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CALL FOR PAPERS

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The Annual Conference will include an invited keynote address and presentations focused on topics relevant to the field of applied behavior analysis. NJABA seeks to provide its members with conference content that educates attendees and invigorates scholarly behavior analytic work in New Jersey. To that end, presentation proposals on conceptual, experimental, and applied behavior analysis are desired.

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Submissions especially desired related to the following topics:

Applications of ABA Beyond Autism
Adults with Autism
OBM
Diversity
Compassionate Care
Public Schools

*Submit all proposals online at
<https://behaviorlive.com/conferences/njaba/call-for-papers>*

GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR PROPOSALS

- Submit all proposals online through the BehaviorLive website at <https://behaviorlive.com/conferences/njaba/call-for-papers>.
- We recommend creating a text file with the required information that can be copied and pasted into the submission fields.
- The text included in your submission will be used in the conference program as written. Please take care in the preparation of your proposal.
- Symposium and poster proposals must minimally include preliminary data submitted as an upload file (all file formats accepted).
- A minimum of one presenter/author must have a Ph.D. or Master's degree in applied behavior analysis or a closely related field. Additional credentials are required to provide BACB CEs (see CUE guidelines).
- Presentation slots are 50 or 75 minutes in duration. Efforts will be made to provide presenters with their desired time slot, although no guarantees can be made.
- By submitting a proposal, authors are attesting that they are available to present their work in-person at the NJABA Conference on April 26, 2024.
- Conference registration is required of all presenters. All costs associated with attendance are the responsibility of the presenters.
- Due to spacing limitations, we are typically not able to accept all proposals for inclusion in the conference. Proposals will be reviewed to ensure that they are behavior analytic in nature, to evaluate the quality of the proposed event, and to ensure a diverse range of topics and presenters are included in the conference.
- To encourage a range of viewpoints, please submit no more than 3 presentations from a single organization. This limit does not include poster presentations.
- All presenters will be asked to identify any conflicts of interest.
- Submit any questions about the submission process to njabaevents@gmail.com
- Presenters should all add support@behaviorlive.com to their email contact list to ensure they receive all presentation-related emails.

PRESENTATION TYPES

Symposia: A series of 2-4 presentations of empirical research on a related topic.

Panels: Open discussions of a behavior analytic topic or issue by professionals in the field.

Workshops: Instructional sessions related to a single topic. Workshops may cover the application of behavior analysis to various populations and behaviors or be related to the practice of behavior analysis.

Posters: Poster presentations are visual reports of empirical research that are similar to a compressed research paper written in APA style. The authors will be available to discuss their projects during the poster session.

SYMPOSLIA

If you have a paper and are looking for other related papers to join with to create a cohesive symposium, please use our Conference Paper Connection to connect with other researchers.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/18iwlm_WA-UgR1SNBnszpOewAEUF6ecmg2Ln9y6s4Sh8/edit?usp=sharing

When submitting a symposium proposal, please have the information below on hand.

- **Symposium information**

- Title for the event (capitalizing each word, except articles and conjunctions, 15 word maximum)
- Preferred time slot (i.e., 50 or 75 min)
- Abstract for the event (between 150 and 250 words)
- Three learning objectives written in the following format: “Participants will (1) _____; (2) _____; (3)_____ . Learning objectives should specify what the learner will know or be able to do after attending the presentation, not what the presenter will do.
- Upload supporting data (all file format accepted)

- **CEU Information**

- State whether the event is eligible for CEUs
- If eligible, determine if it qualifies for supervision or ethics CEUs (if neither is selected, general CEUs will be offered).
- Designated CEU instructor
- Add the CEU instructor’s BACB number.
- Upload the CEU instructor’s CV

- **Manage People**

- Discussant, if applicable*
- Chair (required)*

- **Symposium Papers**

- Paper Title (capitalizing each word, except articles and conjunctions, 15 word maximum)
- Description (abstract for each paper, between 150 and 250 words)
- Presenter*--only 1 presenter should be included for each paper)
- Author(s)*--list only the non-presenting author(s).

*Note: for people associated with the event (i.e., discussant, chair, presenters, authors), please enter the following information:

- Email address— Be sure to ask other people associated with the submission if they already have an account with BehaviorLive. If so, use that email address to link their BehaviorLive account to the submission. If they do have an account, the information below will auto-populate once their email address is entered.
- First and last name
- Credentials (e.g., M.A., BCBA)
- BCBA/BCBA-D status
- BACB certificant number, if applicable
- Affiliation
- Pronouns (optional)
- Biography
- Headshot

PANELS

When submitting a panel proposal, you will be asked to enter the following information.

