

# Dr. Raymond Miltenberger Named AAAS Fellow

Raymond G. Miltenberger, Ph.D.,
Professor and Director of the
Applied Behavior Analysis Program
in the Department of Child and
Family Studies in the USF College
of Behavioral and Community
Sciences, was elected a Fellow
of the Psychology Section of the



American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) for his significant contributions advancing applied behavior analysis research, including pioneering functional assessment to improve clinical outcomes and in-situ assessment and training to enhance generalization. The Department of Child and Family Studies congratulates Dr. Miltenberger on this recognition of his research.



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HILE WE ARE EAGER TO REUNITE WITH OUR members in person, the annual convention will be coming to you in online in 2021! We will be offering a new, much enhanced, virtual experience to all presenters and attendees. Conference registration will give you access to more than 450 hours of live and on-demand content; 50+ pre-convention workshops are available live for an additional fee. We are pleased to offer a safe and convenient experience packed with continuing education sessions, networking events, and engagement opportunities. In addition, you will be able to access all presentations on demand for six months after the convention.

The convention will open by honoring the vital contributions of the 2021 Society for the Advancement of Behavior Analysis (SABA) award recipients and listening to their remarks.

- This year's award for Distinguished Service to Behavior Analysis will be given to M. Jackson Marr. Dr. Marr's remarks will focus on his career trajectory and his reflection on our discipline to look outward, not inward.
- Carl Hart will receive the award for Effective Presentation of Behavior Analysis in the Mass Media.
   Dr. Hart will speak about neurobiological, socio-

# ABAI's 47th

# Annual

# Behavior Analysis Online & Enhanced

BY MARIA E. MALOTT



- environmental, and political influences on substance use, with emphasis on racial biases.
- · Allen Neuringer will be honored with the Award for Scientific Translation. Dr. Neuringer will show that levels of response variability—from repetitions to random-like responding—can be reinforced.
- Carmen Luciano will accept the award for International Dr. Nadine Burke Harris, the first Surgeon General Dissemination of Behavior Analysis. Dr. Luciano will speak about her research and teaching analysis of complex behaviors, such as problem solving, rulegoverned behavior, and self-knowledge.
- The award ceremony will conclude with the recognition

of the Center for Autism and Related Disorders (CARD) for its Enduring Programmatic Contributions. Doreen Granpeesheh, founder, will speak of CARD's trajectory from a one-woman practice in Westwood, California, to the largest ABA provider in the world.

of California, is the 2021 Presidential Scholar. She is an unparalleled advocate for change to the way society responds to childhood trauma. In her address, "Breaking the Intergenerational Cycle of Adversity," she will discuss adverse childhood experiences (ACEs), evidence-based

# Convention:



early interventions, California's state-wide initiative to train health care providers on how to screen for ACEs, and the necessity of cross-sector approaches to truly have an impact on the individual child, their family, and the broader community.

Our incoming president, Dr. Carol Pilgrim, will deliver this year's Presidential Address, "Discourse in 2021: Some Observations From a Radical Behaviorist." She will argue that important dimensions of current events on the national scene, as well as within behavior analysis, could be described in terms of conflict in discourse and that, in seeking to find solutions, we might be wise to undertake a more broadly informed and truly radical approach to understanding the nature of discourse, its selection and transmission, and its impact on other modes of behavior.

To add to the richness of the program, our distinguished B. F. Skinner Lecture Series includes 17 scientists and professionals from disciplines compatible with behavior science. They will cover a wealth of topics, including dog domestication, worker safety, space exploration, orthopedic surgery, and segregation and racial bias. Complete information about these presentations can be found on pages 10-11. Additionally, 61 invited presentations bring our field's top scholars to discuss recent developments across 16 program areas. A complete list of invited presentations can be found on pages 12-19.

This year's convention offers a thematic track on bias. The sessions offer discussions on bias in research and publication, as well as access to assessment, treatment, and services. A list of the presentations on bias can be found on pages 16.

The Professional Development Series—an initiative of the ABAI Student Committee—includes panels on journal initiative, planning, and execution of the convention. peer reviews, applying for research grants, applying and interviewing for jobs, ableist systems, and more.

The 2021 program includes 286 panels and symposia, 49 pre-convention workshops, and three poster sessions across 13 program areas. There will be multiple opportunities to interact with other convention attendees during 46 business the year to learn, connect, and celebrate a science that has meetings, 18 reunions and receptions, and the Expo

poster session, where major constituencies are represented, including organizations, providers, affiliated chapters, special interest groups, and higher education programs.

The 47th Annual Convention would not be possible without the work of ABAI's Program Board. Coordinator Jonathan Tarbox and Committee Chair Amy Odum have overseen the completion of an impressive program with the assistance of 31 area coordinators in applied animal behavior; autism; behavioral pharmacology and neuroscience; clinical/ family/behavioral medicine; community, social, and sustainability issues; developmental disabilities; diversity, equity, and inclusion; behavioral development; experimental analysis of behavior; education; organizational behavior management; philosophical, conceptual, and historical issues; practice; science; teaching behavior analysis; and verbal behavior. This year's coordinators are Erik Arntzen, Regina Carroll, Robin Codding Lin Du, Jessica Dudek, Erica Feurbacher, Daniel Fienup, Nicole Gravina, Nathaniel Hall, Renee Hawkins, Michael Hixson, August Holtyn, Sally Huskinson, Corina Jimenez-Gomez, Tiffany Kodak, Sarah Lechago, Karen Lionello-DeNolf, Suzanne Mitchell, Amy Murrell, Yaniz Padilla Dalmau, David Palmer, Jo Ann Pereira Delgado, Carol Pilgrim, Sarah Richling, Rocio Rosales, Kelly Schieltz, Thomas Szabo, Michele Traub, Susan Wilczynski, and Byron Wine. We also thank the ABAI Student committee-Jovonnie Esquierdo-Leal, Allyson Salzer, and Rita Olla—for assembling the Professional Development Series. Last, but not least, I want to also acknowledge the extraordinary ABAI team for their commitment,

The 47th Annual Convention includes the contributions of more than 2,500 participants. We thank each of you for your support of the convention. We are excited that thousands of behavior analysts and allies continue to gather for the largest behavior analysis event of much to offer the world. \*

# SABA 2021 Senior Student Presenter Grant Recipients

Thank you to all who donated to SABA's Student Presenters Fund for the 47th ABAI Annual Convention. Your generous contributions have supported the registration of the following 41 student presenters!

### Brazil

### Universidade Estadual Paulista-Bauru

Anderson Neves

### Universidade Federal de São Carlos

Ramon Marin Giovan Ribeiro

### Canada

### **Brock University**

Arezu Alami Nicole Bajcar

Emma Chaikowsky

Sarah Davis Avery Keith Autumn Kozluk Samantha Kuno Marie-Chanel Morgan

Paige O'Neill Madeline Pontone Niruba Rasuratnam

Bailey Ross Victoria Scott

Claire Shingleton-Smith Brittney Sureshkumar

Alyssa Treszl

### Université de Montréal

Marie-Michèle Dufour

### **University of Manitoba**

Brittany Cook

### Kenya

**Encompass International; Endicott College** 

Nicole Smilak

### Mexico

### Universidad de Guadalajara,

Kenneth Madrigal Alcaraz Concepcion Serrador Diez

### New Zealand

### **University of Auckland**

Peter Kim

### **United States**

### **Baylor University**

Julia Hrabal

### **Louisiana State University**

Erica Lozy Alison Ruby

### **Marquette University**

Maria Clara Cordeiro Margaret Gifford

### **Purdue University**

Catharine Lory

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Cody Lindbloom

### **University of Kansas**

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### University of Nebraska Medical Center's Munroe-Meyer Institute

Gabriella Van Den Elzen

### **University of North Carolina**

Wilmington

Richelle Hurtado

### **University of North Texas**

Marcus Strum

### **University of South Carolina**

Aaron Check

### **University of Texas Rio Grande Valley**

Ana Ramirez

### **University of Washington**

Alice Bravo

### **Utah State University**

Anthony Nist Sara Peck

# Run the Numbers: Data on the 47th Annual Convention

BY JONATHAN TARBOX

The Program Board looks forward to another strong program at the virtual 47th Annual Convention. Our continued success with this convention is due to the support provided by the ABAI administrative staff and Executive Council. The following is a brief overview of the 2021 convention program.

### **Program Report**

Current call for submissions guidelines state that:

- individuals may serve in the following roles:
  - o presenting author on no more than two posters, and
  - o presenting author/panelist on no more than one oral presentation (paper, individual symposium presentation, or panel), and
  - o chair or discussant on no more than one symposia or panel.
- presentations involving a single study should be submitted as posters, or submitted as part of an integrated symposium.

 for symposia, submissions are encouraged which involve an integrated series of presentations organized around a central theme, involve presentations from multiple institutions rather than from a single laboratory, and contain a discussant outside of the presenting group.

