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SIGs/Website survey

Dear ISBNPA member,

The Special Interest Group (SIG) Committee and the Communications Committee kindly ask for your help for the betterment of the services ISBNPA provides to its members.

Please help ISBNPA following the link below (estimated time 10-15 minutes)

Survey

Thank you
Corneel Vandenalote (SIG Committee Chair)
Ralph Maddison (Communications Committee Chair)

Notes on the membership fee and annual meeting registration

Dear ISBNPA member,

You can renew your ISBNPA membership during the Annual Meeting registration.

With a single step you'll access all ISBNPA membership benefits and a reduced price on the Annual Meeting registration.

Please keep in mind that ISBNPA membership runs within the from January 1st to December 31st of each year. Thus, **even if you have payed your membership during last year annual meeting** (e.g., in April 2015), you are **no longer eligible to access the reduced member registration fee** for Cape Town.

For that you'll have to renew your membership during the registration process.



The process is quite straight forward. For example, a regular ISBNPA member pays R8 000, and a non-member pays R11 150. Therefore, if you become an ISBNPA member when you register for the conference, you will save R150, AND become part of the leading society for the study of diet and physical activity behaviour change!

Visit the conference website for more information on www.isbnpa2016.org.



Changes in the by-laws

(this text is a repetition of a previous eblast to members)

Given the recent changes in the officers terms, voted in 2014, the Executive Committee suggests the following changes to the by-laws, in order to accommodate the Past-President in the Officers rotation.

These changes will be voted during the Annual General Meeting of the Members, during the Cape Town ISBNPA Annual Meeting, more specifically on Friday, June 10th, at 12:40.

The suggested changes in by-laws' text are highlighted below:

Section 3. Number and Classes of Executive Committee Members.

The Executive Committee shall have no more than 14 members. The **officers structure** will change every other year between:

(a) Four officers - President-elect (serving a one year term), President (serving the second year of a two-year term), Secretary and Treasurer;

(b) **Four officers - Past-President (serving a one year term)**, President (serving the first year of a two-year term), Secretary and Treasurer.

The current text of the by-laws is the following.

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(b) Three officers - President (serving the first year of a two-year term), Secretary and Treasurer.

Opportunities - in advance for our members only

PhD in Childhood Obesity Prevention in Africa

An MRC-funded PhD studentship is available at the MRC Epidemiology Unit at the University of Cambridge to work closely with the MRC/Wits Developmental Pathways for Health Research Unit at the University of Witwatersrand in South Africa.

Learn more about this [opportunity here...](#)

APA Prize for Interdisciplinary Team Research

Prize-winning team will receive \$5000 for continued research. Application deadline is July 11, 2016.

The American Psychological Association has established a new Prize for Interdisciplinary Team Research. The prize recognizes an interdisciplinary research team that includes one or more psychological scientists in major roles and has produced significant scientific work. The team selected for the prize will receive \$5000 to help support its continued research.

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