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Division 3's mission is to promote scientific inquiry concerning perception, learning, memory, and cognition through research and teaching, and to support experimental psychology through advocacy and educational programs. We work closely with APA's Science and Education Directorates. Our membership consists of people who do basic and applied research concerning both human and non-human animal cognitive psychology. We also welcome members who do experimental work in developmental, social, and other areas. Many of our members are primarily teachers of psychology. Division 3 provides strong leadership in APA Council, representing members' views on training and federal funding, and on APA journal and publication policy.

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Letter from the Editor

Kuba Glazek earned his Ph.D. at Temple University in Philadelphia, studying the effects of expertise on visual and fine-motor processing. He is currently a Scientist at Exponent Failure Analysis Associates in Los Angeles, working on a variety of human factors-related problems, both basic and applied.

Over the years, I have edited newspapers, manuscripts, graphs, photos, and other media. So when it came to organizing my digital persona, I considered what to do about Facebook versus LinkedIn. I have had a Facebook account since college. However, as a graduate student, I had no idea what, if any, etiquette (let alone rules) existed as to whom to request or accept as a connection on LinkedIn. Moreover, I did not even realize what the point of LinkedIn actually was.

So I decided to ask around. Over lunch or drinks I started asking my friends and colleagues their thoughts on the differences between Facebook and LinkedIn. However unscientific, my research revealed that whereas many academics understand that Facebook is for posting pictures, telling people what you're up to, and generally keeping in touch (or just plain old stalking), the picture is much hazier when it comes to LinkedIn. To sum it up, academia does not necessarily rely on LinkedIn. The business world, however, does. I came to realize this because I am working in the private sector for Exponent, a scientific consulting company. Since joining Exponent, I have asked the same question of plenty of folks, but the conclusion is a lot different. The questions on everyone's minds are: "Who has this person worked with?" and "Would my contacts recommend this person?" In fact, job candidates often ask their contacts for recommendations via LinkedIn. Contrarily, asking a Facebook friend for a recommendation may be considered a faux pas. LinkedIn is literally about being professional. I organize my list of contacts on LinkedIn based on my professional network (i.e., graduate students, Ph.D.s, co-workers, and clients). I have had former students and research participants whose names I do not recall request me as a contact on LinkedIn. These individuals would perhaps qualify as a "friend" with whom I would not mind sharing vacation photos. There is, however, no reason for me to accept them as a contact on LinkedIn, so I do not. It is not a personal matter, just a way of being organized by keeping the right connections in the right place.

So what about networking in the good ol' real world? The term "networking" gets thrown around *a lot*, but what is a first-year grad student to make of it? An anecdote may serve to illustrate. While attending the 2011 APA convention, I went to a social hour attended by several prominent professors. "Always good to help people put a face to a name," I thought, partly to convince myself that it was better to go have a free beer than to spend yet another restless night searching for a job online. At the event, I struck up a conversation with a professor. He had attended a talk I had given, and we chatted about research. At one point he asked what my plans were for after grad school. Long story short, he indicated that I should get in touch with him to get set up with an adjunct teaching position at his department. A few weeks later, I had an interview scheduled. Even though I ended up taking a different position, this encounter is an example of how important networking is.

In this issue, you will see content and commentary regarding the state of affairs in Division 3, with the themes of membership and networking being prominent. For example, the 2011 New Investigator Awards section indicates the kind of work that receives support; perhaps an email to an author can help you gain a foothold in an area of expertise. Similarly, new and potential members will be able to explore the size of the professional network from which they can draw and to which they can contribute. Perhaps of most interest will be the just-released information regarding Division 3 programming at the 2012 APA Convention. Hopefully there is something for everyone. Enjoy. ♡

President's Column

Karen Hollis is Professor of Psychology and Education at Mount Holyoke College. An experimental psychologist by training, she researches the way in which animals use learned signals to anticipate the appearance of biologically important events—such as food, rivals, predators, and mates—and, thus, optimize their interaction with these events. She has most recently focused on the predator-prey relationship between antlions and ants (respectively).



In this column, which I decided to craft into a brief mid-year report, I wish to highlight three items of special interest to members:

***The Experimental Psychology Bulletin*: Editorial transitions**

On behalf of the entire membership, I thank our previous Editor, Emily Klein, Ph.D., for her careful and thoughtful stewardship of *The Experimental Psychology Bulletin* over the last one-and-a-half years. In her role as Editor, Emily provided not only insightful perspectives on the needs of both our graduate student and Early Career Psychologist members, but also new opportunities for editorial outreach. So, thank you, Emily, and best wishes in this next stage of your career.

With Emily's departure, the current newsletter marks an important transition, and so please join me in welcoming the new Editor of *The Experimental Psychology Bulletin*, Kuba Glazek, Ph.D. Kuba, who is continuing his research as a human factors scientist at Exponent Failure Analysis Associates since receiving the Ph.D. last summer, received the Division 3 Student Poster Award in an especially competitive pool of posters at the APA 2011 Annual Convention in Washington, D.C. last summer. In addition to his accomplishments as a researcher, you will see Kuba's deft technological and editorial hand in the new format and layout of the *Bulletin*. Thank you, Kuba, for agreeing to take on the job as Editor.

