Society of Indian Psychologists

LISTSERV POLICIES & PROCEDURES

In order to keep its listserv professional, valuable, and useful for all subscribers, the Society of Indian Psychologists has established policies and procedures.

The policies and procedures are as follows:

1. PURPOSE

• The SIP listserv is intended to serve as means to communicate events, news and items of interest to SIP's membership. It is also used from time to time as a means to gather our membership's opinions.

2. POLICIES

- Please respect other subscribers of the listserv. Please use this listserv to
 communicate event information, news and items of interest to all SIP
 members. This listserv is not moderated and comments made have no
 review before being sent to all subscribers. Thus, subscribers are expected
 to exercise both common sense and courtesy in the messages they transmit
 over the listserv. Please do not use the listserv to defame or disparage any
 persons. Defamatory, harassing, sexist, racist, obscene, and other offensive
 communications are not acceptable. If you disagree with someone else's
 ideas, please communicate with the other person directly. Not via the
 listserv.
- Do not misrepresent yourself, or in any other way conceal your identity, or post anonymous messages on the listserv.
- Do not alter the content or source of a message that has originated from another person's computer with the intent to deceive.
- Please ensure that the messages you post to this list are appropriate for this list. Please do not engage in discussions on whether a topic is appropriate or inappropriate for this list. Such discussions take up valuable space on the listserv, and distract subscribers away from more meaningful discussions. If inappropriate postings or violations of the listserv are noted, it should be brought to the attention of the listserv administrator. Please notify the listserv administrator directly at admin[at]aiansip.org with details.
- Please use descriptive headings in the subject line for all messages that you post to the listserv. At the end of your messages, attach a standard identifier comprised of a few lines that identify you, your affiliation, and appropriate contact numbers (phone, fax, e-mail addresses).
- When asking questions, please request that individuals reply directly to you. After all the replies have been gathered, you may post a summary to the list. When replying to messages, do not reply to the entire list if a reply is

- directed at a single individual. Replying to the individual may be more appropriate. Replies of a personal nature should not be sent to the group.
- The listserv may not be used to violate any rules of membership in the Society of Indian Psychologists (SIP), SIP bylaws, rules and regulations or standards.
- SIP reserves the right to modify or change the rules to maintain the best interests of SIP.

3. MONITORING & ENFORCEMENT

• The listserv must be used for membership communications only and in accordance with SIP's policies and procedures. SIP reserves the right to remove members from the listserv for violating this agreement