

Academy of Pediatric Physical Therapy



Academic
& Clinical
Educators
(ACE) SIG
Newsletter
Spring 2019

MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR

DEBORAH ANDERSON

As we watch spring attempt to bloom across the country, the Academic and Clinical Educators Special Interest Group continues to move forward with new initiatives. Due to the success of the Pediatric Faculty Workshop and the results of the Mid-Career Survey, the ACE-SIG Leadership has begun to develop the framework for a Pediatric Faculty Mid-Career Workshop. The committee is looking at the possibility of using a hybrid format to better meet the needs of the membership in time and resource management. In addition, Jennifer Furze has remained on the ACE-SIG Leadership Team as the liaison to

the Education Leadership Partnership (ELP). The purpose of Jen's role is to keep the ACE-SIG membership informed regarding the work of the ELP and the initiative to increase funding and support for educational research. The ACE-SIG continues to support programming, resources, and research for ACE-SIG members. Please continue reading for more information.



In This Newsletter

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Programming Updates

APPTAC 2019 – Disneyland, CA

We are looking forward to seeing members in Disneyland, CA this fall!

There are great opportunities for programming and networking available at the conference and during the pre-conference courses. For more information on APPTAC, November 15-17, 2019, and the pre-cons, November 13-14 and to register, go to

<https://www.eventscribe.com/2019/APTA/aaStatic.asp?SFP=QVFH RUNBVFVAMjUwMA>

Each year, ACE SIG leadership assists in selection of the programming for APPTAC. Look for these Pre-Conference Courses and Concurrent Sessions specifically sponsored by the ACE SIG while attending:

Wednesday, Nov 13 & 14, 7:30am-5pm

APTA Credentialed Clinical Instructor Program - Level 1

Wednesday, Nov. 13 8:30 am-5pm

Pediatric Faculty Institute 2019 - Part 1: Foundations

Thursday, Nov. 14 8:30 am-5pm

Pediatric Faculty Institute 2019 - Part 2: Foundations

Friday, Nov. 15 @ 9:00 am

The Development of Motor Behavior: Body, Environment, Social Interaction, and Participation

Friday, Nov. 15 @ 10:45 am

Describing Excellence in Pediatric Physical Therapy Education: Emerging Results from Exemplar Cases

Friday, Nov. 15 @ 2:15 pm

Creating Engaging, Inclusive, and Active Learning Experiences - A No-Powerpoint Presentation

Saturday, Nov 16 @ 7:30 am

Pediatric Clinical Instructor Toolkit: What Every CI Can Use to Build a Foundation of Teaching and Learning for Clinical Education

Saturday, Nov 16 @ 2:15 pm

Revitalize Your Pediatric Course: Active Learning Strategies to Implement Tomorrow, Next Term, and Next Year

Using Early Childhood Intervention Cross-Disciplinary Competencies for Decision-Making: A Case Study Approach

Saturday, Nov 16 @ 4:00 pm

Specifications Grading in a Pediatric Physical Therapy Course

Sunday, Nov 17 @ 10:15 am

The Nuts and Bolts of Creating a Pediatric Residency from the Ground Up: You CAN Do it!

Sunday, Nov 11 @ 10:15 am

Rapid Fire Talk in Pediatric Physical Therapy Education

Sunday, Nov 11 @ 1:45 am

Bridging the IPP-IPE Gap: Developing Strategic Partnerships to Meet the Needs of Children with Developmental Coordination Disorder

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APTA Combined Sections Meeting

Denver, CO February 12-15, 2020

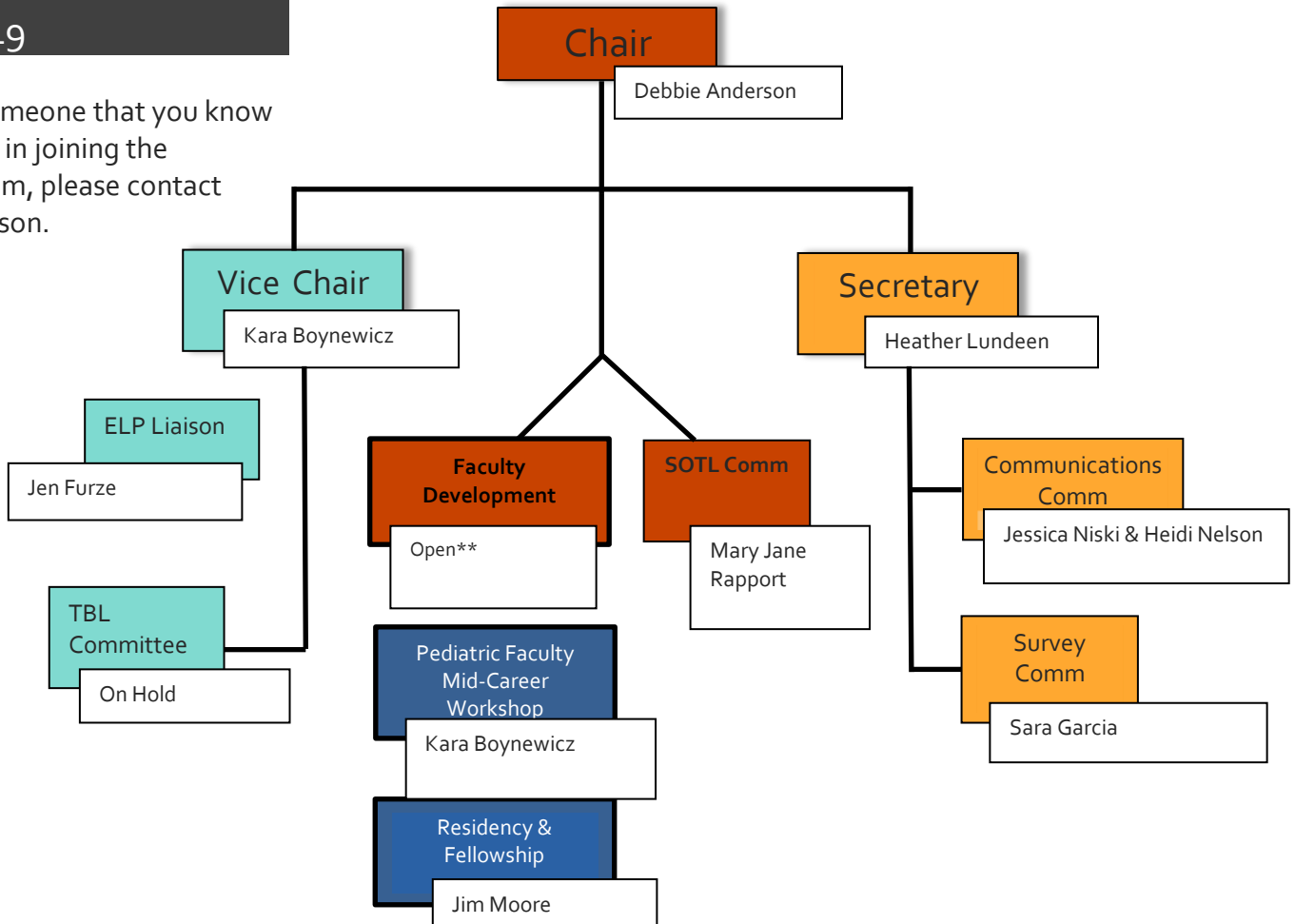
CSM Research Poster and Platform Abstracts - PROPOSALS are now being accepted at

<http://www.apta.org/CSM/submissions/>

Proposals are due July 12, 2019.

**UPCOMING
 LEADERSHIP CHANGES
 OF ACE SIG AS OF
 5/19/2019**

** If you or someone that you know are interested in joining the leadership team, please contact Debbie Anderson.



SIG Leadership (5/19/19)

- Chair, Debbie Anderson, PT, EdD, PCS; dander@midwestern.edu; Illinois
- Vice Chair, Kara Boynewicz, PT, DPT, PCS; boynewicz@etsu.edu; Tennessee
- Secretary, Heather Lundeen, PT, DPT, PCS; heatherlundeen@umary.edu; North Dakota
- TBL Committee- On Hold
- Faculty Development Chair, open
- SOTL Committee Chair, Mary Jane Rapport, PT, DPT, PhD; Colorado
- ELP Liaison, Jen Furze, PT, DPT; JenniferFurze@creighton.edu; Nebraska
- Communication Committee co-Chair, Jessica Niski, PT, DPT jessicaniski@creighton.edu
- Communication Committee co-Chair, Heidi Nelson, PT Heidi.nelson@loras.edu; Iowa
- Survey Committee, Sara Garcia; Nebraska
- Executive Committee liaison to the ACE SIG: Lori Glumac

Current Initiatives

Clinical Educator Toolkit

A Clinical Educator Toolkit taskforce has been formed and has been working diligently to develop resources for clinical educators. Look for the programming on the Toolkit at APPTAC. Marisa Birkmeier is the taskforce chair so if you have any questions, feel free to reach out to her.



APPT Strategic Plan

The most recent version of the Academy strategic plan can be found at:
http://www.pediatricapta.org/userfiles/files/APPTStratPlanGoalsObjStrat2018_2020.pdf

The ACE SIG has numerous roles in this plan, specifically related to Goal 1: Enhance educational pathways to practice in pediatric physical therapy. To that end, we have been reaching out to the Education Leadership Partnership and the Academy of Physical Therapy Education to collaborate on common goals. The Scholarship of Education SIG within the APPTe embraces educational research and has numerous resources to facilitate learning in this area.

In addition, we have worked with the Research Committee to revise the APPT research agenda so that educational research is now a recognized component of the research plan. This will allow educational researchers to apply for and be eligible for APPT research grants.

Educational Research

APPT members interested in Educational Research:

The Educational Leadership Partnership is offering the following opportunities for those interested in educational research

GAMER (grantsmanship and mentorship in educational research) workshop Nov 14- 17, 2019 at the Medical University of South Carolina
<https://acapt.org/events/2019/11/14/default-calendar/gamer>

Applications open May 1, 2019 and are due June 15, 2019

Mini GAMER workshop- 1 day preconference course on October 17, 2019 at the Education Leadership Conference in Bellevue, WA ; more details to come on the Academy of Physical Therapy Education and Education Leadership Conference website

MERC (medical education research certificate) workshops – 2 workshops will be offered as pre-conference courses at the Education Leadership Conference in Bellevue, WA. More specific information should be available in June on the ELC website.
<https://www.aamc.org/members/gea/merc/>

COMMUNICATION AMONG SIG MEMBERS

Educational Research continued:

Building capacity- Education Research Network offers a mentor/mentee program at <https://www.acapt.org/about/pt-education-network/mentor-protege/education-research-network-mentorship-program>

ELP Education Research Agenda - will most likely be based upon 9 action steps and 30 recommendations from Jensen et al article (Gail M. Jensen, Laurita M. Hack, Terrence Nordstrom, Janet Gwyer, Elizabeth Mostrom; National Study of Excellence and Innovation in Physical Therapist Education: Part 2—A Call to Reform, Physical Therapy, Volume 97, Issue 9, 1 September 2017, Pages 875–888, <https://doi.org/10.1093/ptj/pzx062>

Funding and Infrastructure

APTE (Academy of Physical Therapy Education) currently has \$25,000 in grant funding for educational research. Grant applications are due Oct 1, 2019
<https://aptaeducation.org/researchers/>

APPT (Academy of Pediatric Physical Therapy) has grant funding for high quality educational research

- **ACE Listserv** is available to promote discussion between members. All APPT Members are welcome to join the ACE Listserv by signing up on the Academy website under “Resources”.
- **ACE Facebook Group** is available to pediatric physical therapists interested in discussing topics of common interest through the Facebook platform. You can request to join the ACE SIG Facebook Group by searching “APTA Academy of Pediatric Physical Therapy ACE SIG” in the main Facebook search bar.
- **APTA Online Community**

Upcoming Events

APPTAC Disneyland, CA
<https://www.eventscribe.com/2019/APTA/aaStatic.asp?SFP=QVFH RUNBVFVAMjUwMA>

The next ACE SIG Business Meeting will be held at APPT 2019 – Date/time TBD

The Academy of Physical Therapy Education (APTE) and the American Council of Academic Physical Therapy (ACAPT) **Educational Leadership Conference**
Bellevue, WA, October 16-18, 2019
<http://educationalleadershipconference.com/events/annual-conference/2019/>

The Teaching Professor Conference

June 7-9, 2019 New Orleans
<https://www.magnapubs.com/teaching-professor-conference/index.html>

Don't forget to also visit the Academy of Physical Therapy Education website for resources for both academic and clinical education educators.

<http://www.elc.aptaeducation.org>