



Do You Want to Teach the DMM in a University Position?

IASA Announces new DMM fellowships for doctoral and post-doctoral students

The Board of IASA are pleased to announce the DMM Fellowship program. The Fellowships offer financial support for doctoral and post-doctoral students seeking future employment on university faculties, with expertise in the DMM. IASA's goal is to prepare future faculty to teach the DMM for clinical, research, and policy-making purposes. Fellowships will range from \$15,000 - \$30,000, depending upon academic needs.

The DMM Fellowships are for graduate students who (1) are enrolled in a doctoral or post-doctoral program and (2) seek future employment as university faculty. The disciplines within the scope of the Fellowships include psychology, psychiatry, paediatrics, nursing, social work, occupational therapy, and related professions. The Fellowships are not for clinical advancement.

The Scientific Meeting in Florence, Italy in 2018 provided the initial funding for the DMM Fellowships. Other scientific meetings will be planned in the future.

The Planning Committee consists of Patricia Crittenden, Susan Spieker, Steve Farnfield, Lane Strathearn and Ben Grey.

Applications will be accepted from April 2020, with applicants being notified in time for the autumn 2020 university session. **In order to apply for a DMM Fellowship**, please email Patricia Crittenden at crittenden@patcrittenden.com or Susan Spieker at spieker@uw.edu

Applicants are encouraged to make their initial enquiries as soon as possible in order to have time to complete the application process.



Clark Baim
DMM News Editor

I'd like to introduce myself as the fourth Editor of DMM News. First, I offer my great thanks to Dr. Franco Baldoni, who was the Editor-in-Chief of DMM News from 2012 until October 2019. Franco has retired from the role which he carried out with great dedication and success for many years. I am sure I speak for all readers of DMM News when I say that we are deeply grateful to Franco

for his excellent efforts on behalf of IASA and the DMM. Franco, you will be a hard act to follow.

I have been a part of the DMM News for several years as copy editor, and it is now my honor to step into the role of Editor. I am delighted that Patricia Crittenden and Andrea Landini will continue as part of the editorial team.

Rebecca Darby has joined the team as the editor of the translated editions of DMM News and will also oversee the process of gathering material from colleagues who wish to submit articles in languages other than English. Speaking of international editions, Rebecca is busy assembling a team of translators for future issues of the DMM News, so please contact her if you would like to offer your services as a translator. Her contact email is: Rebecca.darby@nspcc.org.uk.

We also have two people joining the editorial team in a new role: Stephanie Wilson and Alex Jack, two DMMers from the UK, will be our outreach editors, helping us all to hear about international publications, broadcasts, films, podcasts, training events, conferences, cultural events, blogs and social media posts that will be relevant and of interest to the DMM community. More on that in the next edition. Watch this space!