

Achieving Your Personal Best

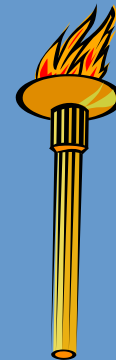
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The California State Educational Conference and Convention is coming up soon, so put in your request for leave now (PDD, Conference Day, etc.). It will be held in Ontario, California from May 3-5, 2012 at the DoubleTree Ontario Airport. This year's theme is **Achieving Your Personal Best** because IAWP believes in developing its members both personally and professionally. When you invest in yourself, the possibilities are endless!

The conference is shaping up to be a very exciting one, and while I always look forward to it, this year I am honored to be a part of the Conference Planning Committee. The speakers look spectacular and will definitely be worth your time. You will enhance your knowledge, build your skill set, and have a good time while doing it. What may catch your attention the most is the Deputy Directors Panel, which will take place Friday morning – May 4th. Each time this panel comes out to our conference, it is always an eye opener because there is so much going on behind the scenes that you may not have known about before. It is also your chance to address any concerns or questions. You can also meet most of the panel the night before at our Meet and Greet on May 3, 2012.

The flyer for the conference will continue to be updated as more information becomes available, and can be found on the website for your convenience. On it you will find more details about the hotel and registration fees.

I hope that you will consider attending, and I look forward to seeing you there!



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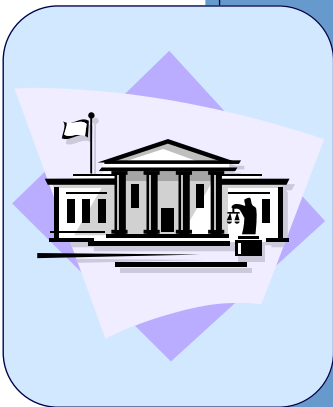
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|  <p>2012</p> <p><i>Planning Calendar</i></p> | <p>January 2012</p> <p>2 - Holiday</p> <p>15 - Cal-Liope Articles Due</p> <p>16 - Holiday</p> <p>TBD - CalPERS Class 2</p> | <p>February 2012</p> <p>4 - State BOD Meeting (Sacramento, CA)</p> <p>20 - Holiday</p> <p>TBD - Savings Plus Presentation</p> <p>TBD - Interview Techniques/PC Skills Workshop (District III)</p> |
| | <p>March 2012</p> <p>15 - Cal-Liope Articles Due</p> <p>TBD - Social Security Administration Presentation</p> | <p>April 2012</p> <p>TBD - General Membership Meeting</p> |

**Dates are subject to change

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