Chair during graduate school and in 2016 as Council Parliamentarian.

Edgar Ramos

I am running for a council seat as Chair of the Social responsibility





practice section of the IPA. I am asking for your support in this endeavor. If elected, I would demonstrate leadership in developing and strengthening the Social Responsibility section. Partnering with other sections in creating a cohesive, integrated organization is my goal. Strengthening recruitment of diverse members to broaden our section reach and focus are pivotal in the continued development of the Social Responsibility section. Fostering a community effort in social responsibility by continued communication, awareness raising, and activism are my goals for the Social Responsibility section.

- Director of Psychological Services, Maryville Academy Family Behavioral Health Clinic-Director of Clinical Services, Ramos and Associates Behavioral Health Clinic- Assistant Professor Concordia University. Psy.D. Illinois School of Professional Psychology 2001-2006.

**North Central Region**

Mary Dellorto



Goals:

- Be a voice for the concerns of the psychologists in the greater Illinois area including promoting the unique market forces and population in rural and smaller communities.
- Inform Central Illinois psychologists about IPA activities and legislative issues.
- Work with metropolitan and other greater Illinois representatives to institutionalize the Spring Institute so that this offering or some other opportunities continue to provide education in this part of the state.
- Increase central Illinois membership in IPA by demonstrating the value and benefits to these psychologists.
- Encourage connection between IPA and academic psychologists and universities in Central Illinois.


- Served four two-year terms on IPA council as area representative.
- Involved in major revision of IPA bylaws.
- Planned and hosted eight Spring Institutes in Bloomington to provide continuing education opportunities in the central region.

**South Central Region**

Anna Hickey



As representative to our region, I hope to open new lines of communication between central Illinois psychologists and form a stronger network of psychologists downstate. I will work to strengthen communication with IPA leadership with the intent of ensuring that both our concerns and accomplishments are recognized. I plan to prepare written updates for the IPA newsletter, help secure new CE opportunities in the region, and create a communication loop that allows regional psychologists to provide input and receive timely feedback on pertinent issues. I also hope to increase membership

	recruitment efforts through outreach to local psychology groups and universities.
<b>Metropolitan Region</b>	
<p>Patricia Pimental</p> 	<p>1. I have concerns about the exodus of leaders, list-serve tenor changes, and fluctuant fiscal architecture of IPA.</p> <p>2. I endorse a <b>WIDE</b> legislative agenda. Despite selection by APA / 1990 for the first national TF to investigate prescribing, and founding IPA's RxP TF, I did not favor a myopic vision of RxP as our only legislative focus. I emphasized the potential to "unprescribe" inappropriate polypharmacy, and judicious prescribing as <u>adjunctive</u> to psychologists' historical diagnostic/ treatment acumen.</p> <p>3. I propose fostering comradery via firesides with colleagues/ leaders, and mentoring /peer collaboration groups at office venues to address practice/training survival needs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• President and CEO, Neurobehavioral Medicine Consultants, Ltd, Elmhurst, Il.</li> <li>• Associate Professor (Adjunct), Midwestern University; ISPP,Argosy, Adjunct Faculty</li> <li>• IPA Past-President /Legis. Chair; Fellow IPA; Nat. Aca. Neuropsych.; Am. Coll.Prof.Neuropsych</li> </ul>