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## Newsletter

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Dear Fellows, Members, Inceptors and Affiliates,

#### I. Sponsorships for the International Congress of the Royal College of Psychiatrists (U.K.)

The Sponsorships Committee is offering three College delegates to attend the International Congress of the Royal College of Psychiatrists to be held in Liverpool UK from 10 to 13 July 2012. Each successful applicant will be offered, on refund basis, of up to HKD 20,000. Priority will be given to College Fellows. Please apply based on the instructions below on or before 23 March 2012. The selection criteria will be in accordance with the scoring system posted on the College website:

[http://www.hkpsych.org.hk/index.php?option=com\\_content&task=view&id=33&Itemid=64](http://www.hkpsych.org.hk/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=33&Itemid=64)

Interested members should write to **Ms Sabrina Hung at The Hong Kong College of Psychiatrists, Room 906, HK Academy of Medicine Jockey Club Building, 99 Wong Chuk Hang Road, Aberdeen, Hong Kong or fax to (852) 2870-1391 or email at [hkpsych\\_eo@hkam.org.hk](mailto:hkpsych_eo@hkam.org.hk)**. Please state in your application: (1) whether you are a fellow, member or inceptor of the College; (2) when you were last sponsored by the College to attend conferences/meetings; (3) whether you are a Council Member/Chairman or member of a Standing Committee of the College; (4) your subspecialty (one only) or field of knowledge (one only) and whether you are serving in the private or public sector; (5) whether you are going to present a paper in that conference/meeting (documentation required). Applications with incomplete information will not be processed. **If you do not receive a reply (written or verbal) from the responsible coordinator by 29 March 2012, please contact Ms Sabrina Hung at 2871-8770.** Please note that early bird registration for the Congress is available up to 30 March 2012.

#### II. Announcement from The Board of Examiners

##### *Hong Kong CASC 2012*

The next Clinical Assessment of Skills and Competencies (CASC) of the Royal College of Psychiatrists will be held in Hong Kong on 16-17 October 2012. Application forms will be available for download from the Royal College website on 18 June 2012 ([www.rcpsych.ac.uk](http://www.rcpsych.ac.uk)). The opening date for receipt of applications is 18 June 2012. The closing date for receipt of applications is 6 July 2012, applications should be sent to the Royal College and will be processed in accordance with the Eligibility Criteria and Regulations for the MRCPsych Examinations.

##### *External Examiner of the mid-year Part II Fellowship Examination*

Professor Aleksandar Janca from Australia will be the external examiner for the coming mid-year Part II Fellowship Examination in May. Professor Janca is a world renowned expert in psychiatric epidemiology, transcultural psychiatry, and public health aspects of mental and neurological disorders. He is currently the Winthrop Professor and Head of School of Psychiatry and Clinical Neurosciences at the University of Western Australia.

Thank you for your attention.

Dr. WH CHEUNG  
Honorary Secretary  
The Hong Kong College of Psychiatrists