In implementing these guidelines, the Program Board has strengthened the emphasis on submissions addressing diversity, including issues of access (to higher education, services, etc.) of marginalized groups; behavioral science research concerned with topics such as implicit bias in scientific research, interventions aiming to ameliorate the effects of systemic bias, and others; or analyses of discriminatory behavior, of both individual and systems. We have received consultation and support from multiple experts in diversity, including Landria Green, BCBA, and Vanessa Bethea-Miller, BCBA, co-founders of the ABA Taskforce to Eradicate Social Injustice. We invite constructive feedback from the ABAI membership on aspects of the program that are strong, as well as aspects

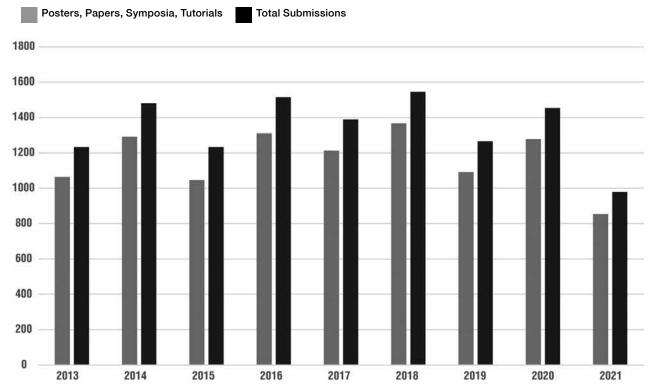


Figure 1. Posters, papers, panels, symposia and tutorials, 1999-2021, compared with total submissions.

of the program that could be further strengthened. The Program Board will continue to review challenges and explore the need for further clarifications of guidelines as we go forward.

There were 979 total submissions for 2021, including 423 posters, 286 panels and symposia, 83 papers, 61 invited presentations/B. F. Skinner Lectures, 46 business meetings, 18 reunions, 108 expo posters, and 58 workshops would be no convention without the committed work of (see Figure 1). While the total number of submissions has decreased from the original on-site 2020 convention, the total number of submissions is 7% higher than the number of presentations that were given at the 2020 virtual convention.

A final version of the convention data will be provided at the ABAI Business Meeting during the convention and in the summer issue of Inside Behavior Analysis. After the convention, all relevant information will be carefully examined by the Program Board, the ABAI office, and Executive Council.

### **Area Coordinators**

The hard work and effort of the area coordinators resulted in 61 invited presentations, including 17 B. F. Skinner lectures. The individuals who contributed to this process include new area co-coordinators Erica Feurbacher (AAB), Regina Carroll (AUT), August Holtyn (BPN), Daniel Fienup (TBA), and Rocio Rosales (VRB). There Program Committee Chair Dr. Amy Odum, all the area coordinators, and the other members of the Program Board. Finally, on behalf of the Program Board, I would like to thank Maria E. Malott and the ABAI staff for their support and guidance.



### 2021 Opening Event and Awards Ceremony

# SABA Awards

### **Chaired by Erin Rasmussen**

(Idaho State University) Friday, May 28, 5:00-6:30 PM

The Society for the Advancement of Behavior Analysis (SABA) provides financial support for the field of behavior analysis. As a 501(c)(3), nonprofit organization, SABA accepts tax-deductible donations, distributes donations through grants and fellowships, and recognizes leaders in behavior analysis with its annual awards ceremony.



# Award for Distinguished Service to Behavior Analysis

### M. Jackson Marr

(Georgia Institute of Technology)

M. Jackson (Jack) Marr received his BS degree in 1961 from Georgia Tech where he studied mathematics, physics, engineering, and psychology. He received a Ph.D. in experimental psychology with a minor in physiology from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1966. He is Professor Emeritus of Psychology at Georgia M. Jackson Marr Tech. He is one of five founding Fellows of the Association for Behavior Analysis, a Fellow of Division 25 (Behavior Analysis) and Division 3 (Experimental Psychology) of the American Psychological Association (APA), a Fellow of the Psychonomic Society, and a Federation of Associations in Behavioral and Brain Sciences Honoree. He was elected twice (the last in 2015) to president of the Association for Behavior Analysis (ABAI), and was president of Division 25 (Behavior Analysis) of APA and the Southeastern Association for Behavior Analysis (SEABA). He was also APA Council member representing Division 25. He is the past editor of Behavior and Philosophy and continues to serve on its editorial board. He also serves as review editor of the Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior, a position he has held since 1998. He served as the coeditor of Revista Mexicana de Análisis de la Conducta and was an associate editor of the



Allen Neuringer Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior

cum laude, from Columbia College in 1962, and Ph.D. from Harvard University in 1967. His thesis advisor was Richard Herrnstein; most important were fellow students Howie Rachlin, Billy Baum, Bruce Schneider, Phil Hineline, Peter Killeen, Ed Fantino, Richard Schuster, and Martha DiNardo Neuringer. He was a professor at Reed College in Portland, Oregon, from 1970 until his retirement as MacArthur Professor of Psychology in 2008, but continued to guide research and teach an upper-division course, "Functional

and The Behavior Analyst. He was experimental representative to the Executive Council of ABAI, served on the Board of Directors of The Society for the Quantitative Analysis of Behavior, and currently serves on the Board of Trustees the Cambridge Center for Behavioral Studies. He has been particularly active in the international support and development of behavior analysis in Great Britain, Europe, Mexico, Brazil, China, and the Middle East. He was a Research Fellow in Pharmacology at Harvard Medical School, a visiting professor at the Universidad National Autonoma de Mexico, and was invited to Jacksonville State University with an Eminent Scholar award. He was a Navy contractor for Project Sanguine and an AIEE Senior Fellow at the Naval Aerospace Medical Research Laboratory. For over 20 years (1991-2012) he was involved through NSF grants and other support in the assessment and improvement of engineering education. This work included design of instructional systems to teach calculus-based engineering physics. Current scholarly interests include dynamical systems theory, the quantitative analysis of behavior, creativity, and theoretical/conceptual issues in behavioral analysis.

### Award for Scientific Translation

### **Allen Neuringer**

(Reed College)

Allen Neuringer graduated from Far Rockaway High School in 1958, received a BA, summa Variability," until this year. Allen and his students have shown that response variability

can be reinforced, much like response topography, force, and speed. Together with his student, Neal Miller, he published the first demonstration that response variability in individuals with autism can be increased and maintained by reinforcers contingent upon that variability. He also published articles on self-control, responding for food when food is otherwise freely available, music discrimination in pigeons and self-experimentation. He recently gave the plenary address at the International Quantified Self Conference. Allen lives in a forest in a house he built (from the ground up) with Martha, his partner in love, and Reed students.

### Award for Dissemination

### **Carmen Luciano**

(Universidad Almeria)

Carmen Luciano received her Ph. D. from the Complutense University of Madrid in 1984. She was professor of psychology at the University of Granada from 1979 to 1993 and been professor of psychology at the University of Almeria since 1994. Her research dedication began on the experimental analysis of language. Her post-doc Fulbright research stay in Boston University and the Cambridge Center for Behavioral Studies was centered in studying problem-solving behavior with Skinner's supervision. This was a critical point in her career as basic researcher. She was involved in equivalence research, rulegoverned behavior and, shortly after, in RFT and ACT research. Her research lab conducts basic creative experimental-applied RFT designs for the analysis of: analogies; coherence; deictic and hierarchical framing in the context of identifying core components of metaphors; false memories; experiential avoidance; values; defusion; self and responding to one's own behavior. Additionally, the lab designs brief ACT protocols and teaches ACT-focused analysis of the conditions under which emotions, thoughts, and valued motivation are brought to the present to build flexibility responding.

# Award for Effective Presentation in the Mass Media

#### **Carl Hart**

(Columbia University)

Carl Hart is the Dirk Ziff Professor of Psychology in the Departments of Psychology and Psychiatry at Columbia University. Prof. Hart has published extensively in the area of neuropsychopharmacology. He is an awardwinning author. His most recent book is entitled Drug Use for Grown-ups: Chasing Liberty in the Land of Fear. Prof. Hart has lectured around the world and has appeared on multiple national television and radio shows, as well as podcasts. In 2016, the city of Miami issued a proclamation declaring February 1 "Dr. Carl Hart Day."



### **Center for Autism and Related Disorders**

The Center for Autism and Related Disorders (CARD) was founded in 1990 by Doreen Granpeesheh, Ph.D., BCBA-D, at the suggestion of O. Ivar Lovaas, Ph.D., who wanted the participants in his groundbreaking study to have an ABA program to attend when they aged out of his University of California, Los Angeles research. What began as a one-woman practice in Westwood, California, grew into the largest ABA provider in the world—with more than 260 clinic locations in 33 states. Having practiced, researched, and advocated for ABA for over 40 years, Dr. Granpeesheh provides a view of the earliest years of behavioral applications to the treatment of autism, and speaks of the ways in which access to ABA has grown, largely as a result of the onset of health insurance funding. Dr. Granpeesheh shares the lessons learned in the field, describes how data-driven decisions continue to shape behavior analysis, and shares her insights on future directions.



**Carmen Luciano** 



**Carl Hart** 



Center for Autism and Related Disorders

# 3. F. Skinner Lecture Series

The B. F. Skinner Lecture Series features distinguished speakers from fields other than behavior analysis. Presenters in this series were selected and invited by the area coordinators.

