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Toronto Local Arrangements Committee **Chris McIntosh, M.D. and Wayne Baici, M.D., Co-Chairs**

Welcome to Toronto AGLP! If you haven't been to Toronto since the last AGLP meeting was here in 2006, you will probably notice many changes to how the city looks and feels. The condo boom has led to intensification of the population in the downtown core, so there's more hustle and bustle than ever before!

Toronto is the urban heart of Canada. Not only is it the largest city in the country but one quarter of Canada's population lives in the "Golden Horseshoe" region that hugs the western end of Lake Ontario.

Toronto is also one of the most multicultural cities in the world, as we have welcomed immigrants from all over the world. This has led to a richness of cultural neighbourhoods and international cuisine. For some ethnocultural immersion while you're here you can visit the Spadina Chinatown, Kensington Market, Little Italy, Little Portugal, Koreatown, and slightly further afield, but worth the trip, Little India.



View all up-to-date AGLP schedule information on our website at www.AGLP.org by scanning this QR code.

Toronto's "Gay Village" continues to draw LGBT visitors with its concentrated dose of shops, restaurants and play spaces for our community along Church Street, north and south of Wellesley St. You will know you have arrived if you pass the rainbow swirly poles or if you see the statue of gay pioneer Alexander Wood for whom two of the neighbourhood's streets are named. On the base of the statue is a bronze bas-relief of Magistrate Wood "inspecting" a young man to make sure he is in good health. Rub his bum for good luck! The Church-Wellesley neighbourhood still hosts

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Sadly, this is our last editorial column for this newsletter. It is time for us to pass the baton to the next editors. It has been a wonderful experience for both of us. We are so grateful for all the support from our AGLP officers and to our readers. A very special thanks to Roy Harker!

And btw: How would you like to be one of our next editors? We need you. The job is a relative breeze and you'll get tons of support and help from the rest of the AGLP board and from the incomparable Roy Harker. Benefits are priceless and include being part of the dedicated and fun AGLP Advisory Board and really feeling an integral part of this organization.

Send us an email at AGLPeditors@aglp.org and/or find us in Toronto to tell us you'd like a turn!

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An App for AGLP members is available for download. If you use an iPad or iPhone you can access AGLP schedule information, the AGLP Membership Directory, and even the new AGLP online *Journal of Gay and Lesbian Mental Health* through your portable device.



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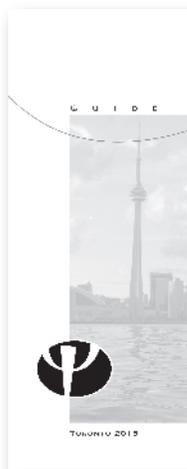


The APA Annual meeting is around the corner. This year just flew by so fast. We are looking forward to the exciting city of Toronto.

The AGLP Local Arrangements Committee has arranged great activities for us. See Dr Chris McIntosh's article for good information and tips on the city, sightseeing, and even pointers of airports, local travel from the airport and best times of day to fly in and out of Toronto. Thank you, Chris, for all of your work.

Another significant event is the voting of our By-Laws on changing the name of our organization. See Dr Sarah Nobles's column for details on this.

The AGLP Guide to Toronto will be available



at the AGLP Booth and the AGLP Hospitality Suite starting Sunday, May 17. Be sure to pick up your copy of this ever-popular publication with information on things to do, places to go, and our favorite restaurants! It is available online as well in a very convenient pdf format with links embedded.



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President's Column

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I'm sitting in my office late in the evening trying to finish up paperwork. The construction of the new Twitter office building across the street continues to distract me. It doesn't help that there are people on strike down below chanting the same monotone phrase. It sounds like a dysfunctional commercialized metronome.

I'm somewhat happy today because I know in two weeks I'll be in Paris. I'm traveling alone and it's going to be interesting to be in a place I love and have the time to walk the streets, decompress, and let my worries float away on the Seine. I'll partake in politically incorrect foie gras and wash it down with wine and forget that I'm a psychiatrist for a few weeks.

I dare say it won't be too hard to return because just a few short days later I'll be heading to Toronto to see many of you. It's nice to be heading somewhere that isn't San Francisco (no offense). I can only see the Castro and Twin Peaks so many times before I miss the cavernous flat avenues of New York. Toronto will be a nice trip though. New Yorkers can get there in a short hour yet it's far enough away to feel like a real trip.

The Local Arrangements Committee and the board have worked hard to put together an exciting schedule of events. The organization has been holding steady for a number of years and although we are fewer in number, our current members are strong and supportive of AGLP. So much is happening in the country and the world regarding LGBT rights and mental health. We'll all be watching closely for the upcoming Supreme Court deciding the ultimate definition of love and marriage. There is also that nonsense in Indiana and now Arkansas. Please don't forget there is a portion of the population out there that would rather not see us be a part of it.

Sadly, we won't be having a Fryer Award lecture this year because our chosen recipient, Laverne Cox, was booked up during the time of the convention. The Nominations Committee considered many nominees and ultimately decided she was the best choice. While I'm sad she won't be able to make a public appearance, I do think she represents exactly what AGLP has been working for. She is an out trans-identified celebrity who is helping many young members of the transgender community feel hope for a bright future, and to know that they can have dreams and goals that extend beyond their gender identities. The transgender community continues to be marginalized and as LGBT psychiatrists we need to be turning our attention to them and creating safe therapeutic spaces.

