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Thank you for undertaking the effort to update the AAA Qualification Standards. Changes were long overdue.

While I have not reviewed the changes closely yet, I was encouraged by what my cursory review shows.

I write to ask for one additional change: Please amend the qualification standards to officially recognize D&I education as specifically counting towards professionalism CE credits.

After all, what could be more central to the reputation of the profession than treating people with respect? As the Amy Cooper incident has shown us, the consequences of racist behavior harms the reputation of the profession. This change will send an important message to the profession and encourage more people to get D&I education.

Thank you.

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