

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN  
THE AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION  
AND  
THE NIGERIAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION



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ASSOCIATION



THE AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION (APA) AND THE NIGERIAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION (NPA) AGREE AS FOLLOWS

**WHEREAS,**

the Bylaws of the APA and the Statutes of the NPA share mutual objectives calling for the advancement of the discipline in the public interest; and

**WHEREAS,**

it is desirable to have integration and exchange between the psychological organizations in the United States and Nigeria; and

**WHEREAS,**

mutual concerns make it likely that occasions for joint consultation and cooperation will present themselves in the years to come; and

**WHEREAS,**

both organizations wish to anticipate such occasions by establishing a framework, when possible, for their timely discussion;

**NOW THEREFORE,**

the APA and the NPA affirm and reaffirm their working relations in this Memorandum of Understanding.

**FURTHERMORE,**

pursuant to this Memorandum of Understanding, the executives of the APA and the NPA shall maintain regular communication to discuss matters of common concern.

**FINALLY,**

the APA and the NPA will seek to identify projects and activities in which they may work together, assist or support one another, or otherwise cooperate for the betterment of psychology and the public interest.

**SIGNED** on behalf of:

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Sandra L. Shullman, PhD  
AMERICAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION  
President, August 2020

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Michael Ezenwa".

Michael Ezenwa, PhD  
NIGERIAN PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION  
President, August 2020