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APPIC composition:

769 internship programs (552 [72%] accredited; up 23 from 2014)
185 postdoctoral programs (71 [38%] accredited; up 15 from 2014)
432 doctoral program associates (368 [85%] accredited)

Committees include:

Internship Membership Committee (50 new applications in 2015; approx. 50% accepted)
Internship Renewal Committee (for non-accredited internship programs)
Postdoctoral Membership and Renewal Committee
Doctoral Program Associate Review Committee
Directory Online Committee
Diversity Committee (New)
Scientific Review Committee (New)

Problem Consultation and Review

Informal Problem Consultation Service:
132 IPCs in 2013; 149 in 2014; 165 in 2015 (+84 by G Kelin)
APPIC Standards and Review:
5 complaints in 2012; 7 in 2013; 4 in 2014; 4 in 2015

Publications:

Training and Education in Professional Psychology (1.733 impact factor)
Michael Roberts, Editor
APPIC Newsletter
Bob Goldberg, Editor

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Jeff Baker, PhD, ABPP, Executive Director; Greg Keilin, PhD, Match Coordinator; Cecilia Sun, PhD, Listserv Coordinator; Mariella Self, PhD, AAPI Coordinator; Wayne Siegel, PhD, ABPP, APPA Coordinator; Claytie Davis III, PhD, MyPsychTrack Coordinator

Initiatives:

Accreditation Readiness Project (\$100,000)
Working with Western Interstate Commission on Higher Education
21 internship programs submitted self-studies in 2015
Competency Assessment Project (\$50,000)
9 award winners
Parental Leave Guidelines (revision on APPIC website; article in TEPP)
Postdoctoral Initiatives
APPA (standardized application); selection guidelines; postdoctoral vacancy service (beginning 2016); summit (2016)
Standardized Reference Form (CCTC Project)

Membership Conference and Postdoctoral Summit

May 26 – 29, 2016, Hilton New Orleans Riverside

Internship Match

Since 2012, the # of registered applicants *decreased* by 436 while the # of registered positions *increased* by 610 (and the # of *accredited* positions *increased* by 616) resulting in a 69% drop in the number of unmatched applicants (but still need more *accredited* positions)
In 2016, 404 students not matched, 217 positions still unfilled
The 2018 match will be restricted to students from accredited doc programs