That leads me to my next topic, our name. We've sent out e-mails and I've written several times about changing our name. The Association of Gay and Lesbian Psychiatrists has been our official name for decades now. Most members have referred to us as AGLP over the years. While I think that a more inclusive name would be best for the organization long-term, changing the name simply to AGLP is a positive first step. I envision that AGLP will be an educational and social organization for all sexual orientation and gender

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An APA Day for Residents

As an organization, we are always focused on medical students, residents, and early career psychiatrists. It is through these members that we grow as an association. The younger members bring with them vitality and inspiration to make a difference in the LGBT community and within the psychiatric community. Hopefully, the initiatives we spearhead as trainees and the ideas we bring to the table can create newer and faster change. Of course, there is much to learn from the established members of the psychiatric community. It takes a combination of experience and enthusiasm to make the biggest impact, and we are always looking for ways to foster an environment which brings those two together.

This brings me to the annual conference of the American Psychiatric Association that is coming up in May in Toronto. I am truly hopeful that all

of the students and residents are able to attend. I have always learned so much from these conferences. In addition, being able to network with so many amazing and accomplished people is a wonderful experience. I hope my fellow early career psychiatrists are also going to make the time to come to the conference. I hope you all make time for the many AGLP events while you are there and that you continue to support us. Again, you all allow us to become larger and more influential. You represent the future of this organization and our movement for equality for LGBT psychiatrists and all of our patients.

We are thrilled to bring an exciting lineup of events this year at our annual Hospitality Suite. This year, it will be focused on residents and trainees as well as us early career psychiatrists. We will have our yearly process group with Marshall Forstein, which is always very informative. I love hearing about the experiences of all of the other participants and, of course, Marshall has a wealth of information and experience. Next, we have the Resident Paper Award, presented by Chris McIntosh. This is a great celebration of the work that all of the young psychiatrists have done in the last year in terms of published research. Finally, there is a free lunch, which I always appreciated as a resident and as a medical student. On top of that, we will be showing the 2014 film, "Pride." If you haven't heard of it, it is a wonderful movie based on the true story of the British Miners Strike in the times of Margaret Thatcher and how the LGBT community formed an unlikely alliance with the miners in their fight against the government. It won the Queer Palm at the Cannes Film Festival and has won many awards since then. We will be discussing the film afterwards in terms of the dynamics, and what we can learn from this period of history.

There are going to be many things to enjoy about the APA Conference and the rest of the year through AGLP. It has enriched my experience immensely to be part of this group and learn from others in this way. I hope all of you come to our events, especially the day at the hospitality suite, and bring your friends. I will see you there!

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AGLP Symposium 2015 Toronto

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We are very excited to present a dynamic and amazing symposium for you all this year. It will focus on the discrimination that many LGBT citizens are facing abroad. While we have made great strides here in the United States, there is still much work to be done overseas. Please come out and support us by attending this symposium. We are lucky to be joined by a wonderful team of people who are all listed in the abstract below. See you in Toronto!

Psychiatrists are only beginning to scratch the surface in regards to the devastating effects that social discrimination has on various minority groups. This is especially true for sexual and gender (SOGI) minorities, often referred to as the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) population. In this case, there are many instances of discrimination being codified in law, both in North America and abroad, which intensifies these effects on mental health. Domestically, some work has been done to define these effects. For example, the Family Acceptance Project identified that LGBT youth and young adults who are rejected by their families are eight times more likely to commit suicide, three times more likely to use illegal drugs and three times more likely to acquire HIV. This is one of the first wide scale studies down on this topic, and little research has been done regarding adults who are rejected by society, even in North America.

There is a particular dearth of information in International Psychiatry regarding this phenomenon. In certain areas of the world, particularly Africa and the Middle East, this is particularly salient as there are many anti-gay laws there which codify discrimination and embolden society to reject SOGI minorities. In a recent report from the Sexual Minorities Uganda (SMUG) organization, they document that anti-gay attacks in Uganda have increased 10 times over since the passage of the infamous Anti-Gay Law there, which punishes gay activity or promotion of gay activity with life imprisonment. This has led to blackmailing of LGBT Ugandans and state-backed harassment including rapes, robberies and murders. In this presentation, a psychiatrist and journalist published in the Guardian and New England Journal of Medicine, Miriam Shuchman, MD, will share her views as a psychiatrist from the ground in Africa. A prominent Ugandan gay activist, John Wambere, will discuss his difficulties since the laws passage and the uncertainty as he applies for asylum. (The law has been retracted but is in the process of being reinstated now).

In Iran, a similar situation exists. Iranian psychiatrist, Shervin Shadianloo, will discuss his experiences in Iran and in Canada, fighting for those still in that country and facing death for their SOGI minority status. He will be joined by Arsham, a gay Iranian seeking asylum in Canada now.

All of this leads us to what our role as psychiatrists can be in these situations. We can document the atrocities like Dr. Shuchman. We can advocate for those still in danger like Dr. Shadianloo. We can also assist in asylum cases, and Dr Joanne Ahola, from Weill Cornell University, will discuss this, as she has done much work in this area.

Finally, the incoming WPA President, Dinesh Bhugra, will be our discussant as he has also done much work in the area of asylum-seekers who are LGBT.

Overall, this is a vital life-and-death issue that exists throughout the world and we are uniquely equipped to help.

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Medical Education and the Health of Our Communities

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The Association of American Medical Colleges recently published a resource guide for medical educators addressing medical school climates and curricula, with the goal to improve the healthcare of individuals with diverse sexual orientations, gender identities, and sex anatomies. The guide was released at the 2014 annual meeting in Chicago to a room full of welcoming medical school deans — and is available as a free download at: <http://www.aamc.org/lgbtdsd>. A video describing the project is available via <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0mOhkKRH38c>

Curriculum addressing these health topics has traditionally been taught by adding an additional hour to the curriculum, often in the context of specific pathologies — for example, gay men are discussed during coursework addressing HIV, or transgender people are discussed in the context of gender dysphoria pathology. The key to understanding the value of this document is the use of a competency-based medical education framework for sex, sexuality, and gender-related clinical care issues. Our committee hopes that medical educators will realize that we are not advocating for additional time to be devoted to these populations, but reworking the existing curriculum to be inclusive of these topics. Institutions need faculty champions to raise awareness of this project. And, of course, feedback from our communities is necessary to address elements overlooked in the guide's current iteration and to provide valuable feedback for future editions.