Divisional programming at the 2012 Annual Convention

I'm delighted to report on the exciting way in which Division 3 programming at the 2012 Annual Convention is shaping up. This year we were fortunate to receive a large number of excellent unsolicited symposium and paper proposals to Division 3, which has allowed us to expand our program substantially. Members already will have received Convention updates from Division 3 Program Chair Nancy Dess, but I think it's worth describing here a little more about the format of the convention and what you can expect from a new arrangement with Division 6. Thanks to the mutually beneficial agreement with Division 6 President, Mauricio Papini, and Division 6 Program Chair, Victoria Chamizo, all of their and our programming will be *co-sponsored* by the two divisions, insuring that sessions developed by one of our two divisions will not overlap with the other. (I've learned that what, at first, appears to be only a semantic distinction between "co-listing" and "co-sponsoring" has, in fact, real meaning in terms of when divisional events can – and can't – overlap.) Division 3/6 program overlap has been a perennial complaint amongst our convention attendees; although this change required a little preparatory footwork, the payoffs, we believe, will be more than worth that effort.

In addition, Nancy and I have been able to work closely with APA governance groups (e.g., Board of Convention Affairs, Board of Scientific Affairs) in such a way that our divisional programming dovetails with these groups' own slate of invited speakers. The end result is a program that features what Nancy has dubbed "cutting-edge cells-to-society science," including thematically organized *clusters* of sessions – including both spoken and poster sessions – on multiple topics, providing both **CONTINUED ON P. 12**

2011 New Investigator Awards

Thanks to Morton Ann Gernsbacher, Awards Chair



Journal of Experimental Psychology: Animal Behavior Processes

Fabian A. Soto – University of Iowa (fabian-soto@uiowa.edu)

For the article: Soto, F. A., & Wasserman, E. A. (2010).

Integrality/separability of stimulus dimensions and multidimensional generalization in pigeons. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Animal Behavior Processes*, 36, 194-205



Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied

Amy E. Crook – Rice University (crook@rice.edu)

For the article: Crook, A. E., & Beier, M. E. (2010). When training with a partner is inferior to training alone: The importance of dyad type and interaction quality. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied*, 16, 335-348.



Journal of Experimental Psychology: General

Sara M. Levens – Stanford University (slevens@stanford.edu)

For the article: Levens, S. M., & Gotlib, I. (2010). Updating positive and negative stimuli in working memory in depression. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: General*, 139, 654-664.



Journal of Experimental Psychology: Human Perception and Performance

Marc Ouellet – Universidad de Granada (mouellet@ugr.es), currently at Université Blaise Pascal (mouellet@ugr.es)

For the article: Ouellet, M., Santiago, J., Funes, M. J., & Lupiáñez, J. (2010). Thinking about the future moves attention to the right.

Journal of Experimental Psychology: Human Perception and Performance, 36, 17-24.



Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, & Cognition

Ilke Öztekin – Brown University (ilke_oztekin@brown.edu), currently at Koc University (ioztekin@ku.edu.tr)

For the article: Öztekin, I., & McElree, B. (2010). Relationship between measures of working memory capacity and the timecourse of short-term memory retrieval and interference resolution. *Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, & Cognition*, 36, 383-397.

Congratulations to all!

2012 Convention Content Preview

Thanks to Nancy Dess, Member-at-large

This coming summer, the APA convention in Orlando will be *the* can't-miss meeting for experimental psychologists in 2012. The program will be finalized in late January, but **terrific programming is already confirmed**, with more to come. But wait, there's more! **You still have a chance to get on the program**, despite the December 1st, 2011 deadline for poster submissions. Also, Division 6 will offer high-quality programming of interest to Division 3 members, including already-confirmed symposia.

Central governance confirmed speakers

- Master Lecturers: Nicola Clayton and George Koob
- Plenary speakers: Kelly Brownell, Frans de Waal, Howard Gardner, Sean Mackey, Janet Mann, Valerie Reyna, Emilie Rissman, Skip Rizzo, Barbara Rolls, Paul Rozin, Wendy Suzuki, Elke Weber, Tony Zeiss,

Division 3 confirmed sessions

- Memory symposia with Michael Beran, Nicola Clayton, Michael Ferkin, Norbert Fortin, Raymond Kesner, and Chris Moore (organized by Jon Crystal)
- A symposium on the relationship between eating/energy regulation and memory, with Kerri Boutelle, Scott Kanoski and Dana Small (organized by Terry Davidson)
- Addresses by Neil Rowland and Division 3 President Karen Hollis

**Award address by
Michael Meaney**

Division 6 confirmed symposia

- Associative Learning and its Applications, organized by Ian McLaren
- Incentive, Expectancy, Emotion and the Brain (organized by P. Sue Grigson)
- Spatial Learning and Performance (organized by Anthony McGregor)
- Honoring Jeff Bitterman: Teacher, Scientist, and Mentor (organized by Mauricio Papini)
- Virtual Environments in the Study of Aggressive Behaviour (organized by Mel Slater & Mavi Sanchez)

**AND
MORE TO
COME!**

~ SPECIAL CALL FOR POSTERS ~

Current Cross-Currents:
Food/eating/obesity, Reward/addiction,
and Memory

APA Convention 2012, Aug 2-5, Orlando

Deadline: January 18, 2012



Exciting intersections emerged from this programming, prompting a special call for poster presentations of research cutting across the domains of food/eating/obesity, reward/ addiction, and/or memory. **Posters related to other topics in experimental psychology also will be considered.** Submit the following to the Division 3 Program Chair (Nancy Dess, dessnk@oxy.edu) by no later than January 10th, 2012:

