Application for Candidacy as a Member of the WAPP Executive Board (2024-2026)

Dear Member,

Congratulations on your nomination for the WAPP Executive Board election! If you are interested in running as a candidate, please complete this application form. The information you provide will be shared with all WAPP members prior to the election to assist them in making their voting decision. Thank you for your participation!

l.	Title, First Name, Last Name: Dr Maksim Goncharov
2.	Current Occupation (private practice, center, hospital, university etc.): Private practice
3.	Field of psychotherapeutic specialization (e.g. child and youth, couple, family therapy, etc.): Adults, Individual, family and group therapy
4.	Academic and Professional Qualifications (e.g., university degrees, dissertations, professorships, etc.):
	PhD in medicine
5.	City and Country of current Residence: Moscow, Russia
6.	Email Address: maqsimgocnharov@gmail.com
7.	Membership Status in WAPP (e.g., Certified Positive Psychotherapist, Basic/Master Trainer, Center Manager, Organizer of Trainings, etc.):
	Master trainer
8.	Current Role in WAPP (e.g., Board Member, Committee Member, Working Group Member, National PPT Association Board Member, etc.):
9.	Previous Leadership or Management Experience: Have you held a leadership or management role in a professional organization or institution (e.g., association, university, hospital, company)? Yes No

If yes, please provide details of the organization, your role, and the location:

	Director of a private clinic 2003 - 2016, Director of adidas Academy 2016 - 2022 WAPP board member till 2022
10.	Publications : Have you authored scientific articles, books, or specialized texts? If yes, please provide examples:
	«Why psychotherapist is better than a friend's shoulder», 2010
	«Conflict operationalization in Positive Psychotherapy», 2014 «Actual capabilities in Positive Psychotherapy», 2024
	«Emotional safety and and security in psychotherapy practice», 2024
11.	Special Achievements : Have you received any honors, awards, or other forms of recognition?
	Award for innovation in 2007
12.	Membership in Other Professional Associations: If applicable, please list them:
13.	Vision and Goals for the WAPP Executive Board: Please provide a brief description of your vision for contributing to the WAPP Executive Board. What specific skills, experience, or perspectives will you bring to the Board? Why should members vote for you?

Popularization of the method worldwide, increasing the number of publications and

14. **Photo**: Please attach a recent photo to this application.

scientific surveys, arranging PPT trainings around the world.

I am particularly interested in deepening the theory of PPT



Commitment

- ☐ If elected as a WAPP Executive Board member, I accept the position and agree to the following:
 - The role of a WAPP Board member requires a minimum of 2-4 hours of work per week. I confirm that I am willing to devote this time to the duties of the Board on a voluntary basis. This may include holding roles such as Chairperson, Vice-Chair, Treasurer, or Secretary-General.
 - I am committed to collaborating with colleagues from different countries and cultures, regardless of political circumstances.

Date and Place: Moscow, 16.10.2024

Signature: