

**Asian American Psychological Association,  
2003 Annual Convention  
Victoria University, University of Toronto: Toronto, Ontario**

**Asian American Psychology: Bridging Research & Theory with Practice & Policy  
August 6, 2003**

**Call for Proposals**

*Please share this call with your colleagues.*

The Asian American Psychological Association (AAPA) invites submissions of proposals for Interactive Sessions, Symposia, and Continuing Education programs (CE) at the AAPA 2003 Annual Convention. Submissions from persons at all levels of training (post-doctoral, graduate level, and undergraduate level) and proposals from non-psychologists who are interested in psychological issues affecting Asian Americans are encouraged. All post-doctoral presenters are encouraged to submit their proposal as CE programs.

All proposals addressing issues related to Asian American psychological issues will be considered. Proposals addressing the interplay among clinical practice, research, public policy, and community in relation to Asian American psychology are particularly sought. Furthermore, proposals related to translational research (i.e., translating research into practice) in Asian American psychology are also sought. All areas of psychology and disciplines related to psychological issues are encouraged. The Division on Women (DoW) particularly seeks proposals related to Asian American women for consideration for the DoW sponsored travel awards.

Proposals received before **March 24, 2003** will be considered. Main presenter/contact person will be notified by **April 21, 2003**.

All proposals should include: a cover sheet, 100 word abstract, and 500 - 750 word program description. Please see below for additional specific guidelines on each type of program:

**COVER SHEET:**

- A. Type of Program (Choose one) Time requested for program (Choose one)
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Interactive session                        | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 hour (Interactive session, Symposia, & CE) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Symposium                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 hours (CE programs only)                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing Education (CE) Workshop/Seminar |   |
- B. Audiovisual equipment (Choose one). **Note:** Other than an overhead projector, or an easel and pad, presenters may have to pay a portion of the equipment rental fees.
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Overhead  | <input type="checkbox"/> Slide projector | <input type="checkbox"/> Tape Recorder |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Easel/Pad | <input type="checkbox"/> TV/VCR          | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____   |
- C. Main presenter and contact person information (name, degree, position, affiliation, address, phone, fax, e-mail).
- D. Co-presenters' names, degrees, positions, and affiliations
- E. Title of session (10 words or fewer)

## **INTERACTIVE SESSIONS and SYMPOSIA**

Interactive Sessions aim at creating an environment for focused discussion and other forms of interactive relating. Typically, the facilitator(s) briefly introduce and contextualize the topic, providing focus for the discussion and/or activity. Group participants then have the opportunity to interact with each other and the facilitator(s). Symposia aim at presenting a forum for the presentation of multiple and related research studies or experiences in order to present a broader context for discussion through panel presentation. Interactive sessions and symposia will be scheduled for 1 hour slots.

Submissions for Interactive Sessions and Symposia should include

- (1) A separate cover sheet including the information above
- (2) A program proposal including an abstract (100 words or fewer) and a description of the program (500 - 750 words)—include the title of the program at the top of the proposal but do not include presenters' names.

Anonymous reviews will be used—please do not refer to presenters' names within the abstract or description.

Send all proposals via email (cover sheet and proposal as separate RTF or MS Word attachments) by March 24 to Angela Ebreo at [aebreo@uic.edu](mailto:aebreo@uic.edu). For further information, Angela Ebreo can be reached via email or at (312) 996-5294.

## **CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAMS**

Continuing education sessions must be pertinent to the theory, practice, and methodology of psychology or other disciplines related to psychological issues (e.g., social psychology, developmental psychology, health psychology, ethnic studies) and be taught at the post-doctoral level. The programs could include curricula on mental health needs/prevention/intervention with Asian Americans. The skills workshops will teach participants new clinical or research skills. CE workshops may include curricula that has previously been presented but continues to have relevance to the professional activities of licensed psychologists or other mental health professionals. For example, if you have presented research on Asian American acculturation and intergenerational conflict at a previous AAPA conference, you may submit a workshop that applies your knowledge to family therapy or school counseling. CE sessions will be scheduled for 1 OR 2 hour slots, please specify on the cover sheet.

Submissions for Continuing Education Programs should include

- (1) A separate cover sheet including the information above
- (2) A program proposal including an abstract (100 words or fewer) and a description of the program (500 words or fewer)
- (3) A statement of the educational goals and objectives of the program (250 words or fewer).
- (4) A program syllabus with hourly time outline
- (5) Post-test questions and answers. One post-test question per hour of what the presenter(s) want the participants to learn
- (6) Curriculum vitae from each presenter

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Send all CE proposals via email (MS Word attachment) by March 24 to Lisa Kinoshita, Ph.D. at [lisakino@stanford.edu](mailto:lisakino@stanford.edu). For further information, Lisa Kinoshita can be reached via email or at (650) 493-5000 ext. 65633.