Applied Animal Behavior

**How Do Similarly Raised Wolves** and Dogs Relate to Their Human **Companions? Looking at Dog Domestication From a Behavioural and** Monday, May 31; 5:00 pm **Hormonal Perspective** 

Monday, May 30; 9:00 am



Sarah Marshall-Pescini Domestication Lab. Konrad Lorenz Institute of Ethology, Veterinary Medicine

Wolf Science Centre,

University of Vienna

Autism **Beyond Translation: Ethnic Disparities** on Early Identification and Access to Services of Children With Autism **Spectrum Disorder** 

Saturday, May 29; 5:00 pm



Cecilia Montiel-Nava University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

Behavioral Development Improving Observed Parenting and Enhancing Well-Being in Parents of Young Not Quite Human: Black Folks, Children With Autism Spectrum Disorder



Teachers College, Columbia University

Marla Brassard

Community, Social, and Sustainability Issues **Racialization, and Social Context** 

Monday, May 31; 3:00 pm



**Bruce Haynes** University of California, Davis

Behavioral Pharmacology and Neuroscience

**Exploring the Health Consequences of Cannabis in Animal Models** 

Monday, May 31; 3:00 pm



Michael A. Taffe UC San Diego Health



Teaching Tool-Skills to Fluency: The Journey From the Skinner Box to the **Operating Room** 

Sunday, May 30; 11:00 am



I. Martin Levy Montefiore

Developmental Disabilities

Marrying ABA and the Medical System: **Multi-Disciplinary Treatment Systems** and Novel Approaches for Challenging **Behaviors in Youth With Autism** 

Saturday, May 29; 9:00 am



**Matthew Siegel** Maine Behavioral Healthcare

Education

Trauma Informed Classrooms: Helping **Every Child Succeed** 

Monday, May 31; 10:00 am



**Antoinette Miranda** The Ohio State University

# Experimental Analysis of Behavior

### **Learning to Stop Responding**

Monday, May 31; 11:00 am



Mark E. Bouton University of Vermont

### Practice

### A Parent Perspective: The Art and Science of Creating a Resilient **Partnership With Parents**

Monday, May 31; 5:00 pm



Chrissy McNair

# **PHAME**



Somer Bishop University of California, San Francisco

# Organizational Behavior Management

### Total Worker Health®: An Invitation to Join In!

Saturday, May 29; 4:00 pm



Ryan Olson Oregon Health & Science University

### Science

### **Onward and Upward: Behavioral** Science Principles and Practice in **Human Space Exploration**

Sunday, May 30; 9:00 am



Peter Roma NASA Johnson Space Center

### Verbal Behavior

### **Promoting Equity in Assessment** and Intervention With Young Dual-**Language Learners**

Teaching Behavior Analysis

Meaningful Measurement of Behavior to

**Advance Clinical Practice and Research** 

**Assessment Beyond Diagnosis:** 

in Neurodevelopmental Disorders

Sunday, May 30; 6:00 pm



Lillian Durán University of Oregon

### Philosophical, Conceptual, and Historical Issues

### **Experimental and Behavioral Psychology at Harvard From William** James to B. F. Skinner

Monday, May 25; 9:00 am



Sara Schechner Harvard University

### The Fiction of Memory Sunday, May 30; 3:00 pm



Elizabeth Loftus University of California at Irvine

### **Epigenetic Learning: The Shape of Plasticity**

Monday, May 31; 10:00 am



Eva Jablonka Tel-Aviv University; London School of **Economics** 

# Invited Events

Applied Animal Behavior

Fido, No! Using Principles From
Behaviour Analysis to Investigate Canine
Undesired Behaviour, Owner Training,
and Interventions

Correction: What's Your T
Sunday, May 30; 12:00 pm
And

Sunday, May 30; 9:00 am



Nicole Pfaller-Sadovsky Queen's University Belfast

Behavior Analysis as an Animal-Care Tool in Zoos and Aquariums

Monday, May 31; 9:00 am



Christy A. Alligood University of Florida; Disney's Animal Kingdom

Autism

Beyond Intervention: How Behaviour Analysis Can Contribute to an Understanding of Autism Spectrum Disorder

Sunday, May 30; 9:00 am



**Francesca Degli Espinosa**ABA Clinic

Prompting, Stimulus Control, Error Correction: What's Your Teaching Ritual?



**Andy Bondy**Pyramid Educational
Consultants, Inc.

Behavioral Development
The Interaction Between Development
and Instruction

Monday, May 31; 9:00 am



**Kieva Hranchuk** St. Lawrence College

Behavioral Pharmacology and Neuroscience

Disseminating Behavioral Intervention for Drug Abuse Across the USA: A Behavior Analysis Story

Monday, May 31; 4:00 pm



**Anthony DeFulio** Western Michigan University

Clinical, Family, Behavioral Medicine

Private Events, Selfing Behaviors, and Responding to the Own Behavior

Saturday, May 29; 10:00 am



Carmen Luciano University of Almería; Madrid Institute Contextual Psychology, MICPSY

Using Contingency Management and Behavioral Economics to Study Health-Related Behavior

Sunday, May 30; 9:00 am



Wendy Donlin Washington University of North Carolina Wilmington

Community, Social, and Sustainability Issues

Behavioral Treatments for Epilepsy in Developing Nations

Saturday, May 29; 10:00 am



**JoAnne Dahl** University of Uppsala

Transformative Change: On the Front Lines of Social Justice

Sunday, May 30; 12:00 pm



**Shahla Ala'i** University of North Texas

### **PANEL: The Social Context: How** Sociologists Can Help Behaviorists and How Behaviorists Can Help **Sociologists Address Inequality**

Monday, May 31; 4:00 pm



**Bruce Haynes** University of California, Davis

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**Gandonou Horr** 

Florida Institute of

Technology



Sunday, May 30; 4:00 pm

Education

Christopher H. Skinner The Univesity of Tennessee



**Alternating Treatments Designs:** 

**Interpretation Errors and Solutions** 

**Problematic Mobile Phone Use as** Impulsive Choice: A Behavioral **Economic Approach** 

Sunday, May 30; 10:00 am



**Analysis in Spanish-Speaking** 

**Developmental Disabilities** 

Monday, May 31; 11:00 am

Countries: Making a Difference in the

Lives of Children With Autism and

Vanessa Bethea-Miller Bethea-Miller Behavioral Consulting



Yusuke Hayashi Alcanzando

### Developmental Disabilities Organizational Behavior Management **Translational OBM Research and Its Relevance for Practice**

Sunday, May 30; 5:00 pm



Florence DiGennaro Reed University of Kansas

Philosophical, Conceptual, and Historical Issues

### **Developing a Behavioural Account of** Consciousness

Monday, May 31; 10:00 am



Julian Leslie **Ulster University** 

### **Analyzing Behavior-Environment Interactions: Why Movement Cycles** Matter

Monday, May 31; 11:00 am



Jesús Rosales-Ruiz University of North Texas

### Practice

Systemic Behavior Analysis: A **Therapeutic Approach for Optimizing Best Practices for Children With Autism Spectrum Disorder and Their Families** Saturday, May 29; 9:00 am



Angeliki Gena University of Athens



Mapy Chavez Askins Alcanzando

### Science

PANEL: Quantitative Theories of Relapse The Use of Endophenotypes to Further to Improve Functional Communication **Training: A Panel With Discussion** 

Saturday, May 29; 11:00 am



**Andrew Craig** State University of New York Upstate Medical University

Joel Ringdahl

University of Georgia

**Timothy Shahan** 

**Utah State University** 



Sunday, May 24; 10:00 am

Sandra Sanchez-Roige University of California, San Diego; Vanderbilt University Medical Center



**Designing Skill Acquisition Programs: Considerations and Recommendations** 



Lamis Baowaidan Dar Al-Hekma University

### Verbal Behavior

**ACoLE/BARR: Behavioral Assessment** Our Understanding of Psychiatric Genetics of Reading and Writing: Analyzing Student's Skills and Establishing **Teaching Goals** 

Saturday, May 29; 10:00 am



Deisy de Souza Universidade Federal de São Carlos

**Bidirectional Naming and Problem Solving** 

Saturday, May 29; 3:00 pm



Caio Miguel California State University, Sacramento



Saturday, May 29; 12:00 pm



With Discussion

Casey Clay University of Missouri



Tiffany Kodak Marquette University



Darlene E. Crone-Todd Salem State University



Aaron Fischer University of Utah



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# Invited Events: Thematic Track

This year's thematic track focuses on bias in behavior analysis research, assessment, treatment, publication, and access to services. Attendees will leave with a better understanding of how bias presents itself, how it affects groups and individuals, and how to reduce bias in the field of behavior analysis.

### **SYMPOSIUM: Cultural Biases in Assessment, Treatment, and Access** to ABA Services

Saturday, May 29; 11:00 am

### The Role of Culture for the Global **Dissemination of Behavior Analysis**



Maithri Sivaraman Ghent University: Tendrils Centre for

**Autism** 

**Lessons Learned From Behavior Analysts of Color on How to Become Stronger Accomplices** 



Jonathan Tarbox University of Southern California; FirstSteps for Kids

**DEI, Bias, and Cultural Humility: Putting** It All Together for Social Justice Change



Nasiah Cirincione-Ulezi ULEZI, LLC; Pivot 2 Inclusion; The Chicago School of Professional Psychology; Capella University



Noor Syed SUNY Empire State College; Anderson Center International; **Endicott College** 

### **PANEL: Exploring Publication Bias in Behavior Analysis Research**

Saturday, May 29; 4:00 pm



Mark Galizio University of North Carolina Wilmington



Joel Ringdahl Salem State University



**Jason Travers** Temple University

# Invited Events: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion The Association for Behavior Analysis International encourages diversity and inclusiveness in the field of behavior

analysis broadly, and within the organization specifically. Diversity refers to differences in race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, country of origin, religious or spiritual beliefs, ability, and social and economic class. The following sessions have been invited to provide support for efforts to foster a climate of diversity, equity, and inclusion in the behavior analysis and ABAI.

to the Future for Black Behaviorists

**PANEL: Applying Our Science to** Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion: A **Conversation With the ABAI DEI Board** Saturday, May 29; 5:00 pm



Shahla Ala'i University of North Texas



Sunday, May 30; 10:00 am

Adrienne Bradley **Black Applied Behavior Analysts** 

PANEL: Building a Bridge From the Past PANEL: Management of Bias: Behavior



**Science Meets Medical Education** 

Saturday, May 29; 12:00 pm

Neda Etezadi-Amoli University of Nevada, Reno School of Medicine



Jovonnie Esquierdo-University of Nevada, Reno



Erika Byers **Black Applied Behavior Analysts** 



Ramona Houmanfar University of Nevada, Reno



Elizabeth Fong Pepperdine University



**Denisha Gingles Black Applied** Behaviors Analysts



Negar "Nicole" **Jacobs** University of Nevada School of Medicine

Melissa Piasecki

University of Nevada

School of Medicine



R. Wayne Fuqua Western Michigan University



Ramona A. Houmanfar University of Nevada, Reno



Jomella Watson-Thompson University of Kansas



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# Invited Tutorials

Behavioral Development

0 to 60: Establishing Conditioned **Reinforcers and Inducing Observing** Responses

