

Annotated list of Bylaws Changes

LINE NUMBER	Change	House-keeping	Substantive
1-63	Added a Table of Contents (page numbers correct in the clean version)	x	
71-73	Change the name of the Division from “Division 52” to “Society for Global Psychology, Division 52 of the American Psychological Association” Rationale: This reflects the orientation of the Division and provides a clearer identity. Note – this name change must ALSO be approved by APA. If this bylaws change is approved, the Division will then proceed to receive this approval.		X
77 and subsequent	Remove “52” from each mention of Division (e.g. we simply use the term “Division”)		
79-83	Rewritten mission statement to streamline earlier wording. This is more housekeeping than substantive but marked in the substantive column!		X
99 and subsequent	Where appropriate, replaced “international” with “global”		X
120 -150	Non-substantive edits to the values statement	X	
151-258	Definitions of Member Types: mostly housekeeping. Only substantive changes are to bring in alignment with current practice – that all members are entitled to vote on all Division matters (elections, policy); that Professional Affiliate members are not eligible to be elected as a Division Board member; and that student members are eligible to be elected only as student member of the Board.	X	
264-289	Housekeeping – clarifying Board members by title; specifying Board purview in more detail	X	
290-296	Change requirements for Board meetings from 2x a year to quarterly		X
298-382	Housekeeping to conform with current practice and also other bylaws changes	X	

383-399	Housekeeping except that the Past President no longer chairs the Awards Committee (ex officio) – there is now a separate Awards Chair	X	X
460-494	The ECP trio (elected for 3-year term as ECP chair elect, ECP chair, ECP past chair) is replaced with an ECP Board Member position with a 3-year term. Tasks and responsibilities changed to reflect this.		X
496-531	The Student trio (elected for 3-year term as Student Chair-Elect, Student Chair, Student Past Chair) is changed to a Student Board member with a term of 2 years. Tasks and responsibilities are changed to reflect this.		x
582-589	Moved specification of Conflict of Interest to the Division Handbook	X	
672-676	Added position of Liaison to IPsyNet (this has been a D52 position but was accidentally omitted from the earlier Bylaws		X
712-729	Awards Committee is to be chaired by appointed chair (rather than, ex officio, by the past president). The details of this are specified here		X
753-783	Convention Committee – the terms of appointment and organization of this committee have changed over the years. The current procedures are outlined here. Specifically, the change is from a staggered system of chair and hospitality suite chair with an anticipated 2-year term, to the appointment of 2 co-chairs for a 1-year term.		X
859-867	The Strategic Planning Committee is sunset as a standing committee. This committee (whose purview was to monitor “fidelity” to the mission, vision and values of the Division and implementation of the strategic plan. It has not functioned for the last several years. If the Division decides to embark on a new strategic plan, it will form an ad hoc committee for this purposes		X
914	Explicitly added that nominations may be made by all Division members for all positions. This is not a change (but did arise	X	

	from the earlier change to make all Division members able to vote).		
917-918	Removed sentence that student affiliates would participate in the nomination of Student representatives to the Board since student affiliate participation is no longer limited to only voting for or nominating students (that is, students may now vote for all positions; and may propose eligible candidates for any positions. Note students may only be elected as Student Board member)	X	
927	Specified the time period for elections	X	
992	The frequency of board meetings was changed from twice yearly to quarterly		X
1011	Treasurer reports specified in detail (that budget and financial report will be presented at each of the quarterly Board meetings)		X
1050-1063	Procedures for Amendments to the bylaws brought up to date to allow electronic dissemination and voting		X
1065	Handbook removed from bylaws; Past revision dates deleted	X	