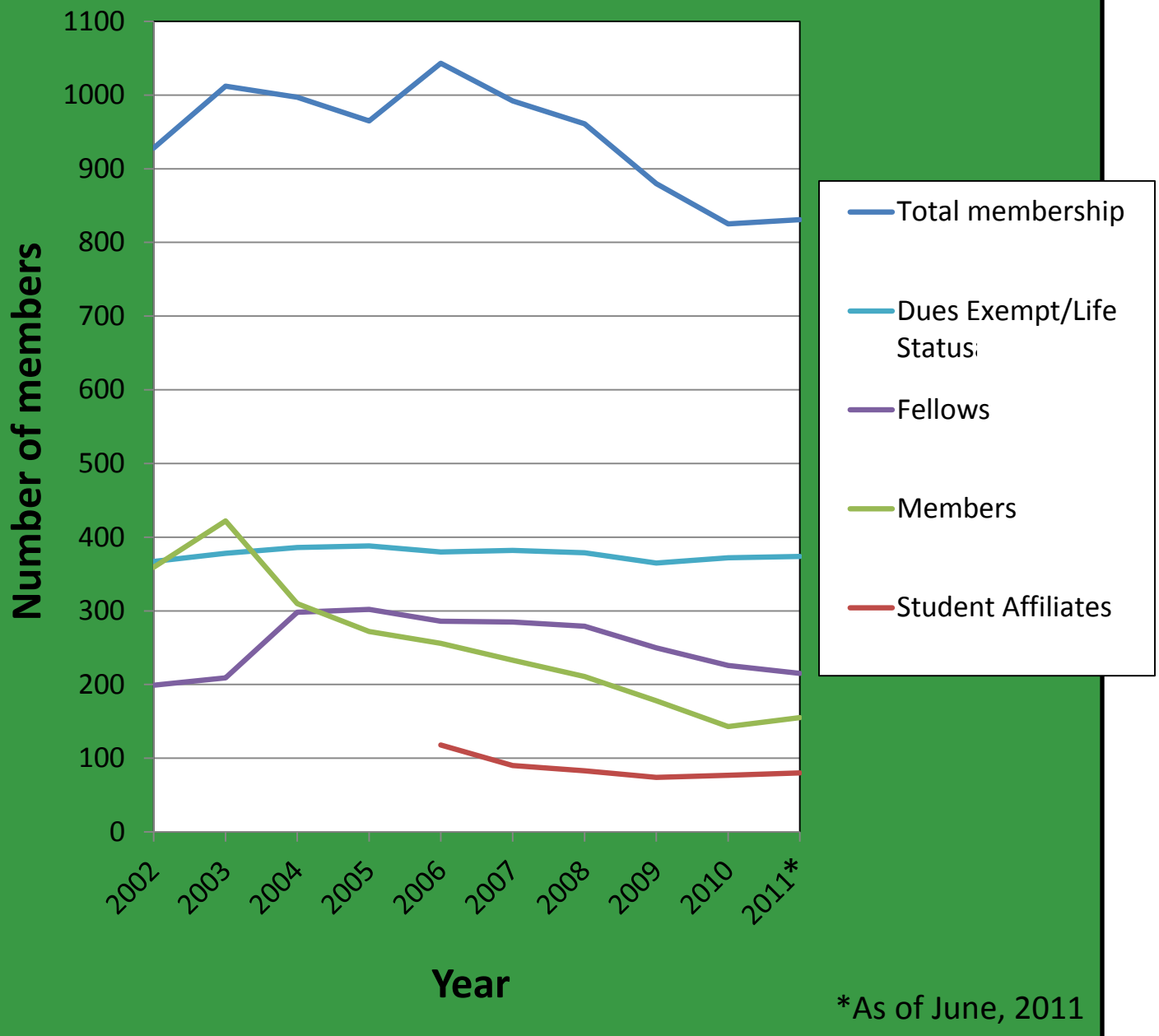
- Full name(s) of author(s) and institutional affiliation(s)
- First author's APA member/affiliate status, mailing address, and email
- Poster title (not to exceed 10 words) and abstract (not to exceed 250 words)

Students who are first author will be eligible for the Division's Best

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Membership Trends, 2002-2011

Thanks to Veronica Dark, Secretary-Treasurer



From 2002-2010, the number of dues-paying members declined. The number of dues paying fellows first increased, but then also began to decrease. After two years of very large drops, the number of dues paying members/fellows stabilized this year.

The figure reflects "membership" reports that are sent out from division services based on financial data. The APA member directory shows slightly more members. The number of student affiliate members is based on our own records (data prior to 2006 are not available). Ψ

Graduate Student Representative Column

Andrew Marshall is a second-year graduate student at Kansas State University. His research involves studying timing and probabilistic choice behavior.



Hello from Manhattan, Kansas! While it will be tough to match the fantastic work that the previous graduate student representative, Angela, has done for APA, APAGS, and APA Division 3, I am sure that my time as graduate student representative will be well spent, as well as informative and helpful to fellow graduate students.

