

Louisiana Licensed Professional Counselors Board of Examiners
February 13, 2026
Board Meeting
LPC Board Office
11410 Lake Sherwood Avenue North, Suite A, Baton Rouge, LA 70816
Via Videoconference
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The meeting was called to order by L Fazio-Griffith at 3:00pm. K Austin took roll call and determined a quorum was present.

Members Present

L Fazio-Griffith
E Dishongh
K Austin
A Hays
F Nash
R Salgado
A Thibodeaux

Members Absent

E Dossaji
M Reynaud

Staff Present

J Doming
R Lundin

Guests Present

A Latiolais
C Jinya
V Rodgers

Agenda

K Austin motions to amend the agenda to remove Jana Joyce. F Nash seconds. All in favor. No opposed. F Nash motions to accept the modified agenda. R Salgado seconds. All in favor. No opposed.

Committee on Licensure/Supervision/Appraisal Report- LPC: L Fazio-Griffith, A Dossaji,

Chiedza Jinya

R Lundin swore in and discussion on application of C Jinya.

C Jinya swore in and further discussion on application. R Salgado motions to move into executive session. F Nash seconds. All in favor. No opposed.

R Salgado motions to move out of executive session. K Austin seconds. All in favor. No opposed.

L Fazio-Griffith states that the Board is approving temporary license for 60 days to fulfill internship hour deficiencies.

Discussion on substantially equivalent practicum and internship requirement. R Salgado motions to allow Board Staff to process applications for those whose graduate practicum/internship hours are deemed substantially equivalent and grant temporary license for 60 days to complete the hours needed. Substantially equivalent is completion of 85% of required hours. Therefore, applicants must have completed a total of 600 hours as part of their graduate practicum/internship to be eligible for temporary license.

E Dishongh seconds. All in favor. No opposed.

New Business

Next Board Meeting: Date/Time March 20th, 2026, at 12:00pm.

K Austin motions to adjourn. R Salgado seconds. The board meeting adjourns at 3:30pm.