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# ASIAN AMERICAN LGBTQ+ NEURODIVERSE

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## Intersecting Identities



FEATURING



SUNDAY  
JULY 24, 2022  
12-2PM  
PACIFIC

2 CE  
HOURS

Dr. CAT BITNEY

Dr. G. NIC RIDER

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The **Asian American Psychological Association** (in collaboration with  
*AAPA Education and Training Council, AAPA Division on Practice,*  
and *AAPA Division on LGBTQQ*) and **The Wright Institute**.

## **Intersecting Identities: Working with Clients who are Asian American, LGBTQ+ and/or Neurodiverse**

**DATE/TIME:** *July 24, 2022* (Sunday) 3-5pm ET/2-4pm CT/12-2pm PT

### **DESCRIPTION**

This continuing education webinar will explore a range of topics related to intersecting identities, including race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, and disability. Presenters will explore clinical considerations when working with sexual and gender diverse Asian American clients. In addition, participants will learn about the growing evidence of neurodiversity (e.g., autism spectrum disorder) among trans/nonbinary individuals. Clinicians who work directly or indirectly with clients who have multiple minoritized identities will benefit from this training and develop a more intersectional lens to provide quality care for their clients.

### **COURSE LEVEL**

Introductory (useful for psychologists new to the field). This program is useful for practitioners at all levels.

### **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**

*After completing this workshop, participants will be able to:*

- Describe the importance of intersectionality and the interrelatedness of gender, race, ethnicity, sexuality, disability, and other social categories
- Explain the increased correlation between trans and nonbinary clients who are also on the autism spectrum and consider ways to support these clients
- Develop an intersectional lens to utilize in practice when working with individuals at multiple marginalized social positions

### **PRESENTERS**

**Catherine Bitney, PhD** (she/they) is a clinical assistant professor at Texas State University where she teaches full-time at a Hispanic Serving Institution. In addition, she manages a group practice and provides psychotherapy to individuals in Texas. Her research and clinical interests include the psychotherapy process and outcome for racial and ethnic minority clients. This includes the impact of race, ethnicity, and culture on the therapeutic relationship, particularly when there is a racial or ethnic mismatch between the therapist and the client and how broaching differences influences outcomes for clients. Dr. Bitney is also interested in first generation college students, multiracial identity development, gender & sexual identity development, and intersectionality. Dr. Bitney received a doctorate in clinical psychology from the New School for Social Research in New York City.

**G. Nic Rider, PhD** (they/them) is an assistant professor, a licensed psychologist, and the Transgender Health Services Coordinator at the Institute for Sexual and Gender Health at the University of Minnesota Medical School. They are also the Associate Director for Research at the National Center for Gender

Spectrum Health. Dr. Rider's research broadly focuses on social and structural factors impacting the lived experiences of historically excluded communities and resilience/strengths identified by these communities. Their professional interests are in the areas of intersectionality, improving various health disparities, gender and sexual health, decolonizing healing justice, systems change and social justice advocacy. They received a doctorate in counseling psychology from Howard University in Washington, D.C.

## REGISTRATION

Please follow the **Eventbrite** link below to get registered

- <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/working-with-clients-who-are-asian-american-lgbtq-andor-neurodiverse-tickets-357538014827>

## FEE SCHEDULE

- **AAPA Members (without CEs) – Free!**
- **AAPA Members (with CEs) – \$20**
- **Non-AAPA Members (without CEs) – \$10**
- **Non-AAPA Members (with CEs) – \$40**

## CE CREDITS: 2.0 HOURS



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Participants who attend the entire live event are eligible for 2.0 CEs.

## ACCOMMODATIONS

Please contact Yu Chak Sunny Ho ([sunnyhoyc@gmail.com](mailto:sunnyhoyc@gmail.com)) and Shiyu Zhang ([szhang@wi.edu](mailto:szhang@wi.edu)) in advance if you require special accommodations on the day of the event.

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