This is my first column in the Division 3 newsletter. Therefore, I want to discuss some things that I plan on doing for the graduate students of APA Division 3, as well as those of you who have yet to become affiliated with APA Division 3—but have doing so at the very top of your New Year’s resolution list. I hope that this and future columns will provide relevant news for graduate students.

First, the 2012 APA Annual Convention will be held August 2-5, 2012, in Orlando, Florida. You can find more information at www.apa.org/convention/. Second, over the upcoming winter break and spring semester of 2012, I plan on creating a Facebook page specifically for APA Division 3; it will be administered by myself and other APA Division 3 members. While there are many faculty members who have accounts on Facebook, I feel safe assuming that the majority of those who “like” or simply explore the page will be graduate students. The page will provide information on conference submission deadlines, keynote speakers at future conventions, web-links to seminars and courses regarding data analysis techniques and new software, and other relevant news articles.

We want you to know the benefits of becoming affiliated with APA Division 3 as graduate students. While it is always nice to add positive things to your curriculum vita (such as professional association memberships), becoming part of APA Division 3 will provide you with an opportunity to network effectively (see the newsletter editor’s column for more on this topic). Starting a Facebook page is a nice step in the right direction. Be on the lookout for a Facebook page in the new year! And of course, remember to “like” it.

That being said, at the end of each column, I want to briefly discuss a graduate-student-relevant topic important to me. In 2008, there was a one-page article published by Martin A. Schwartz in the *Journal of Cell Science* entitled, “The importance of stupidity in scientific research.” If I am anything like other graduate students, I know we all have moments when we just do not know something, when data are difficult to interpret, or when we are unsure of the next best research question to ask. I highly recommend reading this brief article, as it is certainly an uplifting piece during those moments when we are down and essentially feel “stupid.”

If you have any questions or comments, you can email me at atmarsh@k-state.edu, and I will be sure to get back to you as soon as possible. Ψ



Report from the Secretary-Treasurer

Veronica Dark is Professor of Psychology at Iowa State University. Her research addresses a variety of questions concerning attention and working memory, including perception, selection, memory, and decision making as they relate to the current task and current state of awareness.

Minutes of Division 3 Executive Committee Meeting (August 5, 2011, Washington, DC)

Present: Ralph Miller (Past President), Karen Hollis (President Elect), Veronica Dark (Secretary-Treasurer), Angela AuBuchon (Graduate Student Representative), Nancy Dess (at-Large), David Washburn (at-Large), Robert Cook (at-Large), Angelo Santi (as-Large), Tom Zentall (Council), Tom Ghiradelli (Program Chair).

Guests: Sangeeta Panicker (Director, Research Ethics Office), Howard Kurtzman (Deputy Executive Director for Science).

I. Call to order and approval of minutes

- A. President Wolfe was unable to attend so President Elect Karen Hollis called the meeting to order at 4 pm. Tom Zentall moved, second by David Washburn, to approve the minutes of the Executive Committee (EC) meeting in St. Louis on Nov. 20, 2011, as electronically distributed. Motion passed.

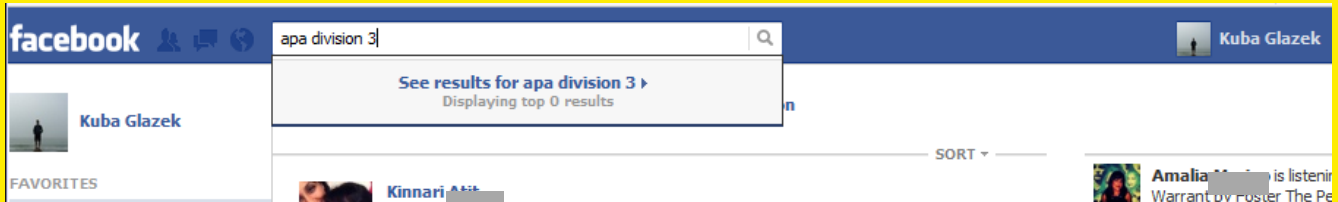
II. Announcements

- A. Karen announced the results of the division elections. There were 119 ballots cast for president elect. Bob Cook, Mark McDaniel, and David Washburn were on the ballot. Mark was the winner. There were 107 votes cast for the two at-Large positions. Jon Crystal, Kim Kirkpatrick, Kristi Multhaup, and Mike Young were on the ballot. Kim and Kristi were the winners.
- B. Karen announced the Chair Appointments for 2011-2012. She reminded us of the changes approved last year in which the Chair for an upcoming year will serve with the President who appointed him or her. In this transition year, Jim Pomerantz will serve as the Fellows Chair. Jeffrey Katz, who was this year's chair will help. Mark needs to appoint the 2012-2013 chair as soon as possible.
- C. No one could remember who had been appointed Awards Chair. Morton Ann Gernsbacher, this year's chair, will help the new chair. Mark needs to appoint the 2012-2013 chair as soon as possible.
- D. Karen announced that Andrew Marshall will be the new Graduate Student Representative. He is not at the convention this year, but he has been in touch with Angela.
- E. The Division 3 Business meeting overlaps with the Science Directorate social hour, so the Business Meeting will be very quick. There is no pressing business other than approval of last year's minutes. Approval of the minutes is important given the important change to the Bylaws so all the EC needs to attend to have a quorum.
- F. Karen noted that the Science Directorate (SD) will be here soon. The SD supported our receiving (along with Divisions 6 and 28) an interdivisional grant that allows us to cover expenses of graduate students or early career psychologists attending the APA Convention in Orlando. She and others are looking for additional support, perhaps through drug companies.

