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## Application Review Committee Virtual Meeting Minutes

October 31, 2022  
Held via Zoom

### 1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Committee Chair Dr. Mellott at 7:30 a.m.

### 2. ROLL CALL - Ms. Fowkes

#### Members Present

Ramona Mellott, Ph.D.

Linda Caterino, Ph.D., ABPP

A quorum of the Committee was confirmed.

### 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- August 26, 2022 Draft Minutes

**MOTION:** Dr. Caterino moved to approve the minutes. Dr. Mellott seconded.

**VOICE VOTE:** The motion carried unanimously.

### 4. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON PSYCHOLOGY APPLICATIONS

#### **A. Requesting Approval to Sit for EPPP ((A.R.S. §§ 32-2071, 2071.01 & 2072)**

No applications were listed in this section.

#### **B. Requesting Approval to Sit for EPPP & Licensure (A.R.S. §§ 32-2071, 2071.01 & 2072)**

- 1) Rani Hantla, Psy.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of the statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP (Part 1 & Part 2).

2) Sarah Mejia, Ph.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of the statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP (Part 1 & Part 2).

3) Robyn Nicole Malmsten, Ph.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of the statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP (Part 2).

4) Himchan Mona Lee, Psy.D.

This application was incomplete and was tabled.

5) Katherine A. Stoll, Ph.D.

This application was incomplete and was tabled. Dr. Caterino requested legal advice regarding the website of her employer, Zeller. Dr. Caterino noted that the website lists school psychologists including Dr. Stoll as “Psychologists”, which may be in violation of A.R.S. § 32-2086, and the website does not indicate if the assessments and evaluations are being conducted at a school site or at the employer’s site. Ms. Galvin advised that Board staff can request clarification regarding these matters. The Committee directed staff to do as Ms. Galvin advised.

6) Brittany Burdick, Psy.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of the statutes and rules, but a deficiency of 80 hours was noted. The Committee tabled the application until the additional postdoctoral hours were received.

**MOTION:** Dr. Mellott moved the applications of Dr. Rani Hantla and Dr. Sarah Mejia, Dr. Robyn Nicole Malmsten to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP and licensure upon passing scores. Dr. Caterino seconded.

**VOICE VOTE:** The motion carried unanimously.

**A. Requesting Approval of Supervised Experience for Licensure (A.A.C. R4-26-203.02(D))**

1) Natalie Kazakova, Psy.D.

This application was incomplete and was tabled.

**B. Requesting Approval of Licensure by Waiver (A.R.S. §§ 32-2071, 2071.01 & 2072)**

1) Enrique Gracian, Ph.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of the statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval for licensure.

- 2) Adelina Alkhatib, Psy.D.  
Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of the statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval for licensure.
- 3) Amy Marie Bissinger, Psy.D.  
Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of the statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval for licensure.

**MOTION:** Dr. Caterino moved the applications of Dr. Enrique Gracian, Dr. Adelina Alkhatib and Dr. Amy Pearl Bissinger to the Board for approval for licensure. Dr. Mellott seconded.  
**VOICE VOTE:** The motion carried unanimously.

**C. Requesting Approval of Supervised Temporary Licensure and to Sit for the EPPP (A.R.S. §§ 32-2073 & 2072)**

There were no applications listed in this section.

**D. Requesting Approval for Licensure by Credential (ABPP, CPQ or National Register) (§§ 32-2071.01 & 2072)**

- 1) Angela Adams, Psy.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of the statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval for licensure.

- 2) Laura Hughes, Psy.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of the statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval for licensure.

**MOTION:** Dr. Caterino moved to forward the applications of Dr. Angela Adams and Dr. Laura Hughes to the Board for approval of licensure. Dr. Mellott seconded.  
**VOICE VOTE:** The motion carried unanimously.

**E. Requesting Approval for Licensure by Universal Recognition (A.R.S. § 32-4302)**

There were no applications listed in this section.

**5. NEW AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS**

Dr. Mellott noted that she will be overseas and will not be available for the December 2nd meeting. She requested that the meeting be moved to December 5th or 6<sup>th</sup>. Dr. Caterino agreed that December 5 would be best for her and requested the time for the meeting be changed to 9 a.m. Dr. Mellott agreed to the time change.

**6. ADJOURNMENT**

Dr. Caterino motioned to adjourn the meeting. Dr. Mellott seconded. Upon a unanimous voice vote, the meeting adjourned at 7:50 a.m.