Saturday, May 29; 9:00 am



Lin Du Teachers College, Columbia University

Using Modern Technology to Incorporate A Call for Discussion About Scope of the Principles of Behavior Analysis Into **Remote Training and Supervision** 

Sunday, May 24; 10:00 am



Bryan Blair Long Island University-Brooklyn



Matthew T. **Brodhead** Michigan State University

Practice **Managing Distress During Medical/** 

Dental Appointments is Like... Well, It's **Like Pulling Teeth!** 

Sunday, May 30; 10:00 am



Keith D. Allen Munroe-Meyer Institute, University of Nebraska Medical Center



Center for Applied Behavior Analysis: **Building Connections** Behavioral Health

Jesslyn Farros



**Cheryl Davis** Russell Sage College; SupervisorABA

**Realizing the Potential of Applied Behavior Analysis to Improve Outcomes in Adolescents and Young** Pepperdine University: Adults With Autism

**Competence in Behavior Analysis** 

Monday, May 31; 11:00 am



Peter Gerhardt The EPIC School

**Building Independence and Complex** Social Play in Children With **Autism Spectrum Disorders Using Photographic Activity Schedules and Social Scripts** 

Sunday, May 30; 3:00 pm



Thomas Higbee Utah State University

**Professional Competency: You May** Have It Now, But Can You Keep It? Monday, May 31; 12:00 pm



Edward J. Daly III University of Nebraska-Lincoln

### SOAB Tutorials

The Society for Quantitative Analyses of Behavior (SQAB) will be sponsoring the following tutorials at the 47th ABAI Annual Convention online:

### **Using Quantitative Theories of Relapse** to Improve Functional Communication **Training**

Saturday, May 29; 9:00 am



Brian D. Greer Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School

# **How Advanced Computer Technology Behavior Analysis**

Saturday, May 29; 11:00 am



Ellie Kazemi California State University, Northridge

### **Back to the Lab: Human Behavioral** can Advance Research and Practice in Pharmacology Methods, Outcomes and Meanings

Saturday, May 29; 3:00 pm



William W. Stoops University of Kentucky

# **Behavior and** Social Is

Affiliated with the Behaviorists for Social Responsibility special interest group, Behavior and Social Issues is a peer-reviewed, interdisciplinary scientific journal which serves as a primary scholarly outlet for articles that advance the analysis of human social behavior, particularly with regard to understanding and influencing significant social problems. The journal is particularly interested in publishing work related to issues with social justice, human rights, and sustainability implications, but all serious social issues are of interest. Articles considered for publication should be grounded in behavior analytic and behavioral systems science.

The primary intellectual framework for the journal is the science of behavior analysis and its sub-discipline of cultural systems analysis, but contributions from contrasting viewpoints will occasionally be considered if of specific interest to behavior analysts. We recommend that potential authors examine recent issues to determine whether their work is appropriate to the journal. Appropriate contributions include theoretical and conceptual analyses, research articles and brief reports, dialogues, research reviews, and book reviews. Behavior and Social Issues is an appropriate forum for the work of senior scholars in the field, many of whom serve on the editorial board, as well as for the work of emerging scholars, including students, who have an interest in the contributions of a natural science of behavior to constructing cultures of social justice, human rights, and environmental sustainability.

Visit www.abainternational.org/journals/bsi to learn more.

### **Convention Highlights**

Presidential Address Discourse in 2021: Some Observations From a Radical Behaviorist Monday, May 31, 6:00 pm-6:50 pm



### Carol Pilgrim (University of North Carolina Wilmington)

Dr. Carol Pilgrim received her Ph.D. from the University of Florida in 1987 with a specialization in the Experimental Analysis of Behavior. She is currently Professor of Psychology at the University been a highlight of our recent history in this of North Carolina Wilmington, where she has been honored with a Distinguished Teaching Professorship (1994–1997), the North Carolina Board of Governors Teaching Excellence Award (2003), the Faculty Scholarship Award (2000), and the Graduate Mentor Award (2008). She **Carol Pilgrim** received the Chancellor's Teaching Excellence Award and the College of Arts and Sciences Excellence in Teaching Award in 1992, the ABAI inception, and it has been suggested (e.g., Student Committee Outstanding Mentor Award in 2006, and the ABAI Distinguished Service to Behavior Analysis award in 2017. Her research contributions include both basic and applied behavior analysis, with an emphasis in human operant behavior, relational stimulus control, and the early detection of breast cancer. Dr. Pilgrim has served as editor of The Behavior Analyst, associate editor of the Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior, and The Behavior Analyst, co-editor of the Experimental Analysis of Human Behavior Bulletin, and as a member of the editorial boards of those and several other journals. She is a Fellow of the Association for Behavior Analysis International and of Division 25 of the American Psychological Association. She has served as President of the Association for Behavior operants, allowing for those of considerable Analysis, the Society for the Advancement of Behavior Analysis, Division 25 of the American Psychological Association, and the Southeastern Association for Behavior Analysis. Additionally, she has been Member-at-large of the Executive Council of ABA and Division 25, and member of the Boards of Directors of the Society for the Experimental Analysis of Behavior, the Society for the Advancement of Behavior Analysis, and the Cambridge Center for Behavioral Studies.

### Abstract

Characterizing one's behaviorism as radical entails a world view that is simultaneously fundamental in its emphasis on selection by the environment as the origin of behavior, whether public or private; thoroughgoing in its relevance to all dimensions of human endeavor, from simple reflexes to complex social systems; and extreme in its focus on changing the social environment to impact critical cultural reforms (e.g., Malagodi, 1996). Indeed, increasing attention to cultural behavior analysis has field, and significant strides have been made in expanding analyses beyond the molecular contingencies operating at the level of the individual to the meta- and macro-contingencies in effect for groups of individuals (e.g., Glenn, 2004). Of course, a cultural-level perspective has been a defining feature of most, if not all, of our sister social sciences from their Malagodi, 1996) that behavior analysis could gain much from seeking alignment of our basic principles with complementary approaches and methodologies found useful in the broader social science arena. A case in point involves the study of discourse, defined conventionally as "extended expression of thought on a subject in connected speech or writing" and "rooted in concrete contexts such as history or institutions" (Merriam-Webster Dictionary). A scholarly target of multiple social science disciplines, quantitative and qualitative analytic strategies have been developed to better characterize, and study the function(s) of, a given discourse. In considering alignments, Skinner's own analysis (1957) detailed differences in size across verbal extent, and he discussed discourse-like phenomena not infrequently, as in his treatment of the difficulties presented by the literatures of freedom and of dignity for a science of behavior (e.g., 1953, 1971). It will be argued here that important dimensions of current events on the national scene, as well as within behavior analysis, could also be described in terms of conflict in discourse and that, in seeking to find solutions, we might be wise to undertake a more broadly informed and truly radical approach to understanding the nature of discourse, its selection and transmission, and its impact on other modes of behavior. The extent to which

a given discourse can function as a unit, and as a significant form of cultural practice, will be explored through examples.

# Presidential Scholar's Address Breaking the Intergenerational Cycle of Adversity Friday, May 28, 6:30 pm-7:20 pm

Nadine Burke Harris (California Surgeon General)

Dr. Nadine Burke Harris is an award-winning physician, researcher, and advocate dedicated to changing the way our society responds to one of the most serious, expensive, and widespread public health crises of our time: childhood trauma. She was appointed as California's first-ever Surgeon General by Governor Gavin Newsom in January 2019. Dr. Burke Harris' career has been dedicated to serving vulnerable communities and combating the root causes of health disparities. After completing her residency at Stanford, she founded a clinic in one of San Francisco's most underserved communities, Bayview Hunters Point. It was there that Burke Harris observed that, despite the implementation of national best-practices for immunizations, asthma, obesity treatment and other preventive health measures, her patients still faced outsized risks for poor health, development, and behavioral outcomes. Drawing in research from the CDC and Kaiser Permanente, Dr. Burke Harris identified Adverse Childhood Experiences as a major risk factor affecting the health of her patients. In 2011, she founded the Center for Youth Wellness and subsequently grew the organization to be a national leader in the effort to advance pediatric medicine, raise public awareness, and transform the way society responds to children exposed to Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) and toxic stress. She also founded and led the Bay Area Research analysis, and more. Come mingle with other Consortium on Toxic Stress and Health, to advance scientific screening and treatment of toxic stress. She currently serves as a government winners and participants. liaison for the American Academy of Pediatrics' National Advisory Board for Screening and sat on the board of the Committee on Applying Neurobiological and Socio-behavioral Sciences From Prenatal Through Early Childhood Development: A Health Equity Approach for the National Academy of Medicine.

#### Abstract

A consensus of scientific research demonstrates that cumulative adversity, especially when experienced during childhood development, is a root cause to some of the most harmful, persistent, and expensive health and societal challenges facing our nation. Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) and toxic stress are a public health crisis that require a coordinated cross-sector response. As California's first Surgeon General, Dr. Nadine Burke Harris has set a bold goal to reduce ACEs and toxic stress by half in one generation in California. Dr. Burke Harris will present on evidence-based early interventions, California's ACEs Aware state-wide initiative to train health care providers on how to screen for ACEs and the cross sector approaches needed to truly have an impact on the individual child, their families and the broader community.