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To join the Facebook group:

1. Log in to facebook
2. At the top of the screen, type in "APA division 3"
3. Request to join



*Tune in for
photos, news, and resources
on these pages!*

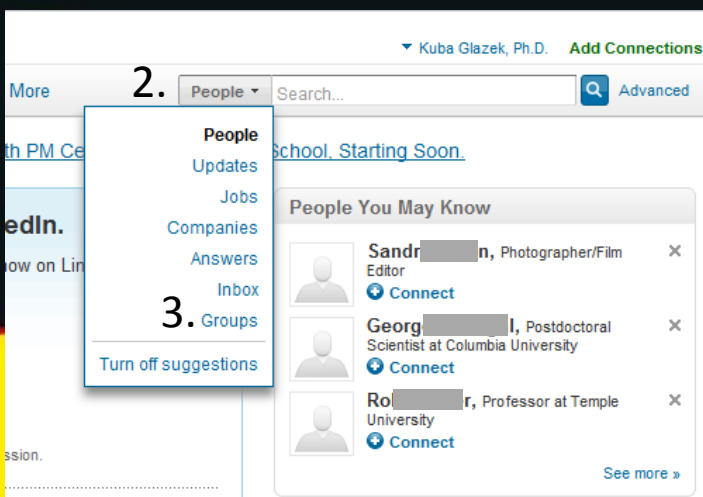
Don't forget to
click:



to get automatic
updates as they
occur

To join the LinkedIn group:

1. Log in to linkedin
2. At the top right of the screen, click "People"
3. Scroll down to "Groups"
4. Search for "APA division 3"
5. Join group



6. Say "Log in to linkedin" five times fast

Online Networking

FOR DUMMIES

*A Reference
for the
Rest of Us!*

Now available for
APA Division 3



President's Column

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depth and breadth to convention attendees. These topics include: addictions, decision making, episodic memory, incentive contrast and learning, obesity, spatial learning and performance, and virtual environments. Another session will honor the contributions of former Division 3/6 Member and Fellow Jeff Bitterman. Confirmed speakers include: Michael Beran, Kelly Brownell, Nicola Clayton, Jon Crystal, Terry Davidson, Michael Ferkin, Norbert Fortin, Scott Konoski, Raymond Kesner, George Koob, Chris Moore, Neil Rowland, Barbara Rolls, Paul Rozin, Dana Small, Wendy Suzuki, Teresa Amabile, Peter Balsam, Victoria Chamizo, David Cifu, Pat Couvillon, Frans de Waal, Dominic Dwyer, Gerard Gioia, Anthony Greenwald, Sue Grigson, Karen Hollis, Ian McLaren, Mark Levine, Evan Livesey, Janet Mann, Tetsuro Matsuzawa, Anthony McGregor, Donna Mertens, Matthew Nock, Bruce Overmier, Mauricio Papini, Valerie Reyna, Emilie Rissman, Skip Rizzo, Mavi Sanchez-Vives, Mel Slater, Brian Smith, Bonnie Spring, Robert Stern, Carmen Torres, David Washburn, Elke Weber, Drew Westen, Andy Wills, Frederick Verbruggen, and Tony Zeiss. The spring edition of the *Bulletin* will provide details of the program.

Increasing Diversity in Psychological Science through Mentoring: Award program for junior scientists

We learned this past summer, 2011, that our collaboration with Divisions 6 and 28, plus the Committee on Animal Research and Ethics (CARE) resulted in a successful Interdivisional Grant Proposal (IGP) to fund a program we titled "*Increasing Diversity in Psychological Science through Mentoring.*" The call for applications from junior scientists (advanced graduate and postdoctoral students) went out in early fall, 2011, and we now have a good-sized pool of very strong candidates from a diverse group. The awards will fund not only mentoring program expenses, but also the successful candidates' travel to the 2012 Annual Convention in Orlando, Florida. Although we requested the maximum amount of support (\$5000) from the Committee on Division/APA Relations (CODAPAR) to fund the mentoring program, CODAPAR decided to invest an additional \$8000 (total \$13K) to insure broader participation. Divisions 3 and 6 committed to providing \$1500 each; and, my home institution, Mount Holyoke College, has pledged \$2000. With this infusion of additional funds, we will be able to make twelve awards, roughly four from each of the three divisions. Sangeeta Panicker, Ph.D., Director, Research Ethics, in APA's Science Directorate, generously volunteered to collect the applications and to help coordinate our evaluation of the candidates. Awards will be announced in late January. Finally, we are working with Debra Major, an organizational psychologist and CODAPAR member, and her graduate student, Valerie Streets, to develop and administer evaluation instruments designed to measure the effectiveness of the mentoring program both qualitatively and quantitatively. I thank all those who collaborated on the IGP, namely Nancy Dess and Emily Klein from Division 3; Mauricio Papini and Victoria Chamizo from Division 6; Mark Greenwald, Rick Bevins and Mark Smith from Division 28; and, Pamela Scott-Johnson and Sangeeta Panicker from CARE.

