

APA Citizen Psychologist™



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Psychology is Every Day in Every Way



“Psychologists must be in the room, at the table, and at the head of the table when policies are formulated and implemented.”

APA Citizen Psychologists™ serve as leaders in their various communities who, through prolonged engagement in significant activities, contribute to improving the lives of all. This can include public service, volunteerism, board membership, and other strategic roles often not directly associated with the day-to-day work of psychologists in our careers. APA Citizen Psychologists™ come from all branches of the field of psychology. They bring psychological science and expertise to bear on existing challenges to improve community well-being locally, nationally, or globally.

Goals of the APA Citizen Psychologist™ Initiative

- 1. Educate the public** about how psychology contributes to the formulation and implementation of policies that improve our communities.
- 2. Provide learning objectives and educational materials** to help educate people from high school, undergraduate and graduate school, internship, postdoctoral fellowship, and lifelong learning about how to become or serve as a successful *APA Citizen Psychologist™*.
- 3. Award Presidential Citations** to recognize individuals from all stages of their careers who are exemplary APA Citizen Psychologists™.

Nominations are Open! Please nominate a colleague or yourself to be recognized as an APA Citizen Psychologist™

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