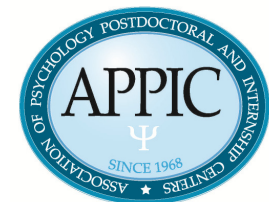


Introduction to the Accreditation Readiness Project

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Webinar Agenda

- Introduction to Clover Educational Consulting Group and our Accreditation Readiness Project Team
- Overview of the ARP project
- Project components
- Project technology

Clover Educational Consulting Group

- 501c3 non-profit consultation group based in Austin, Texas
- Mission is to improve the mental health of the community through advances in policy, workforce and training
- Development and accreditation of psychology training programs is a key focus
- Clover's team has supported the development and/or accreditation of over 70 internship programs
- Current collaboration with APPIC allows our support of 37 additional programs in 2017

Your Team of Consultants

- Alyssa Gilden, PhD
(*Learning Communities
1&2*)



- Lindsey Banning, PhD
(*Learning Communities
3&4*)



- Tamara DeHay, PhD
(*Learning Communities
5&6*)



- Gabriela Hurtado, PhD
(*program-specific
consultation*)



General Project Flow

- Monthly Activities January-September:
 - View pre-recorded instructional webinar(s) prior to the **1st of each month**
 - **Start on** your monthly “benchmark assignment” right away
 - Participate in Learning Community meeting in **2nd week of each month** to ask questions and receive specific consultation related to completion of assignment
 - Submit monthly benchmark assignments by the **28th of each month**
 - Receive feedback on documents **within 7 days** of submission (if submitted on time)
 - Engage with consultants and members of your LC to receive **ongoing** support

General Project Flow

- Monthly Activities Oct-Dec:
 - incorporate revisions and finalize self-study (consultation available as needed)
 - Submit self-study by **December 31, 2017!**

Learning Community Overview

- Six Communities; 6-7 internship programs per Community
- Schedule:

Learning Community	Day of month (Recurring)	Time
LC 1	2 nd Wednesday of each month	2:00p Central
LC 2	2 nd Wednesday of each month	4:00p Central
LC 3	2 nd Thursday of each month	12:00p Central
LC 4	2 nd Thursday of each month	1:00p Central
LC 5	2 nd Friday of each month	10:00a Central
LC 6	2 nd Friday of each month	11:00a Central

Learning Community Overview

- Goals:
 - Discuss monthly benchmark assignment
 - Receive consultation about how to apply the information from the webinar to your specific internship program
 - Share ideas with other internship programs in your Community
 - Receive suggestions and recommendations from the consultation team and your Community

Learning Community Attendance

- Attendance expected at assigned LC meeting each month
- In the event of schedule conflicts, may attend a different LC in same month
 - Up to 2 times during project period
 - Please provide prior notice so we can accommodate you in the alternate LC meeting

Consultation outside of LC

- Consistently-monitored email account
- For questions outside of regular LC meetings
- Send email to accreditation.support@clovered.org
- **PLEASE include your Learning Community and what you're inquiring about in the subject line of all emails**
 - **Example subject line: "LC 3- Question about intern stipend and benefits"**

Instructional Webinar Overview

- One or two webinars assigned each month
- View by 1st of month and utilize info in developing monthly benchmark assignment
- Each webinar covers a portion of the self-study- all portions of self-study and related required documents will be reviewed over the course of the project
- **Organization of webinar content DOES NOT follow flow/organization of the self-study**
 - WILL NOT be completing self-study in order from beginning to end
 - Content has been reorganized by topic/concept, to limit “jumping around” conceptually

Instructional Webinar Schedule

Webinar # and Topic(s)	Watch by
1. Introduction to the Accreditation Readiness Project	Prior to Jan LC meeting
2. Introduction to Accreditation, Required Internship Policies, and Public Materials	Prior to Jan LC meeting
3. Mission, Aims, and Competencies	Feb 1
4. Internship Curriculum and Training	March 1
5. Consortium Considerations (supplemental)	March 1
6. Diversity	April 1
7. Interns	May 1
8. Supervisors	June 1
9. Setting, Resources, and Budget	July 1
10. Concluding Thoughts and Next Steps	August 1

Benchmark Assignments

- Monthly benchmark assignments will be related to the topics covered in the assigned monthly webinar
- Due by the 28th of each month
- Email assignments directly to your LC facilitator
 - LCs 1&2- alyssa.gilden@clovered.org
 - LCs 3&4- lindsey.banning@clovered.org
 - LCs 5&6- tamara.dehay@clovered.org
- We will utilize a Progress Tracker to monitor your completion of all benchmark assignments

Project Technology

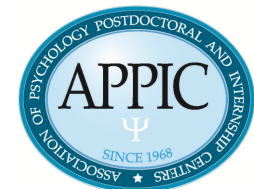
- LC's will be conducted on the WebEx platform
 - Use URL provided in reminder email
 - Please use hard-wired, high-speed internet connection if possible
 - Please use a headset if utilizing the integrated computer audio option (not doing so will create feedback!)
 - Can also call in using the telephone number provided
 - "Call me" option allows you to enter your phone number so the system can call you (use your phone for audio while avoiding long-distance charges!)
- Helpful video for how to use WebEx:
<https://www.webex.com/how-to/index.html#how-to-tab-2#4177087593001>
- You can also test your connection by joining a test meeting here:
<https://www.webex.com/support/getting-started.html#WM>

Project Technology

- Monthly webinars can be accessed 3 ways
 - View them in WebEx using the link that we will provide for you (requires that you download the WebEx recording player)
 - Access the MP4 file provided in our shared Dropbox folder and play it in the video player of your choice
 - Access the file on Clover's website and play it through your browser on YouTube
 - URL: www.clovered.org/arp/
 - NOTE: There is no public link to this webpage via Clover's site. You MUST type in the URL to access the page

Thank You!

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