

Date: 18 April 2020  
To: **Laboratory Research on Self and Identity (LaRSI)**  
From: Chair, ITAA Research Award Committee

Congratulations!

The 2020 ITAA Research Award has been awarded to honor the landmark work of Pio Scilligo, and all of the members of the LaRSI. namely Ela Baca, CTA; Laura Bastianelli, TSTA; Susanna Bianchini, TSTA; Cristina Caizzi, TSTA; Davide Ceridono, CTA Trainer; Lucio D'Alessandris, CTA; Maria Luisa De Luca, TSTA; Carla de Nitto, TSTA; Francesca Focà, CTA; Rosanna Giacometto, TSTA; Massimo Gubinelli, TSTA; Raffaele Mastromarino, TSTA; Cinzia Messina, TSTA; Emilio Riccioli, CTA Trainer; Roberta Sanseverino, TSTA; Silvia Tauriello, TSTA; Maria Teresa Tosi, TSTA; and Massimo Vasale, CTA.

While a large body of work has been done and the list included in the nomination. The 3 papers selected by the nominator, William F. Cornell are

De Luca, M. L., and Tosi, M. T. (2011). Social-Cognitive Transactional Analysis: An Introduction to Pio Scilligo's Model of Ego States. *Transactional Analysis Journal*, 41 (2), 206-220.

Scilligo, P. (2011). Transference as a Measurable Social-Cognitive Process: An Application of Scilligo's Ego States Model. *Transactional Analysis Journal*, 41 (2), 196-205.

Bastianelli, L., Tosi, M.T., Giacometto, R., Messina, C., & Ceridono, D. Why Transactional Analysis works: reasons for a possible explanation of change in psychotherapy. *International Journal of Psychotherapy*, 23 (3), 2019.

The award will be presented to a representative/ representatives of the group at the award ceremony.

Due to the uncertainty of the present time, we will inform you of the date and time of the award ceremony at a later date.

We very much hope you will be able to attend the ceremony as your presence would be appreciated and meaningful for those in attendance as you accept this important honor. We hope you will give a brief, 10-minute presentation/speech about your research at the award ceremony.

Again, please accept our congratulations, and thank you for your valuable work on behalf of Transactional Analysis.

Warmly,



Susan George  
Chairperson, ITAARA Committee