

Meet CAPA's New Vice-President

Welcome to



Linda Magson

I look forward to working closely with CAPA's Executive Committee as their new Vice-President. I believe CAPA NSW plays a vital role in supporting members and enhancing high professional standards in the field of counselling and psychotherapy. My role will include supporting all aspects of CAPA's activities, assisting Maxine, our President, and liaising with members and newly formed working parties.

I valued the experience of being a member of CAPA's Ethics Committee and having direct input into developing ethical guidelines for CAPA members with Jeni Marin and her team. I gained valuable insights and perspectives on ethical decision-making in our profession and enjoyed meeting many of you at our conference workshop last year, at which I presented issues that require 'ethical mindfulness' in the space between ethical practice and complaint.

As a counsellor, I have worked in schools, in the drug and alcohol addiction sector, and in private practice

(*Linda Magson Counselling*) in Glebe. Like many CAPA members, I came to counselling as a second career, seeking a more meaningful way of working with people and engaging with my profession. From musician and educator to counsellor and coach, I enjoy transforming my creativity and using myself as an instrument of change.

Relevant studies included a postgraduate diploma in counselling from ACAP (I was thrilled to receive the postgraduate 'Outstanding Achievement Award'), a postgraduate diploma in psychology from the University of Sydney, and other postgraduate diplomas in social communication and education. I also have a Masters in Music and combine my music and counselling skills to work with musicians and adult beginners to realise their musical potential or master their performance anxiety.

I look forward to serving on the Executive Committee and supporting the development of CAPA NSW as a strong professional body that fulfils members' needs. ♦



Meet The CAPA Quarterly's New Advertising Coordinator Welcome to Jennie Maxwell

The CAPA Quarterly is 'moving forward' with the welcome addition to our team of a dedicated if part-time Advertising Coordinator in the person of Jennie Maxwell. Jennie was formerly CAPA's membership renewals assistant.

She comes from a background in the travel and tourism industry. On addition to being a busy mother of three, she also acts as Office Manager for her husband's small part-time business.

Starting with this issue, Jennie is handling all the ads, classified and display, from both members and non-members, and is expanding our reach, bringing in relevant product and service advertising to help us enhance our professional practices and to generate revenue to support the publication of the journal.

Thank you, Jennie!

Contact Jennie about any ads you want to place or change. Rates and deadlines are published on page 36. ♦

Welcome back:

President: Maxine Rosenfield

Secretary: Jennifer Heward

Treasurer: Campbell Forsyth

Ethics Chair: Jeni Marin

Rural and Regional

Liaison Chair: Phil Hough

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If you have any queries, please contact CAPA's Membership Chair on membership@capa.asn.au

