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Applications now being accepted for the 2017 APAHC Early Career Boot Camp!

The APAHC Early Career Boot Camp is a biannual, day-long, interactive workshop intended for post-doctoral fellows and early career faculty/staff. The 2017 Boot Camp will be held on Thursday, March 9th, the first day of the APAHC Conference in Detroit, Michigan. Application to the Boot Camp is open to all trainee and early career psychologists within 10 years of their doctorate; however, space is limited and preference will be given to those earlier in their careers.

This year, we are excited to have keynote addresses from Drs. Zeeshan Butt, Jared Skillings, and Wendy Ward. We will also have a number of break-out discussions facilitated by APAHC board members on important topics such as career advancement, salary negotiation and promotion, administrative and leadership challenges, work-life balance, and an opportunity to participate in a CV consultation to help prepare for the job market.

There is no charge for the Boot Camp and all selected participants will receive 1 year complimentary membership to APAHC. Applications are due by November 3rd and final decisions will be made by mid-December. Please download application materials [here](#) and email completed documents to Dr. Laura Daniels at lauram.daniels@gmail.com or email Dr. Kelly Foran-Tuller at kforan.tuller@gmail.com or Dr. Leila Islam at lislam@som.umaryland.edu with questions about the Early Career Boot Camp. We hope you (or your mentees!) will consider applying.

To learn about past participants' experiences at Boot Camp – take a look at a past issue of the APAHC Grand Rounds: (<http://www.div12.org/section8/documents/Newsletters/Grandrounds.11.2013.pdf>)

Call for APA Newsletter Articles for Early Career Psychologists

Articles at any time in the range of 750 words are welcome. If you are interested in authoring anything for one of the two APA newsletters ([Psychology Teacher Network](#) and the [Psychology Student Network](#)), please send a pitch to Martha directly at MBoenau@apa.org.

Podcast

November's episode of Emerging Psychologist will feature news and announcements from around the APA that are relevant to graduate students and early career psychologists in clinical psychology.

For previous podcasts, [click here](#).

Don't forget to check out our [monthly blog](#).

Derek Giannone, B.A., Section 10 Secretary, wrote about the importance of work-life balance in the fields of psychology and counseling. This article was also featured in Indonesian Counseling Association (ICA)'s October 2016 Newsletter.

Check back each month for a new article on the issues that are important for graduate students and early career psychologists in clinical psychology!



CALL FOR FELLOWSHIP APPLICATIONS

APPLICATIONS DUE JANUARY 15, 2017!

Our MFP Fellowships are about more than simply financial support – appointed Fellows join a **lifetime community of mentors & peers** committed to both **professional success and the improvement of ethnic minority behavioral health issues.**

MFP is committed to increasing the number of ethnic minority professionals in the field and bettering the outcomes of the communities they serve.

Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services (MHSAS) Fellowship

support the training of doctoral-level ethnic minority students and postdoctoral trainees who intend to focus on the behavioral health services needs of ethnic/racial minority communities.



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Fellowship Opportunities:

[MHSAS Predoctoral Fellowship](#)

This fellowship is for those pursuing doctoral degrees in clinical, counseling, and school psychology; as well as other behavioral health services or policy area.

[MHSAS Postdoctoral Fellowship](#)

This fellowship is designed for early career doctoral recipients pursuing postdoctoral training in behavioral health services or policy.



FOR MORE INFORMATION AND OPPORTUNITIES, PLEASE VISIT:

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Call for Nominations for Early Career Psychologist Delegates to attend the 2017 Practice Leadership Conference (PLC) from March 4th – 7th

1) Individual involvement in the association by Early Career Psychologists

Please describe your nominee's past, current and planned involvement with your association. Preference will be given to those nominees who have been involved in the ongoing work of the association and/or have made measurable contributions to the association, or for whom the association has made specific plans for leadership development.

2) Association efforts to support Early Career Psychologists

Please describe your association's efforts to recruit, retain and meet the needs of Early Career Psychologist members. Preference will be given to SPTAs that demonstrate a clear commitment to ECPs and take concrete steps to incorporate them into their organizational activities and structure, such as through establishment of an ECP division or committee, the involvement of ECPs in key leadership roles and the development of ECP programming or resources. Please highlight any successful outcomes (e.g., membership recruitment, ECP representation on boards and committees, development of ECP resources, ECP participation in association activities).

Note: if you do not have an ECP plan, please detail goals in your application for involving ECPs in your association.

We request that you adhere to these two submission guidelines:

- 1) Please submit a narrative of 1-2 pages in length explaining how your nominee and association meet the above criteria; and
- 2) Please include your nominee's curriculum vitae or resume.

All submissions should go to Shannon Wood (swood@apa.org).

Practice Directorate staff, the Director of the Office on Early Career Psychologists, and the SPTA representative from the Committee on Early Career Psychologists will review all of the nominations submitted. Individuals who are selected will receive full funding of airfare at the advanced purchase economy rate and up to 4 hotel room night costs to participate in the 2017 Practice Leadership Conference as a member of their SPTA delegations. (Please note that all incidental costs including ground transportation, baggage fees and meals not provided at the conference are the responsibility of the ECP Delegate and/or SPTA). The conference is being held from Saturday, March 4th through Tuesday, March 7th. Please note that this is the only means of obtaining APA funding for Early Career Psychologist Delegates to attend Practice Leadership Conference.

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION IS MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2016

Please feel free to contact the APA State Advocacy office with any questions (800-374-2723, x5864). We appreciate your participation in this program and look forward to receiving your nominations.

Email your submission to Shannon Wood at swood@apa.org.