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Application Review Committee

MINUTES OF TELEPHONIC MEETING

April 26, 2019

7:32 a.m.

1740 W Adams St
Conference Room B (1st Floor)
Phoenix, AZ 85007

1. CALL TO ORDER

The regular session of the Arizona State Board of Psychologist Examiners Application Review Committee was called to order by Chairman Meier at 7:30 a.m. No Executive Sessions were held.

2. ROLL CALL

Committee Members Participating by Telephone

Matthew A. Meier, Psy.D. – Chair
Bob Bohanske, Ph.D., FNAP

Staff Present

Jenna Jones – Executive Director
Kathy Fowkes – Licensing Specialist

Attorney General's Office

Jeanne Galvin, A.A.G. (participated by phone until 8:20 a.m.)

3. DISCUSSION REGARDING APPROVAL OF PSYCHOLOGY APPLICANTS

A. Requesting Approval to Sit for Examination (EPPP) Only

1) Brittany Lyn Friedman, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP.

2) Eric Scott Suedmeyer, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP.

3) Jennifer Fowler, Psy.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that on one of the reference forms, the individual completing the

reference indicated her relationship with Dr. Fowler was that of “student”, which does not meet the requirement of R4-26-203(A)(26). It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP, contingent upon receiving a new or corrected reference form.

4) Karey L. O’Hara, Ph.D.

This application was incorrectly listed under section (3)(B).

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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP.

MOTION: Dr. Meier moved to forward the applications of Brittany Lyn Friedman, Psy.D., Eric Suedmeyer, Ph.D. and Karey L. O’Hara, Ph.D. to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP, and to forward the application of Jennifer R. Fowler, Psy.D. to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP contingent upon Board staff receiving a new or corrected reference form. Dr. Bohanske seconded.

VOICE VOTE: The motion carried 2-0.

B. Requesting Approval to Sit for Examination (EPPP) & Licensure

1) Amy Leigh Becker, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP and licensure upon a passing score.

2) Eveline Bush, Psy.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application and additional materials. Upon review, the Committee noted that her doctoral program at Charisma University appeared to be an online program and may not have had a residency component as required under A.R.S. §32-2071(K). It was the consensus of the Committee to make a second request for additional information.

3) Imecca Akpa, Psy.D.

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

4) Karey L. O’Hara, Ph.D.

This application was for EPPP only, and was therefore reviewed under section (3)(A) of the agenda.

5) L. Camille Jarmie Harris, Ph.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that on the Core Program Requirements form in the area of Scientific and Professional Ethics and Standards in Psychology, one of her courses was completed during an independent master’s program, which does not meet the requirement of A.R.S. §32-2071(A)(4)(a). It was the consensus of the Committee to request additional information.

- 6) Marnie G. Richard, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP and licensure upon a passing score.
- 7) Sam A. Wolde, Ph.D.
Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the re-application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the re-application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP and licensure upon a passing score.
- 8) Samara Cerven, Psy.D.
Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the re-application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the materials submitted were complete and fulfilled the requirements of statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the re-application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP and licensure upon a passing score.
- 9) Sasha Mendoza, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP and licensure upon a passing score.

MOTION: Dr. Bohanske moved to forward the applications of Amy Leigh Becker, Psy.D., Imecca Akpa, Psy.D., Marnie G. Richard, Psy.D., Sam A. Wolde, Ph.D., Samara Cerven, Psy.D. and Sasha Mendoza, Psy.D. to the Board for approval to sit for the EPPP and licensure upon a passing score; and to request additional information as noted above from Eveline Bush, Psy.D. and L. Camille Jarmie Harris, Ph.D. Dr. Meier seconded.

VOICE VOTE: The motion carried 2-0.

C. Requesting Approval for Licensure by Waiver

- 1) Ashlee Orozco, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.
- 2) Cherish Arantes DeOliveira, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

3) Cristel Montserrat Alcocer, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

4) Cynthia Ramos Regardie, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

5) Jennifer Krug, Ph.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application and additional materials. Upon review, the Committee noted that the ethics course taken to meet requirements was not from a doctoral level applied psychology program. After review of the second additional information request, the Committee recognized that this requirement was not provided to the applicant. The Committee recognized that the course was APA ethics and taught by a doctoral level psychologist. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

6) Kristin K. Larson, Ed.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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

7) Laura Jane Murphy, Psy.D.

Committee members proceeded with a substantive review of the application. Upon review, the Committee noted that the applicant's internship verification received from Tami DeCoteau, Ph.D., documented 4,060 hours of an APPIC internship. However, on the application, Dr. Murphy stated that her internship was "2060 hours internship and 2000 hours doctoral candidate training." The Committee was concerned that the additional 2,000 hours of "doctoral candidate training" was not part of the APPIC internship, and therefore the verification would be incomplete. For internship programs that are not members of APPIC, Section B of the verification form must be completed and a copy of the written and signed training plan (written statement) is required under A.R.S. §32-2071(F)(9). It was the consensus of the Committee to request additional information.

8) Lucinda Gray, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

9) Stephanie Zeid, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

MOTION: Dr. Bohanske moved to forward the applications of Ashlee Orozco, Ph.D., Cherish Arantes DeOliveira, Psy.D., Cristel Montserrat Alcocer, Psy.D., Cynthia Ramos Regardie, Psy.D., Jennifer Krug, Ph.D., Kristin K. Larson, Ed.D., Lucinda Gray, Ph.D. and Stephanie Zeid, Psy.D. to the Board for approval of licensure, and to request additional information as noted above from Laura Jane Murphy, Psy.D. Dr. Meier seconded.

VOICE VOTE: The motion carried 2-0.

D. Requesting Approval of Supervised Experience for Licensure

1) Kareen Natalie Schellack, Psy.D.

Dr. Schellack was present by phone. 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

2) Lindsay Anderson, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

MOTION: Dr. Bohanske moved to forward the applications of Kareen Natalie Schellack, Psy.D. and Lindsay Anderson, Ph.D. to the Board for approval of licensure. Dr. Meier seconded.

VOICE VOTE: The motion carried 2-0.

E. Requesting Approval for Licensure by Credential

1) Anne Middaugh, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

2) John M. Shields, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

3) Kelly Cue Davis, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of licensure.

MOTION: Dr. Meier moved to forward the applications of Anne Middaugh, Ph.D., John M. Shields, Ph.D., and Kelly Cue Davis, Ph.D. to the Board for approval of licensure. Dr. Bohanske seconded.

VOICE VOTE: The motion carried 2-0.

F. Requesting Approval to sit for EPPP and Temporary Licensure

1) Micaela Reece-Williams, 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 statutes and rules. It was the consensus of the Committee to forward the application to the Board for approval of temporary licensure and to sit for the EPPP upon payment of the license fee.

MOTION: Dr. Bohanske to forward the application of Micaela Reece-Williams, Psy.D. to the Board for approval to temporary licensure and to sit for the EPPP upon payment of the license fee. Dr. Meier seconded.

VOICE VOTE: The motion carried 2-0.

4. NEW AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

Dr. Bohanske requested that at a future meeting, the full Board review and discuss the course program requirements for psychology licensure, especially when providing direction to an applicant under A.R.S. § 32-2071(M) regarding additional course work that may be needed to meet requirements.

5. ADJOURNMENT

Dr. Meier moved to adjourn, seconded by Dr. Bohanske. Upon a unanimous voice vote, the Committee adjourned at 8:57 a.m.