

Iowa Post Secondary

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Fall Leadership Conference

Join Iowa BPA at the Fall Leadership Conference on Monday, October 1st, through Tuesday, October 2nd. We are thrilled to have Chris Bowers as our keynote speaker. We will be having an etiquette dinner led by Etiquette Coach, Dr. Patricia Tice. Our workshops cover a variety of topics including resume writing, networking, college information, professional dress, personality test, and bullying. This year we will also be taking tours around Des Moines in businesses to learn how they operate on a daily basis.

Chris Bowers

Chris Bowers is a nationally touring Motivational Speaker. He travels the country using humor to help students realize the power they have in their lives. Visit his website at: wireinthenose.com

Etiquette Dinner

This year's Etiquette Dinner is led by Dr. Patricia Tice. She is nicknamed Miss Manners of Iowa and writes etiquette columns in the Des Moines Register.

Tours

Learn how everyday businesses and companies operate from day to day. This year's tours are:

- ◇ John Deere Financial
- ◇ Meredith Corporation
- ◇ KCCI News Station
- ◇ Principal Financial
- ◇ Jordan Creek Town Center
- ◇ Wells Fargo Arena

Workshops

- ◇ Chris Bowers
- ◇ Brooks Brothers
- ◇ Young Professionals Connection
- ◇ Dr. Patricia Tice, Miss Manners of Iowa
- ◇ ICAN
- ◇ ABI
- ◇ Bullying

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Meet Your New Officers!



Devin Mabra

President

I'm originally from Spirit Lake, IA. I currently live in Ames, IA, where I attend Iowa State University. My hobbies include writing, hiking, reading, and doing whatever I can for all of the great organizations I am in, including BPA. I plan to graduate from Iowa State with a double major in Business Economics and Accounting. After that, I would like to gain some work experience to get into a business graduate school, where I plan on getting a J.D./MBA. I would love to have a political career one day, and I think that being an officer in BPA will prepare me for that endeavor. If you have any questions, you can email me at dnmabra12@gmail.com.

Sarah Pimlott

Vice President

My name is Sarah Pimlott and I am the 2012-2013 Post-Secondary Vice President. I am in my second year at Kirkwood Community College and will graduate May 2013 with an administrative assistant degree and project management certificate. After graduation, I plan on obtaining long term employment in the administrative/project management field. I am a mother of two wonderful children, ages 7 and 4. In my free time, I enjoy photography, scrapbooking, Photoshop, music, crafts, karaoke, dancing, and spending time with my friends and family. I have had the privilege of volunteering for many different organizations including; Special Olympics, Habitat for Humanity, donating plasma/blood, March of Dimes, Waypoint, Horizons Survivors program, Aid to Women, Madge Phillips center, and Juvenile Diabetes. I love that Business Professionals of America promotes community involvement. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at: sarah-pimlott@student.kirkwood.edu



Pin and T-shirt Contest

T-Shirt Design Contest - Design the 2013 Iowa Business Professionals of America State T-shirt! The design must be unique and original. The winning design will be printed and worn by all students who attend our State Leadership Conference. Entry deadline is December 7, 2012. Official rules and entry forms are included in your FLC registration packet.

Trading Pin Contest - Create the official Iowa BPA Trading Pin used for students to trade at the 2013 National Leadership Conference in Orlando, Florida this Spring. The pin must be a simple design submitted by Friday December 7, 2012. Official rules and entry forms are included in your FLC registration packet.

The winning pin and t-shirt design will be chosen by the Iowa officer team members.