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Business and Professional Communication Quarterly (BPCQ)Call for Editor(s)

The Publications Board of the Association for Business Communication (ABC) is soliciting nominations for one or two people to serve as Editor/Co-Editors of *Business and Professional Communication Quarterly* (BPCQ). Co-Editors may be from two different institutions. Self-nominations are welcome.

BPCQ, first published in 1969, is the only refereed journal devoted to research that advances the teaching of communication in the workplace. As an official publication of ABC, BPCQ publishes peer-reviewed, rigorous original research that advances knowledge about business and professional communication pedagogy and praxis in both academic and workplace settings. Articles in BPCQ present a variety of theoretical, applied, and practical approaches and perspectives, including technical and scientific communication, rhetoric, program design and assessment, the impact of technology, sustainability, global and multicultural issues, nonprofit communication, qualitative and quantitative research on classroom teaching, and case studies of best practices. BPCQ especially welcomes manuscripts that address the principles of SoTL (scholarship of teaching and learning). BPCQ is published by SAGE Publishing. More details about the journal can be found online at http://journals.sagepub.com/home/bcq.

The Editor(s) serves for a four-year term that can be renewed. In that first term, the Editor(s) has responsibility for publishing volumes 85-88 (2022-2025). A complete list of the Editor(s) duties can be found this excerpt from the ABC Operational Guidelines, which are available online at https://www.businesscommunication.org/page/bylaws (pages 83 and 84).

The incoming editor will have the opportunity to learn about the journal and its submission, review, and publication processes. In addition, we will ensure that the incoming Editor(s) has an opportunity to meet the key staff at SAGE Publishing who will work with the Editor(s) on publishing the journal. Finally, if at all possible, the incoming Editor(s) will travel to Tampa (at ABC's expense) to meet the Board of Directors during the 2022 ABC Annual Conference (October 3-8, 2022). The incoming Editor's responsibilities will begin as soon as possible, but no later than June 1, 2022.

The ideal candidate(s) will:

- be active ABC member(s)
- have made significant scholarly contributions in the business communication field
- have substantive experience as a reviewer and/or editor of scholarly work
- be knowledgeable about and have respect for the variety of disciplinary and methodological perspectives in business communication

- be able to work constructively with authors, reviewers, and the ABC Publications Board
- be committed to advancing the reputation of *BPCQ* by publishing high-quality issues and promoting the journal to various stakeholders

Please submit a nomination package including:

- letter of application
- current CV(s)
- 2 letters of support from published scholars familiar with the candidate's scholarly work, editing experience, and/or suitability for the task of journal editing
- Letter(s) of support from the candidate's home institution(s). The letter(s) of support should include an acknowledge by the home institution(s) that the candidate(s) may serve as Editor(s) if chosen and that it will not require ABC to pay compensation to the university in exchange for the candidate's service should the candidate(s) be chosen to serve as Editor(s).

Please send your nomination package to Dr. Jason Snyder, Publications Board Chair (snyderjal@ccsu.edu). Review of packets will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled.