



2021 ARPBL

Spring Newsletter

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PBL Provides from State Officers

“Being an officer in Arkansas PBL is one of my greatest privileges. I can’t wait to continue the good work.”

– Tyrell Andrews, President

“I’m excited to continue being a part of the leadership team and I look forward to what this year holds for Arkansas PBL.”

– Rachel Washam, Executive Vice President of Internal Relations

“I am happy to continue serving ARPBL on the leadership team to better our members’ growth and achievements.”

– Alexis Leonard, Chief Financial Officer

“PBL is such a great experience, and I am thankful to continue serving on the ARPBL leadership team. I can’t wait to see what this year has in store!”

– Melanie Ricker, Chief Programming Officer

“2021 is going to be a great year for PBL. I’m grateful to be a part of the leadership team. I can’t wait to see what everyone accomplishes this year!”

– Hailey Hawkins, Chief Information Officer



Arkansas State University – Jonesboro (18 Awards)

Outgoing State Officers

Rachel Washam
President

Taylor Shields
*Executive Vice President of
Internal Relations*

Alexus Leonard
Chief Financial Officer

Meghan Cantara
Chief Programming Officer

Melanie Ricker
Chief Information Officer

Tyrell Andrews
Parliamentarian

Incoming State Officers

Tyrell Andrews
President

Rachel Washam
*Executive Vice President of
Internal Relations*

Alexus Leonard
Chief Financial Officer

Melanie Ricker
Chief Programming Officer

Hailey Hawkins
Chief Information Officer

2020-2021 Chapter Representative – Melanie Ricker

Who's Who in ARPBL – Melanie Ricker

Outstanding Local Chapter Member – Alex Young

1st Place (12)

A-State, *Gold Chapter*

A-State, Local Chapter *Annual Business Report*

Megan Gray, *Business Law*

Rachel Washam & Alex Young, *Business Presentation*

Alexus Leonard & Melanie Ricker, *Community Service Project*

Melanie Ricker, *Computer Concepts*

Meghan Cantara, *Marketing Analysis & Decision Making*

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Hailey Hawkins, *Personal Finance*

Alexus Leonard, *Retail Management*

Alex Young, *Sports Management and Marketing*

Rachel Washam, *Website Design*

2nd Place (3)

A-State, *Outstanding Chapter*

Tyrell Andrews, Kristina Garlington, & Hailey Hawkins, *Business Ethics*

Tyrell Andrews & Kristina Garlington, *Business Law*

3rd Place (1)

Megan Gray, *Microeconomics*

Hendrix College (13 Awards)

2020-2021 Chapter Representative – Ivy Monroe

1st Place (8)

Brittany Chue, *Business Ethics*
Reilly O'Neill, *Entrepreneurship Concepts*
Gaston Niyitegeka, *Impromptu Speaking*
Alyssa Savage, *Job Interview*
Alyssa Savage, *Justice Administration*
Leeya Cain, *Organizational Behavior & Leadership*
Ivy Monroe, *Programming Concepts*
Gaston Niyitegeka, *Public Speaking*

2nd Place (4)

Ivy Monroe, *Business Communications*
Brittany Chue, *Job Interview*
Leeya Cain, *Management Concepts*
Carsen Cotter, *Personal Finance*

3rd Place (1)

Hendrix, *Outstanding Chapter*

North Arkansas College (4 Awards)

2020-2021 Chapter Representative – Betty Wade

1st Place (2)

Laurie Graham, *Information Management*
Ariel Fowler, *Macroeconomics*

2nd Place (2)

Laurie Graham, *Accounting Principles*
Ariel Fowler, *Community Service Project*

South Arkansas Community College (4 Awards)

2020-2021 Chapter Representative – Tami Smith

1st Place (2)

Kate Preaus, *Administrative Technology*
Anne Hinton, Kate Preaus, & Peyton Scoskie,
Desktop Publishing

2nd Place (2)

Peyton Scoskie, *Administrative Technology*
Tamara Smith, *Cyber Security*

Southern Arkansas University (26 Awards)

2020-2021 Chapter Representative – Joanna Graham

Outstanding Local Chapter Adviser – Lindsey Givens

1st Place (11)

SAU, *Outstanding Chapter*

Jessi Park, *Accounting for Professionals*

Brennan Ashmore, *Accounting Principles*

Bradley Cook, *Cost Accounting*

Hayden Fanning & Jason Saldana, *Economic Analysis & Decision Making*

Hannah Freeman & Savannah Means, *Forensic Accounting*

Lauren Mitchell, *Management Concepts*

Brennan Ashmore, *Microeconomics*

Jacqueline Jacobson, *Networking Concepts*

Mallory Cain & Maci McMahan, *Social Media Challenge*

Emily Tushner, *Statistical Analysis*

2nd Place (10)

Savannah Knotts, *Accounting for Professionals*

Jacqueline Jacobson, *Computer Concepts*

Anna Grace Griffin, *Cost Accounting*

Autumn Rowe, *Macroeconomics*

Autumn Rowe, *Marketing Concepts*

Hannah Bailey, *Microeconomics*

Lauren Mitchell, *Organizational Behavior & Leadership*

Dabreana Roy, *Public Speaking*

Jarius Curry, *Sports Management and Marketing*

Hannah Bailey, *Statistical Analysis*

3rd Place (4)

Emily Fallon, *Accounting Principles*

Emily Tushner, *Cost Accounting*

Dabreana Roy, *Management Concepts*

Jessi Park, *Personal Finance*

University of Arkansas at Monticello (5 Awards)

1st Place (3)

Hannah Taylor, *Business Communications*

Jamie Franks, *Contemporary Sports Issues*

Rylan White, *Insurance Concepts*

2nd Place (1)

Haley Cornell, *Entrepreneurship Concepts*

3rd Place (1)

Caroline Tedder, *Sports Management and Marketing*

University of the Ozarks (4 Awards)

2020-2021 Chapter Representative – Isaias Ortiz

1st Place (1)

William Paiz, *Cyber Security*

2nd Place (1)

Isaias Ortiz, *Economic Analysis & Decision Making*

3rd Place (2)

Katherine Martinez, *Macroeconomics*
Josue Maldonado, *Statistical Analysis*

Message from the President

Members,

Once again you all have excelled at qualifying for Nationals. I know this past year has not been normal for the majority of us, but you all have found ways to continue to inspire me and the whole country with your successes. In closing out this year, I would just like to say congratulations one more time not only for going to Nationals but also for maintaining ARPBL during this pandemic. Thank you all for being patient with the officer team regarding changes brought on by the pandemic, and most of all, thank you for allowing me to serve ARPBL. You all are going to kill it at Nationals and make Arkansas proud!

Sincerely,

Tyrell Andrews

Arkansas Phi Beta Lambda President