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Patients who are LGBT, gender nonconforming, and/or born with differences of sex development suffer health and healthcare disparities, stemming from important differences in contexts for health. Medical professionals need to be well prepared to deliver effective care to these patient populations. The AAMC's goal is that tomorrow's physicians are ready to address the health needs of all patients, regardless of sexual orientation, gender identity, and sex anatomy.

The AAMC Advisory Committee on Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, and Sex Development committee includes nine members,

selected from diverse disciplines, professional backgrounds, institutions, and stages of career development. Four of these members are psychiatrists or psychiatrists in training: Scott Leibowitz (Northwestern University), Andres Sciolla (UC Davis), Kristen Eckstrand (Medical Student at Vanderbilt and applicant to child psychiatry), and myself (Brian Hurley at UCLA). The committee's webpage can be found at <https://www.aamc.org/initiatives/diversity/portfolios/330894/lgbt-patientcare-project.html>. For those that might be interested in joining the AAMC advisory committee or an ad-hoc committee to help contribute to this project, a call for applications will be available by this Winter 2015.

The AGLP and AGLP members have been extraordinarily supportive of the AAMC Advisory Committee on Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, and Sex Development's work, both in publicizing the guide and supporting the initial implementation of the AAMC's recommendations. Members of the committee have organized an AGLP-supported workshop accepted for presentation at the APA Annual Meeting this May in Toronto, Canada. The workshop will discuss this AAMC Resource Guide and competency based medical education applied to sex, sexuality, and gender-related mental health care issues.

I hope to see all AGLP members at our workshop in Toronto, and looking forward to hearing back with your reactions, suggestions, and all other comments.

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Get Your Passport Ready!



As you plan to attend APA's Annual Meeting in Toronto, please note that travelers entering Canada **MUST** have a valid passport and/or a visa. Check the expiration date of your passport now to be sure it will be valid at the time of entry into Canada. Also check the requirements for re-entry into your country. Know the rules for crossing the border to avoid any last-minute problems.

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Laverne Cox

Laverne Cox has been named as the winner of the **2015 John E. Fryer, M.D., Award**. The award honors an important and highly-visible figure in the LGBT-rights community and offers opportunities for another voice in the ongoing advocacy for rights, research, and informed care for our LGBT patients. Laverne Cox is a critically acclaimed actress who currently appears in the Netflix original series *Orange is the New Black*, playing the groundbreaking role of Sophia Burset, an incarcerated African American transgender woman. Laverne is the first trans woman of color to have a leading role on a mainstream scripted television show. *Time Magazine* named Sophia Burset the 4th most influential fictional character of 2013.

Laverne is also a recipient of the Dorian rising star award for her work in *Orange is the New Black*. A renowned speaker, Laverne has taken her empowering message of moving beyond gender expectations to live more authentically all over the country. Her insights have been featured on CNN, MSNBC, ABC, NPR, HLN, VH1, FOX NEWS LATINO, among other national TV and radio networks.

In 2013 Laverne won Best Supporting Actress at the Massachusetts Independent Film Festival for her work in the praised film *Musical Chairs*, directed by Susan Seidelman (*Desperately Seeking Susan*). Laverne's other acting credits include *Law and Order*, *Law and Order: SVU*, HBO's *Bored to Death*, and the independent films *Carla* and *The Exhibitionists*. She also has roles in the forthcoming films *36 Saints* and *Grand Street*.

Laverne is the first trans woman of color to produce and star in her own television show, VH1's *TRANSForm Me*, which was nominated for a GLAAD Media Award. Laverne is also the first trans woman of color to appear on an American reality television program, VH1's *I Wanna Work for Diddy*, for which she accepted the GLAAD Award for Outstanding Reality Program. Laverne was named one of *Out* magazine's "Out 100," one of the country's top 50 trans icons by *The Huffington Post*, and one of *Metro Source* magazine's "55 People We Love." Laverne's critical writings have appeared in *The Advocate* and *The Huffington Post*. A graduate of Marymount Manhattan College, Laverne holds a degree in Fine Arts.

The John E. Fryer, MD, Award honors an individual whose work has contributed to the mental health of sexual minorities. It was named for John Fryer, the psychiatrist who appeared as "Dr. H. Anonymous" at the 1972 APA meeting and helped move forward the process of removing the diagnosis of homosexuality from the DSM. The Award was funded by AGLP members, a matching grant from the Gill Foundation, and a bequest from AGLP founding member Frank Rundle, MD. The Fryer Award is given at the APA Annual or Fall meeting, and typically

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As the days get longer and warmer all of our thoughts turn to outdoor activities and soon to-be summer vacations. Here at AGLP we're excitedly planning for our APA activities in Toronto. I for one am looking forward to catching up with my AGLP family since I wasn't able to see many of you last year. I hope to be

able to thank you in person for voting me into the office of secretary, celebrate with you at the awards ceremony, and learn with you during the symposia. I also hope to meet many of the residents and medical students during our special education events in the Hospitality Suite.

Most importantly, at the Annual Membership Meeting we'll be voting on a By-Laws change to the name of our organization. In an effort to be more inclusive we would like to evolve from the Association of Gay and Lesbian Psychiatrists to the AGLP. I would love to have a big turnout to this very exciting vote so we can ensure that everyone has a voice in the change.

See you in Toronto! (Don't forget your passport!)

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minorities. When you think about how culture will be changing over time, that will be a larger subset than we have been focusing on in the past. The organization needs to breathe and grow and this name change is needed for us to do that.

