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**2009**

### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 3)**

**TITLE:** "Cultura y Salud Mental" Congress  
**PLACE:** Havana, Cuba (Convention Palace)  
**DATE:** February 2-6, 2009  
**COLLABORATION:** Cuban Society of Psychiatry  
**CONTACT:** Dr. Cristobal Martinez  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

**TITLE:** "Ninth Workshop on Costs and Assessment in Psychiatry – Quality and Outcomes in Mental Health Policy and Economics"  
**PLACE:** Venice, Italy  
**DATE:** March 27-29, 2009  
**ORGANIZER:** WPA Section on Mental Health Economics  
**CONTACT:** Dr. Massimo Moscarelli  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

**TITLE:** "Third Italian International Workshop of Franciacorta on Mood Disorder"  
**PLACE:** Iseo, Italy  
**DATE:** March 28-29, 2009  
**ORGANIZER:** Centro Studi Psichiatrici  
**COLLABORATION:** WPA Private Practice Section  
**CONTACT:** Dr. Giuseppe Tavormina  
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### **WPA SPONSORED INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS (Zone 8)**

TITLE: "Treatments in Psychiatry: A New Update"  
PLACE: Florence, Italy  
DATE: April 1-4, 2009  
ORGANIZER: Italian Psychiatric Association  
CONTACT: Dr. Mario Maj  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 5)**

TITLE: XXV Argentinean Psychiatric Congress  
PLACE: Sheraton Mar del Plata Hotel, Argentina  
DATE: 23 – 26 April, 2009  
ORGANIZER: Argentinean Psychiatrists Association (APSA)  
CONTACT: Dr. Alfredo H. Cía  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 9)**

TITLE: "IV Macedonian Psychiatric Congress  
and International Meeting"  
PLACE: Ohrid, Macedonia  
DATE: May 27-31, 2009  
ORGANIZER: The Psychiatric Association of Macedonia  
(FYROM)  
CONTACT: Dr. Antoni Novotni  
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WEBSITE: [www.mpaohrid2009.com.mk](http://www.mpaohrid2009.com.mk)

### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

TITLE: "XI Jornada Nacional de Patología Dual  
(AEPD)"  
PLACE: Madrid, Spain  
DATE: May 29-30, 2009  
ORGANIZER: Spanish Association of Dual Pathology  
CONTACT: Dr. Nestor Szerman  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

TITLE: "XXIV Congreso de la Asociacion Española  
De Neuropsiquiatria"  
PLACE: Cadiz, Spain  
DATE: June 3-6, 2009  
ORGANIZER: Spanish Society of Neuropsychiatry  
CONTACT: Dr. Fermin Perez  
E-MAIL: [presidente@ann.org.es](mailto:presidente@ann.org.es)  
WEBSITE: [www.24congresoan.com](http://www.24congresoan.com)

### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 7)**

TITLE: "16<sup>th</sup> ISPA Congress Differentiation  
Integration and Development"  
PLACE: Copenhagen, Denmark  
DATE: June 15-19, 2009  
ORGANIZER: International Society for the Psychological  
Treatment of Schizophrenias and Other  
Psychosis (ISPS)  
CONTACT: Dr. Erik Simonsen  
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### **WPA SPONSORED THEMATIC CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

TITLE: "II Thematic Conference on Legal and Forensic Psychiatry"  
PLACE: Madrid, Spain  
DATE: June 16-20, 2009  
ORGANIZER: Spanish Society of Legal Psychiatry  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 3)**

TITLE: "VIII Symposium on Biological and Pharmacological Aspects  
of Mental Disorders"  
PLACE: Havana, Cuba  
DATE: June 22-26, 2009  
ORGANIZATION: "Colegio Cubano de Neuropsicofarmacology"  
CONTACT: Dra. Ana Sarracent  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

TITLE: "Third Simposium de Psiquiatria Transcultural:" Salud Mental en el Paciente de America Central y Caribe"  
PLACE: Barcelona, Spain  
DATE: June 26-27, 2009  
ORGANIZER: University Hospital Vall d'Hebron  
COLLABORATION: University Autonoma of Barcelona  
CONTACT: Dr. Miguel Casas  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 5)**

TITLE: "Interdisciplina – Mass Media and Salud Mental"  
PLACE: Buenos Aires, Argentina  
DATE: July 5, 2009  
ORGANIZER: WPA Section on Mass-Media & Mental Health  
COLLABORATION: FINTECO  
CONTACT: Dr. Miguel A. Materazzi  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 5)**

TITLE: "III Congreso Latinoamericano de Adicciones"  
PLACE: Santiago, Chile  
DATE: July 23-25, 2009  
ORGANIZER: Asociacion Latinoamericana de Adicciones (ALAD)  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

TITLE: "World Federation of Mental Health World Congress"  
PLACE: Athens, Greece  
DATE: September 2-6, 2009  
ORGANIZER: World Federation of Mental Health  
CONTACT: Dr. George Christodoulou  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 5)**

