

## NCSPP Current Working Committees

Accreditation  
Advocacy  
Awards  
Education and Training  
Ethnic and Racial Diversity (ERDC)  
Gay Lesbian Bisexual (GLBC)  
Membership  
Research and Evaluation  
Task Force on Clinical Training Models  
Women's Issues (WIC)

## Presidents of NCSPP

Gordon F. Derner - 1976-80  
Adelphi University

Donald R. Peterson - 1981-82  
Rutgers University

Joanne F. Callan - 1983-84  
CSPP – San Diego

Russell J. Bent - 1985-86  
Wright State University

Edward F. Bourg - 1987  
CSPP – Berkeley

George Stricker – 1988  
Adelphi University

James D. McHolland – 1989  
CSPP – Fresno

David L. Singer – 1990  
Antioch New England Graduate School

Elizabeth Davis-Russell – 1991  
CSPP - Fresno

Kenneth Polite - 1992  
Illinois School of Professional Psychology

Jules Abrams – 1993  
Widener University

Roger Peterson – 1994  
Antioch New England Graduate School

Patricia Bricklin - 1995  
Widener University

Mary Beth Kenkel - 1996  
CSPP – Fresno

Andrea Morrison – 1997  
The Wright Institute

Phil Farber – 1998  
Florida Institute of Technology

Joe Bascuas – 1999  
Georgia School of Professional Psychology

Kathi Borden – 2000  
Antioch New England Graduate School

Bruce Weiss – 2001  
Massachusetts School of Professional Psychology

LaPearl L. Logan – 2002  
Wright University

Cynthia G. Baum – 2003 (incoming)  
ASPP - Virginia

## Previous Conferences of NCSPP

1981 La Jolla, CA - Quality Control

1986 Mission Bay, CA - Standards and Evaluation

1989 San Juan, PR - Ethnic Minority issues

1990 San Antonio, TX - Core Curriculum

1991 Tucson, AZ - Women's Issues

1992 Bahamas - Evaluation

1993 La Jolla, CA - Clinical Training

1994 Cancun, Mexico – Meta Conference

1995 New Orleans, LA - Meta Conference  
Standards for Education in Professional Psychology where are we? Where are we going and how do we let people know?

1996 Clearwater, FL - Innovations in professional Psychology/  
New Roles

1997 San Antonio, TX – Collaboration

1998 Santa Fe, NM - Changing Profession Critical  
conversations and social responsibility

1999 Charleston, SC - New competencies (supervision,  
consultation, administration)

2000 Miami, FL - Joint Conference – CUDCP, Counseling,  
School, NCSPP

2001 Bahamas – Future challenges and best practices

2002 Puerto Vallarta, Mexico – Advocacy

2003 Scottsdale, AZ – Strategic Impact



## National Council of Schools and Programs in Professional Psychology (NCSPP)

## WELCOME TO NCSPP!

NCSPP is an organization composed of delegates from programs and schools of professional psychology founded in 1976.

## NCSPP'S MISSION AND PURPOSE

NCSPP was developed as an organization through which leaders in the field of professional psychology education could exchange information and develop ideas on how to enhance the quality and development of their programs. Today, information gathering, exchange, and dissemination remain central to NCSPP's mission.

NCSPP, through its representatives, works to develop standards for professional psychology education. The group provides consultation to new and existing programs of professional psychology, and maintains liaisons with other individuals and organizations involved in psychology education. Representatives of NCSPP are instrumental in monitoring and influencing public policy with regard to professional psychology education.

NCSPP also strives to foster research that will help lead to solutions to human problems. The development of methods of quality assurance for programs of professional psychology, based upon empirical evaluation, is another priority.

Finally, NCSPP engages in other activities that are relevant to the advancement of professional psychology education. The organization has taken a leadership role in increasing psychology's attention to racial and ethnic diversity and gender issues, and has worked hard to integrate these priorities with issues of curriculum, supervised field experience, organizational characteristics, and public and social policy.

**NCSPP website: [www.ncspp.info](http://www.ncspp.info)**

## NCSPP'S MEETINGS AND CONFERENCES

NCSPP meetings are for delegates from member and associate member schools and programs. There are also non-member observers from newly developing Psy.D. programs and schools. The summer meeting is typically held in advance of American Psychological Association (APA) in the same city. This year NCSPP will hold its summer meeting at the Palmer House Hilton in Chicago. The Committee meetings will be held on Tuesday, August 20 and the business meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 21. Additionally, there will be a CoA workshop Monday afternoon August 19.

### 2003 Midwinter Meeting

The Midwinter Meeting will be held in Scottsdale, Arizona. The theme will be "Strategic Impact: Continuing to Shape the Future of Professional Psychology."

### 2003 Conference Committee

Mary Beth Kenkel, Ph.D.  
Chair, Conference Committee  
Florida Institute of Technology

LaPearl Logan Winfrey, Ph.D.  
NCSPP President Elect  
Wright State University

Jed Yalof, Psy.D.  
Immaculata College

Lynn H. Collins, Ph.D.  
La Salle University

## DELEGATES

Delegates are representatives from each member and associate member school. Each member and associate member school can send up to four delegates to the August meeting and January conferences, given that they meet requirements. Delegates participate in the conference activities and benefit from exposure to information regarding current education, training, and practice issues. They also have opportunities to meet with other delegates who are invested in graduate

training, to speak informally about the issues their schools are addressing, and to share ideas for approaching problems as well as developing new, innovative programming.

Delegates attend committee meetings based on their interests and needs. In these meetings ideas are shared and projects are planned. Delegates are also permitted to participate in the delegate listservs for the purpose of communicating with the membership and sharing information about training and practice issues.

## NEW DELEGATES

NCSPP makes an effort to welcome and orient new delegates in a variety of ways, including special meetings with the leadership and designations on nametags. NCSPP meetings are structured to facilitate interaction and communication with fellow delegates. The Committee meetings allow for discussion of issues in small groups. All breakfasts and lunches are group events with open seating allow for social interaction. There are also social hours. Although some of the members have known each other for decades, NCSPP is an open and welcoming group.

There are also things that you can as a new delegate to increase your involvement:

1. Participate in all group functions. This will optimize your chances for getting to know other NCSPP members.
2. Volunteer to help with the next conference. Although the program committee is appointed, there are always support roles to be filled, such as facilitator or recorder that can be a vehicle for meeting people and becoming known within the group.
3. Volunteer to help with projects discussed in the committee meetings.
4. Ask people that you already know to help you meet others. To obtain a list of current or past delegates please visit our website: [www.ncspp.info](http://www.ncspp.info).

## The 2002 NCSPP Executive Committee

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