“GOING GLOBAL: International Association of Logopedics and Phoniatrics (IALP)”
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HISTORY
• Founded in 1924 in Vienna, Austria by Dr. Emil Froeschels
  - Physician
  - Coined the term “logopedics”
  - Developed theories and approaches for helping those with speech, voice and language impairments
  - Widely recognized in Europe and America
  - Served as crucial bridge between practice in Europe & the United States

WORLD WIDE NETWORK
• Enrich understanding by providing broad multicultural perspectives
• 58 Affiliated societies
• Individual membership from every continent in the world
• Dedicated to providing broadest geo-political-socio-cultural context
• Works closely with World Health Organization

IALP GOALS
• Strives to:
  – Facilitate international cooperation and collaboration
  – Create, share and distribute information through:
    • symposia “Composia”
    • World Congresses
    • website www.ialp.info
    • Newsletter
    • Journal Folia Phoniatrica et Logopedica
  – Provide a platform for international networking

EXAMPLE
• Recommendations for Working with Bilingual Children
  – Bilingual, multilingual or monolingual speakers of a minority language
  – Three sections:
    • Language delay and disorders
    • Developmental articulation and phonological disorders
    • Literacy

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EXAMPLE

- **Guidelines for Initial Education in Speech-Language Pathology**
  
  - Goal:
    - Serve as basis for harmonizing initial education
    - Developing and maintaining high standards
    - Facilitating international movement of personnel & knowledge

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

- **World Report on Disability**
  - Launch in New York
  - Strategies meeting in Geneva

- **System of Health Accounts**
  - Guidelines on Rehabilitation
  - Classification of Health Care Functions

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION

- **World Conference on Social Determinants of Health**
  - Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
  - Policies addressing health inequities resulting from inequitable distribution of power, money and personnel resources

MAIN REPORTS

- **“Brain Behavior Relationships: Assessment and Treatment of Child Language Disorders”**
  - Faraneh Vargha-Khadem (England)

  - Discussants:
    - Paavo H.T. Lappanen (Finland)
    - Anna Maria Chilosi (Italy)

MAIN REPORTS

- **“Cognitive Reserve: Management of Communication Disorders in the Elderly”**
  - Yaakov Stern (United States)

  - Discussants:
    - Claire Penn (South Africa)
    - Sue Franklin (Ireland)
MAIN REPORTS

• “Neuromotor Processing: Clinical Implications in Speech Disorders”
  – Wolfram Ziegler (Germany)

  – Discussants:
    • Elina Tripoliti (England)
    • Sabine Skodda (Germany)