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Journals update

Health Psychology Review: New Editorial Team

The EHPS are delighted to welcome Martin Hagger, University of Nottingham, UK as the incoming Editor for Health Psychology Review from January 2010. We would like to extend our thanks to outgoing Editor Joop van der Pligt.

Joining Martin is a new team of Associate Editors:

Noel Brewer, University of North Carolina, USA Linda Cameron, University of Auckland, New Zealand Denise de Ridder, Utrecht University, The Netherlands Antonia Lyons, Massey University, New Zealand Falko Sniehotta, University of Aberdeen, UK

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(EHPS) www.ehps.net Health Psychology Review is the first review journal in the important and growing discipline of health psychology. The journal publishes high quality conceptual articles, narrative reviews, research syntheses, and empirical reviews (including systematic reviews and meta-analyses) that advance theory and practice in health psychology. The journal has an Unofficial 2009 Impact Factor* of: 1.125.

Scholars are cordially invited to submit empirical reviews, systematic reviews and meta-analyses, and theoretical papers to the journal. All submissions should be made online at Health Psychology Review's ScholarOne Manuscripts site: http://www.tandf.co.uk/journals/titles/17437199.asp

Call for Nominations for Editor-in-Chief of Psychology & Health

The present Editors' term of office for *Psychology & Health* expires at the end of 2010. The EHPS Executive Committee is therefore seeking nominations for the appointment of a new Editor-in-Chief whose term of office would run for 4 years. Self-nominations are encouraged, and EHPS members may also put forward nominations. Nominations for joint Editors-in-Chief are also welcomed. Nominees should be members of the EHPS. The final decision will be made on the basis of the criteria listed below by the joint search committee, which has representatives from EHPS (Paul Norman), Psychology & Health (Lucy Yardley and Rona Moss-Morris) and Taylor and Francis.

Nominations should be sent to the Chair of the EHPS Search Committee, Dr. Paul Norman (p.norman@sheffield.ac.uk), by May 14th, 2010.

Nominees should send a brief CV outlining academic appointments, publications and previous editorial experience, as well as a short statement on their view of the future direction of the journal under their term of office.

Potential nominees may wish to make informal contact with either the out-going Editors-in-Chief Rona Moss-Morris and Lucy Yardley, or the Chair of the EHPS Search Committee, Paul Norman, to discuss the position.

Criteria for Journal Editor-in-Chief:

- 1. Previous editorial experience
- 2. Professional standing (i.e. well-known/respected in the field)
- 3. Publication record
- 4. Area of research (which should reflect one of the main strengths of the journal)
- 5. Statement of future direction of the journal (i.e., should build on strengths rather than take the journal in a very different direction)
- 6. Strength of link with EHPS (i.e., conference attendance, etc.)
- 7. Organizational ability (as evidenced by leadership positions)
- 8. Internationalisation (connection with colleagues around the world)
- 9. Language proficiency in English.