EDITORIAL

Two years ago a new political editorial was settled in this magazine. Since the participation in different events of international character, mainly those organized by the Unión Latinoamericana de Entidades de Psicología (ULAPSI) and by the Federacion Iberoamericana de Asociaciones de Psicología (FIAP), it was recognized the relevance of giving the scientific production a visibility for the intelectual Iberoamerican psychologists.

One of the most operative means to achieve that goal is the inclusion of the magazines of the speciality in the catalogues and in the international data bases. This is how LIBERABIT raised its editorial quality to satisfy the exigences of the scientific community; so in this development it hopes to positionate in the group of the best publications of its gender.

On this line of development, the number of integrants of the scientific comitee is raised, national and international, as to point to the process of decision of the proposed articles for the publication. In the same way, besides the physical magazine, from volume 13 (2007) it is also in electronic format, full text, through the “Red de Revistas de America Latina y el Caribe” (Redalyc).

Going on with this effort, we will get a new challenge from next year: the edition of LIBERABIT every six months. In this way, we count on the assistance of the Dean of Communication Science, Tourism and Psychology Faculty.

On the other side, and to fulfill our purposes pointed, this volume includes articles of some psychologists who belong to this editorial house, but also with authors from other institutions, national and international, such as Spain, Colombia and Chile.

Miriam Grimaldo presents a study with respect to values toward work in transit police officers in Lima city and Maria del Pilar Mori presents a methodological proposal for the community intervention.

Hector Lamas proposes an essay about self-regulated learning, motivation and academic performance and Ysis Roa presents a study about psychological implications of nausea and vomiting in pregnant women.

Enrique Canton attaches the results of an analysis of a recent research about the relation between insulin-dependant diabetes and depression.

The findings of investigation paths are shown, Alejandro Parra and Romina Mielgo analizae the relation between cognitive variables and perceptuals in people with out-of-the body experiences and hallucinatory experiences, Enrique Saavedra and Marco Villalta make a comparative analysis concerning resilient characteristics and Liliana Muñoz and Marcela Albarracin study the factors related with alcohol consumption in a sample of Colombian university students.

Finally, Alejandro Klein makes an analysis of the sociodemographic variables more relevant in Uruguayan young people.

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