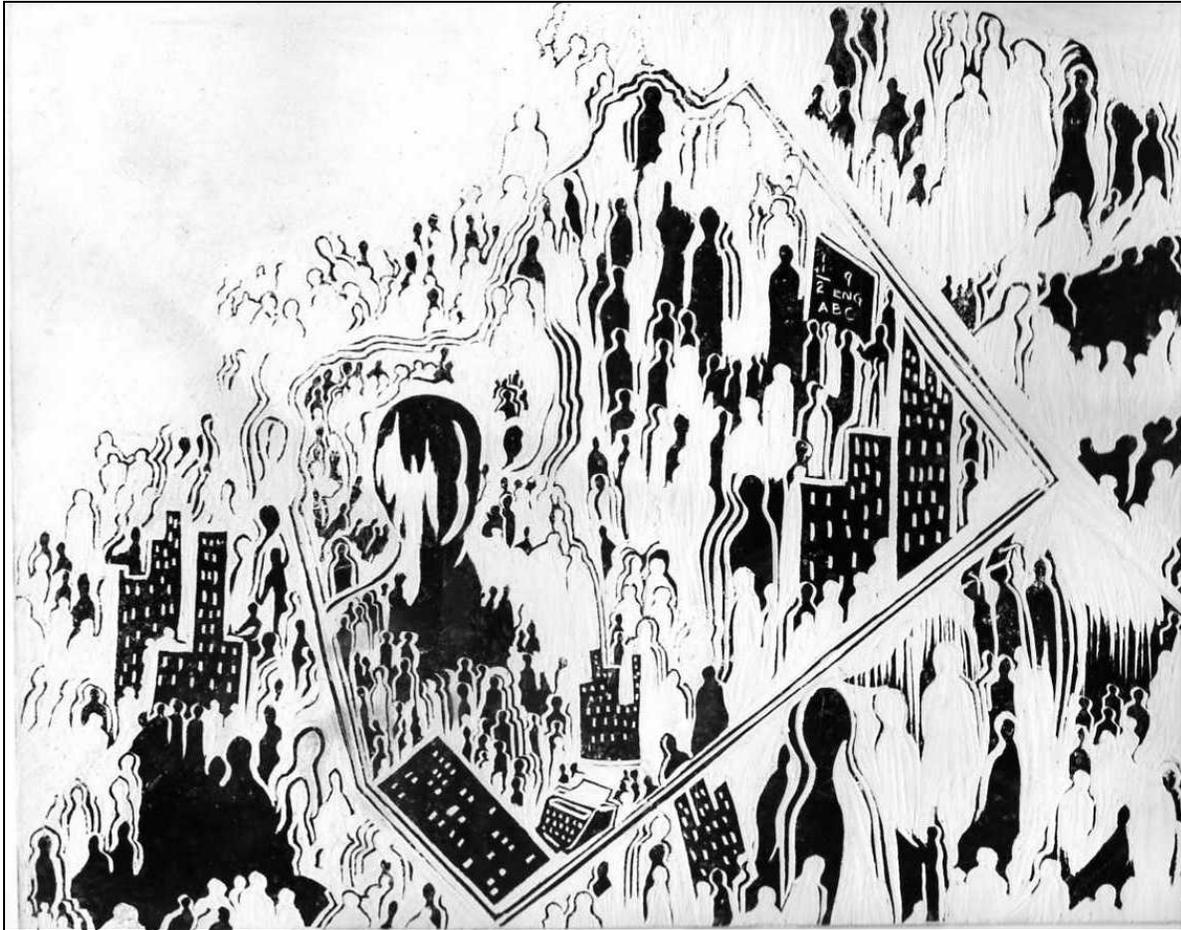


Arizona Counseling Association (AzCA) 1990-1999 Scrapbook

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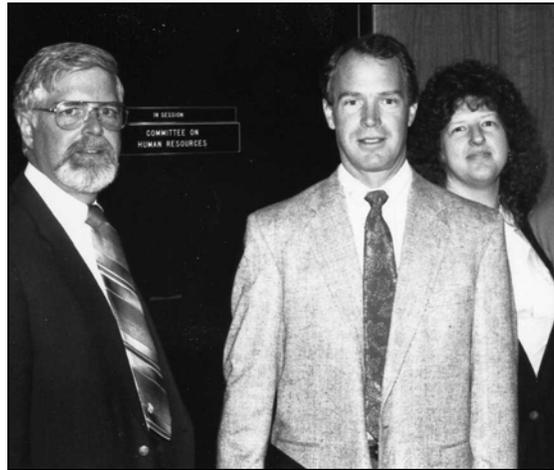
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1991 to 1997

1990-91

Donna Daniel, Doctoral Student in Educational Psychology at Northern Arizona University and Chair of the AMHCA Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual Issues Task Force –
AzCA President
Bill Brautigam, Newsletter Editor



