



Subject: Call for Nominations for the Secretary General of IAAP

Dear Members of the International Association of Applied Psychology,

Our current Secretary General, Luminita Patras, is finishing her term in July 2024, and a new Secretary General needs to be found.

As Chair of the Elections Committee, I am pleased to invite you personally to submit names of candidates for the office of Secretary General, or even considering running for the position yourself, in keeping with the rules stipulated in IAAP's *Constitution* and *Rules of Procedure*.

In July 2024, following the BoD, taking place in July 2024 in Prague, the General Assembly will take place and will elect a new Secretary General who will assume the role for four years, from July 2024 to July 2028. Thus, as stated in our *Constitution*, Section 7.03, it is the General Assembly of IAAP who will be invited to elect a new Secretary General.

In terms of the Process, we will follow the *Rules of Procedure* which explains how to proceed in Section 1.2.2. It states that candidates for Secretary General are nominated by members of the BoD, by writing to the current Secretary General at least 6 months in advance of the election. The proposal shall contain standard bibliographical information, including professional history, key publications, major impact on applied psychology, international recognition, service to IAAP, etc. It shall also provide the nominator's name, address, and signature. Furthermore, it shall include the nominees consent to serve, and signature.

Please note that the deadline to submit nominations for Secretary General of IAAP is Thursday the 18th of January 2024 at 23:00 UTC (Coordinated Universal Time).

To be eligible for nomination for Secretary General of IAAP, one must be a member of IAAP who has been in good standing with IAAP for the last two years (i.e., 2022 and 2023 membership dues paid).

Only members of the BoD in good standing (i.e., those who have paid their 2023 membership dues) can nominate candidates for Secretary General.

The vitality and the future of our association depends on the quality of its leadership.

I look forward to receiving your nominations for Secretary General of IAAP.

Please do send your nomination both to myself (Christine.Roland.Levy@gmail.com), with a copy to the current Secretary General (secretarygeneral@iaapsy.org), as soon as possible and no later than Thursday the 18th of January 2024.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'C. Roland-Lévy'.

Christine Roland-Lévy, PhD
Chair of the Elections Committee