

MINUTES

South Carolina Board of Examiners Psychology

WEBEX/TELECONFERENCE BOARD MEETING

Friday, March 11, 2022 – 10:00 a.m.

Board Members Present

Shirley A. Vickery, Ph.D., Chairperson
Isabelle N. Mandell, Ph.D., Vice Chair
Martha E. Durham, Ph.D., Member
Sandra G. McCloy, Ph.D., Member
Alisa C. Liggett, Public Member

Staff Members Present

Holly Beeson, Communications and Governmental Affairs
Katie Phillips, Communications and Governmental Affairs
Christa Bell, Disciplinary Counsel
Bob Hob Horner, Advice Counsel
Shayla Hayes, Disciplinary Counsel
Catherine Wilder, Office of Investigations
Roselind Bailey-Glover, Administrator

Public Notice of this meeting was properly posted at the office of the South Carolina Board of Examiners for the Licensure of Social Work, Synergy Business Park, Kingstree Building, 110 Centerview Drive in Columbia, SC, was posted on the Board website and provided to any requesting persons, organizations, and news media in compliance with Section 30-4-80 of the 1976 South Carolina Code, as amended, relating to the Freedom of Information Act. A quorum is noted as present. All votes referenced herein were unanimous unless otherwise indicated. The meeting was held via WebEx/Teleconference.

NOTE: These Minutes are a record of the motions and official actions taken by the Board and a brief summary of the meeting.

Meeting Called to Order

Dr. Vickery, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 10:01 a.m.

Approval of the Agenda

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. Durham, the board voted unanimously to approve the agenda. The motion passed.

Approval/Disapproval of Absent Members - None

Approval of the Minutes – September 24, 2021

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. Durham, the board voted unanimously in favor to approve the March 11, 2022 meeting minutes, with corrections. The motion passed.

Chairperson’s Remarks – Dr. Shirley Vickery

Dr. Vickery addressed the board. Dr. Durham has announced her resignation from the Board, effective March 31, 2022. The Board will miss her and thanks her for her service.

Legislative Update: Holly Beeson and Katie Phillips, Communications & Governmental Affairs addressed the board.

MOTION – Legislative Contact

On the motion of Dr. Mandell seconded by Ms. Liggett, the board voted unanimously in favor of Dr. Vickery continuing in the role of legislative contact person. The motion passed.

Administrative Reports

Office of Investigations and Enforcement Reports (OIE - Information Only) – Catherine Wilder, Office of Investigations and Enforcement (OIE). Ms. Wilder reports six active investigations, no closed cases and seven complaints received since September 24, 2021.

MOTION – OIE Report

On motion of Dr. Durham, seconded by Dr. Mandell, the board voted unanimously in favor to accept the OIE Report. The motion passed.

Dismissal

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. McCloy, the board voted unanimously in favor to approve the dismissal report. The motion passed.

Office of Disciplinary Counsel Report (ODC – Information Only) – Roselind Bailey-Glover

Mrs. Bailey-Glover reported seven open cases and six pending hearings and agreements on the Office of Disciplinary Counsel Report.

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. McCloy, the board voted unanimously in favor to approve the ODC Report.

Administrator’s Remarks - Roselind Bailey-Glover

The Financial Cash Report, Statement of Economic Interest Reminder, Late Renewal Update 12/1/21 to 2/1/2022, Board Member Reappointments (Reminder from the Governor’s Office), 2022 Mileage Rate presented by Ms. Bailey-Glover as information only.

- a. Financial Report – Cash Report and Monthly Expense Report - Information only
- b. Statement of Economic Interest Reminder
- c. Late Renewal Update 12/1/2021 - 2/1/2022 – Information only
- d. Board member Reappointments – Reminder from the Governor’s Office
- e. 2022 Mileage Rate – Information only

Executive Session for Legal Advice

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Ms. Liggett, the Board entered Executive Session. Alisa Liggett, Bob Horner, Dr. Mandell, Dr. McCloy, Martha Durham, and Shirley Vickery participated in the Executive Session.

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. Durham, the Board exited Executive Session.

Application Hearings

- a. **Dr. Jamison S. Bottomley (postdoctoral hours issue)**: The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Dr. Bottomley should be able to continue the formal application process toward full licensure. Dr. Bottomley appeared before the board and was not represented by legal counsel.

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. Durham, the board voted unanimously to approve Dr. Bottomley's timeline for his postdoctoral supervision retroactive to August 1, 2021 through August 2, 2022. The motion passed.

- b. **Dr. Samantha Eikenbert (postdoctoral hours issue)**: The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Dr. Eikenbert should be able to continue the formal application process toward full licensure. Dr. Eikenbert appeared before the board and was not represented by legal counsel. The Board will move into Executive Session for legal advice at the end of the hearings to make a determination on this case.
- c. **Dr. Thania Galvan (postdoctoral hours issue)**: The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Dr. Galvan should be able to continue with the formal application process toward full licensure. Dr. Galvan appeared before the board and was not represented by legal counsel. The Board will move into Executive Session for legal advice at the end of the hearings to make a determination on this case.
- d. **Dr. Jessie Kansky (postdoctoral hours issue)**: The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Dr. Kansky should be able to continue with the formal application process toward full licensure. Dr. Kansky appeared before the board and was not represented by legal counsel.

