We have a very special announcement!

The Colorado Psychological Association of Graduate Students (COPAGS) is recruiting for new leadership positions!

COPAGS is the graduate student arm of the Colorado Psychological Association and aims to represent the needs of psychology graduate students and the communities they serve across the state of Colorado.

Participating in COPAGS is a great way to learn leadership skills and boost your CV while building your professional network.

COPAGS is accepting nominations for these positions for the July 2020-July 2021 term: Chair-Elect, Programing Chair, Diversity Chair, and Advocacy Chair (you can find descriptions of the positions below). Interested individuals should send a CV and a paragraph of interest By August 21st to COPAGS Chair Emanuel Hermosillo at <u>copagscolorado@gmail.com</u> We look forward to receiving your application!

Chair-Elect

• One year-term as Chair-elect and then serves as Chair the year following.

• The Chair leads COPAGS and is the graduate student counterpart to the CPA Board President position.

Programming Chair

• Develops and implements programming across the state of Colorado that appeals and benefits graduate students of psychology.

• Examples of previous events include: educational programming, networking events, fostering communication amongst graduate students with similar professional interests.

Diversity Chair

• Acts to insure that COPAGS is aware of and has a consistent focus on issues of diversity and cultural competence.

• Represents and advocates for the needs of diverse individuals in graduate psychology training as well as communities served by graduate students.

Advocacy Chair

• Responsible for leadership projects geared towards advocating for Colorado graduate students as well as disenfranchised groups.

• Activities of prior advocacy chairs have included: facilitating an event about refugee mental health, social media town hall to connect graduate students with a senator supporting mental health reform, and connecting COPAGS members with CPA Psychologists to increase COPAGS' presence within CPA.