



IASPA Mentor Training: 2026

Have you worked in Human Resources for 5 years or more? Do you remember what it was like being a new HR person - excited, nervous, and fairly certain that you were doing everything wrong?

The IASPA mentor program pairs highly-trained mentors with new HR professionals. The two meet regularly and use a carefully crafted curriculum to meet the mentee's needs.

The mentor receives administrator academy credit for this training, and the mentoring is a paid position through IASPA.

Many people tell us that they don't feel confident enough to serve as a professional mentor. Don't worry - we've got your back and will support you along the way.

Is it time for you to give back to the profession? Start now!

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IASPA is seeking a Communications Coordinator

IASPA is seeking an experienced Communications professional to work with the IASPA Team! This part-time, contractual role would be the perfect "side hustle" for a professional in the field.

Please forward to qualified candidates!

Candidates may apply by sending a resume, cover letter, and examples of work to Dr. Kimberly Chambers at kchambers@iaspa.org by April 30, 2026.

[Full details can be found here.](#)

We Are Hiring!



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IASPA Summer Celebration!

Join us for the third annual IASPA Membership Appreciation event. Enjoy a Kane County Cougars game from the Super Suite, food and drinks, and the company of your IASPA friends and their families. Your ticket is free with your IASPA membership, and you may register three guests for free using **Promo Code: 2026**. Additional tickets are \$25. Only 200 tickets are available, so register now!

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IASPA Professional Learning Opportunities

Spring Summit - Legal

May 28, 2026 | NIU Naperville Conference Center | 1220 East Diehl Road | Naperville, IL

Are you ready to navigate today's most complex legal issues in school HR with clarity and confidence? Join school leaders, HR professionals, and legal experts for a one-day Legal Summit focused on building defensible practices, reducing risk, and strengthening decision-making across your district.

Administrator Academy: Using Stay Interviews & Other Employee Engagement Tools

April 23, 2026 | Virtual

Exit interviews tell you why people leave—stay interviews tell you why they stay. This academy introduces practical tools to improve employee engagement and retention, including stay interviews, climate surveys, and feedback strategies tailored for the K-12 setting. [Presenter: Julia Wheaton, Interim Chief Human Resources Officer, SASSED]

Webinar Wednesdays (Virtual)

Did you know that IASPA is offering more Webinar Wednesdays this year? From Streamlining Recruitment to FMLA to Mandated Trainings, join us for a quick and easy way to learn more about various topics in school human resources. Next up:

Annual Financial Audit - May 6

Mandated Trainings - May 20

Records Management - June 3

IASPA Job Board

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- Chief Business Officer
- Chief Academic Officer
- Director of Finance & Operations
- Human Resources/PR Coordinator
- Assistant Superintendent of Academics
- Director of Student Services
- Division Executive Assistant
- Assistant Principal
- Assistant Principal/SPED Supervisor
- Facilities Manager
- Assistant Director

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