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Dear Membership:

Receive a warm greeting. As Outgoing President of the Inter-American Society of Psychology (SIP), I am pleased to chair the election process to constitute the Board of Directors 2025-2027. Also, the nominations committee will be coordinated by an Elections Committee composed of Jennifer Morales (General Secretary) and Sandra Luna, who was appointed by the board of directors due to the changes in the statutes. I invite you to consider your application or colleagues who you consider may constitute a contribution to the available positions, remembering that all nominations must have the prior authorization of the person nominated.

As you know, our statutes establish the rotation of presidencies by region. In this election cycle, it is necessary to elect a new President for South America; since the current one, Dr. Julio C sar Penagos, is from the region of Mexico, Central America, and the Caribbean, the President-Elect, Dr. Viviane de Castro Pecahna is from the North American region and me, the Outgoing President, from the South American region. This means that the nominated people must belong to one of the countries located in the said region.


In this same process, we will be electing the Vice Presidencies of the three mentioned regions, as well as the position of Treasurer, the National Representatives of each country, and, for the first time, a Student Representative to be part of the Board of Directors 2025- 2027. This student must be an active student member of the SIP and maintain the validity of their membership during the position on the Board of Directors. For each of these nominations, the candidates must be active professional members of the SIP to validate their nomination, except for the Student Representative.

As a democratic society, we expect everyone to participate in the nomination and voting for all positions, except for the election of the National Representative, which is limited to the members of the corresponding country. It is important to note that only active professional and student members (membership in good standing), as well as life members of the SIP, can participate in nominations and elections, both to be candidates and to vote. If you need to renew or are interested in becoming a member to participate in this process, you can do it online by accessing [www.sipsych.org](http://www.sipsych.org).

For any questions related to your membership, you can contact the SIP Central Office by writing to [officecentral@sipsych.org](mailto:officecentral@sipsych.org). Nominations will begin on **Wednesday, June 5, 2024, and close on Friday, August 9, 2024** (11:59 pm Eastern Time). To participate, access the following link where you will have additional instructions: <https://sipsych.org/nominaciones2024>.

Thanks for your participation and commitment to our Society.

Cordially,

  
Dr. Alfonso Urz a  
Outgoing President