I hope to see many of you in Toronto. I'll be at all the meetings and events, so feel free to pull me aside and give me your ideas and thoughts. I'm the really tall ginger bear-type one so I'm pretty easy to spot. As for now, I'll get back to writing my notes, returning my phone calls, and attempting to ignore the distance sounds of Twitter rebellion five stories down.

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Fryer Award Winner Laverne Cox
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includes an honorarium and a lecture at the APA meeting. Unfortunately, Ms. Cox will not be able to accept the award in person, or appear for a lecture, due to filming and scheduling conflicts.

AGLP has instituted a fund raising campaign, in association with the American Psychiatric Foundation, to help endow this award in perpetuity. For more information about how you can get involved, please contact Roy Harker, Executive Director of AGLP at RHarker@aglp.org. Tax-deductible contributions to AGLP for the Fryer Award can be made through the AGLP website at www.aglp.org.

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AGLP Executive Meeting Minutes Monday, March 16, 2015

In Attendance: Amir Ahuja, Eric Yarborough, Roy Harker, Sarah Noble, Serena Yuan Volpp, Chris McIntosh, Kenn Ashley, Jose Vito,

Excused: Joanne Ahola

Absent: Laura Erickson-Schroth, Jack Pula, Phil Bialer, Dan Safin, Jonathan Weiss, Gene Nakajima, Andy Tompkins, Paul Browde, David Scasta, Mary Barber, Anand Pandya, Ubaldo Leli, Maureen Murphy-Ryan,

Toronto Meeting

- We've confirmed the awards reception at the Spoke Club. Still need to choose menu; will look into more vegetarian options
 - o It's the sister club to the Norwood so connection with Lonny Behar was very helpful.
- Had a meeting last Friday of the Local Arrangements Committee
 - o Will have a Welcome Reception at the home of Wayne Baici, co-chair of the committee at 8pm.
 - o Trainees brunch will be at Chris McIntosh's on Sunday
 - o Women's Dinner and Minority/International Dinner still need to be chosen
- Heard back from a couple of the award winners, Roy will reach out to the others to confirm acceptance and inquire about attendance at the reception.
- Outing Possibilities-
 - o The Aga Khan Museum- very far out so might need to get a bus chartered
 - o Tour of the University of Toronto- free, but not sure if people will be interested
 - o Ripley's Aquarium
 - o CN Tower—Chris thinks this may be the most popular option
 - o Last time the outing was to Niagara Falls- but we lost money on the outing so will not likely do this again, although we could list some of the tour companies and choose a time for people to meet.
 - o Monday is a holiday for Canada so places might be crowded
 - o Is there something that could approximate the catamaran trip we did in Hawaii? (brief and that a large number of people could do)
 - o What about meeting in the lobby of a museum and doing a tour together?
- Awards Reception
 - o Non-members will be charged \$10.
 - o Last year we had problems with collecting cash at the Norwood—Roy will check with the Spoke Club about their policy.

Hospitality Suite

- Process Group 9am-11am
- Resident Paper Award 11:15am-12:45pm
- Movie presentation and discussion
- If anyone has something they would like to present in the hospitality suite they can contact Amir Ahuja.
- We will present in the hospitality suite as a resident track and then provide pizza for lunch

Name Change

- We haven't really finalized a byline, but a bylaw name change would not include the byline

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AGLP 2015 Awards



Rachel Epstein, M.A., Ph.D.

The Barbara Gittings Award for 2015, is being presented to **Rachel Epstein, M.A., Ph.D.**, at an awards reception in Toronto during the APA/AGLP Annual Meeting. Dr. Epstein has been a driving force in Canada for LGBTQ parenting as a sociologist, activist and educator. She is the founder of the LGBTQ Parenting Network and has created courses and has been an author of many publications on this topic including one published recently in the *Journal of Gay and Lesbian Mental Health*. Dr. Epstein received her PhD in education from York University last year. The AGLP Barbara Gittings Award is presented to a woman who demonstrates exceptional leadership and advocacy for lesbian issues. It was named after one of the founders of the gay rights movement and one of the activists instrumental in moving APA to consider depathologizing homosexuality.



Albina Veltman, M.D.

The Distinguished Service Award, AGLP's first designated award, is given to an individual for outstanding contributions to the LGBT community. Over the years it has been awarded to AGLP members whose work extends past the reach of the organization, to supportive APA officials, and to public figures. The 2015 Distinguished Service Award is being presented to **Albina Veltman, M.D.** Dr. Veltman is a psychiatrist and an associate professor at McMaster University in Hamilton, Ontario. She is also the Diversity Engagement Chair for the undergraduate MD program at McMaster. She has been an advocate as well for those with developmental disabilities and severe and persistent mental illness. Dr. Veltman serves as a consultant psychiatrist at the Adult Gender Identity Clinic at the Centre for Addiction and Mental Health. She is noted for authoring the first position paper on LGBTQ Mental Health for the Canadian Psychiatric Association, published just last year in November.



Ubaldo Leli, M.D.

The AGLP James Paulsen Award, presented to an AGLP member who has made significant contributions to the ongoing life of the organization, is conferred this year on **Ubaldo, Leli, M.D.**, Past-President of AGLP and a representative to the APA Caucus of Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Psychiatrists.

The 2015 Stuart Nichols Award is being conferred on **David Kelley Services**, a program of Family Services Association in Toronto which provides geared-to-income counseling to the LGBT community through two programs, one for HIV+ clients and one for the broader LGBT community. They serve clients from many different communities throughout Toronto, helping them deal with a

broad range of issues such as: coming out, sexuality and gender identity, HIV/AIDS, discrimination, relationship issues, isolation, anxiety, depression, abuse and violence. Representing David Kelly is Laurie Chesley, M.S.W., Manager of the organization.



Jeffrey Neal, M.D.

JGLMH Announces Winner of 2015 Outstanding Resident Paper Award

Jeffrey Neal, MD, a PGY3 in the psychiatry department at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences (UAMS), Little Rock, Arkansas, is this year's awardee. He was chosen for his submission, "Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Content Representation on the Psychiatry Resident In-Training Examination 2009-2013." Jeff will present the paper in the AGLP Hospitality Suite Monday, May 18th, at 11:15am, at the Fairmont Royal York Hotel.

Jeff Neal was born in February 1984 in Muskogee, Oklahoma, to Jerry and Cheryl Neal. He is the oldest of four children, with siblings Jay Neal, Jon Neal, and Jana Chism. He has lived in Oklahoma, Texas, Arizona, and Arkansas. He attended Phoenix Christian High School and graduated as the salutatorian. He attended

Ouachita Baptist University and graduated *summa cum laude* with a BS in biology and minor in chemistry. He attended the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences (UAMS) medical school, and is currently a PGY3 in the psychiatry department in Little Rock, Arkansas. He will start a child and adolescent psychiatry fellowship in July of 2015 at UAMS. He won the Diamond Award 2014 in the psychiatry department, which is given to the resident who shows the greatest promise in the field of child and adolescent psychiatry. He and his boyfriend, Colton, have their hands full with Buford, their one year old blue heeler [Australian Cattle Dog]. Jeff enjoys cooking, watching movies, spending time with his nephew and nieces, walks with Colton and Buford, Jeopardy, and going to the gym.

AGLP 27th Annual Awards Reception and Ceremony MONDAY, MAY 18 7:00 - 9:00pm

Hors d'oeuvres, Wine and Beer
No admission charge for members
\$10 donation requested for non-members
Award Presentations at 8:00pm
THE SPOKE CLUB
600 King Street
Toronto, Ontario Canada M5V 1M3

The JGLMH Outstanding Resident Paper Award includes a \$500 cash award, assistance with lodging and travel to the AGLP Annual Meeting in Toronto, where Dr. Neal will present his paper, and publication in the *Journal of Gay and Lesbian Mental Health*. The award was initially supported by a generous grant from the William A. Kerr Foundation, and is being sustained by AGLP member dues and contributions.



Listings of Upcoming Subspecialty Meetings of Interests to Members

Kenn Ashley, MD

KAshley@aglp.org

Many AGLP-ers are members of other organization such as the ones listed here. As a way to increase the visibility and effectiveness of AGLP, members that participate in other organizations are encouraged to hold gatherings at these meetings to increase networking potentials. In the past these have ranged from a hosted get together at a members home to more formal presentations combining the issues central to AGLP and the primary meeting issue. If you are interested in improving communications between the subspecialties and AGLP, contact our President, Kenneth Ashley, MD, at KAshley@aglp.org for more details and suggestions.

American College of Psychiatrists
<http://www.acpsych.org/>

APA Institute on Psychiatric Services
2015 October 8-11 New York, NY
2016 October 6-9 Washington, DC

APA Annual Meeting
2016 169th May 14-18 Atlanta, GA
2017 170th May 20-24 San Diego, CA

Association of Women Psychiatrists
<http://www.associationofwomenpsychiatrists.com/index.php>
Meetings have been in conjunction with the Annual APA Convention

Black Psychiatrists of America (BPA)
<http://www.blackpsych.org/>

American Academy of Psychiatry and the Law (AAPL)
<http://www.aapl.org/>

American Academy of Psychoanalysis and Dynamic Psychiatry
<http://www.aapdp.org/>

American Association for Emergency Psychiatry
<https://www.emergencypsychiatry.org/>

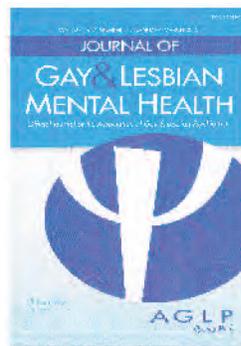
American Association for Geriatric Psychiatry (AAGP)
<http://www.aagppa.org/>

American Association of Directors of Psychiatric Residency Training (AADPRT)
<http://www.aadprt.org/>

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Drs. Howard Rubin, Chris McIntosh, Martin Plöderl, and Jonathan Weiss (Gene Nakajima taking photo) at the AGLP session at the European Congress of Psychiatry in Vienna.



JGLMH available online FREE to AGLP Members

The *Journal of Gay and Lesbian Mental Health*, the official journal of the Association of Gay and Lesbian Psychiatrists, is now available for viewing online free to all AGLP Members. The content is searchable with search words and phrases, and you can even download and print particular articles if you like.

The IT and production editors at Taylor & Francis have developed a new and streamlined way to access all of the content for articles published in the *Journal of Gay and Lesbian Mental Health*. AGLP members with valid and current memberships can now access the Journal directly through the AGLP website free of charge as a member benefit. Go to www.aglp.org, click on the Members Area link (upper right hand of the screen) and once you are logged in, a box will appear on the right side of the blue banner to access the content. The older system, using a separate username and password, is being eliminated.

You should find this new streamlined approach to access more user friendly. If you have any questions at all, or need to be reminded of your username and password, please contact the National Office at rharker@aglp.org.

Online help is available for any problems you may encounter. We hope that this new method will provide greater ease and dependability to the entire process.

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Local Arrangements Committee Toronto
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Pride every year, and last year was the site of a very successful World Pride.

Rising housing costs as well as the general level of LGBT acceptance in the rest of Toronto has meant that many folks no longer live in the area and have moved to other neighbourhoods. Leslieville and Cabbagetown in the east and West Queen West and Kensington Market in the west end have their own queer twist.

