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SOCIAL WORK ACADEMIC REVIEW COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Tuesday, May 23, 2017

Members Present: Jeanette Devevo, Richard Herbig, Josefina Ahumada

Staff Present: Zuri De Lucio, Credentialing Specialist

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order on May 23, 2017, at 9:00 a.m. with Ms. Ahumada presiding.

2. Roll Call

See above.

3. Review and Approval of Minutes

Dr. Herbig moved, seconded by Ms. Devevo, to approve the minutes from the April 25, 2017, meeting as submitted. The motion passed unanimously.

4. Report from Chair

None

5. Report from the Executive Director and/or staff

A. *General agency operations*

No report

6. Assistant Attorney General's Report: Marc Harris, A.A.G.

None

7. Supervisor exemption request: review, consideration and action

A. *Marissa Ferguson (previous rules, Sarah Daffron, LPC)*

Members reviewed information submitted regarding the request for a supervisor exemption.

Following review and discussion, Ms. Devevo moved, seconded by Dr. Herbig, to approve the request for supervisor exemption. The motion passed unanimously.

C. *Kelly O'Donnell (outside clinical supervisor, Katherine Meyer, LCSW)*

Members reviewed information submitted regarding the request for exemption.

Following review and discussion, Ms. Devevo moved, seconded by Dr. Herbig, to approve the request for an outside supervisor. The motion passed unanimously.

8. Consent agenda: review, consideration and action regarding requests for deficiency

None

9. Consent agenda: review, consideration and action regarding applications received under rules prior to November 1, 2015

Ms. Devevo moved, seconded by Dr. Herbig, to approve the consent agenda as presented granting review under the rules effective prior to November 1, 2015, for Marissa Ferguson and Shelley Fassett. The motion passed unanimously.

10. Exam accommodation and/or 90-day waiver requests: review, consideration and action

None

11. Applications for licensure: review, consideration and action

A. Review, consideration, and possible action regarding applications for licensure

Dr. Herbig moved, seconded by Ms. Devevo, to recommend to the Board to approve Esther Gear, Sarah Pedrazza and Celina Tolano as Licensed Clinical Social Workers upon receipt of a passing score on the required exam and the required license issuance fee. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Herbig moved, seconded by Ms. Devevo, to recommend to the Board to approve Gan Liu as a Licensed Clinical Social Worker by endorsement upon receipt of a passing score on the required exam and the required license issuance fee. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Herbig moved, seconded by Ms. Devevo, to recommend to the Board to approve Daniel Omans and Theadore Matthews as Licensed Clinical Social Workers upon receipt of the required license issuance fee. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Herbig moved, seconded by Ms. Devevo, to recommend to the Board to approve Shoshana Rifkind, Lisa Barnes, Sara Graham, Karyn MacKenzie Fajardo as Licensed Clinical Social Workers by endorsement upon receipt of the required license issuance fee. The motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Herbig moved, seconded by Ms. Devevo, to recommend to the Board to approve Alfred Dodini as a Licensed Clinical Social Worker upon receipt of the required license issuance fee, and the Board's disposition of the background investigation. The motion passed unanimously.

The committee requested additional information on the following applications:

James Jones	Terri Waibel	Kayla Armbruster	Ashley Barnes
Durina Keyonnie	Jamie Schmieder	Heather Wheeler	

B. Appeals

1. Daniel Omans

Members reviewed information regarding the appeal.

The applicant was properly noticed, but did not appear.

Following review and discussion, members agreed the applicant meets minimum requirements

2. Gan Liu

Members reviewed information regarding the appeal.

The applicant was properly noticed, but did not appear.

Following review and discussion, members agreed the applicant meets minimum requirements

12. Future agenda items

None

13. Call for public comment

Esther Gear informed the members that she submitted additional documents for her application to verify that she was providing psychotherapy.

14. Establishment of future meeting dates

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday July 11, 2017, at 9:00 a.m., at 3443 N Central Avenue, Conference Room 1705.

15. Adjournment

Dr. Herbig moved, seconded by Ms. Devevo, to adjourn. The motion passed unanimously and the meeting was adjourned at 11:55 a.m.

Jeanette Devevo, Secretary

Date