# PUBLIC NOTICE OF A MEETING FOR

# STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINERS

DATE OF MEETING: Friday, September 9, 2022 Time: 8:30 a.m.

The meeting of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners (Board) will be conducted and may be attended through a remote technology system (video- or teleconference). To participate remotely, individuals are invited to enter the meeting from the Zoom website at: <a href="https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88283891387">https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88283891387</a>. To access the meeting via audio only, dial 1-669-900-6833 and enter the meeting ID: 882 8389 1387. The meeting may also be attended at the physical location of the Board Office at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B-116, Reno, Nevada, 89502. (The Board office recommends that individuals unfamiliar with ZOOM should visit the website in advance to familiarize themselves with the format by viewing the online tutorials and reading the FAQs. To learn more about Zoom, go to <a href="https://zoom.us/">https://zoom.us/</a>.)

The Board will accept public comment via email. Those wishing to make public comment should email their public comments to the Board office at <a href="mailto:nbop@govmail.state.nv.us">nbop@govmail.state.nv.us</a>. Written public comments must be received prior to the start of the meeting and will be forwarded to the Board for their consideration. Public comments will be included in the public record (meeting minutes) but will not necessarily be read aloud during the meeting. In compliance with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 241 (Open Meeting Law), the Board is precluded from taking action on items raised by public comment which are not already on the agenda.

The Board may take items out of order, combine items for consideration, and items may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time. Public comment will be taken at the beginning and end of the meeting. The public may provide comment on any matter whether or not that matter is a specific topic on the agenda. However, prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the Board may refuse to consider public comment on that item. (NRS 233B.126) Public comment that is willfully disruptive is prohibited, and individuals who willfully disrupt the meeting may be removed from the meeting. (NRS 241.030(5)(b)) The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person (NRS 241.030). Once all items on the agenda are completed, the meeting will adjourn.

## AGENDA

- 1. Call To Order/Roll Call to Determine the Presence of a Quorum.
- 2. Public Comment. Note: Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public comment will be allowed at the beginning and end of the meeting, as noted on the agenda. The Board President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as

time allows and in their sole discretion. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken (NRS 241.020)

- 3. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners on August 12, 2022.
- 4. Financials
  - A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Treasurer's Report for Fiscal Year 2023 (July 1, 2022, Through June 30, 2023).
- 5. Board Needs and Operations
  - A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Select the Exam Officer for the State of Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners for a One-Year Term through June 30, 2023, from the Current Board Membership: Monique Abarca, Lorraine Benuto, Soseh Esmaeili, Stephanie Holland, Catherine Pearson, Whitney Owens, and Stephanie Woodard.
  - B. Report from the Nevada Psychological Association
  - C. Report From the Executive Director on Board Office Operations.
  - D. Report on Legislative Activities, including the work of Interim Committees and the 2023 Session of the Nevada Legislature
- 6. (For Possible Action) Discussion, and Possible Action on Pending Consumer Complaints:
  - A. Complaint #19-0626
  - B. Complaint #19-0709
  - C. Complaint #19-1106
  - D. Complaint #21-0726
  - E. Complaint #22-0321
  - F. Complaint #22-0519
  - G. Complaint #22-0804
- (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Revoke the License of G. Brent Dennis, Ph.D., License Number PY0312, in accordance with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) 641.230, Grounds for disciplinary action
- 8. (For Possible Action) Review and Possible Action on Applications for Licensure as a Psychologist or Registration as a Psychological Assistant, Intern or Trainee. The

Board May Convene in Closed Session to Receive Information Regarding Applicants, Which May Involve Considering the Character, Alleged Misconduct, Professional Competence or Physical or Mental Health of the Applicant (NRS 241.030). All Deliberation and Action Will Occur in an Open Session. *Note: Applicant names are listed on the agenda to allow the Board to discuss applicants when necessary to move the applicant through the licensure process. The listing of an applicant's name on the agenda indicates only that an application for licensure/registration has been received. It does not mean that the application has been approved or that the applicant must appear at the meeting in order for the applicant's application to move forward through the licensure process. If an applicant needs to attend the meeting for the Board to take action, the applicant will be notified in writing prior to the meeting. Please, direct questions or comments regarding licensure applications to the Board office.* 