Donna Daniel with John Bloom and David Oake (Executive Director of the Board of Behavioral Health Examiners) at a hearing of the Committee on Human Resources at the state legislature (March 1991)

Ron Monachelli of Phoenix – AzMHCA President
Claudia Roels of Glendale, AzSCA President
Patricia Kerstner of ASU – AzACES President

Arizona Counseling Journal, Volume 16

Timothy Thomason, Editor

Consuelo Arbona, Cheryl Bartholomew, Richard Gray, Charles Humes, Charlene Kampfe, Eugene Moan, J. Organist and Barbara Peeks – Editorial Board

Executive Director: Robert Rencken

Conference at Radisson Suites Hotel in Tucson. This was a joint meeting with the Western Region Branch Assembly of AACD. Speakers included AACD President and University of Florida Counselor Educator, Dr. Jane Myers (Wellness through the Lifespan) and Andrew Weil (Natural Health, Natural Wellness)



University of Arizona Counselor Education Faculty (Oscar Christensen, Betty Newlon, Dick Erickson and Phil Lauver) attending a joint meeting of Arizona ACES and the Counseling Credentialing Committee of the Arizona Board of Behavioral Health Examiners in Phoenix.

1991-92

Dr. David Shuff, Counselor, Mesa Public Schools – AzCA President



David Shuff at 2007 AzSCA Conference in Mesa

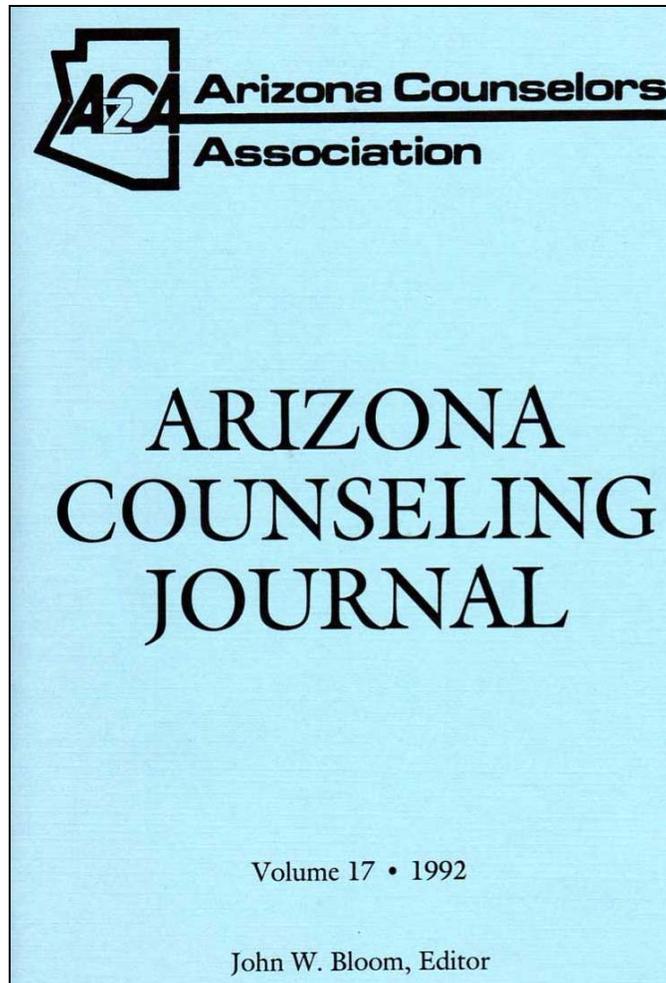
Fred Romero, Ottawa University – AzMHCA President
Natalie Zeitlin, Phoenix Elementary – AzSCA President
John Bloom – AzACES President

Executive Director: Robert Rencken

Arizona Counseling Journal, Volume 17

John Bloom, Editor

Consuelo Arbona, Cheryl Bartholomew, Richard Gray, Charles Humes, Charlene
Kampfe, Barbara Peeks – Editorial Board



Conference – Sunburst Resort in Scottsdale. Speaker: Dr. William Glasser, Reality Therapy

Professional Service Awards to John Bloom, Robert Rencken, Timothy Thomason, Claudia Roels and Ron Monachelli.

Gibson and Mitchell (2003) wrote, “In 1996 the U. S. Congress passed the Mental Health Insurance Parity Act (effectively January 1, 1998), which is very significant to mental health professionals. This act prevented health plans from placing unequal caps on dollar amounts covering mental health services if these same caps are not placed on the coverage for other medical services. This legislation was a major step by mental health counselors. In 1998, another significant congressional act was the Health Professions Educational Partnership Act, which recognizes professional counselors who are trained in various mental health professional training programs, including counseling students in counselor education programs. More specifically, these education programs may be eligible for the various programs operated by the federal Health Resources and Services Administration and the federal Center for Mental Health Services.