**Nadine Burke Harris** 

### Student Committee **Events**

Student Welcome Event Chair: Allyson R Salzer (University of Kansas)

Friday, May 28, 2:00 pm-3:30 pm The ABAI Student Committee will host a special Welcome Event for current and future student members. During this session, Student Committee Members will review useful information for navigating the virtual platform to help you make the best of your convention experience.

### Student Trivia Night Chair: Rita Olla (University of Nevada, Reno)

Friday, May 28, 3:30 pm-5:00 pm Grab your friends and join the Student Committee for our annual Trivia Event, hosted by leading researchers and academics in the field of behavior analysis. Test your knowledge about the ABAI organization, the field of behavior students and kick off the conference with a friendly game of trivia! Prizes available for the

Peering Behind the Curtain: ABAI Journal Editors Discuss the Peer Review Process TBA/OBC; Theory

Chair: Donald A. Hantula (Temple University) Saturday, May 29, 3:00 pm-3:50 pm

- Mark A. Mattaini (Jane Addams College of Social Work-University of Illinois at Chicago)
- Stephanie M. Peterson (Western Michigan University)
- · Tiffany Kodak (Marquette University)

Success in Academia: Developing Teaching and Service Repertoires TBA; Theory

Chair: Jonathan A. Schulz (University of Kansas)

Saturday, May 29, 4:00 pm-4:50 pm

- Linda J. Parrott Hayes (University of Nevada, Reno)
- Ruth Anne Rehfeldt (The Chicago School of Professional Psychology, Chicago)
- · Janet S. Twyman (blast)

How to Obtain a Research Grant: Topics of Proposal Writing to Funding EDC: Theory

Chair: Rebecca Seward (Southern Illinois University)

Saturday, May 29, 5:00 pm-5:50 pm

- Wayne W. Fisher (Rutgers Robert Wood Johnson Medical School)
- Claire C. St. Peter (West Virginia University)
- · Amy Odum (Utah State University)

Finding Success After Graduation: Creating and Submitting Job Application Materials TBA: Theory

Chair: Rita Olla (University of Nevada, Reno)

Sunday, May 30, 3:00 pm-3:50 pm

- Mark Galizio (University of North Carolina Wilmington)
- · Diana J. Walker (Visions LLC)
- Albert Malkin (Western University)

Finding Success After Graduation: Interviewing for Positions TBA; Theory

Chair: Allyson R. Salzer (University of Kansas)

Sunday, May 30, 4:00 pm-4:50 pm

- Richard Wayne Fuqua (Western Michigan University)
- Joseph D. Dracobly (University of North Texas)
- Bethany P. Young (University of Nevada, Reno)

Finding Success After Graduation: Establishing Yourself in the First Few Years TBA; Service Delivery

Chair: Jovonnie L. Esquierdo-Leal (University of Nevada, Reno)

Sunday, May 30, 5:00 pm-5:50 pm

- Nicole Gravina (University of Florida)
- Corina Jimenez-Gomez (Auburn University)
- Jessica Foster Juanico (University of Kansas)

How to Approach Social and Systemic Change CSS/OBM; Service Delivery

Chair: Edward Brandon Amezquita (University of North Texas)

Monday, May 31, 4:00 pm-4:50 pm

- Traci M. Cihon (University of North Texas)
- Ramona Houmanfar (University of Nevada, Reno)
- Jomella Watson-Thompson (University of Kansas)

Identifying and Combating Ableism in Applied Practice AUT/DDA; Service Delivery

Chair: Rachel Commodario (Rollins College)

Monday, May 31, 5:00 pm-5:50 pm

- Dana M. Affrunti (Southern Illinois University)
- Joseph Veneziano (University of Massachusetts, Lowell)
- Katelyn Elizabeth Kendrick (Innovations Developmental Solutions)

Rememberances Standing on the Shoulders of a Giant: Remembrances of Jack Michael

Chair: Henry D. Schlinger (California State University, LA), Mark L. Sundberg (Sundberg and Associates)

Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-8:30 pm Jack Michael's influence on the field of behavior analysis was profound. His refinement and extension of several of our basic concepts and principles (e.g., establishing operations, positive and negative reinforcement, automatic reinforcement, verbal behavior) has greatly advanced our understanding of human behavior. However, Jack's legacy may be most obvious in the numerous students he taught over the years, many of whom have had distinguished careers as researchers, practitioners, and teachers in their own right. Each has made significant contributions to behavior analysis, thus extending Jack's legacy even further. Six of Jack's students from his early days of teaching will offer comments and insights regarding Jack. Following their remarks, audience members will be allowed to provide very brief remarks about Jack.

Other Special Events International Task Force on Education in Behavior Science and Application Chair: Peter R. Killeen (Arizona State University)

Saturday, May 29, 11:00 am-12:50 pm

- Jenna Mrljak (Association for Behavior Analysis International)
- Smita Awasthi (Behavior Momentum India)
- · Kanako Otsui (Kindai University)
- Ingunn Sandaker (Oslo Metropolitan University)

The ABAI Task Force on International Education has been working to create a model to improve educational opportunities and develop formal recognition of behavior analysts that could be adapted for individual countries. Constituents from Brazil, Italy, Mexico, South Africa, and Spain will provide an update on the task force progress. We welcome the attendance of in Behavior Analysis all those interested in this effort.

Cultural Behavior Science VCS Practicum: Design and Evaluate Learning Experiences in the Field Chair: Sarah M. Richling (Auburn University)

Monday, May 31, 11:00 am-11:50 am

- Mark P. Alavosius (Praxis2LLC)
- · Brett Gelino (University of Kansas)
- Kristen Brogan (Auburn University)
- · Sigrid S. Glenn (University of North Texas)

This panel discussion examines how the Cultural Behavior Science VCS practicum might be designed to optimize student learning, foster outreach from VCS approved curricula into the community, refine concepts/procedures in community/ culture behavior change and assemble resources to orchestrate success. The panel invites discussion with the ABAI community to illuminate pathways ahead, barriers, and solutions as the field seeks to transfer expertise in cultural behavior science towards socially important issues related to sustainability, diversity, social justice, and other "wicked problems."

### Diversity Sessions (non-invited)

On Antiracist Actions Chair: Cody Morris (Salve Regina University)

Saturday, May 23, 9:00 am-9:50 am

To Change We Must Understand: A Behavioral Data Science and Culturo-Behavior Systems Science Analysis of Policing Chair: Holly Seniuk (Behavior Analyst **Certification Board)** Discussant: John O'Neill (Contextual **Behavioral Science Institute)** Saturday, May 29, 9:00 am-9:50 am

An International Cultural Perspective on Interprofessional Collaboration Freedom or Exploitation: Chair: Tracie L. Lindblad (First Bridge Centre, London, UK; Tracie Lindblad Consulting)

Saturday, May 29, 9:00 am-9:50 am

Exploring Barriers to Treatment With Stakeholder Driven Research: Giving BCBAs a Seat at the Table Chair: Krista M. Clancy (Wayne State University)

Saturday, May 29, 11:00 am-11:50 am

Culture, Race, and Behavior Analysis Chair: Mychal Machado (University of Alaska Anchorage) Saturday, May 29, 11:00 am-12:50 pm

Keep that House! How a Culturo-Behavioral Science Analysis May Improve Housing Stability for Families Who Have **Experienced Homelessness** Chair: Richard F. Rakos (Cleveland State University)

Saturday, May 29, 11:30 am-11:55 am

The Road Less Traveled: Revolutionizing Applied Behavior Analysis Chair: Samantha Fuesy (Adapt & Transform Behavior, LLC) Saturday, May 29, 12:00 pm-12:50 pm

Toward an Inclusive and Diverse Behavior Analysis: Advantages and Barriers to International Collaboration Chair: Elana Keissa Sickman (Missouri State University) Saturday, May 29, 12:00 pm-12:50 pm

Incorporating Multiculturalism and Antiracism in Behavior Analysis Chair: Corina Jimenez-Gomez (Auburn University)

Saturday, May 29, 3:00 pm-3:50 pm

The Integration of Behavior Analysis in a Capitalistic System Chair: Adam Peal (The Behavioral **Education Research Initiative)** Saturday, May 29, 3:00 pm-3:50 pm

Building a Coalition to Amplify the Impact of Behavioral Science Chair: Tiffany Dubuc (University of Nevada, Reno; King Faisal Specialist **Hospital & Research Center)** Saturday, May 29, 5:00 pm-5:50 pm

Beyond Direct Assessment and Treatment: Addressing the Safety of Individuals Who Engage in Problem Behavior When First Responders Must be Called Chair: Sarah Slocum (Marcus Autism Center and Emory School of Medicine) Saturday, May 29, 6:00 pm-6:50 pm

Bridging the Gap: The Establishment of Behavior Analysis Professional Associations Across Latin America

Chair: Amanda Bueno dos Santos (CEDIN) Saturday, May 29, 6:00 pm—6:50 pm

Compassionate Online Education in a Post-COVID-19 World Chair: Laura L. Dudley (Northeastern

Saturday, May 29, 6:00 pm-6:50 pm

Culture and Diversity SIG Meeting

University)

Chair: Robyn M. Catagnus (The Chicago School of Professional Psychology) Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Behavior Gerontology Special Interest Group Chair: Claudia Drossel (Eastern Michigan University; Center for the Advancement of Neurobehavioral Health) Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Establishing Equitable Policies in a Diverse Workplace

Chair: Maria Sasaki Solis (The Reilly Behavioral Group, LLC)

Chair: Tedi Renee Teabout (ABA Adaptive Services)

Chair: Maria Sasaki Solis (The Reilly Behavioral Group, LLC)