- **Panel information**

- Title for the event (capitalizing each word, except articles and conjunctions, 15 word maximum)
- Preferred time slot (i.e., 50 or 75 min)
- Abstract for the event (between 150 and 250 words)
- Three learning objectives written in the following format: “Participants will (1) _____; (2) _____; (3)_____”. Learning objectives should specify what the learner will know or be able to do after attending the presentation, not what the presenter will do.

- **CEU Information**

- State whether the event is eligible for CEUs
- If eligible, determine if it qualifies for supervision or ethics CEUs (if neither is selected, general CEUs will be offered).
- Designate the CEU instructor
- Add the CEU Instructor’s BCBA number
- Upload the CEU instructor’s CV

- **Manage People**

- Chair (required)*
- Panelists*

*Note: for people associated with the event (i.e., chair, panelists), please enter the following information:

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- Pronouns (optional)
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WORKSHOPS

When submitting a workshop proposal, you will be asked to enter the following information.

- **Workshop information**

- Title for the event (capitalizing each word, except articles and conjunctions, 15 word maximum)
- Preferred time slot (i.e., 50 or 75 min)
- Abstract for the event (between 150 and 250 words)
- Three learning objectives written in the following format: “Participants will (1) _____; (2) _____; (3)_____. Learning objectives should specify what the learner will know or be able to do after attending the presentation, not what the presenter will do.

- **CEU Information**

- State whether the event is eligible for CEUs
- If eligible, determine if it qualifies for supervision or ethics CEUs (if neither is selected, general CEUs will be offered).
- Designate the CEU instructor
- Add the CEU Instructor’s BCBA number
- Upload the CEU instructor’s CV

- **Manage People**

- Please enter the following information for each presenter:
 - Email address— Be sure to ask other people associated with the submission if they already have an account with BehaviorLive. If so, use that email address to link their BehaviorLive account to the submission. If they do have an account, the information below will auto-populate once their email address is entered.
 - First and last name
 - Credentials (e.g., M.A., BCBA)
 - BCBA/BCBA-D status
 - BACB certificant number
 - Affiliation
 - Pronouns (optional)
 - Biography
 - Headshot

POSTERS

When submitting a poster proposal, you will be asked to enter the following information.

- **Poster information**

- Title for the poster (capitalizing each word, except articles and conjunctions, 15 word maximum)
- Abstract (between 150 and 250 words)
- Upload supporting data (required)

- **Manage People**

- Presenter*
- Author(s)*
- Please enter the following information for presenter and author(s):
 - Email address—if the person already has a BehaviorLive account, when you enter their email address, the rest of the information will auto-populate.
 - First and last name
 - Credentials (e.g., M.A., BCBA)
 - BCBA/BCBA-D status
 - BACB certificant number
 - Affiliation
 - Pronouns (optional)
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CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

For proposals to be considered for BACB continuing education credits and as required by the BACB, the following requirements must be met:

1. The identified CEU Instructor must meet one of the following qualifications:

- Hold active BCBA or BCBA-D certification
- Have a doctorate and substantial, formal training in behavior analysis
- Be a current graduate student who has completed a master's degree and is enrolled in a behavior-analytic doctoral program.

2. The CEU Instructor must have expertise in the subject matter being presented and agree to follow the Ethics Code for Behavior Analysts.

3. Ensure that the event content meets the following BACB CEU requirements:

- “All content is behavior analytic in nature, and addresses the practice, science, methodology, theory, or the profession itself
- All content is designed for certified individuals and extends beyond the content areas on the task list or relates directly to the profession of behavior analysis
- All content is accurate, up to date, and consistent with best practices”

4. To be considered for CEUs the following information must be included:

- Confirmation that the presentation meets the BACB CE criteria
- Determination of whether the event is eligible for ethics or supervision CEUs (if neither are selected, general CEUs will be provided)
- A designated CEU instructor based on the qualifications stated above.
- Upload Curriculum Vitae (CV) for the CEU Instructor
- Three learning objectives written in the following format: “Participants will (1) _____; (2) _____; (3)_____. Learning objectives should specify what the learner will know or be able to do after attending the presentation, not what the presenter will do.

5. Please note that posters are not eligible for CEUs.