

**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!

1. **Title, First Name, Last Name:** PhD, Lyudmila Zlatova
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.):  
Couple therapy, working with grief, anxiety, panic attacks, addicted behavior
4. **Academic and Professional Qualifications** (e.g., university degrees, dissertations, professorships, etc.):  
  
PhD in Psychology, Dissertation “The Adaptation Potential of the Youth as a Factor of Psychological Health”;  
Specialization in deviant and addictive behavior;
5. **City and Country of current Residence:**  
  
Prague, Czech Republic
6. **Email Address:**  
lgoldenmila@gmail.com
7. **Membership Status in WAPP** (e.g., Certified Positive Psychotherapist, Basic/Master Trainer, Center Manager, Organizer of Trainings, etc.):  
  
Certified Positive Psychotherapist, Candidate Trainer
8. **Current Role in WAPP** (e.g., Board Member, Committee Member, Working Group Member, National PPT Association Board Member, etc.):  
  
Working Group Member (Couple Therapy Working Group)
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)?  
No

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

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10. **Publications:** Have you authored scientific articles, books, or specialized texts?  
If yes, please provide examples:

Co-author of “Positive Psychiatry, Psychotherapy and Psychology” book, chapter 28  
“Using Stories, Anecdotes, and Humor in Positive Psychotherapy”;

Co-author of the book “Analysis of Stories, Fairy-Tales and Parables in Positum Approach”  
(in Ukrainian);

Author of 15 scientific articles, including Scopus indexation.

11. **Special Achievements:** Have you received any honors, awards, or other forms of  
recognition?

No \_\_\_\_\_

12. **Membership in Other Professional Associations:** If applicable, please list them:

Ukrainian Association of Positive Psychotherapy

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?

My goal is to help WAPP expand Positive Psychotherapy into new regions,  
strengthen global connections and make digital resources accessible for all  
members. As a Positive Psychotherapist and a candidate trainer I will bring  
creativity, digital training experience and a focus on building community.

My main goals would include:

- Expanding PPT globally: Partner with local organizations to bring PPT to new areas.
- Collaborative Engagement: Work with other therapy methods to boost WAPP visibility.
- Global Networking: Set up online meet-ups for practitioners to share insights and support each other.

Why vote for me: I am committed to growing WAPP reach and impact with fresh ideas, digital skills and a focus on engagement.

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



### 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:** 30.10.2024, Prague

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