Sunday, May 30, 11:30 am–11:55 am

Sunday, May 30, 9:00 am-9:25 am

Unchartered Territories for Behavior Analysts: New Frontiers for the Science We Love (A Scientific Framework for Compassion and Social Justice: Contributor Series) Chair: Robyn M. Catagnus (The Chicago School of Professional Psychology) Sunday, May 30, 9:00 am—9:50 am

Cultural Representation and Responsiveness in Behavior Analytic Research Chair: Emily Gregori (University of Illinois at Chicago)

Sunday, May 30, 9:00 am-9:50 am

Changing Workplace
Culture: Making the
Workplace Inclusive for All
(A Scientific Framework for
Compassion and Social
Justice: Contributor Series)
Chair: Kate Elizabeth Harrison (Brett
DiNovi & Associates, BCBA)
Sunday, May 30, 9:00 am—9:50 am

Evaluation of Culturally Responsive Assessments and Treatments Chair: Daniel Kwak (University of South Florida)

Sunday, May 30, 10:00 am-10:50 am

Passport Pedagogy:
Excellence in Applied
Behavior Analysis from
China and Italy
Chair: Lin Du (Teachers College, Columbia
University)

Sunday, May 30, 11:00 am-12:50 pm

Leading Through Crisis: Coming Together to Come Out Strong Chair: Maria Sasaki Solis (The Reilly Behavioral Group, LLC) Sunday, May 30, 11:30 am–11:55 am

Participant Identity in Behavior Analysis: Current Landscape and Future Directions Chair: Malika N. Pritchett (Positive Enlightenment, Inc.; The Chicago School of Professional Psychology at Dallas) Sunday, May 30, 12:00 pm-12:50 pm

Bringing ABA to the World: Changes Across Cultures, Borders, and Disciplines Chair: Dipti Mudgal (Ball State University) Sunday, May 30, 12:00 pm—12:50 pm

Derived Relational Responding is Pervasive in Addressing Disability, Autonomy, and Stigma Chair: Lindsey Audrey Marie Dennis (Missouri State University) Sunday, May 30, 3:00 pm—3:50 pm Burnout and Bias: Assessing Medical Student Well-Being and Patient Care from a Contextual Perspective Chair: Ramona Houmanfar (University of Nevada, Reno)
Sunday, May 30, 3:00 pm-3:50 pm

Supporting College Students With and Without Autism Spectrum Disorder Chair: Christopher Manente (Rutgers Center for Adult Autism Services, Rutgers University)

Sunday, May 30, 3:00 pm-4:50 pm

A Behavior Analysis of Social Injustice and Gender Discrimination: Relational Frames, Psychological Flexibility, and Discounting Chair: Taylor Marie Lauer (Missouri State University) Sunday, May 30, 3:00 pm-4:50 pm

Lessons Learned by Behavior Analysts From Areas Working on Fully Implementing an ABA Medicaid Benefit Chair: Gordon Bourland (Trinity Behavioral Associates and TxABA Public Policy Committee)

Sunday, May 30, 4:00 pm-5:50 pm

Recent Developments in Verbal Behavior Research: Updates from the Verbal Behavior Special Interest Group Chair: Lauren Schnell (Hunter College, City of New York) Sunday, May 30, 4:00 pm-5:50 pm

Evaluations of Telehealth-Delivered, Culturally Adapted, and Caregiver-Implemented Functional Analysis and Functional Communication Training Around the World Chair: Yaniz C. Padilla Dalmau (Seattle

Sunday, May 30, 6:00 pm-6:50 pm

Children's Hospital)

Whose Outcome Is It Anyway?

Chair: April Linden (University of North Texas)

Sunday, May 30, 6:00 pm-6:50 pm

Hindsight's 2020: Missteps, Mistakes, and Lessons Learned for the Future of Ethics in Behavior Analysis Chair: Darren Sush (Cigna; Pepperdine University)

Sunday, May 30, 6:00 pm-6:50 pm

Providing School-Based Interventions for Autism Spectrum Disorder in Qatar With and Without a Formal Diagnosis: A Service Delivery Model Chair: Shariffah Azzaam (Qatar Foundation; Florida Institute of Technology)

Monday, May 31, 9:00 am-9:50 am

Increasing Cultural
Responsiveness: Empirical
and Applied Efforts in the
Work With Latinx Caregivers
of Individuals With Autism
Spectrum Disorder
Chair: Sebastian Garcia-Zambrano
(Southern Illinois University)
Monday, May 31, 9:00 am—9:50 am

Diversity in Behavior Analysis: Cultural Competence, Neurodiversity, Ableism, and Practicing What We Should Be Preaching Chair: Diana J. Walker (Visions, LLC; The Chicago School of Professional Psychology)

Monday, May 31, 9:00 am-10:50 am

Why Language Matters in a Social Justice Framework: Exploring the Implications of Language on Social Issues and Developing New Verbal Repertoires (A Compassion and Social Justice: Contributor Series) Chair: Meredith Andrews (The Chicago School of Professional Psychology) Monday, May 31, 11:00 am—11:50 am

Cultural Diversity and Professional Skills in Higher Education and Supervision Chair: Andresa De Souza (University of Missouri St. Louis)

Monday, May 31, 11:00 am-12:50 pm

Response to Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis' Statement of Concern on Rekers and Lovaas (1974) Chair: Austin Hunter Johnson (University of California, Riverside)

Monday, May 31, 11:30 am-11:55 am

See, Say, Do: Using Behavior Skills Training to Teach Behavior Practitioners to Stand Up Against Social Injustice and Discrimination Monday, May 31, 12:00 pm-12:25 pm Chair: Landria Green (Momentum Autism Therapy)

Creating Systemic Change in Applied Behavior Analysis Behavioral Chair: Shawn Capell (Covenant 15:16 LLC) of Privilege Monday, May 31, 12:00 pm—12:50 pm Chair: Thomas I

Language and Culture Matter: Considerations for Service Delivery and Treatment Planning for the Spanish-Speaking Community Chair: Mariela Hostetler (University of Nevada, Reno)

Monday, May 31, 3:00 pm-3:50 pm

Changing Culture Within the Field of ABA: Addressing the Need for Cultural Shifts Across the Field (A Scientific Framework for Compassion and Social Justice: Contributor Series) Chair: Shaneeria K Persaud (United Behavior Analysis, Inc.)

Monday, May 31, 3:00 pm—3:50 pm

Nurturing Neurodivergence: A Glance Toward a Humbler and More Inclusive Field of Applied Behavior Analysis Chair: Julie A Angstadt (Hummingbird ABA Therapy; Strawberry Fields Inc.) Monday, May 31, 3:00 pm-4:50 pm

Identifying and Combating Ableism in Applied Practice Monday, May 31, 5:00 pm-5:50 pm Chair: Rachel Commodario (Rollins College)

Monday, May 31, 5:00 pm-5:50 pm

Parent Barrier Behaviors and Recommended Treatment Indications 2.0 Chair: Diana Davis Wilson (Aspen Behavioral Consulting; Arizona Association for Behavior Analysis) Monday, May 31, 5:00 pm–5:50 pm

Contextualizing, Checking, and Challenging Privilege: Exploring Traditional and Behavioral Conceptualizations of Privilege

Chair: Thomas B. Sease (Texas Christian University, Louisiana Contextual Science Research Group)

Monday, May 31, 5:00 pm-5:50 pm

Sexual Behavior: Research and Practice Special Interest Group Chair: Barbara Gross (Missouri Behavior Consulting; Special School District of St Louis County) Monday, May 31, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

# Sustainability Sessions

(non-invited)

Behavioral Barriers to Climate Sustainability: A Challenge to Our Field Chair: Susan M. Schneider (Root Solutions)

Saturday, May 29, 12:00 pm-12:50 pm

Supporting Local Development of Sustainable Applied Behavior Analysis and Telehealth Practices in Australia and Europe Chair: Sheri Kingsdorf (Masaryk University)

Saturday, May 29, 4:00 pm-4:50 pm

The Future of ABA: The Direction of the Field and How We Will Advance the Utility of the Science (A Scientific Framework for Compassion and Social Justice: Contributor Series) Chair: Barbara Gross (Missouri Behavior Consulting; Special School District of St. Louis County)

Sunday, May 30, 10:00 am-10:50 am

Acting to Save the World: An Update on Projects of the Behaviorists for Social Responsibility SIG Chair: Michaela Smith (University of North Texas)

Sunday, May 30, 3:00 pm-4:50 pm

A Nested Model to Stop Climate Change: The Needs of the Many and the Needs of the Few Chair: Meredith Matthews (Missouri State University)

Sunday, May 30, 5:00 pm-6:50 pm

Behaviorists for Social Responsibility **Business Meeting** Chair: Sarah M. Richling (Auburn

University)

Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm Why Are We Not Acting to Save The World? Contextual Behavior Science Chair: Allyson R. Salzer (University of Applied to Mainstream Cultural Problems

Chair: Brian Katz (The Chicago School of Professional Psychology, Chicago)

Monday, May 31, 9:00 am-10:50 am

Behavior Analysis for Sustainable Societies Chair: Julia H. Fiebig (Ball State University: Applied Global Initiatives LLC) Monday, May 31, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

# Reunions and Receptions

ABAI reunions and receptions provide opportunities to for alumni, colleagues, and friends to reconnect, network, and socialize during the convention. All reunions will be on Sunday, May 30, from 8:00 pm-10:00 pm. Additional information is listed in the program book and on the ABAI website (www. abainternational.org/events/annual-2021).

# Business

Additional information on business meetings is listed in the program book and on the ABAI website.