Other popular eating, socializing and shopping destinations within the downtown include the Distillery District, a beautiful neighbourhood built from a converted spirits distillery. Yonge-Dundas square is a more modern space for outdoor events, buskers and street life, right next to the popular Eaton Shopping Centre. Bloor-Yorkville is your destination for high end shopping at Canadian retailers Holt Renfrew and Harry Rosen.

Top Ten Tips for planning your trip

1. The AGLP Hotel is the brand new Delta Hotel. It is right next to the convention centre and central to many downtown attractions like the CN Tower.
2. Know your airports! Toronto has two. If you live in a city serviced by Porter Airlines (www.flyporter.com) you can arrive in Toronto at Billy Bishop, the city centre airport and it will be easier and cheaper to get downtown.
3. If flying into Pearson, the larger airport, pay attention to times you are arriving and departing as Toronto traffic is terrible in morning and evening rush hours. Currently getting to and from Pearson involves a taxi or limo ride (also get the flat rate in advance) or else a rather lengthy subway and bus ride (see www.ttc.ca). The shuttle bus to downtown hotels previously run by Pacific Western is no longer operating. The new UP Express train to Union Station is to be finished by the time of our hosting of the Pan-American Games in July, but is unlikely to be finished by May. When departing, leave extra time to pre-clear US Customs at Pearson.
4. It is a long weekend for us, celebrating Queen Victoria's birthday, so some stores and attractions will be closed on Monday May 18th though the big malls like the Eaton Centre will still be open for limited hours.
5. Weather in May in Toronto can be a bit unpredictable but temperatures are usually 12-19° Celsius (55-65° Fahrenheit) and there could be (usually light) rain.
6. If you plan to stay in Toronto after the convention, consider a visit to Niagara Falls, which can be done in a day trip. Check TripAdvisor.com for ratings of tour companies, or rent a car for the day. You can round out your day by visiting the wineries of the Niagara region and the village of Niagara-on-the-Lake, with its Historic Fort George and theatre festival dedicated to George Bernard Shaw and his contemporaries.
7. Opera fans rejoice! The Canadian Opera Company performs Bartok's Bluebeard's Castle and Schoenberg's Erwartung on Saturday May 16th from 4:30-6:30 PM. Production by Robert Lepage. Contact Gene Nakajima (GNakajima@aglp.org) if interested in joining him and Howard!

8. Thrill-seekers rejoice! The CN Tower may have lost its title of world's tallest free-standing structure to the Burj Khalifa in Dubai, but now you can walk on top of it in an orange jumpsuit attached to a tether! Take the EdgeWalk if you dare, it makes an awesome Facebook profile pic!
9. Sports Fans: the Toronto Blue Jays play the California Angels for two home games at the Rogers Centre on May 18-19. The Toronto Raptors and Toronto Maple Leafs will have completed their regular seasons. If by some miracle either team makes the playoffs, tickets will be impossible to get.
10. Are you coming to Toronto with kids? Let us know as we may try to plan a family friendly outing if there is enough interest!



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The Meeting space for AGLP will be at the Fairmont Royal York, the APA Headquarters during the Annual Meeting. It is located just two blocks from the Delta.



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THE FAIRMONT ROYAL YORK

100 Front Street West, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5J 1E3
<http://www.fairmont.com>.

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• What members will be voting on at the business meeting in May is the change in the name from Association of Gay and Lesbian Psychiatrists to AGLP.

- Proposal:

Article I. Name.

The name of this organization shall be the Association of Gay and Lesbian Psychiatrists ("Association").

Shall be changed to:

Article I. Name.

The name of this organization shall be AGLP ("Association").

- In addition, we can add the byline, but it won't be part of the official name. Options include:
 - o "Opening Minds about Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity"
 - o "Opening Minds about Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation"
 - o "Opening Minds about Gender and Sexual Minorities"

Next Meeting

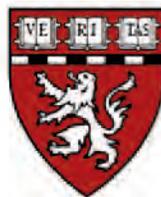
April 20th 3-4pm

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Seeking a new AGLP Newsletter Editor

AGLP is seeking a volunteer to assume the responsibilities of Editor or Co-Editor of the Newsletter. The Editor/Co-Editor is responsible for soliciting and editing content for the quarterly newsletter. Clerical, design, printing, and distribution aspects of production are all handled by the National Office. As a member of the AGLP Executive Council, the Newsletter Editor/Co-Editor is required to attend all monthly phone conference calls and is encouraged to attend the Annual Meeting and the Annual Business Meeting as consistently as possible. Photographs are an important aspect of the vitality of the periodical and arrangements should be made for photographs at AGLP events whenever possible.

For more information, please contact either of the current editors, Joanne Ahola, MD, and Jose Vito, MD at AGLPeditors@aglp.org or Roy Harker at the AGLP National Office RHarker@aglp.org.



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Scan the QR Code to the left to view all of the latest schedule information on our website.

FRIDAY, MAY 15

Welcome Gathering

7:00pm to 9:00pm
SOCO Kitchen + Bar
In lobby of Delta Hotel
75 Lower Simcoe St @ Bremner Blvd
sokokitchenandbar.ca

We will gather informally in the Delta Hotel's restaurant / lounge for dinner and drinks, then share cabs to The Distillery District

Trudeau and Levesque

8:00pm to 10:00pm
Young Centre for the Performing Arts
50 Tank House Lane, Distillery Historic District
https://www.soulpepper.ca/performances/15_season/trudeau_and_levesque.aspx

For those looking for a fun Canadian history lesson get your tickets (in advance) to Trudeau and Levesque, a history burlesque about the first Quebec separation referendum in 1980. This troupe does a hilarious take on Canadian History. Then join the rest of us afterward at Mill Street Brewpub.