In short, the programmatic changes we are making to the convention, the breadth and depth of topics represented, the confirmed participation of internationally recognized psychological scientists, and the addition of a networking and mentoring program for exceptional junior scientists, will combine to make the 2012 Annual Convention, August 2-5, of exceptional value to experimental psychologists. I look forward to seeing many of you in Orlando. Ψ

Special Call for Posters

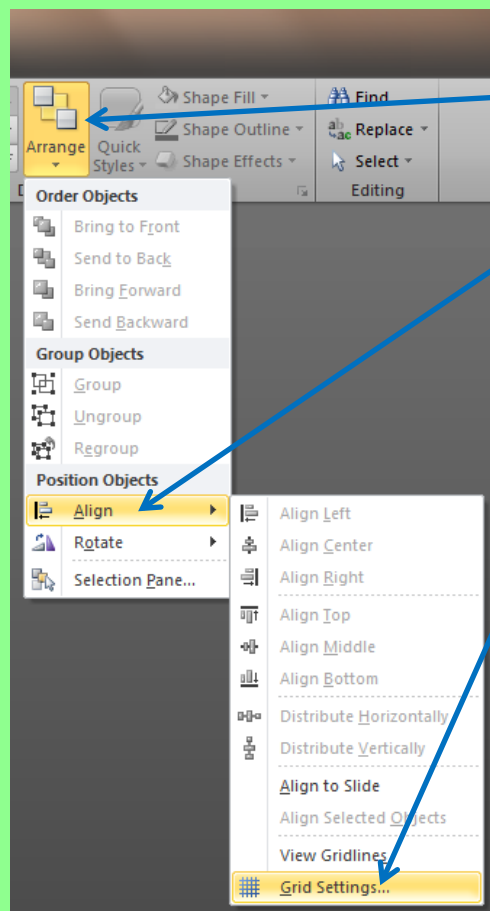
CONTINUED FROM P. 7 Poster award. Student members of APA also will be eligible for a travel award (March/April deadline, watch <http://www.apa.org/about/awards/scidir-stutrav.aspx> for 2012 details). Please forward to potentially interested colleagues.

Note to share with APA not-yet-members: Encourage your colleagues to join APA to support its work on behalf of the discipline, and save on Convention registration fees. Dues for first-time regular members are only \$99 for the first year, and only \$35-55 for students (<http://www.apa.org/membership/member/index.aspx>); Division 3 membership is just \$20 more (<http://www.apa.org/divisions/div3/Application.htm>). ♡

Poster Tips and Tricks

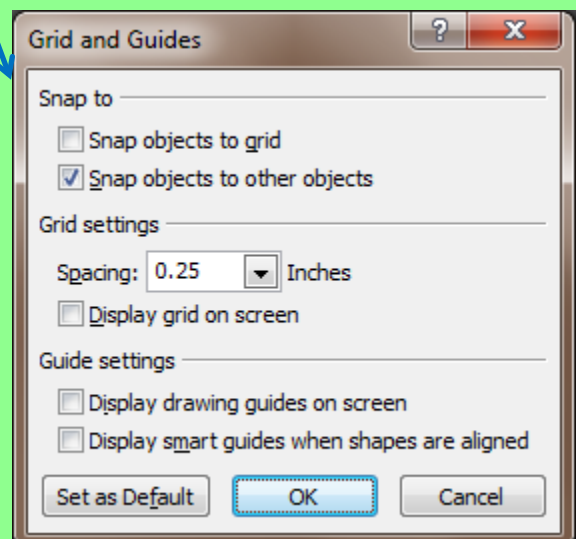
Link to anything on the Internet by adding a QR code to your poster. (Thanks to Alexandra Morrison.)

1. Visit <http://qrcode.kaywa.com/>
2. Copy the QR code, and paste it into your poster.
3. Anyone whose smartphone has a QR reader app (available for free on Apple and Android app stores) can instantly access your content.



Make PowerPoint work for you

1. In the "Home" tab, click "Arrange."
2. Scroll down to "Align."
3. Click "Grid settings."
4. A box pops up, allowing you to "snap" objects to each other or to a grid.



Report from the Secretary-Treasurer

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III. Science Directorate Visit

- A. Sangeeta Panicker & Howard Kurtzman arrived. They presented an overview of what the SD has been doing that is relevant to Division 3. The SD has been working
- B. hard to have Psychology included as a STEM discipline. APA Council voted additional resources to the SD office to expand its range of advocacy and lobbying. APA's education marketing will expand to include psychology as a science. The focus has been on practice. Work force survey questions will now ask questions about class load etc.
- C. Funding is a big issue, particularly for this division. The SD has been responding to Congress who wants to get rid of the SBE directorate. A week ago an alert went out to members that generated 700 emails in response.
- D. Howard described a number of proposed or to-be-proposed rules/guidelines at various federal agencies. He encouraged members of the Division to pay close attention and to send comments.
- E. Howard noted that CARE is concerned with overregulation of research. He noted that we typically react (e.g., going to Congress to point out that the regulations are expensive while not providing any additional protection), but that we should be more proactive. We should go forward with our own proposals rather than just reacting to proposals coming from others (e.g., PETA).
- F. Karen thanked Howard and Sangee for meeting with her and for their support in helping the Division obtain the grant. The proposal was for \$5000 but the award was \$13,000. Karen explained that plan is to bring in 12 mentees (4 each from Divisions 3, 6, and 28)
- G. There was some discussion of the Division's role at the APA Convention. Karen noted that the more we can get in synch with the BSA award winners, the better. If the science divisions knew who the awardees were and when, then they could build programming around them. As it is, we have to have our program before we know who the awardees are.
- H. In response, Howard noted that there are plans to reorganize the convention. The goal is to make it more coherent. The Board of Convention Affairs knows many speakers in October. The plan is for more people to get involved in programming. There will be more plenaries organized by divisions.
- I. David Washburn thanked Howard and Sangee for their taking the initiative in regards to overregulation. Sangee noted that they are doing their best to cultivate relationships with Congress. Howard and Sangee then left the meeting.

