

# Dr. Terry McIvor Awarded Doctor of Science (h.c.) in Psychology

With emphasis on Neuropsychology, Counselling, Psychotherapy, and Neuro Hypnotherapy Clinical Applications

IMPHAL, MANIPUR, INDIA, August 30, 2024 /EINPresswire.com/ -- Manipur International University is proud to announce that Dr. Terry McIvor, Chair of the Psychology Department, was awarded the prestigious Doctor of Science (honoris causa) Degree in Neuropsychology, Counselling, Psychotherapy, and Neurohypnotherapy Clinical Applications on August 11, 2024. This honour recognizes his groundbreaking work in transformational coaching therapies and his exemplary leadership in advancing personalized mental health treatments through the university's Fellowship Program.

Dr Mclvor has been a driving force behind developing the SynapGen Transformational Coaching System<sup>®</sup> suite of therapies. For more



Dr Terry the Synaptic Trainer ®. CEO of IGH3P

information, <u>click here</u>. This comprehensive and innovative approach integrates the latest advancements in social psychology, counselling, psychotherapy, neurohypnotherapy, neuroscience, and neuropsychology to create highly effective, personalized coaching solutions. SynapGen has quickly become a cornerstone in mental health, offering practitioners a robust set of tools to support clients in achieving profound, lasting change in their personal and professional lives.

Under Dr. Mclvor's visionary leadership, the Psychology Department at Manipur International University has flourished, becoming a beacon of excellence in research and clinical practice. His commitment to advancing the field of psychology is evident in his relentless pursuit of new knowledge and his dedication to mentoring the next generation of psychologists. Dr. Mclvor's approach emphasizes the importance of evidence-based practice while fostering innovation in therapeutic methodologies.

In addition to his work with SynapGen, Dr. Mclvor has led the university's Fellowship Program, which is designed to provide university staff with advanced training in personalized mental health treatments. This program, which Dr. McIvor has championed since its inception, is unique in its focus on tailoring interventions to each patient's needs, ensuring that mental health care is as effective and compassionate as possible. The Fellowship Program has gained recognition for its rigorous curriculum and success in producing highly skilled mental health professionals equipped to meet their clients' diverse needs.



Dr. McIvor's contributions to the field have not gone unnoticed. His work with SynapGen and the Fellowship Program has been lauded by colleagues and practitioners within the university, who recognize the transformative impact of his innovations on both the practice of psychology and the lives of those who benefit from these therapies. His leadership has not only elevated the

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Receiving a DSc (Honoris Causa) in Psychology honours a lifelong commitment to advancing the understanding of the mind, recognizing past achievements while inspiring continued contributions."

Dr Terry Mclvor

standing of the Psychology Department at Manipur International University but has also set new standards for excellence in mental health education and practice.

In receiving the Doctor of Science (honoris causa) in Neuropsychology, Counselling, Psychotherapy, and Neuro Hypnotherapy Clinical Applications, Dr. McIvor joins an esteemed group of scholars and practitioners who have made significant contributions to their respective fields. This honorary degree is a testament to his unwavering dedication to improving mental health care and his ongoing efforts to develop and disseminate practical, personalized therapeutic interventions.

Dr Mclvor expressed his gratitude for the honour, stating, "I am deeply humbled to receive this recognition. The work we do in the field of psychology is vital to the well-being of individuals and communities, and I am privileged to be part of a profession that can change lives. This award

reflects the collaborative efforts of my colleagues and students, whose passion and commitment inspire me every day."

As Dr. McIvor continues to lead the way in transformational coaching and personalized mental health treatments, the impact of his work will undoubtedly continue to be felt for years to come, not only within Manipur International University but across the broader psychological community.

