

Warren; Alison Jane Westman; Lesley St John Willcocks; Kathryn Williamson; Julie Louise Withecomb; Wong Chi Keung; Michael Wong Ming Cheok; Peter Lyndon Woodall; Peter Waller Rolph Woodruff.

Dr D. Jolley	686
Professor W. A. Lishman	1288*
Professor P. McGuffin	960*
Professor G. Morgan	996*
Dr Y. Wiley	962*

Laughlin Prize

The Laughlin Prize has been awarded to Dr Alastair George Cardno in the MRCPsych Part II Examination.

*Successful candidates.

Publication of votes in College Elections

In accordance with the recommendation of the Executive and Finance Committee, Council have agreed that, in the case of elections in which the entire membership of the College was entitled to vote – i.e., elections of the relevant College Officers, members of Council and of the Court of Electors – the total vote each candidate received would be published in the *Psychiatric Bulletin*. Divisions and Specialist Sections would publish the results of votes for their Officers and Executive Committee members in their Business Meeting minutes or newsletters.

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Candidates for election to Council	Votes
Professor T. H. D. Arie	1305*
Dr K. Bergmann	830*
Dr D. G. Fowlie	814
Dr R. G. Jones	650
**Professor R. E. Kendell	1444*
Dr A. Obholzer	844*
Professor C. P. Seager	1049*
Professor C. Thompson	1078*

*Successful candidates.

**Professor Kendell was elected to Council but was subsequently elected Chief Medical Officer in Scotland and withdrew his nomination.

Candidates for election to the Court of Electors	Votes
Dr T. H. Bewley	935
Dr D. G. Fowlie	531
Dr C. P. L. Freeman	1031*
Dr P. Hill	949

Special Interest Groups

(Transcultural Psychiatry and Management)

In June 1987 Council approved the establishment of 'Special Interest Groups'.

Procedure for establishing a Special Interest Group:

- (1) Any Member wishing to establish a Special Interest Group shall write to the Registrar with relevant details.
- (2) The Registrar shall forward the application to Council.
- (3) If Council approves the principal of establishing such a Special Interest Group then it will direct the Registrar to place a notice in the *Bulletin* or its equivalent, asking Members of the College to write in support of such a Group and expressing willingness to participate in its activities.
- (4) If more than 50 Members reply to this notice, then Council shall formally approve the establishment of the Special Interest Group.
- (5) The administrative support provided will be similar to that enjoyed by College Divisions. It should be noted therefore, that the College will maintain the list of members, prepare and distribute notice of meetings but will not provide staff to attend meetings, organise conferences etc.

In accordance with this procedure, Council has approved the establishment of a **Transcultural Psychiatry** Special Interest Group and a **Management** Special Interest Group. Members are invited to write in support of either of these Groups and express willingness to participate in its activities. Members should write to Mrs Jean Wales at the College. If 50 members reply to this notice for a Group, then Council shall formally approve the establishment of that Special Interest Group.

Dr A. GATH
Registrar