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Alaska BPA State Leadership Conference (SLC) Edition

Breaking News

Precision Exams is our newest Gold Sponsor



We are pleased to announce our newest partnership with [Precision Exams](#).

As a Gold Sponsor, Precision Exams is offering six different industry certification exams for all members attending our #AlaskaBPASLC2020. Members can take one or all six of the industry certification exams at **no cost**. The six industry certification exams that will be available to members are:

21st Century Skills Focus Area

1. 21st Century Success Skills
2. General Financial Literacy
3. Preparing for College & Careers

Business Management & Administration Focus Area

4. Business Communication I
5. Business Concepts
6. Customer Service

[Click here to see the full library of industry certifications offered by Precision Exams](#)

SLC Dates/Location

Alaska BPA State Leadership Conference

Friday-Saturday, February 14-15, 2020

Friday, February 14 from 8:00 a.m.-10:15 p.m.

Saturday, February 15 from 8:00 a.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Locations: MSBSD District Office in Palmer and Mat Su Career and Technical High School, Wasilla

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SLC Conference Registration Dates

Registration will be open for one month.

Registration will open on Wednesday, November 13.

Registration will close on Wednesday, December 11.

A link to the registration site will be emailed out on Tuesday, November 12.

Please note: Members need to be registered with BPA National Center prior to registering them for SLC. The membership registration system can be found here:

<http://www.registermychapter.com/bpamem/>

SLC Career Fair

Our SLC Career Fair will make its debut this year. This will be a chance to discover the career opportunities available within the businesses/industries represented.

SLC Conference Registration Fee

Registration fee will be \$130. Five meals are included with your registration fee. Our special event on Friday at the Extreme Fun Center in Wasilla is also included. Six industry certification exams provided by Precision Exams is included as well.

SLC Highlights:

- Career Fair
- Competitive Events
- Business Meetings
- Leadership Workshops
- Day-of-Service Events
- Secondary & Post-secondary Officer Elections
- Networking Opportunities
- Special Event on Friday at the Extreme Fun Center in Wasilla
- Meals: Friday's lunch and dinner/Saturday's breakfast, lunch and dinner



SLC Competitive Event Information

Members will be allowed to register for two events. Only one (1) event can be a judged/presentation event. Members will be allowed to take as many open (concepts) events as will fit in their schedule.

SLC Pre-Submitted Events Dates

Pre-Submitted Events must be submitted by Wednesday, January 22.
More information about pre-submitted events will be available when the Workplace-Skills Assessment Program (WSAP) is published by the National Center.

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SLC Civics Project/Money War

Our Alaska BPA Civics Projects this year will benefit Special Olympics Alaska. Any type of project that your local chapter can accomplish to benefit Special Olympics Alaska can be reported to either of the state officers serving on our Civics Committee:

Secondary Vice President, Robert Molina alaskabpa.vpresident@gmail.com
Secondary Historian, Shannon Hill alaskabpa.historian@gmail.com

SLC Bring-a-Buck & Miracle Minute

Our BPA State Officer team encourages all members to “Bring-a-Buck” to donate to Alaska Special Olympics. In addition, we will be holding a “Miracle Minute” during one of our business meetings. Our BPA donation box will be passed around to all our members for one minute to raise more money to benefit Special Olympics Alaska.

SLC Meals

MSBSD Nutrition Services is providing lunch on Friday. Mat Su Career and Tech High’s Culinary Arts Students will be providing dinner on Friday and breakfast, lunch and dinner on Saturday. These meals are included in your registration for SLC.

State Officer Candidates

If your chapter has any members interested in running to be a member of our State Officer Team, please refer them to the link below:

<https://www.alaskabpa.org/slc>

SLC Conference Theme & Hashtags

An announcement will be made for our conference theme in the coming months.

#AlaskaBPA

#AKBPASLC2020

SLC Housing

Chapters outside of MSBSD will be able to stay at Mat Su Career and Technical High School if they would like. There will be a charge of \$200 to cover custodial costs.

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Chapter All Stars

Every chapter has a member that goes “above and beyond” to help the chapter be successful. At the State Leadership Conference, we would like to recognize the chapter member that is selected by the chapter advisor as that “go to” member for the chapter. [The advisor selection fillable form can be downloaded here.](#) The deadline for submission of this form is January 31, 2020.

Community Member Opportunity: Volunteer at SLC

Do you know a community member who might be interested in volunteering at SLC? There are opportunities available to assist with:

- Day of Service Activities
- Checking members in for workshops or competitive events
- Logistics (checking rooms for readiness, signage, helping members with their schedules, etc.)

Feel free to pass along this information and Mrs. Riddle’s email: amy.riddle@matsuk12.us.

Calling all former BPA members

Do you have contact with any former BPA members from your chapter who might be interested in volunteering some time at our state leadership conference? Please send them Mrs. Riddle’s email: amy.riddle@matsuk12.us.

Exhibitors

Businesses and organizations are welcome to be an exhibitor at our conference. More information can be found by clicking on this link: <https://www.alaskabpa.org/slc>

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Contest: Alaska Association Pin for NLC (National Leadership Conference)

All members are invited to participate in this contest to design our Alaska Association BPA pin.

Design Contest: Alaska Pin for NLC

Members of your BPA chapter are invited to participate!

Project Specifications

Required items to include on pin:

- 2020
- Alaska
- BPA

Sizeno larger than 2 x 2 inches
Resolution300 dpi
Format.....jpg
NLC Theme*Capitalize Your Future (see logo & graphic below)

Do not include something dangling from the pin since this will increase the cost.

Submission Information

Email to Mrs. Amy Riddle at amy.riddle@matsuk12.us

Submission Deadline

Friday, November 29, 2019

There will be a prize for the winner!



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*The theme does not have to be included on the pin. Tying the theme into your design is recommended.

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Chapters

Middle Level Chapters

Mrs. Riddle has received and responded to an inquiry about starting a chapter at Teeland Middle School.

Chapter	National Center Registered Advisor(s)	Membership Registration Status
Unalaska Junior High	Laura Jarvis	

Secondary Chapters

Mrs. Riddle has received and responded to an inquiry about starting a chapter at Mat Su Central School. State Officers will be giving a presentation at Mat Su Central School on Thursday, November 14.

Active Chapters	National Center Registered Advisor(s)	Status
Delta High	Anne Stoneking Leah Byam	
Joe Redington Jr./Sr., High	Christel Mozalevskiy	Members are registered
Mat Su Career & Technical High	Shane Cobb Amy Riddle Samantha Walsh	Members are registered
Unalaska High	Rainier Marquez	Members are registered
Valdez High	Margo Humphrey	

Currently Inactive Chapters (2019-2020 year)
Colony High
Cruikshank
Houston High
Kodiak High
Palmer High
Susitna Valley High
Wasilla High

Post-secondary Membership Information

Membership Info	Advisor(s)
Our Post-secondary members will register through the National Virtual Chapter	Mark Burch