



EATA PTSC Chairperson Sabine Klingenberg

## NEWS FROM PTSC and COC and TACC

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We have had very successful and well organised meetings in Rome. I would like to express many thanks to the Salesian University who had hosted the meetings, to the team with Massimo Gubinelli who were responsible for the operational questions, and Trudi Newton co-chairing TACC and Marco Mazzetti for the preparation and to all my colleagues in COC and PTSC for their commitment during the meetings.

Dear colleagues,

This telegram is informing you about news regarding the training and certification after the TACC, PTSC and COC meetings in Rome, July 2009.

### 101 Instructors

The endorsement lasts for 5 years, then it has to be re-endorsed and it requires continuous supervision

### CTA Exams

- The new Language Coordinator for Scandinavia is Ulf Hedqvist, [ulf.hedqvist@tele2.se](mailto:ulf.hedqvist@tele2.se)
- The new Language Coordinator for Serbian and Croatian Languages is Nevenka Miljkovic, [nevenkamiljkovic@t-online.de](mailto:nevenkamiljkovic@t-online.de).
- TA training hours required for the CTA exam can only be delivered by a PTSTA or TSTA
- TA Supervision required for the CTA exam can only be delivered by a PTSTA or TSTA

### TSTA Exams

- Most people are aware of the waiting list for TSTA exams and can take individual responsibility for checking the availability of places with the supervising examiner. COC agreed on the following procedure:  
The Supervising Examiner keeps a list and if there is a place available in the next exam site he will give the place to persons on the waiting list. The S.E. will not accept anyone for a place if she or he has not completed all requirements when they apply.



## PTSTA

- All PTSTA whose extension or 2<sup>nd</sup> TSTA training contract expires before December 31st 2009 must apply for the first TEvW available. Those who do not apply will definitely return to CTA status.
- For the 101 instructor they have to follow the procedure according to the training manual 4.4
- If there is a second contract - this contract expires exactly 14 years after the first endorsement (even if there was a gap between the first and the second contract)
- Outline and requirements of the first Training Evaluation Workshop for experienced PTSTA to become a CTA trainer see [www.eatanews.org](http://www.eatanews.org)
- A suspension of a TSTA training contract is possible. The PTSTA must request the suspension to PTSC. When the request is accepted all the ongoing contracts have to be cancelled and no new contract can be signed before the contract will be renewed and endorsed again. This must be done with the agreement of PTSC. PTSC will release the document of suspension clearly defining the time of suspension. This document must be attached to the TSTA training contract and will be part of the contract.
- Procedure for TSTA training contract after the TEW:  
The contract must be signed within one year otherwise the candidate has to run a new TEW/TPW

## General points:

- A change will be (1) published in PTSC telegram / T&CC update then (2) come into effect immediately. Trainees have (3) the right to ask to use the former format one more year.
- Clarifications or procedures come into effect immediately

I would like to express many thanks to all trainers who are committed to develop the TA community and giving feedback to us, all members of COC, PTSC and the TEW Coordinator, the Supervising Examiner, all Language Coordinators and Exam Supervisors for their work.



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We wish you a wonderful Christmas Season and a Happy 2010, looking forward seeing you in Prague for the Trainers Meeting, the exams where we need your support as Examiners and the Conference.

Warm regards  
Sabine Klingenberg  
Chair of PTSC



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## **IJTAR - International Journal for Transactional Analysis Research CALL FOR PAPERS FOR INAUGURAL ISSUE**

This new peer-reviewed e-journal will appear for the first time in summer 2010.

Published by EATA, it will contain papers about high-quality empirical research using any scientific paradigm across the full range of TA applications.

A wide variety of research is welcomed, including but not limited to: pure as well as applied research; research that tests existing theoretical models within TA; research that tests the effectiveness of specific interventions and programs; outcome as well as process-oriented research; randomised, control group research designs; real life process research; quantitative and qualitative research methods

The journal has an international and multidisciplinary editorial board (see photo) and articles from different cultural contexts are encouraged.

Closing date for papers for Issue 1 is 31<sup>st</sup> December 2009 - and we welcome early submissions.

Papers to be in English, must be original, with identities of subjects protected and informed consent obtained where applicable.

Submit as word documents to the Editor on [IJTAR@adinternational.com](mailto:IJTAR@adinternational.com).

Please read the relevant documents on the EATA website [www.eataneews.org](http://www.eataneews.org) before submitting - IJTAR Overview, IJTAR Guidelines for Authors, IJTAR Guidelines for Reviewers.

Although IJTAR will be in English, we expect to provide abstracts in a range of languages. There may also be support from Translations Committee for authors where English is not their native tongue.

We encourage you to submit articles - this is a our chance to put TA on the professional map and especially to demonstrate to regulatory bodies that we do indeed have research that supports recognition of the TA approach.

Feel free to contact the Editor Julie Hay on [ijtar@adinternational.com](mailto:ijtar@adinternational.com) or on Skype as juliehay for an informal chat if you want to discuss options - and also if you would like to get involved in other ways because we will also be looking for more reviewers.