IV. Reports

- A. Secretary-Treasurer Veronica Dark presented the written membership report (see "Membership trends" figure on p. 8 of this issue for details) and finance report. Division 3's income is derived primarily from annual membership dues. Very little money is earned from interest or dividends on investments (0.02 and 0.05%). We raised dues for 2011 to \$20 for members, fellows and associates. No dues are charged to student affiliates. The table on p. 15 of this issue summarizes the financial data from January 2003 to June 2011.

Report from the Secretary-Treasurer

IV. Reports (continued)

A. Finance report.

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011 ^a
Dues Amount	11	11	11	11	11	12	17	17	20
Net Assets – January	7,447	10,361	11,268	13,680	16,245	17,401	18,935	19,843	18,234
Net Assets – December	10,361	11,268	13,680	16,245	17,401	18,935	19,843	18,234	
Dues Income	6,854	6,672	6,411	6,039	5,621	5,964	7,327	6,341	7,326
Operating Expenses	3,974	5,825	4,407	4,311	5,494	5,311	6,452	7,937	~6,000 ^b
Net Income (dues - expenses)	2,880	847	2,004	1,728	127	653	875	(-1,596)	~1,326
Interest - Banking Charge	35	60	409	837	1,029	542	32	(-13)	(-23)
Net Assets - December	10,361	11,268	13,680	16,245	17,401	18,935	19,843	18,234	

^ato end of June 2011

^banticipated expenses are lower due to scaled back 2011 convention program

As anticipated in the 2010 report, after expenses for the 2010 convention, we had a negative net income. The increase in dues offset the drop in membership for 2011 so that our income is higher than in 2010. Because of the dues increase and lower anticipated convention-related expenses for 2011, we are likely to have a positive net income this year.

The "budgeted" expenses have increased substantially in the last several years: 2007, \$1,000 for graduate student representative travel; 2008, increase to \$1,000 Secretary-Treasurer travel; increased APA registration affects all registration reimbursements; other convention related expenses have increased (e.g., the social hour and increased attendance by award recipients). The table on p. 16 of this issue shows expenditures for the last five years and the budgeted expenses for 2011. As noted, the budgeted expenditures of \$9,500 are substantially greater than our dues income. The actual expenses tend to be lower than the budgeted amount in most years because not all eligible expenses are fully claimed. Primarily because of the scaled-back Division 3 Program for 2011, expenses should not exceed income for 2011. This is reflected in the "estimated" column. The possibility of negative net income in future years should be addressed.

- B. General. The Division Annual Report was filed with APA in February. Division Income Taxes were filed with APA in April.

As part of the presentation of the budget, the question came up as to why some members of the EC had their registration paid and others did not. Nancy moved, David second, to reimburse the at-large members of the EC for early bird registration fees. An "equal treatment" argument was made in favor of the motion. An "it's too expensive" argument was made against. The vote was 6 in favor, 1 against, and 1 abstain. We will try it next year and then gauge the financial impact.

There was discussion of whether invited speakers should continue to be reimbursed \$100. No action was taken.

- C. APA Council Representatives (Randy Engle & Tom Zentall). Tom discussed the issues before the Council.

Report from the Secretary-Treasurer

Office / Expense	Dollars Spent					2011	
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	Budget	Estimated
Exec Travel & Registration							
President	0	350	987	275	275	350	0
President-Elect	225	0	245	275		275	275
Past President	0	0	0	0		275	275
Council Rep - APA Convention Travel	920	245	430	0	946	500	500
Council Rep - APA Convention Travel	0	0	0	0	1,026	500	500
Chair, Prog Comm	225	225	0	240	275	275	275
Secretary-Treasurer - APA Travel	350	350	950	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Secretary-Treasurer – APA Registr.		0	245	275	275	275	275
Graduate Student Rep - APA Travel		778	415	864	966	1,000	0
APA Leadership Conference	470	0	425	0		425	0
Meeting Expenses							
Exec Meeting APA Conv	197	597	165	136	200	175	0
Social Hour at APA Conv	0	250	457	542	517	550	500
APA Invited Speakers Expenses	1,222	700	0	500	250	1,500	0
Exec Meeting at Psychonomics	157	196	330	308	218	300	300
Awards							
Award Plaques/Shipping	222	238	313	274	342	250	250
100 Grad Best Poster Award			100	100	100	100	100
Award Winner APA Dues	180	154	133	80	92	500	500
Award Winner APA Registration	245	585	0	610	950	1,000	1,000
Miscellaneous							
Federation Dues	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
One time expenses		108		260	280		
Expense Total	4,663	5,026	5,445	5,989	7,962	9,500	6,000

- D. Program Chair Tom Ghiradelli. Tom noted that his report would be short because the program consisted of three items: a social with Division 3, a poster session, and a business meeting.
- E. Graduate Student Representative Angela AuBouchon. Angela noted that APAGS awards two \$1,000 grants each year for dissertations in basic science. She is now Chair of the APAGS Science Subcommittee.
- F. Written report from Newsletter Editor Emily Klein. Because of a change in employment, I was unable to complete the spring newsletter (volume 15, issue 1) in April as planned. It has now been submitted and will appear as a spring/summer issue. I have truly treasured my time working with Division 3, but I think it is best if we start looking for a new editor or at least think about adding a co-editor to help facilitate the process.

