APA, Division 15 Business Meeting: Educational Psychology

APA 2022 | August 14, 2022, 4:30-5:30 EST

1. Welcome (President, Avi Kaplan)

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2. Approval of 2021 Business Meeting Minutes

- Last year's meeting minutes can be found online.
- Avi made a motion to approve the previous business meeting minutes.
- Doug seconded.
- The motion carried unanimously.

3. President's Report (Avi)

- Avi thanked all volunteers
- Major accomplishment related to the presidential theme: exploring educational psychologist collective identity
 - Avi emphasized the importance in collective identity and we are all in this together.
 - A total of 8 participatory explorative workshops have been held. In these sessions, Division members shared their individual dilemmas and how they connected to the tension and dilemmas facing our field.
- Ongoing activities closely aligned with its mission and values
 - To launch *The Journal of Educational Policy and Practice*, the division has been working with the APA journal office
 - Preparing the template for Masters in Applied Educational Psychology
 - All committees have begun and continuing exploration of their missions. Reexamining the values and practices to be more inclusive and less racist.
- Avi thanked the opportunity to serve as a president and congratulated that the educational psychology community is vibrant, committed, and value-oriented.

4. Incoming President's theme and initiatives (Incoming president, Bev Faircloth)

• Bev shared her vision to expand the inclusiveness of the division engagement. She emphasized that all members have a meaningful role to play to build a strong community. Bev invited all to come to her with concerns or ideas.

5. Policy Briefs (Avi)

- <u>2022 Amicus Brief:</u> *Protect Democracy* filed an amicus brief on behalf of Division 15 on May 25, in support of plaintiffs in Falls vs. DeSantis, who challenged Florida H.B.7 the "Stop W.O.K.E. Act" as unconstitutional.
- Our 5th Practice Brief: How white, middle class teachers can apply psychology to teach students who are different from them by Sara Rimm-Kaufman & Krystal Thomas

6. Recognition of Members' Accomplishments and Contributions -2021 (Avi)

- Paul E. Pintrich Outstanding Dissertation Award: Nikki Glover Lobczowski
- Richard E. Snow Award for Early Contribution: Rebecca Collie
- The Career Achievement Award for Distinguished Psychological Contribution to Education: Daniel Schwartz

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8. New Division Fellows announced (Avi)

- Olszewski-Kubilius
- Jessica DeCuir-Gunby
- Michele Gill
- Elizabeth Linnenbrink
- E. Michael Nussbaum
- Scott Plous
- Avi noted that 2022 Fellows would be approved and announced later this year.

9. 2022 Early Career Research Grant Recipients (Avi)

- Corrine Bower, Using educational technology to examine the influence of socio-cultural values and family socioeconomic status on preschoolers' STEM school readiness
- Ian Thacker, Supporting Secondary Students' Climate Change Learning Using Data Visualizations
- Ying Wang, The Effect of Metacognitive Feedback on Postsecondary Engineering Students Metacognitive Monitoring and Academic Achievement

10. 2022 Dissertation Research Grant Recipients (Avi)

- Ye Shen, Reading-Writing Connections: A Cross-Linguistic Investigation of Young Heritage Language Learners
- Meghan L. Coughlan, Exploring Predictors & Outcomes of Gender Differences in Math Classroom Participation

11. 2022 Outstanding Educational Psychologist Article (Avi)

• Dr. Erika Patall, Patall, E. A. (2021). Implications of the open science era for educational psychology research syntheses. *Educational Psychologist*, *56*(2), 142-160. DOI: 10.1080/00461520.2021.1897009

12. Claire Ellen Weinstein Student Seminar Attendees (Avi)

- Avi congratulated the seminar participants
- Participants: Andrew Perry, Saetbyul Clara Kim, Hyun (Edward) Sung Jang, Taylor McGee, Stella Jackman- Ryan, Jati Ariati, Imogen Herrick, Jessica Kilday, Jeff Vomund, Qiyang Zhang, Hannie Du,

13. Outgoing and incoming division officers (Avi)

- Outgoing leaders:
 - o Michelle M. Buehl, Outgoing Past President
 - o Jonathan Hilpert, Outgoing Past Treasurer
 - o Marcus Johnson, Outgoing Representative to APA Council
- Incoming leaders:
 - o Jessica DeCuir-Gunby, Incoming Vice President
 - o Alexandra List, Treasurer-Elect
 - o Jason Chen, Representative to APA Council

14. Bylaw Changes (Past president, Michelle M. Buehl)

- o The changes recommended by APA to streamline bylaws.
 - o New policy in the case of Death/Resignation of Executive Committee member
 - o Remove mail ballot
 - o Move detailed content to Policy and Procedures document
 - o Addition to the bylaws that allows the Executive Committee to fix typos/grammatical errors that may have been missed
- New policy to appoint an alternate for Division Representative to APA Counsel
 - In the event a Division Rep to APA Council cannot attend a meeting, an EC member or former Division Rep to APA Council will serve as the alternate. This new policy is proposed given that a member of the EC or former Division Rep to Council is best positioned to represented Division to APA Council
- Modifications to Executive Committee Roles. These changes were proposed to reduce time commitment and increase member involvement in the EC; It will also reduce cost to the Division and provide opportunities for more meaningful engagement.
 - o Presidential Line:

