**Council of Specialties in Professional Psychology**

**Quarterly Meeting Agenda**

March 5, 2022

11 AM – 12:30 PM CST / 12 PM – 1:30 PM EST

**PRESENT:** Robin Hilsabeck; Antoinette Minniti;Richard Seime; Anna Egan; Danielle Rynczak; Mary O’Leary Wiley; Victor Molinari; Noelle Lefforge; Shauna Laughna; Ted Ellenhorn; Adeirdre Riley; Karen Farrell; Shirley Glynn; Michelle Mlinac; Carlen Hannington; Jeff Baker; Cindy Carlson; Lloyd Berg; Linda Sobell

**ABSENT:** Michele Rusin

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| **AGENDA ITEM** | **DISCUSSION** | **RECOMMENDATION**  **Responsible Party(ies)/ Due Date** | **STATUS**  **Open/Closed** |
| I. ROLE CALL | Completed |  | Closed |
| II. ANNOUNCEMENTS | Future calendar invitations | Will be coming from Toni |  |
| III. OLD BUSINESS |  |  |  |
| Taxonomy Update and Next Steps | Rick Seime was present. Robin said that many taxonomies have been approved. Rick S. thanked everyone for submission; some are pending feedback. Ron Rozensky and Victor are primarily doing reviews of the submissions. Victor appreciates everyone’s hard work. Placing the taxonomies on the website for the service of the students and what to look for in training – truth in advertising. Goal is to try to get these in, in the next month or two.  Next step will be creating a Taxonomy Champion with involvement from CoS and CRISP for collaboration that can serve as resources for the field.  Taxonomy consultant team – passionate and knowledgeable team that can help programs get their training situated.  Robin asked for questions/input:  Karen Farrell said that in the past the goal was to create some exemplar of internships and postdocs. Thanked Victor and Rick S. for their hard work.  Victor mentioned that another idea is for each specialty council to have one or two champions who could disseminate the information. We need the buy in and commitment of each specialty council.  Robin – recommended an association for postdocs and one for internship training  Lloyd Berg – proposed a hybrid model. Wants to see a subcommittee of CoS. Rick S. likes the proposed hybrid model and coordination with CRSSPP Shirley Glynn – from a new specialty perspective – relies on motivation – consistency across specialties. Help with getting new programs to have a buy in.  For all remaining outlying specialties, once approved by EC then sent out to all the specialties for approval.  Rick – old taxonomies are archived on the website  Victor – choosing a champion will have to be based on each specialty’s decision about how to make this choice  Six taxonomies are still outstanding  Group is the only one that has had no movement | Robin - we will talk about the champion concept in our next EC group  Victor – we may propose training program teams from each specialty  Robin – set a goal to propose a couple of champions for our next quarterly meeting |  |
| Specialty Banking Update | Clinical Health - where to hold their funds. Michele will talk to the ABPP accountant. ABPP has done some of this in the past.  Lloyd Berg – could streamline things.  Any other specialty councils need the help?  No one stated they needed the help. | Michele Rusin will check with the ABPP accountant; still a work in progress. |  |
| Liaison Reports (as needed) | Check in  Jeff Baker – APPIC will have an in-person meeting May 12  CRSSPP will have a virtual meeting March 24 and 25 | Robin – our annual meeting is held the first weekend in November. EC has not decided whether we will be meeting in person or virtually. EC will discuss this in the coming months. |  |
| IV. NEW BUSINESS |  |  |  |
| 2022 Presidential Initiative | Robin’s initiative Promoting our specialties. For each specialty council to share each of their members, current goals and projects, as well as successes and challenges; what strategies have you tried or are you doing right now to promote the specialty. (Rick left the meeting). Learn more and be inspired by each other’ specialties.  Robin presented on neuropsychology.    Asked for volunteers who may want to present on their specialty next. |  |  |
| Clarification/Standardization of CRSSPP and ABPP | Want to develop a work group. | Rick Day, Karen Farrell, and Robin Hilsabeck will be on the workgroup and volunteers are invited to help. Email Robin directly if you are interested |  |
| History/Archive of CoS |  | Will be discussed at our next quarterly meeting. |  |
| Open Discussion | Mary O’Leary Wiley – suggested it might be worth doing a textbook review of high school and undergraduate textbooks and make recommendations to the authors and publishers of the books to include information about specialties. |  |  |

Respectfully submitted,

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