# ASSOCIATION FOR BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS INTERNATIONAL FACT SHEET

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## About

The Association for Behavior Analysis International (ABAI) contributes to the well-being of society by developing, enhancing, and supporting the growth and vitality of the science of behavior analysis through research, education, and practice.

Founded in 1974, ABAI has become the hub of the behavior analysis community, with more than 6,000 members worldwide and affiliated chapter membership of over 31,000.

ABAI's services to the field include events, online learning, and the publication of peer-reviewed journals that promote dissemination of the science. Services to members include job placement and support of almost forty special interest groups and more than 90 affiliated chapters worldwide.

## Events

- 13th International Conference: October 30–November 1, 2026, in Prague, Czechia
- 2nd Annual ABAI Behavior Technician Conference: February 19, 2027, virtual
- 21st Annual Autism Conference: March 23–25, 2027, in Austin, Texas
- 53rd Annual Convention: May 27–31, 2027, in New Orleans, Louisiana

## Leadership

- President: Ramona Houmanfar, Ph.D.
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## Other Information

- Affiliated Chapters
- Special Interest Groups (SIGs)
- Higher Education
    - Accreditation
    - Tiered Model of Education
- Publications
    - Journals
    - ABAI Book Series
- Career Center