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NCABA Annual Conference Review/Summary:

On behalf of the NCABA Executive Council, I would like to thank our attendees, speakers, sponsors, vendors and membership for supporting our 34th Annual Conference, held February 22-24th. After a few years of virtual conferences, we were excited to be back in person at the Benton Convention Center in Winston-Salem. With over 560 registered attendees, this was the largest conference NCABA has held to date.

Our annual conference is held with the goal of disseminating high-quality, impactful research on the science and practice of behavior analysis across a wide array of topics. This year's conference hosted a variety of invited speakers, workshops, and concurrent events with presenters from across the state and country, in addition to the Welcome and Award Presentation, the Annual Business Meeting, a Poster Session and a Student Symposium.

The conference began with workshops by Dr. Natalia Baires (Southern Illinois University) and Aaron Check (University of South Carolina). Dr. Baires' workshop focused on developing one's own cultural responsiveness and Mr. Check's workshop focused on becoming a critical consumer of research. Dr. Baires gave an invited presentation on the intersection of disability and race models in ABA, followed by Kristin Hustyi's (Little Star ABA) invited presentation on promoting the scientist-practitioner model. Three students, Monique Pinczynski, Thai Ray Williams, and Trudy Georgio presented their research during the well-attended Student Symposium research posters by students and professionals.

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