#### **PSYCHOLOGISTS**

Amy Ahlfeld Catherine Aisner Dana Anderson Gera Anderson Abigail Baily (PA) Cherly Ballou Brad Barcklay Javnann Barcklav John Barona Stephanie Bellusa (PA) Kimberly Bergman Luke Bigler Mantsha Boikanyo Latoya Brogdon Corby Bubp Tyler Camaione Jonathan Campos (PA) Jena Casas (PA) Si Arthur Chen Dana Chidekel Filippo Cieri Irma Corral Pegeen Cronin Edward De Anda Hector De Los Santos Nicola De Paul Roman Dietrich Mary Dinerman

Jene Edwards Howard Friedman Erika Frieze Yvonne Fritz Nancy Grau Kalana Greer Dehnad Hakimi Tracy Hardister Bernadette Hinojos (PA) Alberto Ibarra Billie Ivra Saira Jhorn Lori Johnson Samantha Johnson Natalie Jones Marianne Kabour Carolyne Karr Patricia Keeler Kathryn Kimball Ashley Kirby-Ward Sandra Kubicki Lisa Lainer Laura LaPiana Timothy Law Karen Lehman Rose Leung Bertrand Levesque Karen Levine

George Lough Jodi Lovejov Debra Maddox Melissa Marrapese Robert McGahey Patricia McGuire Michelle Mercurio Shanna Mohler Carolina Morales-Alicea Luzviminda Morrow (PA) Michellane Mouton Patrick Murphy Jonine Nazar-Biesman **Raymond Nourmand** Ana Ochoa Ariel Ogilvie-McSweeney Brian Olsen Stephanie Orbon Rhea Pobuda Marv Man Yee Poon Sharon Rafferty Jennifer Ramirez Kilynda Ray Elke Rechberger Jasmine Reed Rory Reid Kristina Reynoso Danielle Richards David Robinson (PA)

Vincent Rodriguez Keri Ross Shelly Sheinbein Nicole Short David Shoup Nancy Small DeAnn Smetana Michael Stein Nicole Steiner-Pappalardo Vahe Sukiasyan LaTanya Takla Nicholas Thaler Christine Treece Donna Truong John Tsanadis Alisa Turner-Augustyn Deepti Vaswani John Walker Dale Watson Justin Weber Jessica Weis Kiara Wesley Michele Wilkens Stephen Winston Christine Winter Jamie Wong Wendy Worrell

### PSYCHOLOGICAL ASSISTANTS

Ines Acevedo Jeffrey Aguiar Sonakshi Arora Tracy Basile Ramy Bassioni Michelle Berumen Dallas Boyce Andrew Buchanan Shannon Burns-Darden Rachel Butler Pagnotti Nicholas Carfagno Leandrea Caver Christina Cendejas Nino Chkhaidze Kara Christensen Althea Clark

Board of Psychological Examiners, September 9, 2022 Public Meeting Notice and Agenda, Page 3 of 6 Tasman Cleaver Jessica Conner Althea Cook Jessica Crellin Melanie Duckworth Evan Fertel Alyssa Gallagher Milagro Gonzalez Stacy Graves Jennifer Grimes Vawters Akiko Hinds Kelly Hughes Kelly Humphreys Tracy Lawrence Vanessa Ma James Maltzahn Desiree Misanko Candis R. Mitchell Crystal Moon Carolina Morales Alcea Blanca Naudin Jonathan Parker Dylena Pierce Chelsea Powell Amanda Powers Eric Prince January Prince Elizabeth Pritchard Jacquelyn Rinaldi Shannon Rojas Daniela Sandelin Shweta Sharma Gerald Shorty

Sharon Simington Alexis Sliva Krystal Smith Lydia Stevenson Holly Summers Raven Townsel Amanda Wallick Nathaniel Wilkns Jaime Wong Amanda Zayas

### PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERNS

Lorraine Apodaca Lynne Ballard	Linda Curtis Michelle Gaston	Jeanine Johnson Kayla Kaiser	Barbara Sommer Charlotte Watley
Ámanda Barone	Kimberly Gray	Dorota Krotkiewicz	Melina Yaraghchi
Leslie Bautista	Michelle Harden	Elisabeth Lischer	Qingqing Zhu
Katie Biggers	Shanel Harris	Coreen Schwartz	
Shantay Coleman	Michael Hobbs	Jasmin Smith	

