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Hello IAAND Community,

I would like to introduce myself as the new editor of the IAAND eNews and Passports. I am a RDN originally from New York and now living as an expat in the Netherlands where I am completing a Master of Science in Epidemiology and Public Health.

I am really looking forward to taking on this new role within the IAAND. As I transition into this new role, however, I would also like to extend a big thank you to Ariana Haidari for her wonderful work as the previous editor and her continued support and guidance.

If you would like to share your nutrition and dietetics with the international community, please email newsletter@IAAND.org.

Thank you for your continued interest and support,

Marion Eckl

A Note from the President

Dear IAAND Members and Supporters,



On behalf of IAAND, I would like to thank all of you who attended our events during FNCE. I hope you had fun as much as we did! For those that did not attend, stay tuned as we share more in our communications, and we hope to see you next year in Indianapolis.

I would also like to extend my gratitude to our volunteer leaders and Executive Director Team for their contribution in the planning, execution, and evaluation of our participation in FNCE. The annual face-to-face Board of Directors Meeting was also very productive and energizing!

Lastly, join me in welcoming Marion Eckl, our new newsletter editor. It is great to have you on our team Marion!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Romina Barritta'.

Romina Barritta
IAAND President, 2019-2020

President's Video Podcast

- Greetings from FNCE
- Upcoming webinar
- Deadline for nominations
- Deadline for educational stipends

Free IAAND Webinar

[Tricks and Tips for Enhancing MI Education](#)

Date: November 6, 2019

Time: 1:00 PM | EST

Speaker: Dawn Clifford, PhD, RD & Laura Curtis, MS, RD

Country Representative (CR) Update: Farewell and Welcome

We would like to give a big thank you to all the CRs who have just finished their three-year term. Just over three years ago, we had a significant change to the policy of our CR program. This changed the term length from an unlimited term to a new standard of three years. As a result, we are now saying goodbye to many who have been the CR for their countries since the program's inception. This dates back to over a decade! Whether for three or more years, we are immensely grateful to the following for all the hard work and dedication to this position:

Romina Barritta (Argentina), Elena Paravantes (Greece), Charmain Tan (Hong Kong), Amanda Berhaupt-Glickstein (Japan), Patricia Thompson (Jamaica), Virginia Tijerina (Mexico), Emmy Steiner (Netherlands), Rubina Hakeem (Pakistan), Beatriz Dykes (Philippines), Dee Dee Ugursal (South Korea), Bia Rique (Brazil), Fusun Atayata (Turkey), Anayanet Jaquez (Dominican Republic), Tatyana El-Kour (Jordan)

Lastly, we would also like to extend a very warm welcome back our continuing CRs and give a big hello to the following individuals just beginning their first year as CRs. We are delighted to have you all in the program!

Luciana Ambrosi (Argentina), Ana Paula Noronha Barrere (Brazil), Ivi Papaioannou (Greece), Macy Chow and

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Mughrabi (Jordan), Ana Bertha Perez Lizaur (Mexico), Allison Pigatto (Netherlands), Sabeen Siddiqui (Pakistan), Zenaida Velasco (Philippines), Melissa Karabeyoglu (Turkey)



To learn about the Country Representative (CR) program, check-out the [CR section of the website](#).

Interested in becoming a CR? Contact the CR Chair, Melinda Boyd at CR-Chair@IAAND.org.

Call for Nominations: November 15th Deadline

It's time again to consider yourself and IAAND colleagues for open positions within IAAND. These positions will be open for the start of the next term beginning in June 2020. This is a great way to develop your leadership skills and help shape the future of IAAND.

The IAAND Board positions will be on the IAAND ballot for member voting and the term will start in June 2020. Board members receive reimbursement for travel related expenses to attend the annual Board Meeting after FNCE.

President Elect

The President-Elect assists the President in providing leadership and direction for IAAND in order to achieve the aims of the affiliate in accordance with Mission and Vision, Strategic Plans, Bylaws, and Policies and Procedures of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics and IAAND. Among other duties, the President-Elect reports to the President, serves as a voting member of the Board of Directors, incorporates assigned Leadership Team members' progress in their BOD report, reviews minutes from BOD/LT

year, and the Past President during the last year.