Report from the Secretary-Treasurer

- G. Fellows Chair Jeffrey Katz provided a written report. We have one initial Fellow (Dr. Lise Abrams) that will be voted on by Council on Wednesday, August 3, 2011. The 27 current fellows that the EB approved last February from other divisions are all approved as Division 3 Fellows and their records will be updated in September. They are Chana Akins, Peter Balsam, Martha Ann Bell, Aaron Blaisdell, Mark Blumberg, Alan Castel, Patricia R DeLucia, John F Disterhoft, E Scott Geller, Elena L Grigorenko, Catherine Haden, Theresa Anne Jones, Stephen Maren, M Jackson Marr, David McCabe, Lisa M Oakes, Mauricio Papini, Irene M Pepperberg, Paul C Quinn, J. S Reznick, Todd Kennedy Shackelford, Bonnie J Spring, Mark Edwards Stanton, Travis I Thompson, Leslie G Ungerleider, David H Uttal, & Alice M Young.
- H. Awards Chair Morton Gernsbacher provided a written report (see p. 6 of this issue).

V. Business Items

- A. APA's response to Division 3's absence. Karen noted that our absence may have produced positive results. It would be very helpful if we could work our programming around the APA awards.
- B. Update on the Interdivisional Grant Program [IGP]. Karen passed out copies of the grant. There are 6 different events that will be programmed at the Convention in Orlando. We will need members from the EC to serve as mentors.
- C. Convention 2012. Nancy Dess is the program chair. Tom Ghiradelli will help. A theme will be Raising Consciousness on Diversity.
- D. Newsletter Editor needed (Karen Hollis). Karen noted that the Newsletter was just sent out. Because Emily has changed jobs, she will no longer be able to function as the Editor, so we need a new Newsletter Editor.
- E. Approval of new members. New members: Sarah F. Brosnan, Andrew C. Butler, Florian C. Feucht, Jennifer McCabe. Returning fellow: Robert E. Remez. International member: B. Peter Sundkvist. All were unanimously approved.
- F. Approval of Secretary-Treasurer 2011-2014. Karen made a motion to approve Veronica Dark for a second term as Secretary-Treasurer (2011-2014). Motion passed without dissent.

VI. Good of the Order

- A. Karen presented plaques to outgoing EC members David Washburn and Angela Aubuchon.

VII. Adjournment

- A. The meeting was adjourned at 5:50.

Respectfully submitted,

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Report from the Secretary-Treasurer

Minutes of Division 3 Business Meeting (August 6, 2011, Washington, DC)

I. Approval of minutes

- A. President Wolfe was unable to attend so President-elect Hollis called the meeting to order at 6 PM. The Minutes of the August 14, 2010 meeting in San Diego were distributed. They were approved without dissent.

II. President-elect Announcements (Karen Hollis)

- A. Mark McDaniel will be President-elect and Kim Kirkpatrick and Kristi Multhaup will join the Executive Committee as at-Large Members.
- B. Because every member in attendance at the Business meeting had been in attendance at the Executive Committee meeting, President-elect did not summarize the actions taken at that meeting.

III. Secretary-Treasurer Report (Veronica Dark)

- A. Secretary-Treasurer Dark did not repeat her report from the Executive Committee meeting.

IV. Old Business

- A. There was no old business.

V. New Business

- A. The New Investigator Award Winners for 2011 will receive their plaques at the business meeting of the Psychonomic Society in Seattle in November. The winners are:

Journal of Experimental Psychology: Animal Behavior Processes--Fabian A. Soto

Journal of Experimental Psychology: Applied-- Amy E. Crook

Journal of Experimental Psychology: General--Sara M. Levens

Journal of Experimental Psychology: Human Perception and Performance--Marc Ouellet

Journal of Experimental Psychology: Learning, Memory, & Cognition- -Ilke Öztekin

- B. The winners of the poster competition from Saturday morning have already received their plaques.

1st Place went to Kuba J. Glazek, Temple University, *Visual Art Expertise Affects Visual and Motor Processing* with co-author Robert Weisberg.

2nd Place went to Katherine R. Gamble, Georgetown University, *Does Nonconscious Goal Pursuit Improve Implicit Learning?* with co-authors Lauren C. Westbay, James H. Howard, & Darlene V. Howard.

VI. Change of Leadership

- A. President-elect Hollis assumed the mantel of President Hollis. She will present Jeremy Wolfe with an appreciation plaque from the Division at the meeting of the Executive Committee in Seattle in November.

VII. The meeting was adjourned at 6:20 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

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