TITLE: "FINTECO Annual Meeting: Truma, Social Y Salud Mental"  
PLACE: Buenos Aires, Argentina  
DATE: September 11, 2009  
ORGANIZER: WPA Section on Mass-Media & Mental Health  
COLLABORATION: FINTECO  
CONTACT: Dr. Miguel A. Materazzi  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 6)**

TITLE: "Second European Conference on Schizophrenia Research (ECSR)"  
PLACE: Berlin, Germany  
DATE: September 21-23, 2009  
ORGANIZER: German Research Network on Schizophrenia  
CONTACT: Dr. Wolfgang Gaebel  
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WEBSITE: [www.kompetenznetz-schizophrenia.de](http://www.kompetenznetz-schizophrenia.de)

### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 1)**

TITLE: "Annual Meeting of the International Society of Addiction Medicine (ISAM)"  
PLACE: Calgary, Canada  
DATE: September 23-27, 2009  
ORGANIZER: International Society of Addiction Medicine (ISAM)  
CONTACT: Nady El-Guebaly, M.D.  
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### **WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 5)**

TITLE: "VII World Congress of Depressive Disorders and International Symposium on Posttraumatic Stress Disorder"  
PLACE: Mendoza, Argentina  
DATE: September 24-26, 2009  
ORGANIZER: University of Cuyo  
CONTACT: Dr. Jorge Nazar  
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**WPA SPONSORED REGIONAL MEETING (Zone 13)**

**TITLE:** “WPA Sponsored Regional Meeting”  
**PLACE:** Abuja, Nigeria  
**DATE:** September 24-26, 2009  
**ORGANIZER:** African Association of Psychiatrists  
and Allied Professions  
**COLLABORATION:** Association of Psychiatrists in Nigeria  
**CONTACT:** Dr. Oye Gureje  
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**WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 6)**

**TITLE:** “16<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the World Association  
for Dynamic Psychiatry (WADP)”  
**PLACE:** Munich, Germany  
**DATE:** October 6-9, 2009  
**ORGANIZER:** World Association for Dynamic Psychiatry  
**CONTACT:** Dr. Sabine Funk  
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**WEBSITE:** [www.wadp-congress.de](http://www.wadp-congress.de)

**WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 5)**

**TITLE:** XXVII Congresso Brasileiro De Psiquiatria  
**DATE:** 4-7 November 2009  
**PLACE:** Sao Paulo, Brazil  
**ORGANIZER:** Brazilian Psychiatric Association  
**CONTACT PERSON:** Prof. Joao Alberto Carvalho  
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**WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

**TITLE:** The advances in Neurobiology and Psychopharmacology of ADHD –Life  
Cycle perspective  
**DATE:** 5-7 November 2009  
**PLACE:** Salzburg - Austria  
**ORGANIZER:** WPA Section on ADHD  
**COLLABORATION:** International Association of Pediatric Neurology (ICNA)  
**CONTACT PERSON:** Prof. Sam Tyano, Prof. Jo Biederman and Dr. Iris Manor  
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**WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 16)**

**TITLE:** “10<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the World Association  
of Psychosocial Rehabilitation”  
**PLACE:** Bangalore, India  
**DATE:** November 12-15 2009  
**ORGANIZER:** World Association of Psychosocial  
Rehabilitation  
**CONTACT:** a) Dr. Afzal Javed  
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**WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 6)**

**TITLE:** DGPPN Congress 2009  
**PLACE:** Berlin, Germany  
**DATE:** 25 - 28 November 2009  
**ORGANIZER:** German Society for Psychiatry, Psychotherapy and Nervous Disorders DGPPN  
**CONTACT:** Ms. Bettina Heidemann  
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**WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

**TITLE:** “First International Congress on Neurobiology and Clinical  
Psychopharmacology and European  
Psychiatric Association Congress on Treatment Guidance”  
**PLACE:** Thessaloniki, Greece  
**DATE:** November 26-29, 2009  
**ORGANIZER:** International Society on Neurobiology and  
Psychopharmacology (ISNP)  
**COLLABORATION:** WPA Section on Private Practice  
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## 2010

### WPA SPONSORED REGIONAL MEETING (Zone 16)

TITLE: "WPA Regional Meeting"  
PLACE: Dhaka, Bangladesh  
DATE: January 21-23, 2010  
ORGANIZER: Bangladesh Association of Psychiatry  
CONTACT: Prof. A.H. Mohammad Firoz  
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### WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 3)

TITLE: Psicohabana 2010  
DATE: April 5-9, 2010  
PLACE: Habana, Cuba  
ORGANIZER: WPA Section on Classification, Diagnostic Assessment and Nomenclature  
COLLABORATION: Cuban Society of Psychiatry  
CONTACT PERSON: Dr. Wilfredo Castillo Donate  
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### WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 6)