The Friend of Counseling Award went to Dr. David Williams, Executive Director of the Center of Excellence in Education, for his support of the NAU graduate program in counseling and for his support of elementary school counseling while superintendent of the Flagstaff schools.

A professional service award was presented to John Bloom in recognition of his fifteen years of continuous service to AZCA. A similar award was presented to Dr. Tim Thomason of NAU's Institute for Human Development for his service as editor of the AzCA journal the past two years. Dr. Ade Santana presented a program on multicultural counseling. David Shuff became a part-time member of the NAU Educational Psychology faculty. John Bloom was AACD Licensure Chair, a member of the AACD Professionalization Committee and AZCA Post Secondary VP.

1992-93

Ed Sheridan, Counselor , Tucson – AzCA President

Mike Boarman, Phoenix – AzMHCA President

Kim Holoway, Marana – AzSCA President

John Bloom, NAU –AzACES President

Ade Santana, NAU – AzAMC President

Arizona Counseling Journal, Volume 18

Eugene Moan, NAU – Editor

Ramona Mellott, Lynette Cunningham, Wayne Goulet – Editorial Board

Executive Director - Robert Rencken

Conference: Woodlands Hotel, Flagstaff

Speaker: Beverly J. O'Bryant, President-elect – American Counseling Association



Bob Rencken as the French Maid at AzCA Conference in Flagstaff on Halloween. Remember Bob's hairy back?

Arizona Association of Multicultural Counseling was formed and Dr. Ade Santana of Northern Arizona University was recognized as Outstanding Member and the EPS 100 Career and Personal Development Program at NAU was recognized as the Outstanding Program.

The GamePlan from Flagstaff provided a fun evening of non-competitive games at the state conference.

1993-94



Ron Monachelli, Counselor, Phoenix – AzCA President

Meg Sanford, Phoenix – AzSCA President

Patrick Romine – AzACES President

Pauline Staples, Phoenix – AzMHCA President

Arizona Counseling Journal

Eugene Moan, NAU, Flagstaff – Editor, Volume 19

Ramona Mellott, Wayne Goulet – Editorial Board

Executive Director: Robert Rencken

Conference: Grace Inn at Ahwatukee. Speaker: Dr. David Capuzzi, Portland State University and Past President, AACD

One of Ron's major contributions was to bring AzCA up-to-date on the information highway. Our never-used Legal Defense Fund was converted into a computer fund and Ron used his expertise and many free America West airline tickets to fly to Tucson to help AzCA Secretary, Sara Welchert, update our membership rosters and financial records.

1994-95



Carol Vroman, Rehabilitation Counselor, Phoenix – AzCA President

John Zukowski-Faust, Flagstaff – AzMHCA President

Bill Roe, Phoenix College – AzACES President

John Pavlich, Blue Ridge – AzSCA President

Joe Hunsaker – AzAADA President

Arizona Counseling Journal

Laura Urbanski & Christine Dorn, ASU – Volume 20

John Bloom, Charles Claiborn, Ron Forst, Patricia Kerstner, Sharon Robinson, Arlene Metha, Gene Moan, William Roe, Patrick Romine, Adelaida Santana – Editorial Board

Dr. Tim Thomason of NAU was recognized as the AzCA Outstanding Member for his contributions to the professional literature in multicultural counseling and for his editorship, on several occasions, of the AzCA Journal.

The Arizona Board of Behavioral Health was recognized as the AzCA Outstanding Program.

Tucson Representative Ruth Solomon was named AzCA Friend of Counseling.

Robert Rencken: Executive Director

Conference (with Western Association for Counselor Education and Supervision): Tempe Mission Palms with Dr. Robert Dingman and the Positive Force Players. Patrick Romine was program chair and John Bloom was on-site chair. Unique feature of this conference was a trip to Frank Lloyd Wright's Taliesin West where Barbara Kerr of the ASU counselor education faculty worked as an educational consultant. Bob Dingman of Marshall University conducted a Red Cross Disaster Mental Health Training session for 19 attendees.

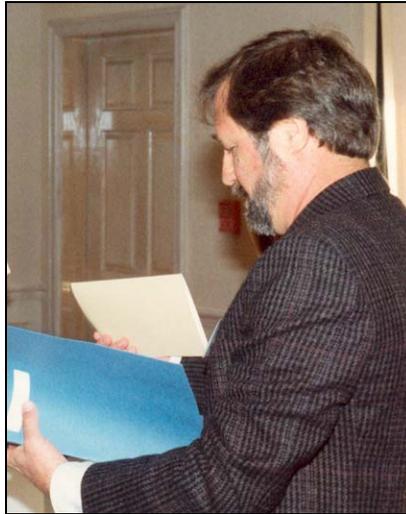
President Vroman started her year with a much needed joint AzCA and AzSCA leadership retreat in Pinetop. Only members who had never held leadership positions

before were invited. Trainers were Darryl Yagi of Sabastapol, CA and Mary Gehrke, ASCA President, from Racine, Wisconsin. Past AzSCA President Meg Sanford passed along the leadership gavel (a shiny new meat tenderizer) to incoming AzSCA president John Pavlich.

