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# ASA News!

## Summer 2024

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## MARK YOUR CALENDARS!



The ASA Fall Conference will be held in Orlando, Florida from September 27-28. We are in the midst of finalizing hotel details so be on the lookout for more information in the coming weeks!



## Current and Proposed Legislative Efforts

Efforts are currently being made in Massachusetts and Ohio, and are proposed for Rhode Island.

If you or someone you know is a practicing assistant in Ohio and wishes to participate in legislative efforts, please let us know!

[I'm Ready to Make a Difference!](#)



## Your Participation Matters

Looking for other fun ways to participate? We have established a number of committees that our members can participate in. Click below to learn more!

[Join the Elite Circle? Yes, please!](#)

## ASA/NSAA 5th Annual Joint Conference 2024

The joint conference in Cincinnati, OH from April 19-20 was a great success! Thank you to everyone who attended and helped make this the best conference yet! A special thank you to the below speakers, sponsors, and exhibitors!

- Jeff Hutchins
- Dr. Jennifer Manders
- Dr. Adam Reichard
- Dr. Drew Burleson
- Dr. Brian Crellin
- Dr. Erik Dunki-Jacob
- Luis Aragon, MBA, RSA
- Chris Patron

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## Summer 2024 Virtual Town Hall

Our first ever Virtual Town Hall was a huge success! Thank you to all who submitted questions and took the time to log in on their Saturday morning! If you registered for the event, you should have already received a link to the recording. If you are an active member who did not register, but would like to watch the recording, please log in to your ASA account and follow the link on the Member Homepage. Side Note: If your browser

will not open the link, downloading the video will allow you to access the recording.

Member Log In

**The ASA Board of Directors extends its deepest gratitude to all individuals who participate in ASA conferences and events. Your continued support and attendance are invaluable to us, and we are truly grateful for each and every one of you. Thank you for making our events a success!**

## ASA Swag

Mugs and tumblers and shirts, oh my! You can also order customized items for you and your team through this shop. If you have any questions regarding the merch store, please feel free to contact Christine at [emtgriffith@yahoo.com](mailto:emtgriffith@yahoo.com) with the subject line "Order".



ASA Store



## Meet a Member!!!

Do you know an exceptional ASA member, including yourself, that you would like to nominate to be highlighted in our next newsletter? Let us know!

I know someone EXCEPTIONAL!

## Guess What's Brewing...

The board has been working hard on numerous tasks behind the scenes. Just a few include:

- 1st Edition ASA textbook, tentative release date Fall 2024
- Planning ASA Fall conference in Orlando, FL Sept 27-28
- Planning the Joint Spring Conference in Dallas, TX with NSAA
- Updating the Policies & Procedures manual
- Developing Newsletter and consistency
- Developing committee participation
- Continuing litigation efforts to process our own CEUs
- Quarterly Virtual Town Hall meetings

- Joint efforts with NSAA to develop salary information across the country
- And much more!!!



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