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. McCloy, the board voted unanimously to approve Dr. Kansky's request for a change of the official dates for official supervision time period from August 2, 2021 to July 31, 2022. The motion passed.

- e. **Dr. Jordan Klein (postdoctoral hours issue)**: The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Dr. Klein should be able to continue with the formal application process toward full licensure. Dr. Klein appeared before the board and was not represented by legal counsel. The Board will move into Executive Session for legal advice at the end of the hearings to make a determination on this case.
- f. **Dr. Sarah Kosten (postdoctoral hours issue)**: The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Dr. Kosten should be able to continue with the formal application process toward full licensure. Dr. Kosten appeared before the board and was not represented by legal counsel.

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. Durham, the board voted unanimously to approve the change in hours as requested by Dr. Kosten from January 4, 2021 to January 5, 2022 timeline, for her year of supervised licensure. The motion passed.

- g. Dr. Alex Rothbaum (postdoctoral hours issue):** The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Dr. Rothbaum should be able to continue with the formal application process toward full licensure. Dr. Rothbaum appeared before the board and was not represented by legal counsel.

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Durman, seconded by Dr. Mandell, the board voted unanimously to approve Dr. Rothbaum's supervision contract from August 1, 2021 to July 31, 2022. The motion passed.

- h. Dr. Stephen Taylor (postdoctoral hours issue):** The purpose of this hearing was to determine if Dr. Taylor should be able to continue with the formal application process toward full licensure. Dr. Taylor appeared before the board and was not represented by legal counsel.

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Ms. Liggett, the board voted unanimously to accept Dr. Taylor's change for his postdoctoral supervision contract from July 30, 2021 to July 30, 2022. The motion passed.

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. Durham, the board moved to go into executive session to discuss Dr. Eikenberg, Dr. Galvin and Dr. Klein's applications. The motion passed.

Executive Session – Convened (No Votes Were Taken During This Time)

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Ms. Liggett, the board voted unanimously to exit executive session.

MOTION – Dr. Eikenberg

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. Durham, the board voted unanimously to approve Dr. Eikenberg's application contingent upon the receipt of a revised postdoctoral supervision contract that reflects the dates of August 31, 2020 to August 31, 2021, that is signed by the postdoctoral supervisor. Also approve the North Carolina licensed psychologist for oversight of Dr. Eikenberg's postdoctoral supervision. The motion passed.

MOTION – Dr. Galvan

On the motion of Dr. Durham, seconded by Dr. Mandell, the board voted unanimously to approve Dr. Galvan's request for an amended supervision contract reflecting 1,500 practice hours, and a start date of August 1, 2021 and an end date of August 1, 2022. The motion passed.

MOTION – Dr. Klein

On the motion of Dr. Durham, seconded by Dr. Mandell, the board voted unanimously to approve Dr. Klein's requests for postdoctoral supervision date adjusted to August 23, 2021 to August 23, 2022, contingent upon receipt of documents that licensure will be designated in the specialty area of school psychology. The motion passed.

Disciplinary Hearings - NONE

New Business

- a. **New Licenses Issued: 9/21/2021 – 2/23/2022 – Information Only**
- b. **Count of All Licensees by State as of 2/23/2022 – Information Only**
- c. **2022 Election of Board Officers: Chair and Vice Chair**

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. Durham, the board voted unanimously to approve Dr. Vickery as Chair. The motion passed.

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. McCloy, seconded by Dr. Durham, the board unanimously voted to approve Dr. Mandell as Vice-Chair. The motion passed.

- d. **SC Psychological Association (SCPA) 2022 Annual Conference, March 25-28, 2022, Myrtle Beach, SC**

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Durham, the board unanimously voted to approve Dr. McCloy's attendance at the SCPA of South Carolina Psychological Association.

- e. **ASPPB 36th Mid-Year Meeting, April 21-24, 2022, New Orleans**

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. McCloy, the board unanimously voted to support Dr. Vickery as our representative to the ASPPB Conference.

- f. **2020 - ASPPB Survey Sample – 2022 ASPPB Survey completed February 11, 2022 - Information Only**
- g. **Board Member Report Outs on:**
 - i. **Travel/Teleconference Meeting –ASPPB 61st Annual Meeting: 10/15/2022 & 10/16/2022 – Information only**

Discussion Topics – Vote

- a. **Post-doctoral supervision for graduate fellows who start supervision prior to application with the Board**

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Ms. Liggett, the board unanimously moved that the position of Vice-Chair be given the authority to make decisions as to whether or not postdoctoral supervision contracts can be dated outside of the time when the applications are submitted. The motion passed.

- b. **SC Rules on Pass Point of EPPP (100-(2)(A)(1) – Information only**
- c. **Oral Examination Reviewers – Vote – Information only**

Board Meeting Dates Remaining - 2022

The Board will meet on April 29, June 24, and September 30.

Public Comments

There were no public comments presented.

Adjournment:

MOTION

On the motion of Dr. Mandell, seconded by Dr. Durham, the board unanimously voted to adjourn. The motion passed.

There being no other business, the meeting adjourned at 3:43 p.m.