David Shuff served as chair of WRBA, following in the footsteps of several other AzCA leaders. Claudia Roels concluded a two-year term on the ASCA Board of Directors. Aletha Barrett won national recognition from the Association for Multicultural Counseling.

The Arizona Association for Adult Development and Aging (AZAADA) was chartered with Joe Hunsaker as its first president. Joe received AADA's President's Award for Outstanding Service and Charlene Kampfe received AADA's Distinguished Service Award. The community counseling program at ASU had an on-site visit from CACREP and the community counseling program at the University of Phoenix was approved for an on-site visit. CACREP self-studies were completed at NAU for the community counseling and school counseling programs.

1995-96



Patrick Romine, Counselor Educator, University of Phoenix – AzCA President

Jan Sears, AzSCA President

Jeff Scott, AzAADA President

Kate Sorenson, Flagstaff – AzMHCA President

John Rusnack, University of Phoenix – AzACES President

Arizona Counseling Journal: Elizabeth Tice and Mary Alexander
of the University of Phoenix – Co-Editors

Heather Keller, Ron Frost, Wayne Goulet, Jay Gray, David Hoffman, Charlene Kampfe,
Patricia Kerstner, Ramona Mellott, Scott Miller, Randall Rheinheimer, Johnny
Roeckelein, Patrick Romine and Laura Urbanski – Editorial Board

Kathy Dunn of Flagstaff and Don Lawhead of Tucson received AzCA Friend of
Counseling award for their administrative leadership in making the Arizona (School)
Counselor Academies a success each year.

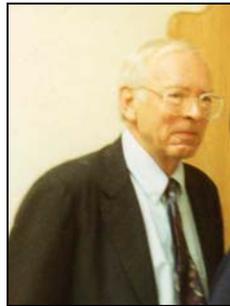
Outstanding New Member – Joe Hunsaker, Charter President of AzAADA.

Empact named Outstanding Program for its mental health services in the Phoenix area.

Bob Rencken named Outstanding Member a second time for his service as AzCA
Executive Director.



Photos by Dan Minor/The Arizona Republic
The unexpected death of a student has left Cortez High School stunned, and school administrators Jan Sears (left) and Carolyn A. Shelev turn to each other for comfort. Counselors were available to students on Friday to help them cope.



Distinguished Lifetime Achievement Award presented to **Dr. Oscar Christiansen** for his statewide, national, and international contributions to Adlerian principles, family therapy, and counselor education.

Robert Rencken – Executive Director

Conference: Palo Verde Plaza Holiday Inn in Tucson. Dr. Larry Burlew of the University of Arkansas and former president Association for Adult Development and Aging

Bob Rencken serves as ACA Governing Council Parliamentarian for ACA President Joyce Breasure. John Bloom serves as board chair of National Board for Certified Counselors.

ACA appears to be recovering from financial difficulties but the future still is clouded as both the school counselor and mental health counselor divisions are talking about

disaffiliating. A December disaffiliation vote by AzSCA is postponed after agreeing to mediation with ACA. AMHCA also agrees to mediation.

Both the Arizona State University and the University of Phoenix community counseling programs are accredited by CACREP.

Cherri Selvey is NAU's Chi Sigma Iota Chapter President. AzCA membership is 665. The 1995-96 budget is \$28,300.

1996-97

Heather Mendoza, University of Phoenix – AzCA President

Ken Patch, Motorola – AzACES President

Jean Logan – AzSCA President

Robert Rencken: Executive Director

Conference: Woodlands Plaza, Flagstaff

1997-98

- AzCA President

Judy Bowers, Tucson USD - AzSCA

1998-99

AzCA President –

AzSCA President - Kenny Smith, Thatcher

1999-00



Timothy A. Hoffman, M.C., LPC, CCMHC – AzCA President

Tim is owner and president of Personal Dynamics in Chandler. He has been in full-time private practice since 1996, providing consultation, counseling, psychotherapy and continuing education for behavioral health professionals. He was chair of the Arizona Behavioral Health Professionals Coalition during the years when the licensure law was written, negotiated and enacted.

Mr. Hoffman deserves a vote of thanks from both AzCA and the citizens of Arizona. He has made a most significant contribution to excellence in the Behavioral Health Professions.

Heather Keller, Executive Director

Mary Ellen Lyman, Lake Havasu City – AzSCA President