### PSYCHOLOGICAL TRAINEES

Paola Betancourt Glen Blessington Dominque Cheung Jacqueline Eddy Kayla Fobian Leila Gail Grace Goodwin Jaqueline Green Amanda Howard Madison Hurley Bianca Islas Jessica Jensen Cynthia Johnston Stacey Juthapan Demi Kourtesi Haeeun Lee Raymond Lopez Erica Marino Nicole Martinez Mollie McDonald Michael McNamara Sara Moore Amanda Mraz Kelly Parker Nicky Petersen Jason Sadora Mary Smirnova Heather Thompson Sherri Tschida Bailey Way Kayli Wrenn

- A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Request for an Extension of the Registration as a Psychological Assistant of Bernadette Hinojos
- B. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve the Request for an Extension of the Registration as a Psychological Assistant of Jonathan Campos
- C. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Approve a Testing Accommodation for Dr. Sandra Kubicki for the State Examination
- 9. (For Possible Action) Discussion of the ASPPB Covid-19 Task Force Emergency Preparedness Document
- (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Revise the Provisions of Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 641.1519, Qualifications of supervisor, to Require Registration of Supervisors of Psychological Trainees, Psychological Interns, and Psychological Assistants; and the Provisions of Nevada Administrative

Code (NAC) 641.158, Limitations on Number of Assistants, Interns, and Supervisors

- 11. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Revise and/or Adopt a Policy on Licensure Renewal, including Continuing Education Requirements
- 12. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Revise the Fees Schedule (Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 641.019, Fees) to Clarify fees for the restoration of an inactive license and the initial licensure fee of new licensees
- For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Consider a Process for Providing Temporary Licensure to Applicants for Licensure by Endorsement. Discussion may include provisional licensure and/or revisions to the definition of a Non-Resident Consultant
- 14. Legislative Update
  - A. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the Proposed Revision of Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) 641.390, Representation or Practice Without License or Registration Prohibited, During the 2023 Session of the Nevada State Legislature
- 15. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on Regulations Proposing Changes to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) Chapter 641 in Accordance with Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 233B
  - A. R175-20: Removal of "Moral"
  - B. R127-21: Regulations related to Assembly Bill 327
  - C. R128-21: Regulations related to Assembly Bill 366
  - D. R121-21: Regulations related to Senate Bill 44
- 16. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action on the 2021-22 Strategic Plan Goals and Objectives
- 17. (For Possible Action) Discussion and Possible Action to Provide Direction to Staff and/or the *Sub-Committee to Hire an Executive Director* Related to the Recruitment and Hiring of a New Executive Director. Discussion may include revisions to the job description and a timeline for posting the job announcement.
- (For Possible Action) Schedule of Future Board Meetings, Hearings, and Workshops. The Board May Discuss and Decide Future Meeting Dates, Hearing Dates, and Workshop Dates
  - A. The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Nevada Board of Psychological Examiners is Friday, October 14, 2022, at 8:30 a.m.

- 19. Requests for Future Board Meeting Agenda Items (No Discussion Among the Members will Take Place on this Item)
- 20. Public Comment Public comment is welcomed by the Board and may be limited to three minutes per person at the discretion of the Board President. Public comment will be allowed at the beginning and end of the meeting, as noted on the agenda. The Board President may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in his sole discretion. Comments will not be restricted based on viewpoint. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken (NRS 241.020)
- 21. (For Possible Action) Adjournment

The Board may recess for lunch for approximately one hour, at a time to be determined.

The Board is pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are disabled and wish to participate in the meeting. If such arrangements are necessary, please contact the board office at (775) 688-1268 no later than 4 p.m. on Thursday, September 8, 2022.

For supporting materials, visit the Board's website at

http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2021/2021/ or contact Lisa Scurry, Executive Director at the Board office by telephone (775-688-1268), e-mail (<u>nbop@govmail.state.nv.us</u>) or in writing at Board of Psychological Examiners, 4600 Kietzke Lane, Suite B-116, Reno, Nevada 89502.

In accordance with NRS 241.020, this public meeting notice was properly posted at or before 9 a.m. on Tuesday, September 6, 2022, at the following locations:

- Board office located at 4600 Kietzke Lane, Bldg. B-116, Reno;
- Nevada Public Notice website: <u>https://notice.nv.gov/</u>; and
- Board's website at <a href="http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2021/2021/">http://psyexam.nv.gov/Board/2021/2021/</a>.

In addition, this public meeting notice has been sent to all persons on the Board's meeting notice list, pursuant to NRS 241.020(3)(c).