Late Night

9:00pm to Closing
Mill Street BrewPub
21 Tank House Lane, Distillery Historic District
toronto.millstreetbrewpub.ca

Note: To get to the Distillery District take a cab to the 55 Mill Street gates, after walking through gates, Tank House Lane is first lane on your left. The Distillery District is all pedestrian.

SATURDAY, MAY 16

"The Way He Looks": A Brazilian Film About Being Young, Gay, and Blind

9:00am to 12:00noon
InterContinental Toronto Centre- Lower Level, Room: Ballroom A-B
Richard Pleak, M.D., Chair; Hofstra North Shore-LIJ School of Medicine, Glen Oaks, NY

Dr. Sarah Herbert, M.D., M.S.W., Chair; Sarah E Herbert MD MSW LLC, Decatur, GA
Jose Vito, M.D., Speaker; New York, NY
Shervin Shadianloo, M.D., Speaker; New York, NY

Historical Walking Tour of LGBT Toronto

11:00am to 1:00pm
Meet inside the St Lawrence Market, (92-95 Front Street East, Toronto, ON M5E 1C3, Canada) Front St entrance, South building, at the Souvenir shop just inside the entrance, with the big cardboard cut-out of the Mountie.

\$25 Canadian per person (or \$20 if we get 10 or more attendees, max 15)
Limited to 15 people. RSVP required. RSVP now...>
https://aglp.memberclicks.net/index.php?option=com_mc&view=mc&mcid=form_98193

Bartok's Bluebeard's Castle and Schoenberg's Erwartung

4:30pm to 6:30pm
Canadian Opera Company performs Bartok's Bluebeard's Castle and Schoenberg's Erwartung, in a production by gay director Robert Lepage. The Erwartung is set in a psychoanalyst's office. Tickets at <http://www.coc.ca>. Dinner following with available group. For more info email GNakajima@aglp.org

AGLP Welcome Reception

8:15pm to 10:00pm
Private residence: 269 Mutual Street in the Gay Village, one block east of Church Street

Late Night

10:00pm to Closing
Woody's
467 Church St
woodytoronto.com

SUNDAY, MAY 17

AGLP Annual Board Meeting

8:30am to 1:00pm
Confederation Room, Mezzanine
Fairmount Royal York, 100 Front Street W, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5J 1E3

Transgender and Intersex for the Practicing Psychiatrist

Topic: Gender Dysphoria
9:00am to 4:00pm
Sheraton Centre
Director: William Byne, M.D., Ph.D.
Faculty: Jack Pula, M.D.; Richard R. Pleak, M.D.; A. Evan Eyler, M.D., M.P.H.

AGLP Booth Open

10:00am to 4:00pm
Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Booth 1803

Medical Students and Residents Brunch

12:00noon to 2:30pm
338 Ontario St (between Gerrard and Dundas)

Anti-LGBT Discrimination Abroad and Asylum-Seeking at Home: The Psychiatrist's Role

1:00pm to 4:00pm
Association of Gay and Lesbian Psychiatrists
InterContinental Toronto Centre- Lower Level, Niagara/Ontario Rooms
225 Front Street West, Toronto, ON M5V 2X3, Canada

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1. A Psychiatrist's View of International Anti-Gay Policies; Miriam Shuchman, M.D.
2. My Experiences in Uganda and as an Asylum Seeker; John A. Wambere
3. A View From Iran: Discrimination at Home and Mental Health Needs of Asylum Seekers; Shervin Shadianloo, M.D.
4. Be an Expert Witness in LG BTI Asylum Cases at Home, Joanne Ahola, M.D., P.C.

Trans Members Outing

6:00pm to 8:00pm

TBD

Watch aglp.org for details

Women's Dinner

7:00pm to 9:00pm

Taverna Mercato

120 Bremner Blvd. Just east of the Delta Hotel

taverna.mercatto.ca

RSVP required. RSVP now...>

https://aglp.memberclicks.net/index.php?option=com_mc&view=mc&mcid=form_58779

Late Night

10:00pm to Closing

TBA

Watch aglp.org for details

MONDAY, MAY 18

AGLP Hospitality Suite Open

8:00am to 5:00pm

Manitoba Room, Mezzanine

Fairmount Royal York, 100 Front St W, Toronto, ON M5J 1E3, Canada

Student, Resident and Early Career Process Group

9:00am to 11:00am

Led by Marshall Forstein, M.D.

AGLP Hospitality Suite

Manitoba Room, Mezzanine, Fairmount Royal York

Unicorn and Alone With People - A Double Feature on Young Gay/Lesbian Identities: Exploring Sexual Orientation

9:00am to 12:00noon

InterContinental Toronto Centre- Lower Level, Room: Ballroom A-B

Richard Pleak, M.D., Chair; Hofstra North Shore-LIJ School of Medicine, Glen Oaks, NY

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LGBT and Differences of Sex Development Patient Care Competencies: Taking Psychiatry into the next era of sex, sexuality, and gender-sensitive care

9:00am to 12:00pm

InterContinental Toronto Centre- Lower Level

Room: Niagara/Ontario Rooms

Scott Leibowitz, M.D., Chair

Ann and Robert H Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago

AGLP Booth Open

10:00am to 4:00pm

Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Booth 1803

JGLMH Outstanding Resident Paper Award Presentation

11:00am to 12:30pm

This year presented to Jeffrey Neal, MD, for his study, "Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Content Representation on the Psychiatry Resident In-Training Examination 2009-2013."

