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Session 102: Inside JABA Series #1 .
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The field of behavior analysis places significant importance on the scientific underpinnings of our practice. This means that every certified practitioner is taught and tested on the basics of measurement and scientific method. The purpose of this presentation is to introduce a podcast series that focuses on the Journal of Applied Behavior Analysis, the peer-review process as a means of scientific quality control, and the steps in the publication process. The Editor and Associate Editors of JABA describe the rationale for peer review as well as the process of peer review. Topics such as positive publication bias, the criteria for scientific merit for a paper, and the bi-directional nature of the research to practice gap and bridge are discussed.

Objectives:

- 1) Attendees will be able to briefly state the rationale for peer-review as a quality control process for the scientific literature base.
- 2) Attendees will be able to briefly explain the importance of have a review panel rather than a single reviewer and can explain the difference between a subject matter expert and a swiss army knife reviewer.
- 3) Attendees will be able to identify whether JABA uses a single-blind, double-blind, or both options process for peer-review.
- 4) Attendees will be able to identify one of the recommended strategies for creating an effective introduction section of a research manuscript.

Instructions for this event:

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