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Other Updates

APA President-elect Elections are open until October 30th. Click here to vote. APA members are encouraged to review the candidates and vote. Click here for Dr. O'Banion's email regarding these elections.

Open CAPIC Board Position. We are seeking to fill an open SoCA Internship Program Rep position on the board, starting January 1st. Join a group of fun and dedicated (committed?) working to improve our profession and ultimately the care provided to Californians. Board travel for quarterly meetings is covered by CAPIC.

Visit our <u>Board Elections webpage</u> for criteria and more details, or simply call the office.

Mid-Quarter Membership Call.

The next conference call is Wednesday, November 11th from 9 to 10 am. Contact the CAPIC office for details.

Quarterly CAPIC Board Meeting.

The next meeting will be held at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena on Dec 4th & 5th.

The open session for CAPIC members is on Friday from 1:30 to 3:30 pm. Members may come in person or join us by phone. Call in info and more details are on the CAPIC website.

2016 CAPIC Online Match

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As previously announced, CAPIC will hold only one online match round this year, which will occur <u>after</u> the second APPIC Match results. Students may participate in both APPIC matches and then (if unmatched) in the CAPIC match.

The key items at this time are:

- 1. Students should RSVP for the Internship Fairs on Nov 13th or 20th.
 - See more details below.
- 2. Academic, Internship and Postdoc programs should also RSVP for the annual Membership Meetings and Internship Fairs on Nov 13th or 20th.
- 3. Internships should be reviewing and updating their online profile for the 2016 match, with particular attention to EAP questions #6a, #7, #14a #14b, and the annual attestation at the bottom of on page 12.

2016 CAPIC Online Match Timeline

The timeline for the CAPIC online match (besides the Fairs) is later than in previous years. Students start submitting completed CAPIC application materials on February 5th and the student application deadline is February 26th.

- The match schedule summary is attached and posted <u>here</u> on the CAPIC website.
- Additional info is posted on the Online Match page of our website.
- Updates for the 2016 CAPIC match are posted on the Match <u>Overview & Updates</u> page, and summarized further below in this email.

Annual Membership Meetings and Internship Fairs on November 13th and 20th.

- Friday, November 13th at CSPP/Alliant San Francisco.
 - See and share attached NoCA flyer. Register online here!
- Friday, November 20th at Pepperdine Los Angeles.
 - See and share attached SoCA flyer. Register here!
- The Fairs are important venues for students and internships to learn about each other, but they are only effective when both students and internships attend.
- The Member Meetings are also important venues for members to meet with CAPIC board members and office staff regarding larger policies and/or administrative details and clarifications.
 - These are free events for CAPIC program reps and their students.
 - Click on the links above for more details or to register.
 - Do it today!

Membership Criteria

Amendments. At our September meeting, the board discussed minor changes to membership criteria. Click on the program type for the marked up document.

- Academic Programs
- Internships
- Postdocs

A separate email will be sent to formally solicit your feedback and vote on proposed amendments.

Outcomes. CAPIC internships provide quality training for licensure. Recent posters demonstrate no significant difference between training and outcomes between CAPIC, APPIC and APA internships.

A. Morrison poster (2015)
S. Bucky Poster (2015)

APA Hoffman Report. CAPIC shares the concerns of many regarding the revelations in the Hoffman Report. Our formal response is posted <u>here</u> on our website.

We will continue to work to rebuild trust, with other mental health professionals and with the public at large.

Academic Program Participation

Figures. Several doctoral academic programs have completed this poll, but several have not. CAPIC needs better figures to properly plan.

Click here for this poll.

Thanks in advance. And thanks to those who already completed the poll.

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 occur <u>after</u> the <u>second</u> APPIC Match results. Students may participate in
 both APPIC matches and then (if unmatched) in the CAPIC match.
- This year, students from approved out-of-state doctoral academic programs may participate in the full online match process, and not wait until Clearinghouse as in previous years. This change is being tested this year on a trial basis, in response to the need for qualified applicants for our internships.
- Letters of Reference (LOR's) for student application materials may now be uploaded as well as pasted to a student's profile by the Referee.
 - APPIC is now requiring the use of a Standardized Reference Form (SRF). CAPIC allows for any format, including this format. We understand that different formats may cause difficulties for internships comparing applicants' LOR's. Students and internships should both be aware of this issue when requesting or reviewing LOR's for the CAPIC match process.
- Internships now have the ablity to clearly mark whether a particular track is Full-Time, Half-Time, or Undetermined/Multiple.
 - O In question #14b on the EAP (and shown on the BAP), we have added a field for FT, HT1Yr, HT2Yr or Undetermined/Multiple. This info is meant to help reduce misunderstandings between students and internships on what type of internship is being offered, and will also be included in the ranking and matching process on the D&D Digital website.
 - When in doubt, Internships should use the Undetermined/Multiple type, and explain to the applicant what is being offered (e.g. during the interview).

Updates from last year (2014-15) continuing this year include:

- Students must have their dissertation proposal accepted to be considered ready for their final internship.
- Students will be able to modify their CAPIC Uniform Application (CUA) until the CERF is verified by their DCT.
- Student Registration and CERF verification is required for all students through all match phases, including Post-Clearinghouse.

Again, for more details, as noted above:

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- Click on the calendar event for info and to register for the:
 - Nov 13th Member Meeting & Fair at CSPP/Alliant SF.
 - o Nov 20th Member Meeting and Fair at Pepperdine LA.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions at execdirector@capic.net.

Many thanks!

René Puliatti Executive Director California Psychology Internship Council

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Attachments (all PDF documents):

- <u>2016 CAPIC Online Match Schedule</u>
- NoCA Fair Poster 2015
- SoCA Fair Poster 2015