CANDIDATE Statement – Alda F. Moore

Name of Candidate & Years of Affiliation with the ABPsi:

Name: Alda F. Moore

Years of Affiliation: I began an affiliation with ABPsi during my doctoral graduate years at Texas A & M Commerce, between the years of 1976 – 1980.

Position Seeking:

Southern Regional Board Representative

Work Title and Name of Employer:

Alda Moore & Association, Owner, Licensed Psychologist

Education: Areas of Study:

Bachelor of Science, Prairie View A & M University, 1969.

Additional Studies: Pepperdine University, Los Angeles, UCLA 1970

Ed.D. - Psychology/Counseling/Texas A & M University, Commerce, 1980

Gestalt Therapy Training Institute Ten years of intensive study in Los Angeles/Europe 1988 – 1998

A.A. Associate of Applied Science, medical science classes, University of Arkansas, 1998.

Certification and Licensure Information:

Licensed (Arkansas) Psychologist, 84-08P, licensed 1984

Licensed Funeral Professional, Arkansas 2437

Certified Grief Recovery Counselor

Recent Professional Experience:

Area Chair, ABPsi 2013 Conference

Forensic Training (24 hours) Certification, State of Arkansas 2014

Attendee, Arkansas Psychological Conference, 2013

Assistant Professor of Psychology, Philander Smith College, 2010 - 2012

Additional Experience and/or Activities involving the ABPsi Governance:

Area Chair, ABPsi Mid Winter Conference, 2013

ABPsi, Presenter, ABPsi Mid-Winter Conference, Prairie View, 2012

Attendee, ABPsi Business (open) Meetings , summer 2013

Telephone Consultation(s) with Dr. Erika Jennifer, for planning of ABPsi Mid Winter Conference, 2013-

(dialogue never forgotten!!!!)

Internship, Case Western Reserve University, Dr. Willie Williams, ABPsi, Supervisor

Other Related Memberships:

Arkansas Association of Black 'Professional Psychologists, Little Rock affiliate ABPsi chapter

Gestalt Therapy Training Institute, Los Angeles

New Millennium Baptist Church, Little Rock

Arkansas Psychological Association

Awards and Honors:

National Funeral Directors Writing Award (2,000 cash award)

Women, Health Healing Institute Scholarship Award, Berkeley California

Sixth Annual New Connections Symposium, Invited Scholarship Recipient (2012)

Gestalt Therapy Training Institute, Outstanding Trainee Scholarship Award, Finland Institute

Gubernatorial Selection for first Blue Ribbon Ethics Committee for Arkansas

Gubernatorial Selection for first Sex Offender Law for Arkansas

Development Consultant - The University of Arkansas, first Addiction Studies Program (core courses)

Publications and Presentations

The African American Female Guide to Avoiding Obesity (self-published)

"A Funeral Like Uncle Joe" - Professional Funeral Trade Journal

The University of Arkansas Graduate Student Handbook, 1989

"Workplace Sexual Harassment", Geraldo talk show nationally televised Presentations, 1995

"Dialogue and Boundaries" 24th Clinical Presentation, annual Gestalt Residential, Finland, 1995.

ABPSI, MID WINTER CONFERENCE, 2012 "GESTALT DIALOGUE SKILLS FOR WORKING WITH INCARCERATED YOUTH

Foster Parent Training Grant, State of Arkansas 2005.

Gestalt Communication Skills for Increasing Bottom Line Financial Statements, NFDA Conference

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Community Service:

- ABPPP African American Psychology Professional Mentor Program 2013 Present
- New Millennium Baptist Church, Summer Enrichment Program, 2013 2014
- Arkansas Headstart Programs, 2013 2014
- Alpha Kappa Alpha Fashion Show
- "Phyllis' Kids Surplus Store for Abused Homeless Girls 2012 Present

Personal Candidate Statement

<u>Of</u>

Dr. Alda Moore

I want to serve on the ABPsi Board of Directors to work for ABPsi, to give back to an organization who gives so much, to reinforce the concept of Ubuntu, to put Umbuntu into practice, as Board member and ABPsi member, professional and person. I want to serve, to learn, to teach, to know. My skills and experiences include practice management, teaching, supervision, business management, consultant, clinical trainer, marketing, public relations, and organization. I can write well, I have good computer skills, I love to work hard, and I take orders well, and love to be a member part of groups. I have knowledge of the etiology of ABPsi, and I have additional knowledge as area chair for the Mid-Winter Conference in Little Rock, 2013. Our financial infrastructure needs close attention, with our marketing, management, and accounting practices to be congruent and focused on our financial infrastructure. As a person who is often viewed as visionary, I think ABPsi, will need to continue to look to the needs of the student aspiring professionals, the African American community and institutions, such as HBCU's, and spiritual guidance from our elders, both past and present to develop a strong financial infrastructure. ABPsi must begin a comprehensive marketing and development program, and possibly try new and innovative approaches. We must develop platforms and itineraries that motivate members and possible members. We must continue to seek acknowledgement in diverse ways. There are many crucial internal and external opportunities and challenges - perhaps survival should be a number one priority, but survival with vitality, energy and production. We must listen and learn the rhythm and the beat. We are blessed with this challenge and this opportunity.