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Dear Al,

While I am unclear about the mission of the new International Association for the Integration of Psychiatry and the Medical Sciences (IPMS), I am pleased to work with you on this project.

In the latest number of CONVULSIVE THERAPY, I have written an editorial about the increasing interest by neurologists in behavior and of psychiatrists in brain function, with the re-emergence of neuropsychiatry (under the code-name of Behavioral Neurology). Indeed, it was only yesterday that I proposed the development of such a journal to Alan Edelson at Raven Press and recommended that he consider inviting Michael Taylor to develop such a project.

Perhaps we are responding to similar awarenesses, with a slightly different emphasis.

In any case, I look forward to hearing more about the forthcoming meeting in New York of IPMA.

My best regards.

Sincerely yours,

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