For more professional information about Dr. Terry McIvor, his work within the psychology department and the Fellowship Program, please email <u>Manipur International University's</u> Media Relations Office. media@miu.edu.in

#### Dr Terry McIvor's Background and Achievements

As President of the International Guild of Hypnotherapy, NLP (Neuro-Linguistic Programming), and related therapeutic modalities, Dr. Terry is significant in advancing alternative therapies. His extensive expertise, further enriched by his position as Chair in Psychology and Neuroscience Therapy and as a Fellow of Personalized Mental Health Treatments, positions him as a leading figure in scientific and therapeutic communities. Dr. Terry's contributions extend beyond administrative leadership; they include pioneering efforts in integrating cutting-edge research with practical applications, enhancing the efficacy and legitimacy of hypnotherapy, NLP, and personalized mental health treatments.

#### Leadership and Vision

A profound understanding of the intersection between psychology, neuroscience, and therapeutic practices marks Dr. Terry's leadership within the Guild. As Chair of Psychology and Neuroscience Therapy, he brings a rigorous scientific perspective to his role, ensuring the Guild's practices are grounded in the latest research. His vision likely emphasizes the professional standards of hypnotherapy and NLP and their alignment with contemporary psychological and neuroscientific insights. This fusion of disciplines is crucial for advancing the credibility of these modalities, particularly within the broader mental health community, where empirical validation is paramount.

In his dual roles, Dr. Terry is committed to expanding the recognition and integration of hypnotherapy and NLP into mainstream therapeutic practices. He advocates for these techniques as complementary to conventional methods like trauma-based therapies or psychodynamic therapy and as essential components of a more personalized approach to mental health care. His presidency is characterized by efforts to promote these modalities as practical, science-based tools for addressing the complexities of the human psyche.

#### Advocacy for Personalized Mental Health Treatments

Dr. Terry's role as a Fellow of Personalized Mental Health Treatments underscores his dedication

to tailoring therapeutic approaches to individual needs. This aspect of his work is particularly significant in hypnotherapy and NLP, which are inherently adaptable and can be customized to fit clients' unique psychological and neurological profiles. His advocacy for personalized treatments reflects a broader trend in mental health care that moves from one-size-fits-all solutions to more individualized, holistic care.

In this capacity, Dr. Terry promotes research and development in personalized mental health, advocating for treatments that are informed by a deep understanding of each client's psychological and neurological makeup. This might involve integrating neuroscience, counselling, psychotherapy, and neuropsychological data to create bespoke therapeutic interventions that enhance the effectiveness and efficiency of hypnotherapy and NLP.

# Education and Professional Development

As an academic leader and practitioner, Dr. Terry strongly emphasizes education. His influence extends to developing comprehensive training programs covering psychology, counselling, psychotherapy and neuroscience skills. These programs are crucial for the ongoing professional development of practitioners, ensuring they are equipped with the most up-to-date knowledge and skills.

### Ethical Standards and Practice

Ethical considerations are at the forefront of Dr. Terry's leadership. His presidency is likely characterized by a solid commitment to upholding high moral standards within the Guild, which is informed by his extensive background in psychology and neuroscience. Dr. Terry might be instrumental in developing and enforcing codes of conduct that ensure practitioners operate within their scope of competence and with the highest regard for client well-being.

Given clients' potential for vulnerability, Dr. Terry's emphasis on ethics helps to protect both clients and the reputation of these fields. His focus on transparency, informed consent, and accountability fosters trust in these therapeutic modalities, essential for their continued growth and acceptance in the mental health field.

# Global Influence and Collaboration

Dr. Terry's presidency also marks a global outlook. He leverages his academic and therapeutic expertise to foster international collaboration. His work as Chair in Psychology and Neuroscience Therapy and his Fellowship in Personalized Mental Health Treatments give him a unique perspective on how these disciplines intersect across cultures. Under his leadership, the International Guild of Hypnotherapy and NLP will likely expand its global reach, promoting the exchange of ideas and practices worldwide.

Dr. Terry's involvement in organizing international conferences, workshops, and seminars is crucial for disseminating knowledge and fostering innovation. These events provide platforms for experts from various disciplines to share insights, collaborate, and continue their

professional development, ensuring that personalized mental health treatments remain dynamic and cutting-edge.

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