Currently a four-year Presidential Line: Vice President, President-Elect, President, Past-President Return to the traditional three-year Presidential Line: President-Elect, President, Past-President

Treasurer Line

Currently 3-year, 3-person role: Treasurer-Elect (non-voting), Treasure, Past Treasurer (non-voting)
Return to 3-year role for one person

- Michelle explained the procedure to change the bylaw.
 - 1.All members and fellows of the division are eligible to vote.
 - 2. A Bylaw change requires ²/₃ approval of votes

- 3. In the next few months* voting members will receive and email explaining the change and rationale for the change with a link to cast their vote.
- 4. Voting will remain open for 30 days.
- Michelle noted that we are required to send paper ballots to any voting members who do not have an email on file and Wade George would assist with dissemination and collection of responses for this vote.

15. Treasurer's Report (Treasurer, Doug Lombardi)

- Doug has provided the summary of the Division's finance.
 - o \$491,557 in checking
 - o \$261,826 in short term investments (i.e. money market savings account)
 - o \$786,595 in long term savings (i.e. mixture of mutual funds and ETFs)
 - o \$115,238 in deposits, advances, and other receivables
 - Net assets total \$1,655,3396
 - Net assets have remained relatively steady over the past years
 - Internal records by the Division 15 Treasurer team indicate for the Jan to Jul 2022, there has been: \$256,880 of income (primarily Taylor & Francis Royalties) & \$172,361 of expenditures. Division 15 is currently operating well within our 2022 budget
- Doug shared the challenges with APA Division Accounting services due to considerable turnover and accounting system upset during 2022, such as slow payments and unrecorded income and expenditures.
- Doug provided an update on the treasurer roles.
 - Stephen Tonks will become Division 15 Treasurer at the end of this conference.
 - Many thanks to outgoing past treasurer Dr. Jonathan Hilpert for his successful run through all three treasurer lines.
 - Welcome aboard to Treasurer-electAlex List, who will be joining the Treasurer team at the end of this conference!
- Doug offered future recommendations. Treasurer team and Wade Business Processes have continued efforts to streamline Division 15's business processes. The treasurers' team recommended that the Division would develop a plan for long-term strategies and rebalancing investments.

15. Communication Report (Communication director, Wade George)

- Wade shared the communication metrics in various platforms (shown below) and also encourage the members to send the job postings to him
 - Wade also thanked Podcast host, Jeff Greene and the contributors (Dr. Steve Graham Dr. Emily Q. Rosenzweig, Dr. Fani Lauermann & Dr. Ruth Butler, Dr. Ellen Skinner Dr. Deanna Kuhn, Dr. Francesca Lopez, Dr. Christine Greenhow, Dr. Charles Graham, & Dr. Matthew Koehler)

15. Program Chairs Report (Courtney Hattan & Annette Ponnock)

• The program chairs shared the statistics on submissions & Acceptance (Shown in Figure 2)

Figure 1. Conference proposal statistics

Type of Session	Submitted Sessions	Presented Sessions	Acceptance Rate
Virtual Posters	73	49 (1)	67%
In-Person Posters	173	135 (4)	78%
Symposia	6	4	67%
Critical Conversations	7	4	57%
Skill Building	4	1	25%
Submitted Session Subtotal	263	193	73%
Award Addresses	NA	3 (2)	NA
Presidential Sessions + Business Meeting	NA	3	NA
In-Person Socials	NA	2	NA
Virtual Sessions	NA	7	NA

Figure 2. Conference proposal statistics

- The program chairs thanked the reviewers and asked the members to continue volunteering to review
- The graduate student award finalists were recognized:
 - Critical Race Theory: Beliefs on the Implementation Within the Curriculum by Caterina Azzarello
 - Womanist Caring as an Alternative Approach and Response to School Discipline by Jasmine Betties
 - Gender Differences in the Measurement of Mathematics Motivation Among Latinx Students by Jeannette Garcia Coppersmith
 - Cognitive Stimulation in Black Family Home Learning Environments During the COVID-19 Pandemic by Lakenya Johnson

- Supporting Inference-Making During COVID-19 Through Individualized Instruction by Jasmine Kim
- Teacher Bias Regarding Minoritized Students' Temperament, Behavior, and Achievement by Martinique Sealy
- Exploring the Effect of Feedback Type on Students' Working Memory: A
 Preliminary Investigation by Chris Steadman
- Capturing the Elusive Presence of Higher Order Thinking in Multiple Source Use: A Systematic Review by Yuting Sun
- Is a Picture Worth a Thousand Words for Educational and Psychological Outcomes? by Qiyang Zhan
- The program chairs thanked the judges for the graduate student award: Jason Chow, Courtney Hattan, ZJ Ng, Annette Ponnock, Gabriel Velez, Sharon
- Post winners were announced and recognized: Jasmine Kim & Jasmine Betties

16. Adjournment

Avi thanked all members and announced the time and the location for the Presidential address (Michelle Buehl) and Division social hour.

Respectfully submitted, Sungok Serena Shim, Division 15 Secretary