

# Illinois Association of Educational Office Professionals

*The State Professional Association of Educational Office Professionals  
Affiliated with the National Association of Educational Office Professionals*

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<b>IAEOP EDUCATIONAL OFFICE PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR 2012</b>
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TO: IAEOP Affiliates  
FROM: Paula Bender, MS Ed.  
DATE: January 1, 2012  
RE: Illinois Educational Office Professional of the Year 2012

All details and instructions are contained in the attached materials. Please read through them carefully. To avoid disqualification of any candidate, it is very important that all forms be completed and postmarked by February 1, 2012. Any application received after February 1 will not be considered.

The winner will be selected by a panel of impartial judges. The selected candidate and the sponsor will be notified immediately of the judges' decision. An inscribed plaque will be awarded to the winner at the IAEOP Spring Conference.

Questions may be directed to me at pbender@waubonsee.edu.

Good Luck!

<b><u>REMINDER:</u></b> <b><u>Application Must be Postmarked by</u></b> <b><u>February 1, 2012</u></b>
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**IAEOP  
EDUCATIONAL OFFICE PROFESSIONAL  
OF THE YEAR  
2012**

Please read carefully and follow all guidelines

Mail original and three copies of this application (postmarked by February 1, 2012) to:

**Paula Bender, MS Ed.  
IAEOP Office Professional of the Year Chairman  
419 E Park St  
Plano, IL 60545  
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## Educational Office Professional of the Year

One candidate may be nominated by each IAEOP affiliate of the current affiliation year (August 1- July 31.)

The ORIGINAL and THREE (3) copies of the applications must be submitted. Do not send scrapbooks, newspaper clippings, or any other materials. All materials must be submitted by the sponsoring association at one time and no materials will be returned.

Application materials must be postmarked by **February 1, 2012**.

All candidates and the sponsoring association will be notified immediately after the judges decision, and all decisions are final.

An inscribed plaque will be presented to the winner at the annual IAEOP Spring Conference.

### Eligibility

1. Candidate must be a current IAEOP member and must have held membership for a minimum of three (3) consecutive years immediately prior to nomination. (In order to qualify for NAEOP nomination, candidate must be a current NAEOP member and have held membership for a minimum of three years.)
2. Candidate must be a member of the IAEOP affiliate association submitting the nomination.
3. Candidate must currently be employed as an educational office professional (ie: secretary, clerk, bookkeeper, registrar, library aide, etc.)
4. Candidate must have been employed as an office professional for a minimum of five (5) years in an educational institution, agency, public or private school, college, or university.

### Criteria For Judging

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| 1. Recommendation from Sponsoring Association (Form I)                       | 10% |
| 2. Education, PSP Certificates, In-service Courses Completed (Form II)       | 20% |
| 3. Membership/Leadership Roles in Professional Associations (Form II)        | 30% |
| 4. Community Activities (areas of impact in addition to education) (Form II) | 5%  |
| 5. Personnel Rating (Form III)   | 15% |
| 6. Letters of Recommendation (maximum of 3, please)                          | 20% |

Note: Please submit three (3) copies each of all forms to:

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*The State Professional Association of Educational Office Personnel*

**NOMINATION FORM**

(To be completed by sponsoring association)

Name of Candidate \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Work) \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Basis for selection of nominee:

Name of sponsoring association \_\_\_\_\_

President of sponsoring association \_\_\_\_\_

Address of President \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone of President (Home) \_\_\_\_\_ (Work) \_\_\_\_\_

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*The State Professional Association of Educational Office Personnel*

(To be completed by nominee)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_ No.Years \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Business address of supervisor \_\_\_\_\_

**PREVIOUS POSITIONS HELD** (Use additional sheet, if needed)

Title of Position	Place of Employment	From	To
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

**EDUCATION** (Include high school)

Name of Course or Degree	Institution	No.Cr./Hrs.	Year
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

**PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS PROGRAM CERTIFICATES(S) HELD** (Indicate by filling in the year received)

Basic \_\_\_\_\_ Assoc. Prof \_\_\_\_\_ Advanced I \_\_\_\_\_ Advanced II \_\_\_\_\_ Advanced III \_\_\_\_\_

Assoc. Degree \_\_\_\_\_ Bachelor \_\_\_\_\_ Master \_\_\_\_\_ Doctoral \_\_\_\_\_ CEOE \_\_\_\_\_

**INSERVICE COURSES COMPLETED** (Include last ten years). List inservice courses on a separate sheet using the following format:

Name of Program/Course	Sponsored by	No. Clock Hrs.	Year
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

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(To be completed by nominee)

**MEMBERSHIP/LEADERSHP ROLES IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS**

	Association	Yrs. Mbr.	Office/Committee	Year(s)
National:	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
State:	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
Local:	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____

**COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES (include last five (5) years)**

	Organization	Community Activity or Office Held	Year
National:	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
State:	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
Local:	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____

Signature of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## PERSONNEL RATING

(To be completed by immediate supervisor of nominee)

Please evaluate candidate with a short narrative in each of the following areas. The rating should cover the past five (5) years of employment, especially noting specific job performance. If in present position less than five years, office professionals should submit copies of performance evaluations from previous positions within the past five years.

OFFICE MANAGEMENT:

INTERPERSONAL RELATIONSHIPS:

LEADERSHIP:

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH:

PROFESSIONALISM:

PUBLIC RELATIONS:

KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS:

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Signature of Office Professional

Date

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Signature of Immediate Supervisor

Date