AGLP Hospitality Suite

Manitoba Room, Mezzanine

Fairmount Royal York

AGLP Annual Membership Meeting

1:00pm to 3:00pm

AGLP Hospitality Suite

Manitoba Room, Mezzanine, Fairmount Royal York

A Conversation on Diversity and Health Equity

1:30pm to 3:30pm

Ballroom, Convention Floor, Fairmont Royal York, 100 Front St W, Toronto ON M5A 1E1

You're invited to the first Diversity and Health Equity Conversation with APA Members to share your experiences, history and perspectives. Changes in healthcare, patient demographics, and APA leadership and membership make this an opportune time for you to help APA's Division of Diversity and Health Equity (DDHE) reimagine its goals and programming.

Featuring facilitation by Marc A. Nivet, Ed.D., Chief Diversity Officer, Association of American Medical Colleges

Chairperson: Ranna Parekh, M.D., Director, APA Division of Diversity and Health Equity

Trauma and Resilience in Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender (LGBT) Populations

2:00pm to 5:00pm

Metro Toronto Convention Centre - Level 100, North Building, Room: Room 104 C

Dr. Laura Erickson-Schroth, M.D., Chair; Columbia University, New York, NY

Rebecca Hopkinson, M.D., Chair; University of Washington, Seattle, WA

Omar Fattal, M.D., M.P.H., Discussant; New York, NY

Movie and Discussion

3:30pm to 5:00pm

Award winning British film "Pride"

Discussion afterwards led by Eric Yarbrough, M.D. and Amir Ahuja, M.D.

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Manitoba Room, Mezzanine

Fairmount Royal York

AGLP VIP Reception

6:00pm to 7:00pm

Invitation Only - Open to AGLP Patron Level Members

THE SPOKE CLUB - ROOFTOP

600 King Street

Toronto, Ontario Canada M5V 1M3

416-368-8448

Followed by the Awards Reception (Downstairs)

AGLP 27th Annual Awards Reception and Ceremony

7:00 - 9:00pm

Hors d'oeuvres, Wine and Beer

No admission charge for members

\$10 donation requested for non-members

Award Presentations at 8:00pm

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This year honoring Rachel Epstein, M.A., Ph.D., Albina Veltman, M.D., Ubaldo Leli, M.D., and David Kelley Services, a program of Family Services Association of Toronto

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Power, Gender and "The Devil Wears Prada"

7:00pm to 10:00pm

InterContinental Toronto Centre- Lower Level, Room: Ballroom A-B

Rashi Aggarwal, M.D., Chair; Rutgers New Jersey Medical School, Edison, NJ

Petros Levounis, M.D., Chair; Rutgers New Jersey Medical School, Newark, NJ

Nahil Chohan, M.D., Speaker; Rutgers New Jersey Medical School, Upper Saddle River, NJ

Michelle Benitez, M.D., Speaker; West New York, NJ

Afiyah Ahsan, Speaker

TUESDAY, MAY 19

AGLP Booth Open

10:00am to 4:00pm

Metro Toronto Convention Centre, Booth 1803

Family-Friendly Event: Ripley's Aquarium

10:00am to 12:00noon

For members bringing kids, and those who want to join in! We will meet in the Delta Hotel lobby and walk over.

Ripley's Aquarium

288 Bremner Blvd

www.ripleyaquariums.com/canada/

RSVP for estimate RSVP Now...>

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Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis for HIV: The Science, Psychology, and Implications for Clinical Practice

11:00am to 12:30pm

Metro Toronto Convention Centre - Level 700, South Building, Room: Room 711

Dr. Marshall Forstein, M.D., Chair; The Cambridge Health Allianc, Jamaica Plain, MA

David Goldenberg, M.D., Speaker; New York, NY

Kenneth Ashley, M.D., Speaker; Institute for Advanced Medicine, Mount Sinai Beth

Israel, Peter Krueger Clinic, New York, NY

Minority and International Members Dinner

7:00pm to 8:30pm

All AGLP members welcome!

RSVP required. RSVP now...>

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Cluny Bistro

35 Tank House Lane

Distillery Historic District

clunybistro.com

Late Night

10:00pm to Closing

Late Night Kareoke

WAYLA Bar, 996 Queen St E.

waylabar.ca

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20

God Loves Uganda: Faith, Homosexuality, and American Evangelicals

9:00am to 12:00noon

Media Workshop, Eric Yarbrough, M.D., and Mary Barber, M.D, co-chairs.

InterContinental - Lower Level, Niagara/Ontario Rooms

225 Front Street West, Toronto, ON M5V 2X3, Canada

Women's Issues in Minority and Underrepresented Groups

2:00pm to 5:00pm

Metro Toronto Convention Centre -Level 800, South Building, Room: Room 801 A

Gail Robinson, M.D., Chair; University of Toronto, Toronto, ON

Stephen McLeod-Bryant, M.D., Chair; Meharry Medical College--Dept. of Psychiatry &

Behavioral Sci. Nashville, TN

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UPCOMING SYMPOSIA AND WORKSHOPS AT IPS NEW YORK

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9

My True Masculinity: Views From Professional Transmen

Symposium

Time: 8:00am to 9:30am

Sheraton New York and Towers, Riverside Suite, Third Floor

Long-Term Care Management of Patients with HIV

Workshop

8:00am to 9:30am

Sheraton New York and Towers, Riverside Ballroom, Third Floor

Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis for HIV: The Science, Psychology and Implications for Clinical Practice

Workshop

10:00am to 11:30am

Sheraton New York and Towers, Riverside Ballroom, Third Floor

Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, and Sex Development Competencies in Medical Education: Implications for Public Psychiatry

Workshop

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

Sheraton New York and Towers, Riverside Suite, Third Floor

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 11

First, Do No Harm: Historical, Ethical, and Legal Perspectives on Sexual Orientation Change Efforts (SOCE)

Symposium

8:00am to 9:30am

Sheraton New York and Towers, Sugar Hill, Lower Lobby, Executive Conference Center

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