

AAPA Update

September 27, 2018

New officers:

President: Manish Sapra,
Pres Elect: Victor Buwalda
Secretary-Treasurer: Tobias Wasser

The organization successfully organized a symposium during the 2018 APA annual meeting which was followed by the executive council meeting and a membership reception, held this year at Yale Club in New York City. Dr. Geetha Jayaram was the recipient of this year's Administrative Psychiatry award which was presented at the annual meeting. The award presentation was followed by an informative and authoritative lecture delivered by Dr. Jayaram.

We continue to work on providing educational resources to our members. The Journal for Psychiatric Administration and Management has strengthened its editorial board with addition of Dr. Tobias Wasser as an associate editor. For the last few years, we have been organizing annual best resident paper award. We had strong submissions in 2018 and we announced two co-winners. We plan to continue and broaden our efforts to engage early career psychiatrists. Under Dr. Wasser's leadership, the resident, fellow and early psychiatrist committee has provided a great networking opportunity for budding leaders in the field.