Country Representatives Chair

The Country Representative Chair recruits and interviews new applicants for country representative positions as needed, appoints new CRs as appropriate, and orients new CRs to position, responsibilities, and opportunities. They are also responsible for communicating IAAND requests, activities and referrals to CRs, and communicating CR needs to IAAND BOD and LT. The CR Chair provides training & guidance on conducting activities concerning country meetings, media, and newsworthy events. They track and manage the completed tasks of all CRs compile the quarterly CR report for the Passport, update the CR Media Directory annually, and gather issues from each country to distribute to broad membership. The Country Representative Chair serves a two year term.

House Of Delegates Representative

The Delegate is appointed to be the representative for IAAND's membership to the HOD. They are to communicate to HOD LT and delegates issues of concern and interest received from IAAND membership. They also are responsible for communicating to IAAND members about ongoing HOD professional and member issues and concerns and resolutions resulting from Mega issues discussions. The Delegate serves as a resource for IAAND BOD/LT members and committees and provides input on policies and procedures discussed during HOD dialogues and committees. The Delegate follows communications pathways of Academy organizational units to ensure open communications with IAAND, solicits comments from constituents on Mega issues, communicates them to HOD LT, and engages with the Country Representatives' Chair in order to gain responses from constituents. The HOD representative serves a three year term and can be elected for 2nd term.

Appointed positions (appointed non-voting officers)

Nominating Committee (2nd seat)

The Nominating Committee is responsible for soliciting and

Nominating Committee serves a three year term. The first year committee member (2nd seat) participates in all discussions and activities. The second year committee member (1st seat) takes the lead in evaluating awards. The Chair (3rd year on committee) serves as a non-voting member of the Board of Directors and officially submits recommendations for slate of elected officers, leadership team appointments, educational stipend awardees, and IAAND Affiliate awards.

Student Co-Chair

The Student Co-Chairs are responsible for recruiting student members and boosting membership. They provide updates to student members via a quarterly newsletter and act as liaison between the leadership team and student members. The term Length for student co-chair is 2 years unless re-appointed.

Website Manager

The Website Manager manages IAAND website content, keeps electronic files of all webpage work, text, images, photos, correspondence and edits site as appropriate. The Website Manager manages IAAND website content by working closely with Executive Director to develop new content areas as appropriate. The term length for the Website Manager is 2 years unless re-appointed.

If you are interested in one of those positions and would like more information please fill out this [application form](#) including a CV or resume and a headshot by November 15.

Educational Stipends: November 30th Deadline

IAAND is proud to offer \$500.00 USD Educational Stipends to members and student members who would like to attend a food or nutrition-related conference as well as \$1000 for members who are presenting. Awardees are members who qualify for the stipend and complete the application form according to the guidelines. IAAND members are encouraged to read about the criteria to see if they qualify for the stipend.

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Important Deadlines:

- **November 30th** - for educational events held between January 1st and May 31st
- **April 30th** - for educational events held between June 1st and December 31st

For more information about this award, please contact the IAAND Nominating and Awards Committee at ncc@iaand.org.

Job + Volunteer Opportunities

[Chief Public Health Nutrition Advisor](#)

Food Standards Australia and New Zealand
Wellington, New Zealand

[Field Clinical Research Associate II](#)

Abbott Nutrition
Illinois, United States of America

[Head of Food Safety and Regulatory Affairs](#)

Exponent's European Chemical Regulation & Food Safety
Centre
Harrogate, United Kingdom

[Manager Development Specialized Nutrition](#)

Friesland Campina
Singapore, Singapore

[Medical Clinical Research Dietitian](#)

National Institutes of Health
Maryland, United States of America

[Nutritionist](#)

International Committee of the Red Cross
Geneva, Switzerland

[Nutrition Executive](#)

Do you know of an open nutrition position in your country or region? Please send job postings to newsletter@eatrightoverseas.org to be included in the next eNews.

Note: Positions are not necessarily endorsed by IAAND or the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics.

Save the Dates: Upcoming Conferences and Events

[International Congress of Dietetics \(ICD\)](#)

Cape Town, South Africa, September 15-18, 2020

[International Congress of Nutrition](#)

Tokyo, Japan, September 14-19, 2021

Note: Training events are not necessarily endorsed by IAAND or the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics

New Members and Supporters

The IAAND would like to give a warm welcome to our new members and supporters:

AUSTRALIA

James Sze

BARBADOS

Stacia Whittaker

CANADA

Joyce Pui Lun Mak

Monica Rodriguez

CHINA

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