NEB Meeting in St. Louis

NATCA’s National Executive Board (NEB) is currently meeting in St. Louis, Mo. NATCA’s President, Executive Vice President, and Regional Vice Presidents constitute the NEB. The NEB is responsible for the creation of policy for our Union between our conventions.

Learn more about the NEB here. | Find minutes from the NEB’s recent meetings here.

Professional Standards Hosts New Member Training
NATCA's Professional Standards (PS) Committee hosted a three-day training for 18 members at Fort Worth Center (ZFW) in Dallas, Jan. 24-26. PS Committee members Lydia Baune (Spokane ATCT, GEG), Patrick Carter (Dallas/Fort Worth TRACON, D10), and Christopher Keyes (Washington Center, ZDC) led the training, welcoming the new members to the team and thanking them for volunteering to serve NATCA in such an important way.

“The professional standards training teaches the necessary tools and techniques required to go back to our locals and confidently handle issues at the peer-to-peer level,” PS Dallas District Chair Kristi Hopson (Tulsa ATCT, TUL) said. “The level of support and backing behind the professional standards program is unmatched. Participants will leave feeling educated and supported as they take on their important new role.”

“Professional Standards has the potential to fundamentally change the culture at our facility, and I look forward to the opportunity to get the program started,” Greensboro ATCT (GSO) member and new PS team member Adam Garrison said.

The PS program helps to maintain, promote, and inspire professionalism of aviation safety professionals throughout the National Airspace System. The program uses peer-to-peer mediation, conflict resolution, and mentoring to achieve these goals. Members interested in learning more about the PS program should ask their local PS Committee member, visit www.natca.org/ps, or email ps@natca.net.
Congratulations to Our Newest FacReps

The NATCA Onboarding Committee welcomes and thanks all new NATCA leaders who have recently taken office for their terms as FacReps at their local facilities.

Alaskan
Steven Ott (Juneau ATCT, JNU)

Eastern
Andrea Martin (Capital Cities/Harrisburg Federal Contract Tower (FCT), CXY)

Great Lakes
Justin Dolfus (Detroit ATCT, DTW)
Charles Odson (Sioux Falls ATCT, FSD)
Charles Pampuch (Milwaukee ATCT, MKE)

Southern
Nicholas Covey (Huntsville ATCT, HSV)

Western Pacific
McVey Conner (Napa ATCT, APC)
Gregory Sargeant (Livermore ATCT, LVK)

One Week to Go! 2023 NATCA Scholarship
The NATCA scholarship fund is established for the spouses, children, stepchildren, and legally adopted children of active, retired, and deceased NATCA members with continuous membership in good standing of at least two years. These scholarships are for full-time attendance at accredited colleges and universities within the United States and its territories for an undergraduate degree program.

The application process includes an essay submission. This year’s prompt asks candidates to examine why labor unions are experiencing a resurgence and what implications this has for the future. The full prompt and application form can be found here.

The deadline to apply is March 1.