



Asia Pacific Career Development Association

APCDA Board Meeting

APRIL 24/25

Marilyn Maze called the meeting to order at 10:05 PM ET US.

Present: Brian Hutchison, Agnes Banyasz, Jose Domene, Momoko Asaka, Sungsik Ahn, Raza Abbas, Sing Chee Wong, Rich Feller, Natalie Kaufman, Woongtae Kim, Lisa Raufman, Marilyn Maze

Country Reports

- Australia (Agnes Banyasz) - welcome
- Canada (Jose Domene) – CCPA coming soon – fewer career counselor members -
- Japan (Momoko Asaka) – Educational year starts in April. Action plan for workplace reform. Two events scheduled too close in time.
- Korea (Sungsik Ahn) – hard times for presidential candidates – some talking about career development – change K-12 to 6-3-3 – exploring careers the last 3 years
- Pakistan (Raza Abbas) – Summer hope camps – do something different
- Parental hope sessions on Saturdays
- Singapore (Sing Chee Wong) – Career Development Interest Group – First meeting in July; Many things happening to help the unemployed; (2.2%)
- United States (Rich Feller) – Passing of Dick Bolles (after 90th birthday); Global Pathways, May 11-13- agenda about new ways to do career development and involve employers; NCD A June 28-30 – Joy in work; Artificial intelligence and job loss; Smartphone learning; Poverty issues; Community colleges moving away from counselors – navigators and pathway guides, or coaches; need for self-direction and self-design of career; movement toward strength and self-awareness rather than diagnosis; Focus on people who have been in industry; can't afford counselors for all the new students; all industries are looking at cost of labor – counselors need to look at this too.
 - In US, new president, immigration issues – letter about this from NCD A – supported by most mental health groups – came from International Student's Committee & Global Connections Committee

Committee Reports

- Newsletter Committee: Natalie Kauffman
- Upcoming newsletter Deadlines: May 24, July 19, Sept 20

Financials – Q2

Conference income is less than expected (as is registration), but this will not cause a financial problem.

ICCDPP Symposium,

Seoul Korea, June 18-21

- Career Planning around the world:
- 2017: <http://icdpp2017.org/key-outcomes/country-paper/>
- Who is on our “team”
 - Shelley Tien, Yu-Chen Wang, Sing Chee Wong, Raza Abbas, Claire Ouyang, Sungsik Ahn, Woongtae Kim
- Members of Country Teams
 - Brian on USA team
 - Andrew on ICCDPP Board
 - Carla on Philippine team
 - Roberta on Canada team

Presentations at conferences

- **CDA**, Brisbane Australia, May 17-19 - Poverty and career counseling
- **Thursday, May 18 1:25-2PM Career Development Services, Training, and Credentialing Around the World** by Dr. Marilyn Maze and Dr. Constance Pritchard
- **PGCA**, May 17-19
- **Thursday, May 18**
- 8:00 – 10:00 AM ***Existing Counselling Services in India and Futuristic Approach to Strengthening***, Prof. Narender K. Chadha, PhD
- 10:00 – 12:00 AM ***Trauma Informed Care in Schools***, Brian Hutchison, PhD
- **Friday, May 19**
- 8AM – Noon & 1-5PM **Career Intervention Workshop Using Narrative and Value-based Techniques**, Brian Hutchison
- 8AM – Noon & 1-5PM **Career Orientation Styles and Counselling Practices**, Narender Chadha
- NCD, Orlando Florida USA, June 28-30
- Roundtable: **Securing a 1st Job in Asia – How Asians Navigate the College-to-Work Transition**
- Panelists: Jose Domene, Shelley Tien, Narender Chadha
- Other people going to NCD: Marilyn, Lisa, Brian

APCDA Scholarly Biennial Journal

- First issue in March, 2018 – invite known scholars to submit – to provide examples of excellent articles
- Brian – Editor; Jose – Assistant Editor; graduate students also on the team
- Open journal system (used in Canada) (free)
- 1st issue will be a Special Issue – asking top scholars to write an exemplar article to set the standards for future authors – have 4 commitments: Jose, Raysen Cheung; Narender; Mahyeng Wan (Korea)
- Name the Journal Contest – final at the Member Meeting
- Email Brian about people who would be good on the Board
- Jose is building the pipeline

Webinars Policy

- Past: Select the highest-rated presentations for the conference
- Future: Select topics with global appeal
- How do we vet potential presenters?
- Do we offer payment to people who are accustomed to getting paid?
- Who can work on this?
- Program Committee – Soonhoon Ahn
- Policies Committee – Woongtae Kim

Membership Survey

- We use Survey Monkey and set up before the conference
- Need to revise the questions
- Who can help with this? Jose & Lisa
- Ask when (times of day) they prefer a webinar
- What topics they want
- Best time of year for the conference

Future Conference Locations

- India proposed for 2020 - March
- Singapore likes 2021 – they will be ready by then

2017 Conference

- Registration
 - Total: 96
 - Intramuros Tour: 10
 - ADB Tour: 15
 - UST Tour: 7
 - PDI: 17
- 4 Scholarships: Dr. Timothy Hsi (Singapore), Dr. Nisha Chaudhary (India), Ms Laarni Tolentino-Capinding (Philippines), Ms Nupur Gosain (India)
- 4 awards:
 - Newsletter Contributor Award: Gerald Tan (Singapore)
 - Outstanding Career Practitioner Award: Raza Abbas (Pakistan)
 - Outstanding Educator of Career Professionals Award: Life Strategies, LTD (Canada)
 - Lifetime Achievement Award: Lucila Bance (Philippines)

Panel Discussion topics

- Gender issues in the Labor Market: Tina Ancil (USA), Masume Nagai (Japan), Leilie Jin (China)
- Impact of technology on career counseling: David Reile (USA), Narender Chadha (India), Hector Lin (Singapore)
- President's Lunch on Tuesday
- Responsibilities of Board Members: Monitor sessions (schedule emailed to Board Members)
- Member Meeting
- Awards

- Name the journal – vote on name (naming form at registration)
- Discussion Topic: What are the barriers that preventing people from being involved? What else would you like APCDA to do? What should be our priorities going forward? What does the perfect APCDA look like to it's members? What would the points of connection be?
(Brian will help Marilyn with the phrasing of the question)

2018 Conference May 16 - 20

- Theme: Connecting Career, Family, and Society
- Opening Keynote: Dr. Shuh-Ren Jin - The Wisdom of Traditional Eastern Cultures in Career Counseling
- Middle Keynote: Dr. Richard Young - Action: What It Is and Why It Matters in Career Counselling
- Closing Keynote: Dr. Norm Amundson - Hope-Centered, Actively Engaged Career Development

Increase Membership & Visibility

- New Organizational Members
- Olou, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
- CDA Philippines
- Attendees from new countries:
 - Yevgeniya Kim, Nazarbayev University, Kazakhstan
 - Bory You, Top Talent Consulting, Cambodia
 - Felicity Brown, Maia Careers and Training, Vietnam

The meeting was adjourned at 11:15PM ET US

Respectfully submitted,

Diana M. Bailey

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