TITLE: "20<sup>th</sup> International Federation for Psychotherapy World Congress of Psychotherapy"  
PLACE: Lucerne, Switzerland  
DATE: June 16-19, 2010  
ORGANIZER: International Federation for Psychotherapy (IFP)  
COLLABORATION: Swiss Association for Psychiatry and Psychotherapy  
CONTACT: Dr. Ulrich Schnyder  
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WEBSITE: <http://www.ifp.name>

### WPA SPONSORED REGIONAL CONFERENCE (Zone 10)

TITLE: "WPA Regional Meeting"  
PLACE: St. Petersburg, Russia  
DATE: June 17-19, 2010  
ORGANIZER: Russian Society of Psychiatrists  
CONTACT: Dr. Valery Krasnov  
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**WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

**TITLE:** "Fourth Symposium of Transcultural Psychiatry"  
**PLACE:** Barcelona, Spain  
**DATE:** June 25-26, 2010  
**ORGANIZER:** University Hospital Vall d'Hebron  
**COLLABORATION:** University Autonoma of Barcelona  
**CONTACT:** Dr. Miguel Casas  
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**WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 5)**

**TITLE:** "Arte, Salud y Comunidad"  
**PLACE:** Buenos Aires, Argentina  
**DATE:** July 10, 2010  
**ORGANIZER:** WPA Section on Mass-Media & Mental Health  
**COLLABORATION:** FINTECO  
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**WPA SPONSORED REGIONAL MEETING (Zone 17)**

**TITLE:** "WPA Regional Meeting"  
**PLACE:** Beijing, China  
**DATE:** September 1-5, 2010  
**ORGANIZER:** Chinese Society of Psychiatry  
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**WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 5)**

**TITLE:** "Sociedad, Multitud Y Salud Mental"  
**PLACE:** Buenos Aires, Argentina  
**DATE:** September 18, 2010  
**ORGANIZER:** WPA Section on Mass-Media & Mental Health  
**COLLABORATION:** FINTECO  
**CONTACT:** Dr. Miguel A. Materazzi  
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**WPA CO-SPONSORED CONFERENCE (Zone 18)**

**TITLE:** Pacific Rim College of Psychiatrists (PRCP) 14th Scientific Meeting  
**DATE:** 28 - 31 October 2010  
**PLACE:** Brisbane, Queensland, Australia  
**ORGANIZER:** Pacific Rim College of Psychiatrists  
**COLLABORATION:** Australian and New Zealand Association of Mental Health  
 Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Psychiatrists  
**CONTACT PERSON:** Prof. Philip Morris  
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**2011****WPA SPONSORED REGIONAL CONFERENCE (Zone 11)**

**TITLE:** "WPA Regional Meeting"  
**PLACE:** Cairo, Egypt  
**DATE:** January 26-28, 2011  
**ORGANIZER:** Egyptian Psychiatric Association  
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**WPA SPONSORED REGIONAL MEETING (Zone 10)**

**TITLE:** "WPA Regional Meeting"  
**PLACE:** Yerevan, Armenia  
**DATE:** April 14-17, 2011  
**ORGANIZER:** Armenian Association of Psychiatrists  
**CONTACT:** Dr. Armen Soghoyan  
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**WPA SPONSORED THEMATIC CONFERENCE (Zone 8)**

**TITLE:** "WPA Thematic Conference: Rethinking Quality in Psychiatry: Education, Research, Prevention, Diagnosis & Treatment"  
**PLACE:** Istanbul, Turkey  
**DATE:** June 9-12, 2011  
**ORGANIZER:** a) Psychiatric Association of Turkey  
 b) Turkish Neuropsychiatric Association  
**CONTACT:** Dr. Levent Kuey  
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## **WPA SPONSORED WORLD CONGRESS OF PSYCHIATRY (Zone 5)**

**TITLE:** “XV World Congress of Psychiatry”  
**PLACE:** Buenos Aires, Argentina  
**DATE:** September 18-22, 2011  
**ORGANIZER:** a) Argentina Association of Psychiatrist (AAP)  
 b) Association of Argentinean Psychiatrists (APSA)  
 c) Foundation for Interdisciplinary Investigation of Communication (FINTECO)  
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## **WPA SPONSORED REGIONAL MEETING (Zone 17)**

**TITLE:** “WPA Regional Meeting”  
**PLACE:** Taipei, Taiwan  
**DATE:** November 12-13, 2011  
**ORGANIZER:** Taiwanese Society of Psychiatry  
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**2012**

## **WPA SPONSORED THEMATIC MEETING (Zone 8)**

**TITLE:** “Addiction Psychiatry”  
**DATE:** Thursday, March 29 to Saturday, March 31, 2012  
**PLACE:** Barcelona, Spain  
**ORGANIZER:** Socidrogalcohol  
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