SIG Español Chair: Mapy Chavez Cueto (Alcanzando) Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Organizational Behavior Management Network and Journal of Organizational Behavior Management Annual Meeting Chair: Byron J. Wine (The Faison Center)

Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Nevada Association for Behavior Analysis

Chair: Thomas Wade Brown (Ball State University; Chrysalis )

Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Student Committee **Business Meeting** Kansas)

Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

**Addiction Special** Interest Group

Chair: August F. Holtyn (Johns Hopkins **University School of Medicine)** 

Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Perspectives on Behavior Science Editorial Board and Author Meeting Chair: M. Christopher Newland (Auburn University)

Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

China Association of Rehabilitation of Disabled Persons-Professional Committee of ABA Chair: Dorothy Xuan Zhang (The Chicago School of Professional Psychology; George Mason University; **ABA Professional Committee of** China Association of Rehabilitation of **Disabled Persons)** 

Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Culture and Diversity SIG Meeting

Chair: Robyn M. Catagnus (The Chicago School of Professional Psychology) Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Behavioral Development Special Interest Group Chair: Jessica Singer-Dudek (Teachers College, Columbia University) Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Crime, Delinquency and Forensic Behavior Analysis Special Interest Group Business Meeting Chair: Timothy Templin (Hoosier ABA)

Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Naturalistic Developmental Behavioral Intervention Special Interest Group Business Meeting Chair: Sophia R. D'Agostino (Hope College)

Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Applied Animal Behavior SIG Business Meeting Chair: Steven W. Payne (California State University, Fresno) Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm–7:50 pm

Dissemination of Behavior Analysis Special Interest Group Chair: John O'Neill (Contextual Behavioral Science Institute) Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm—7:50 pm

Teaching Behavior Analysis Special Interest Group Business Meeting Chair: Dacia McCoy (University of Cincinnati) Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm—7:50 pm

Behavior Gerontology Special Interest Group Chair: Claudia Drossel (Eastern Michigan University; Center for the Advancement of Neurobehavioral Health) Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Behavior and Social Issues
Editorial Board Meeting
Chair: Mark A. Mattaini (Jane Addams
College of Social Work-University of
Illinois at Chicago)

Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

New U.S. and Non-U.S. Programs Interested in ABAI Accreditation and VCS Chair: Jenna Mrljak (Association for Behavior Analysis International) Saturday, May 29, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Journal of the Experimental Analysis of Behavior Business Meeting Chair: Mark Galizio (University of North Carolina Wilmington)

Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Neuroscience SIG Chair: Suzanne H. Mitchell (Oregon Health & Science University) Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Self & Match Business Meeting Chair: Katharine M. Croce (Felician University)

Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Verbal Behavior Special Interest Group Chair: April N. Kisamore (Hunter College) Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Autism Special Interest Group Business Meeting Chair: Justin B. Leaf (Autism Partnership Foundation; Endicott College) Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Behaviorists for Social Responsibility Business Meeting Chair: Sarah M. Richling (Auburn University)

Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Update: Strategic Plan Group

Chair: Susan M. Schneider (University of the Pacific)

Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Positive Behavior Support Special Interest Group Chair: Jodie Soracco (University of Nevada, Reno) Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm—7:50 pm

Hawai'i Association for Behavior Analysis Annual Business Meeting Chair: Kyle Machos (Windward Synergy Center)

Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Behavior Analysis for Military and Veterans Special Interest Group Chair: Abigail Calkin (Calkin Consulting Center)

Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Behavior Analysis in Practice Editorial Board Meeting Chair: Stephanie M. Peterson (Western Michigan University) Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Texas Association for Behavior Analysis Public Policy Group Networking Meeting Chair: Jeffrey E. Dillen (Texana Center) Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm—7:50 pm

The Psychological Record Business Meeting Chair: Mitch Fryling (California State University, Los Angeles) Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm–7:50 pm

Behavioral Medicine
Special Interest Group
Business Meeting
Chair: Gretchen A. Dittrich (Simmons
University)

Sunday, May 30, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Education and Treatment of Children Journal
Business Meeting
Chair: Claire C. St. Peter (West Virginia University)
Monday, May 31, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Rehabilitation and Independent Living Special Interest Group Business Meeting Chair: Megan R. Heinicke (California State University, Sacramento)

Monday, May 31, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Speech Pathology and Applied Behavior Analysis Special Interest Group Business Meeting Chair: Nikia Dower (Dower and Associates, Inc.)

Monday, May 31, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Research and Practice
Special Interest Group
Chair: Barbara Gross (Missouri Behavior
Consulting; Special School District of St
Louis County)

Monday, May 31, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

Sexual Behavior:

Behavior Analysis for Sustainable Societies Chair: Julia H. Fiebig (Ball State University; Applied Global Initiatives LLC) Monday, May 31, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm Behavior Analysis in the Arts Chair: Abigail B. B. Calkin (Calkin Consulting Center) Monday, May 31, 7:00 pm—7:50 pm

Clinical Special Interest Group

Chair: Emily Thomas Johnson (Behavior Attention and Developmental Disabilities Consultants, LLC)

Monday, May 31, 7:00 pm-7:50 pm

The Analysis of Verbal Behavior Board Meeting Chair: Tiffany Kodak (Marquette University) Monday, May 31, 7:00 pm—7:50 pm



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# **ABAI's**

# Continuing Education Program

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# Thursday, May 27 4:00 pm-7:00 pm

**1** Motivating Learner Participation Without the Use of Traditional Escape Extinction With the Seven Steps to Earning Instructional Control

### **Robert Schramm**

Knospe-ABA; Meridian Rehab; Robert Schramm Consulting CE: BACB

2 Assessing and Pinpointing Faulty Stimulus Control when Developing Language Acquisition Programs for Early Learners on the Autism Spectrum

### Jennifer Posey

Endicott College; Holdsambeck Behavioral Health

#### Sara Sato

Endicott College; Behavior Analysis No Ka Oi University of Nebraska-Lincoln CE: BACB

4 Enhancing School-Based Behavior Analytic Services Through Collaboration With Mental Health Professionals In-Person and via Telehealth

Whitney L. Kleinert and Cynthia Riley

May Institute, Inc. CE: PSY/BACB/NASP

**5** Skills, Teaching Procedures, and Measurement Practices for Children and Adults With Moderate-to-Severe Disabilities

Patrick McGreevy and Troy Anthony Fry Patrick McGreevy, Ph.D., P.A. and Associates CE: BACB

6 Exploring the Systematic Use of Sélf-Monitoring as a Behavioral Intervention: The Self & Match System

### Katharine M. Croce

Felician University

### Jamie Siden Salter

Self & Match Educational Consultation CE: BACB/NASP

**7** Functional Assessment Consultation Support in Schools

### Edward J. Daly

CE: BACB

8 Engineering Schools and Clinics for Student and Client Success: Pt. 1

### Guy S. Bruce

Appealing Solutions, LLC CE: PSY/BACB

**9** Conversations: The Only OBM Intervention You' Will Ever Need

### Nicole Gravina

#### John Austin

Reaching Results CE: BACB — Supervision

10 On Behavior Technician Turnover: Current Research, Practical Solutions, and Focused Sustainability

Sydney Nicole Lafleur, Jana M. Sarno, and George Boghos

Autism in Motion Clinics CE: BACB

**11** Creating Professional Graphs in Microsoft Excel

### Erick M. Dubuque

University of Louisville CE: BACB

**12** Acting Out: Learning BACB Ethics and Problem-Solving Strategies Through Interactive Team-Based Learning

### Richard Wayne Fugua

Western Michigan University CE: BACB

**13** Help for BCBAs With Challenging Ethical Dilemmas: Avoiding Multiple Relationships, Confidentiality, and Limits to Confidentiality

### Jeannie A. Golden

East Carolina University CE: PSY/BACB — Ethics 14 How to Stop Talking and Start Communicating With Motivational Interviewing

### Monica Gilbert

Crystal Minds New Beginning CE: BACB

**15** Teaching Multiply Controlled Verbal Behavior: Theory and Application

### Olga Meleshkevich

ABA Consulting; Simmons University

### Judah B. Axe

Simmons University CE: PSY/BACB

### Friday, May 28 9:00 am-12:00 pm

**16** Augmentative and Alternative Communication Intervention Considerations for Individuals With Autism

Joseph Novak

REED Academy; Kean University; Endicott College CE: BACB

**16A** ABA Parent Training: Essential Tools for ABA **Providers** 

### Willemijn Campbell

**ABA Works** CE: BACB

**17** Writing Programs for the Advanced Learner: Programming Beyond Assessments

Shayna Gaunt

How to ABA CE: BACB

**18** The Intersection of Autism Intervention and Applied Positive Psychology: The Science and Skill of Flourishing

### Katie Curran

Proof Positive Psychology CE: PSY/QABA/NASP

**19** Behavior Analysis of Seizures

### John C. Neill

Long Island University CE: PSY/BACB

20 Empirically Supported Emily Groves Behavioral Parent Training and Functional-Based Assessment and Treatment: Behavior Analysts Collaborating With Medical and Mental Health Professionals

Andrew W. Gardner and Chelsea E. Carr University of Arizona

CE: BACB

**21** Do No Harm: Sex Ed You Can Implement Right Now

### **Barbara Gross**

Missouri Behavior Consulting; Special School District of St Louis County

### **Worner Leland**

**Upswing Advocates** CE: BACB

**22** Risk Benefit Analysis of Treatments for Severe Problem Behaviors

### Nathan Blenkush

Judge Rotenberg Educational Center

### **Dylan Palmer**

Judge Rotenberg Educational Center; Simmons University

Jason Coderre and Joseph Tacosik Judge Rotenberg Educational Center CE Offered: PSY/BACB — Ethics

