The Examiners for the Research Prize are nominated jointly by the Court of Electors and Research Committee.

Entrance for the Prize is limited to Members (or Inceptors) of the College below the rank of Consultant Psychiatrist (or equivalent).

Reports of research carried out by candidates for the Prize should be submitted to the Dean by 31 March of each year. Reports received after this date will be accepted as entries for the Prize for the following year.

## Laughlin Prize

This prize is awarded to the candidate who obtains the highest marks and the best recommendation from the Examiners in the Membership Examination. The prize is awarded twice a year after the Spring and Autumn Examinations. The value of the prize is currently £50.

## Forthcoming Events

The 15th International Congress of Individual Psychology will be held in Vienna from 2 to 6 August 1982. The subject is 'Encounter of individual psychology with other forms of therapy'. Information: Congress Secretariat, Mondial Congress, Bösendorferstrasse 4, A-1010 Vienna.

A Regional Symposium entitled 'Anxious, depressive and delusional disorders: Current knowledge and prospects—frontiers and interaction', organized by the World Psychiatric Association and the Société Marocaine de Psychiatrie, will be held from 31 October to 4 November 1982 in Marrakesh. Information: PMV Vip 100, avenue Charles de Gaulle, 92200 Neuilly, France.

'Global sharing and learning through the 80s' is the theme of the World Congress on Mental Retardation to be held in Toronto from 22 to 26 August 1982. Information: World Congress, NIMR Kinsmen Building, York University Campus 4700 Keele Street, Downsview, Ontario, Canada M3J 1P3.

The 9th International Congress of Hypnosis and Psychosomatic Medicine, sponsored by the University of Glasgow and the Royal Society of Medicine, will be held at the University of Glasgow from 22 to 27 August 1982. Registration for Workshops and scientific programme, and general information are available from: Professor Michael R. Bond, University Department of Psychological Medicine, 6 Whittinghame Gardens, Great Western Road, Glasgow G12 0AA, Scotland.

A symposium on 'The Reproductive Epoch' will be held on 26 March 1982 in the Medical School, University of Sheffield. Topics include the menopause, pre-menstrual syndrome, post partum depression and infertility. Information: Dr Gwyneth Sampson, Queenswood, Middlewood Hospital, Sheffield S6 1TP.

The next Transcultural Psychiatric Conference will be held from 23 to 25 April 1982 at the London Hospital. Those interested in attending or presenting papers should contact: Dr H. N. Ghadiali, St Clement's Hospital, 2a Bow Road, London E3 4LL.

A residential, multidisciplinary psychotherapy workshop will be held from 16 to 21 May 1982 at the University of Bristol. Information: Assistant Director, Department of Extra-Mural Studies, University of Bristol, 32 Tyndall's Park Road, Bristol BS8 1HR.

The Institute of Family Therapy (London) is organizing a number of workshops during 1982: 20 March: 'Family Therapy and Statutory Responsibility'—Win Roberts and Margaret Robinson; 23 April: 'The Description of Family Interaction'—Peter Loader; 12 May: 'Different Structures, Different Habits'—Gill Gorell Barnes; 21 and 22 May: 'Family Patterns and Family Interventions in Child Sexual Abuse and Incest'—Arnon Bentovim and Tilman Furniss; 4 and 5 June: 'An Approach to Conciliation in Divorce'—Arnon Bentovim, Dora Black and Margaret Robinson. Further information: send an s.a.e. to the Course Secretary, Institute of Family Therapy (London), 5 Tavistock Place, London WC1.

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