



SIPPA Regional Representative: 2020 Application

Our executive team is looking for students to join our supportive and motivated team in the role of Regional Representatives. Our Regional Representatives are responsible for raising awareness of SIPPA activities within their region and connecting regional positive psychology students with an international network. They maintain a two-way line of communication that shares IPPA-generated opportunities and promotions with students and funnels needs, requests, and ideas from students to the SIPPA Executive Leadership Team. Regional Representatives further SIPPA's overarching mission to create a community for positive psychology students by facilitating networking, collaboration, and mentorship.

Joining the team provides a unique opportunity to have access to a large network of students, scholars, and practitioners who work to advance positive psychology research and evidence-based applications. Your commitment to SIPPA will enable you to distinguish yourself for future graduate programs and prospective employers. Our association is truly international so you may be located anywhere in the world. Please read below to learn more about the available position and the application process.

Length of Term: Each Regional Representative will serve a two-year term. This role will be advised by IPPA's Division Program Lead and SIPPA's President.

Job Description: The Regional Representatives' key responsibilities are to raise awareness of SIPPA activities within their region and connect regional positive psychology students with an international network. Regional Representatives should thus be active and engaged members of IPPA and be willing to bridge our association and local positive psychology happenings.

The Regional Representatives' responsibilities include, but are not limited to, the following tasks:

- Serving as the point of contact for your geographic region
- Promoting SIPPA membership and activities
- Sharing your ideas of how to foster and maintain a strong SIPPA community
- Encouraging collaboration between positive psychology associations for your particular region and IPPA (if applicable)
- Communicating with the SIPPA Executive Leadership Team regarding activity within your region
- Attending monthly meetings with the SIPPA Executive Leadership Team
- Maintaining membership with SIPPA and IPPA

Attributes: Strong, proactive communication skills; high learning agility; excellent people skills; organised. Strong interest in positive psychology and strengthening regional positive psychology networks especially with current students or those who recently graduated. Current enrolment in academic studies.

Time commitment: Approximately 2 hours/week.

To Apply: Please include the information below and send along with other attachments to sippadiv@ippanetwork.org. The information you provide will be used solely in consideration and for contact purposes regarding a position on the SIPPA Student Development Lead role.

- Personal Information (Name, Email)
- Academic Information (Current school, Department, Anticipated Date of Graduation)
- A statement of the interest in the position describing your understanding of your regional student community as well as your hopes for the positive psychology students in your region. This should be no more than 500 words.
- Curriculum Vitae in English.