23 Environmental Barriers in the Classroom Setting Impacting Effective ABA Treatment and Solutions for Success

#### Melinda Docter

Northcentral University CE Offered: BACB

24 The Good Behavior Game: Overcoming Implementation Barriers and Maximizing Effectiveness in Diverse Classrooms

University of South Wales

P. Raymond Joslyn

**Utah State University** CE Offered: BACB

**25** Designing and Measuring Organizational Clinical Outcome Data

### **Christina Barosky**

Bierman ABA; Simmons University

Ashley E. Bennett and Ashley Ahlers

Bierman ABA CE Offered: BACB

**26** Putting the SUPER in Supervision: Evidence Based Strategies

### Jeremy H. Greenberg

The Children's Institute of Hong Kong CE Offered: BACB

Friday, May 28 9:00 am-4:00 pm

27 Using Adapted Text to Teaching Verbal Behavior in the Context of Reading Instruction

Sarah Katz and Berenice de la Cruz

Texas A&M University-San Antonio CE Offered: BACB

28 Severe Problem Behavior: From Research and Clinics for Student to Evidence-Based Practice

### Joshua Jessel

Queens College, City University of New York CE Offered: PSY/BACB

### **Peter Sturmey**

The Graduate Center and Queens College, City University of New York CE Offered: PSY/BACB/QABA/NASP — Supervision

29 Preparing Young Children With Autism Spectrum Disorder for Kindergarten

### Sonja R. de Boer

Spring Harbor Hospital-Maine Behavior Health; North Haven Community School CE Offered: BACB

### 31 Trauma-Informed ABA 37 Outcome-Based

### Saundra Bishop

BASICS ABA Therapy, LLC CE Offered: BACB

**32** BITES®: A Behavioral InTEgrated With Speech Approach to Feeding Therapy

### Laura J. Seiverling

**Ball State University** 

### Elise Jusko

Bites Feeding Therapy, LLC CE Offered: PSY/BACB

**33** Teaching Early Numeracy to Children With Developmental Disabilities

### Corinna F. Grindle

University of Warwick CE Offered: BACB

**34** Special Education Law and Ethical Issues for Practicing Behavior Analysts

### Melissa L. Olive

Applied Behavioral Strategies LLC CE Offered: BACB/NASP

**35** Engineering Schools and Client Success: Part 2

### Guy S. Bruce

Appealing Solutions, LLC

**36** The Behavior Analyst as a Supervisor: Breaking Down Fieldwork 41 Dealing With Uncertainty: Supervišion One Behavior at a Time

### Zahra Hajiaghamohseni and Meka McCammon

University of South Carolina CE Offered: BACB — Supervision

# Friday, May 28 1:00 pm-4:00 pm

Management of Early Intensive Behavioral Intervention Through Dynamic Programming at the Lovaas Institute Midwest

### Eric V. Larsson

Lovaas Institute Midwest; University of Minnesota CE Offered: PSY/BACB — Supervision

**38** Providing Internet-Based Consultation Services to Teach Parents of Children With Autism to Effectively Assess Skills and Implement Evidence-Based Teaching Interventions

### James W. Partington

Behavior Analysts, Inc. CE Offered: PSY/BACB/QABA/NASP

**39** Working With Adults With Severe Problem Behavior: Ethical Considerations and Strategies

### Adrienne Hursh, Dennis Paliwoda, and Shai Maor

Pyles and Associates CE Offered: BACB

**40** Assessment and Treatment of Children With **Emotional and Behavioral** Disorders in Home and at School: Broadening the Lens

Jeannie A. Golden

East Carolina University CE Offered: PSY/BACB

An Ethical Decision-Making Model and Its Application to Providing Telehealth-Based Behavioral Services

### Weihe Huang

Creating Behavioral + Educational Momentum; Florida Institute of Technology

### Karre Williams

Creating Behavioral + Educational Momentum CE Offered: PSY/BACB — Ethics

**42** Designing Instruction That Honors Client Assent Withdrawal, Promotes Self-Advocacy, and Minimizes Harm

Worner Leland

Upswing Advocates; Sex Ed Continuing Ed CE Offered: BACB - Ethics

**43** An Introduction to Augmentative and Alternative Communication: From Early Intervention to Advanced Language Training **Oliver Wendt** 

Purdue University; USA University of Potsdam

### Barbara Weber

private practice CE Offered: BACB

**44** Improving Classwide Behavior Support Through the Application of Applied Behavior Analytical Practices

Robert F. Putnam and Erik Maki

May Institute

### Sacha Kg Shaw

**Endicott College** CE Offered: PSY/BACB **45** Effective, Ethical, and Expanded Practices for BCBAs in Schools: Essential Skills and Overcoming School Barriers

**Imad Saheer** 

St. John's University; Nurturing Environments Institute

Noor Syed

SUNY Empire State College; Anderson Center International; Endicott College CE Offered: BACB/NASP — Ethics

**46** Efficient and Effective Training and Supervision for RBTs In-Person or Virtually: Challenges and Strategies Laura Kenneally

Advance Learning Center CE Offered: BACB — Supervision

**47** Mission, Vision, and Core Values: Forming Meaningful Key Performance Indicators in ABA Practice

**George Boghos and Jana M. Sarno**Autism in Motion Clinics
CE Offered: BACB

**48** Efficient Literature Searches Using Online Databases Available to You Nicole L. Bank

The PartnerShip, LLC CE Offered: BACB

**49** Structure of Supervision: From Big Picture to Individual Session

Dana R. Reinecke

Capella University; SupervisorABA

Cheryl J. Davis

7 Dimensions Consulting; SupervisorABA CE Offered: BACB — Supervision

**50** Discriminative and Motivational and Multiple Control, Oh My!

Megan Pyles and Brittany Macias

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### Updates From ABAI Non-U.S.A. Affiliated Chapter

### Colombia ABA

BY CAMILO HURTADO-PARRADO AND WILSON LOPEZ-LOPEZ year include Wilson Lopez-Lopez's representation in the Our chapter went through important changes during the last year. First, a new board was elected, which now includes the following members: Sonia Calderón (President), Arturo Clavijo (Vice-president), Diana Vergara (Secretary), Yors Garcia (Treasurer), Wilson López-López (Spokesman), and Camilo Hurtado-Parrado (Spokesman). Second, bylaws were updated, which resulted in a redefinition of ABA Colombia's mission to "promote the wellbeing of individuals that require ABA services, and contribute to the professional and scientific development of behavior analysis in Colombia via dissemination, research and application of this science." ABA Colombia's vision was also redefined accordingly to "represent nationally and internationally Colombian behavior analysis as a science and profession."

Additional and important changes to the bylaws included updates on membership requirements and rights, which ultimately are expected to better represent the present challenging status of Behavior Analysis in Colombia (e.g., diverse training, degrees and professional experience in academic and professional behavior analysis). One major related concern, and thus, main goal of ABA Colombia for the following years, is establishment of minimum behavior-analytic practice standards in our country and political and legal recognition of them. ABA Colombia's efforts in this direction will include cooperation with other organizations, including national and international professional and academic associations, and accreditation of training programs based on minimum quality and content standards.

Other significant contributions of ABA Colombia this "Task Force in International Education and Practice." The official outcome of the task force is greatly awaited by ABA Colombia, as it hopefully will provide tools needed to accomplish some of the goals mentioned above. Second, a study supported by ABA Colombia entitled "Emotional Response to Pictures of the Armed Conflict in Colombia" (Hurtado-Parrado et al. 2020) was recently published. This effort is expected to importantly contribute to more laboratory-based behavioral research in sociallyrelevant topics in Colombia and other countries affected by intractable conflict. Lastly, Arturo Clavijo, Felipe Parrado, Paulo Dillon, and Camilo Hurtado-Parrado presented during a symposium on Experimental Analysis of Behavior that was part of the recent Meeting of Researchers in Behavioral Sciences, organized this year by University of La Sabana (Bogota, Colombia). The topics of this event included self-control and commitment, conditioned inhibition, drug demand, and interteaching.

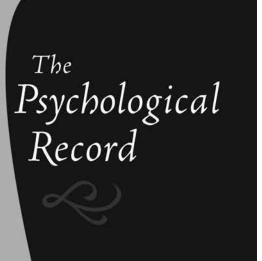
We are looking forward to the positive impact that the recent changes in ABA Colombia's leadership and bylaws will have across experimental, applied and professional Behavior Analysis in Colombia and Latin America.

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The Psychological Record (TPR) was founded in 1937 by renowned interbehaviorist J. R. Kantor, and B. F. Skinner served as the first experimental department editor. The journal includes empirical and conceptual articles related to the field of behavior analysis, behavior science, and behavior theory in addition to investigations of basic behavioral processes, as well as translational studies that bridge experimental and applied analyses of behavior. Conceptual articles pertinent to the theory and philosophy of behaviorism are also welcome.

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# 2021 March

### **Connecticut ABA 17th Annual**

### Conference

March 4–5 To be held virtually. www.ctaba.org

### **Swedish ABA Annual Meeting**

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# April

# Virginia ABA 17th Annual Meeting and Conference

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# May

# Massachusetts ABA Annual Conference

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### ABAI 47th Annual Convention and Pre-Convention Workshops

May 27–31
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# July

### **ABA Australia Annual Conference**

July 23–25 World Square Rydges Hotel, Sydney Sydney, New South Wales, Australia https://afbaa.wildapricot.org/

# October

### **Southeastern ABA 37th Conference**

October 14–16 The Courtyard Columbia Downtown Columbia, SC www.seabaonline.org

### **Oregon ABA Conference**

October 15–16 https://oraba.org

# New York State ABA 32nd Annual Conference

October 27–29 Albany Convention Center Albany, NY www.nysaba.org

### Australian Association for Cognitive and Behaviour Therapy 41st National Conference

October 28–30 Esplanade Hotel Fremantle by Rydges Fremantle, Western Australia, Australia www.aacbt.org.au

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