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Other officers

The names of the Officers of the Association and College have varied over time. There was a Secretary from 1841 to 1971 when the post became the Registrar of the College. The post of Treasurer continued from 1841 to the present. The post of Editor was first created in 1853. At times there was more than one Editor and I have included the names of all of these. I also list those who were the Editors in Chief.

In 1892 the M.P.A created a new post called Registrar. His functions were concerned with the education of attendants and nurses and the keeping of a Register of trained mental nurses which continued until 1919 when the General Nursing Council took over the responsibility for the registration of all nurses. In 1971 the name of this post which had been concerned with all types of psychiatric education was changed to that of Dean. There was no official post of Librarian until 1926 but the Chairman of the Library was *de facto* Librarian. The Research Unit was founded in 1987 and has had two Directors.

SECRETARY OR CHIEF EXECUTIVE

In the early days of the Association there were no paid staff. Some part-time staff were appointed when the M.P.A. took a room in Lettsom House. There were only four members of staff (some part-time) when the College was founded in 1971. There are now over 100 and the post of Secretary to the College was renamed Chief Executive.

GENERAL SECRETARIES OF THE ASSOCIATION

| | |
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| 1841–1851 | S. Hitch – jointly with W. Williams from 1847 |
| 1847–1855 | W. Williams |
| 1855–1862 | C.L. Robertson |
| 1862–1872 | T.H. Tuke |
| 1872–1873 | T. Christie |
| 1873–1878 | W.R. Williams |
| 1878–1889 | H. Rayner |
| 1889–1896 | F. Beach |
| 1896–1897 | R.P. Smith |
| 1897–1906 | R. Jones |
| 1906–1912 | C.H. Bond |
| 1912–1918 | M.A. Collins – jointly with R.H. Steen from 1915 |
| 1915–1919 | R.H. Steen |
| 1919–1936 | R. Worth |
| 1936–1945 | W.G. Masefield |
| 1945–1950 | K.K. Drury |
| 1950–1957 | R.W. Armstrong |
| 1957–1971 | A.B. Monro |

Registrars of the College

| | |
|-----------|---------------|
| 1971–1972 | A.B. Monro |
| 1972–1978 | M. Markowe |
| 1978–1983 | G.C. Timbury |
| 1983–1988 | R.G. Priest |
| 1988–1993 | Ann M.G. Gath |
| 1993–1997 | C. Thompson |
| 1997–2001 | M. Shooter |
| 2002– | A. Fairbairn |

Treasurers of the Association

| | |
|-----------|----------------|
| 1841–1854 | S. Hitch |
| 1854–1862 | W. Ley |
| 1862–1894 | J. Paul |
| 1894–1917 | H.H. Newington |
| 1917–1931 | J. Chambers |
| 1931–1946 | G.W. Smith |
| 1947–1962 | T. Tennent |

1962–1971 W. Warren

Treasurers of the College

1971–1979 W. Warren
1979–1986 C.M.B. Pare
1986–1993 W.D. Boyd
1993–1999 I. Kolvin
1999–2006 F. Subotsky

Editors (Association)

1853–1861 J. Bucknill
1862 C.L. Robertson
1863–1870 C.L. Robertson and H. Maudsley
1871–1872 H. Maudsley and John Sibbald
1873–1878 H. Maudsley and T.S. Clouston
1879–1881 T.S. Clouston, D. Hack Tuke, Geo. H. Savage
1882–1894 D. Hack Tuke and Geo. H. Savage
1895–1898 H. Rayner, Conolly Norman, A.R. Urquhart & e. Goodall
1899–1907 H. Rayner, Connolly Norman and A.R. Urquhart
1908–1911 H. Rayner, A.R. Urquhart and J. Chambers
1912–1913 J. Chambers, John R. Lloyd & Lewis C. Bruce
1914–1915 J. Chambers, J.R. Lloyd, L.C. Bruce, T. Draper
1916–1917 J.R. Lord, T. Draper, H. Devine, G.D. McRae
1918–1919 J.R. Lord, T. Draper
1920–1921 J.R. Lord, H. Devine, G.D. McRae, W.R. Dawson
1922–1927 J.R. Lord, H. Devine, G.D. McRae
1928–1930 J.R. Lord, G.D. McRae, T. Beaton
1931 J.R. Lord, G.D. McRae, H.H. Smith, A. Walk
1932 D. McRae, M.H. Smith, A. Walk
1933–1936 D. McRae, M.H. Smith, A. Walk, G.W.T.H. Fleming
1937–1938 D. McRae, A. Walk, G.W.T.H. Fleming, L.S. Penrose
1939–1961 G.W.T.H. Fleming
1961–1971 E. Slater

Editors in Chief (Association)

1853–1861 J. Bucknill
1862–1870 C.L. Robertson
1871–1878 H. Maudsley

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| 1879–1881 | T.S. Clouston |
| 1882–1894 | D. Hack Tuke |
| 1895–1911 | H. Rayner |
| 1912–1915 | J. Chambers |
| 1916–1931 | J.R. Lord |
| 1932–1938 | D. McRae |
| 1939–1961 | G.W.T.H. Fleming |
| 1961–1971 | E. Slater |

Editors (College)

| | |
|-----------|--------------|
| 1972–1977 | E.H. Hare |
| 1977–1984 | J. Crammer |
| 1984–1993 | H. Freeman |
| 1993–2003 | G. Wilkinson |
| 2003– | P. Tyrer |

Registrars of the Association

| | |
|-----------|---------------------|
| 1892–1899 | J. B. Spence |
| 1899–1902 | H. Benham |
| 1902–1923 | A. Millar |
| 1923–1924 | H.B. Leech (acting) |
| 1924–1937 | D. Rambaut |
| 1937–1938 | N.R. Philips |
| 1938–1947 | H.G.L. Haynes |
| 1947–1952 | J.L. Russell |
| 1952–1971 | W. Sargant |

Deans of the College

| | |
|-----------|-----------------|
| 1971–1977 | K. Rawnsley |
| 1977–1982 | T.H. Bewley |
| 1982–1985 | J.L.T. Birley |
| 1985–1988 | A.C.P. Sims |
| 1988–1991 | Fiona Caldicott |
| 1993–1998 | J.L. Cox |
| 1998–2003 | C.L.E. Katona |
| 2003– | D. Bhugra |

Librarian, Medico-Psychological Association

1908–1926 H. Rayner

Librarian, Royal Medico-Psychological Association

1926–1971 A.A. Walk

Librarians of the College

1971–1976 D. Leigh
1976–1981 H. Rollin
1981–1986 G. Berrios
1986–2001 I. Pullen
2001– D. Tait

Directors of Research Unit

1988–1994 J. Wing
1994– P. Lelliott

Secretary and Chief Executive

RMPA

1946–1952 I. Monro
1953–1957 M. Walk
1958 J. Ladlaw
1959–1971 N. Cobbing

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1972–1984 N. Cobbing
1984– V. Cameron