

# IASPA This Week

January 24, 2022

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CLICK HERE!**

## Do You Need an Administrator Academy This Year?

IASPA will be offering an Administrator Academy this year designed for school administrators with HR responsibilities entitled "Essentials of School Human Resources". If you need an Administrator Academy this year - or if you are just looking for some quality professional development, please consider attending the IASPA Administrator Academy scheduled for February 22, 2022.

**Register: (AA) Essentials of School Human  
Resources**

## Congratulations to the 2022 IASPA Board

At the IASPA Annual Conference, the 2022 IASPA Board was announced. Please welcome us in congratulating this year's Board of Directors and Committee Chairs.

**President:** Monica Schroeder

**President-Elect:** Marci Conlin

**Secretary:** Pete Theis

**Treasurer:** Ed Piotrowski

**Member-at-Large:** LaTesh Travis

**Member-at-Large:** David Bruno

**Member-at-Large:** Angelica Romano

**Member-at-Large:** Deanne Hillman

**Communications Committee:** Chris Wolk

**Constitution, Bylaws, and Governmental Relations Committee:** Ray Chung

**Membership Committee:** Beth Dalton

**Mentor Committee:** Briant Kelly

**Nominations Committee:** Rebecca Jenkins

**Professional Development Committee:** Julia Wheaton

**Recognitions Committee:** Kathleen Kelly Colgan

**Sponsorship Committee:** Tom Kim

**Website Committee:** Phil Georgia

**Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee:** Karen Rice Harris

## IASPA's Annual Conference Follow Up

What a great week! We had over 180 people attending last week's Annual Conference.

If you haven't done so already, please remember to complete the attendance and evaluation forms in order to get ISBE, SHRM, HRCI, and/or HCLE Credit for the conference. Upon completion of the attendance form, you will receive a link to the evaluation form. Upon submission of the evaluation form, you will receive a link to the ISBE Evidence of Completion Form. A certificate of completion documenting SHRM, HRCI, and pHCLE Credit will be emailed to attendees who completed both forms no later than Friday, January 28, 2022.

[Thursday, January 20th Attendance Link](#)

[Friday, January 21st Attendance Link](#)

## IASPA's Professional Associate Network

The IASPA Professional Associate Network held its first meeting last Thursday at our annual conference. Those who attended the first meeting were enthusiastic about the creation of this network for Professional Associates.

As a reminder, IASPA Professional Associate Members are non-administrative employees who are responsible for Human Resources functions. This network is open to IASPA members only.

Last Thursday, the group identified topics for future meetings. Please look for details about time and location (most likely virtual) for the second meeting of this network.

## Honoring our IASPA Award Winners!

Each week, we will highlight one of the winners of an IASPA Award in IASPA This Week. Awards were presented at the Annual Conference on January 20, 2022.



## Congratulations to Vicki Larson, Recipient of the IASPA Digital Branding Award

### **Digital Branding Award**

The Digital Branding Development award is given to the school district whose personnel or human resources department has most effectively managed to leverage the power of at least one digital venue to tell their district's employment story and provide communication to and gather information from current and prospective employees.

This year's recipient of the Digital Branding Award is Dr. Vicki Larson and Harvard School District 50.

Dr. Larson and her team at Harvard CUSD50 have become an exemplar of digital branding. They positively promote their district, students, and stakeholders religiously and the efforts are paying off. We routinely find them in all of our Insta, Twitter, Facebook, and YouTube feeds, not to mention their level of professionalism displayed via LinkedIn and the content accessible via their website.

The story of Harvard District 50 is truly told through their digital media.

Congratulations to Dr. Vicki Larson and Harvard District 50!

## Save money with an early registration for the IASPA Statewide Educator Virtual Job Fair!

Is your district seeking teacher or administrator candidates for the 22/23 school year? Does your district want to save money on the related costs of job fair attendance - hotels, meals, travel? Does your district want access to new and veteran candidates from around the state? Consider attending the first IASPA Statewide Educator Virtual Job Fair!

The virtual job fair will be held on March 8, 3:00 - 7:00 pm.

Registration is open for now. Take advantage of the early registration savings by completing your registration by 2/6/22!

Questions may be sent to [JobFair@iaspa.org](mailto:JobFair@iaspa.org).

**Register: IASPA Statewide Educator Virtual Job Fair**

### Upcoming IASPA Events:

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## Administrator Academy - Essentials of School Human Resources

When

Tuesday, Feb. 22nd, 9am

Where

1860 Glen Ellyn Road  
Glendale Heights, IL

# IASPA Statewide Educator Virtual Job Fair

When

Tuesday, March 8th, 3-7pm

Where

This is an online event.




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