



## NJABA Call for Conference Papers and Posters

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**2021 Annual Conference - April 16, 2021  
Virtual Event**

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**Submission Deadline:  
December 1, 2020**

The Annual Conference will include an invited keynote address and presentations focused on research 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; including research studies, technical presentations, workshops, panels, and case studies.

Although this year's conference will be virtual, **all presentations will be given live** on April 16, 2021 to give our attendees an experience similar to attending an in-person conference. These presentations may be recorded and available for conference attendees to view for a period of time after the conference ends.

### **Presentation Submissions**

Presentations are 75 or 100 minutes in duration, presented by one or more individuals, and discuss previous and current research on topics of applied significance. Presentations must be focused on a single topic. Presentation formats consistent with ABAI conferences (i.e., symposia, addresses, workshops, and panels) are invited. Presenters must provide empirical evidence to support their assertions and be able to defend their position based on that evidence. A minimum of one presenter must have a Ph.D. or Master's degree in applied behavior analysis and be able to provide credentials upon request.

### **Workshop, Panel, or Address Submission Guidelines**

- Presentation title
- An abstract (between 150 and 200 words)
- Format type (i.e. workshop, panel, or address)
- For each presenter:
  - Names
  - Credentials and terminal degree (e.g., M.A., BCBA)

- Affiliation
- Brief bio (no longer than 150 words)
- Email address
- To be considered for CEUs the following information must be included:
  - A designated CE instructor (see below for qualifications)
  - A copy of the BACB attestation form signed by the CE Instructor (see attached)
  - A brief Curriculum Vitae (CV) of the CE Instructor
  - Type of CE the event qualifies for (i.e., general, ethics, or supervision)
  - Learning objectives (a minimum of three) written in the following format: At the conclusion of the presentation, participants will be able to:  
(1) \_\_\_\_\_; (2) \_\_\_\_\_; (3)\_\_\_\_\_.

## **Symposium Submission Guidelines**

- A title for the event
- An abstract for the event (between 150 and 200 words)
- A chair for the event
  - Name
  - Credentials and terminal degree (e.g., M.A., BCBA)
  - Affiliation
  - Email address
- A discussant, if applicable.
  - Names
  - Credentials and terminal degree (e.g., M.A., BCBA)
  - Affiliation
  - Brief bio (no longer than 150 words)
  - Email address
- For *each paper* in the symposium, please include:
  - Title
  - Abstract (between 150 and 200 words)
  - Complete or preliminary data
  - For *the presenting author*:
    - Names
    - Credentials and terminal degree (e.g., M.A., BCBA)
    - Affiliation
    - Brief bio (no longer than 150 words)
    - Email address
  - For all other authors:
    - Name
    - Credentials and terminal degree (e.g., M.A., BCBA)
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  - Type of CE the event qualifies for (i.e., general, ethics, or supervision)
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## Poster Submissions

Poster presentations are visual reports of empirical research that are similar to a compressed research paper written in APA style. Posters must present data-based work and as such, should include a graph and/or tables depicting research results. *Posters should be able to stand alone without explanation, but presenters must be present at the conference to discuss their posters during their assigned session.* Posters are encouraged to cover a range of areas related to ABA. NJABA encourages graduate students and researchers who wish to present and discuss their current research while receiving feedback from professionals in the field of ABA to submit poster proposals.

Poster submission **MUST** include the following:

- Title
- Abstract (between 150 and 200 words)
- Complete or preliminary data
- For each author(s)
  - Name
  - Credentials and terminal degree (e.g., M.A., BCBA)
  - Affiliation
- Email address for the presenting author

## Continuing Education Instructor Requirements

All proposals (except posters) will be considered for BACB continuing education credits. As required by the BACB, all CE Instructors 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.

The CE Instructor must have expertise in the subject matter being presented and agrees to follow the Professional and Ethical Compliance Code for Behavior Analysts.

## Notes

**Not all proposals will be accepted.** Proposals will be reviewed and evaluated to ensure that they are behavior analytic in nature, include data to support all assertions, provide a clear and detailed description of all methods and procedures, and provide evidence of appropriate measurement procedures. ***Symposia and posters must include preliminary data.*** Failure to provide data upon will disqualify your submission.

Submit your presentations by **November 15, 2020** to **info@njaba.org**

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**BACB Attestation Form**

Have you read, are you in compliance with, and do you agree to continued compliance with all Behavior Analyst Certification Board (“BACB”) rules and regulations, as may be revised, including, but not limited to the BACB Professional and Ethical Compliance Code for Behavior Analysts?

\_\_\_ **YES** \_\_\_\_\_ **NO** \_\_\_\_\_ **“NO” responses will not be processed.**

Have you completed formal training, independent study, or experimental training in the subject matter of the instruction being provided?

\_\_\_ **YES** \_\_\_\_\_ **NO** \_\_\_\_\_ **“NO” responses will not be processed.**

**Presenter’s Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Presenter’s Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_