INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS

• Additional Section
• 2018 Report of the International Federation of Social Workers’ Archives Project

• Fiona Robertson IFSW Archivist
Announcing a newly developing section of the IFSW Archives website - devoted to social workers who have made a significant contribution to IFSW and/or international social work

This will be an eclectic mix of people:
• previous IFSW office holders,
• recipients of the Andy Mouravieff-Apostal Medal,
• IFSW activists,
• long term supporters of IFSW,
• significant IFSW Friends.

In addition where these people are authors IFSW may hold electronic papers or be able to provide electronic links.

• From time to time hold papers of people who have made a significant contribution to International Social Work.
How did the concept materialise - discussion points

• Being offered papers of Richard Drucker 1926 - 2012

• Donation of papers of Gayle Gilchrist- James President IFSW 1940 – 2008. Gayle's international career began in 1978 when she was elected Regional President for North America, a position she held for 4 years. She returned to the IFSW Executive Committee in 1986 and was elected President in 1988.

• Acknowledging the papers of Nigel Hall with over 30 years with IFSW in several capacities

• The need to recognise and honour the input of people for our own “Hall of Fame”
Questions to answer

• What do we name this section?

• How can IFSW GM participants and others assist to make this section being inclusive of IFSW people in all the regions

• How to ensure people of previous decades are included

• Do we accept content provided or is the material reviewed for suitability
  • Suggest reviewed by the IFSW Archivist and recommendation to IFSW Secretary General and one other person who review the recommendation of the IFSW Archivist. (The reason for direct involvement of IFSW Secretary General is the Archives Project is managed by IFSW Secretary General and he is also responsible to website content)
Feedback to Fiona

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