A changing season is always refreshing. You change your wardrobe from one season to the next; the time changes, and depending you where you live, you probably change your tires as well. The seasons are not the only thing that is changing. IAIP is changing.

Everyone adapts to change differently -- some embrace it, some dislike it and some are indifferent. Regardless of how you adapt, there is one thing that is certain: change happens in every aspect of our lives, including our association of choice.

IAIP is going through a transformational change; we are lucky to be a part of this historical event. The founding members saw our association as a place for networking, education and opportunity; today, those goals are still at our core, we are just changing the platform and audience.

Today is the digital age. Technology is at the center of our business and daily lives. We must start closing the gap on our geographical locations, and technology is the way to do that. Now, more than ever, we can communicate with each other through online forums that do not require members to be in the same physical location. It provides flexibility needed in busy daily lives and allows each member to stay connected to IAIP.

IAIP has not yet changed its technology and is risking being left behind. We have to change IAIP by replacing old technology with new technology. Our season of change must be now and can no longer wait.

Remember when you are voting for the dues restructuring, you are voting for IAIP’s future. You have the opportunity to change our direction so that our association continues its mission of proving networking, opportunity and education.

Alesha J Raney
Region VI Vice President

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Dues Restructure

The ballot to cast your vote for the proposed International Bylaws amendment and dues structure launches on Monday, February 10. Watch your inbox for an email with the ballot.

We are thankful for your participation in the conversations held over the last few months. Please visit the Membership Vote Topic page to review the specific details of the proposed amendment, updated Frequently Asked Questions, and recordings of the Special Town Hall meetings held in January.

Please reach out to your Regional Vice President or any member of the International Board of Directors with any questions throughout the 2-week voting time frame.

Make sure you receive the ballot: We use SurveyMonkey to send our ballots. The "From" field will look like this: exec.dir@iaip-ins.org via surveymonkey.com. Add
2020 Convention

We are thrilled to announce: Early Bird Registration for the 2020 IAIP Convention is now open.

WHEN:
Thursday, June 11
Friday, June 12
Saturday, June 13

WHERE:
Hyatt Regency Louisville
Louisville, KY

WHY: Because you don’t want to miss out on the NEW exciting components added this year, including:

- Leadership Bootcamp
- Insurance Industry Day
- Career Connections

Back by popular demand is the fun and informative Community Café, our Awards celebration, a robust education curriculum, free time to explore/tour the area, an inspirational keynote speaker, and lots of fun! View the agenda, hotel information and all the exciting details on the IAIP Convention web site.

Register Now and Save $100!

Board Summary

The board summary from the January 2020 meeting is now available.

Meet the Candidate

Join us for Meet the Candidate on Monday, March 3 at 2:00 pm EST. Register to participate in the interactive webinar where you will have an opportunity to meet our candidate for International Secretary, Tammy Wascher, CIC, CIIP, CPIA, CLP, DAE.

President-Elect, Lauri Oakden-Binder, RWCS, CRIS, CLP, CIIP, will interview the candidate and attendees are invited to take this opportunity to ask questions. If you have any questions that you would like the candidate to answer, please send them to Lauri with “Meet the Candidate” in the subject line. If you are unable to attend the webinar live, the recording will be available on the IAIP website within two days of the Meet the Candidate.

Every member in good standing has a vote in the election of the International Secretary. We encourage you to exercise your right to vote! The electronic ballot will be distributed to the membership via email in April for a two-week voting period. Register for Meet the Candidate!

February eLearning
Up In Smoke? Am I Covered?

When: Wednesday, February 19 at 2pm ET
Who: Colleen Laeger

Join us on Wednesday, February 19 for Up In Smoke! Am I Covered? as we navigate how the emerging cannabis industry impacts insurance coverage and exposure for companies and insureds.

This webinar is complimentary for IAIP members and $15 for non-members. Pre-registration is required to receive the webinar access link. No refunds for event after purchase. This webinar qualifies for IAIP education hour(s) for CIIP and DAE designations. Register now.

NAIW Legacy Foundation

Grant Deadline: March 15
The upcoming NAIW Legacy Foundation Grant Application Deadline is March 15, 2020. The goal of this grant is to support and encourage local associations, councils and regions to create programs that effectively educate our members on a peer-to-peer basis. First complete the application and submit it via the online submission form. A short "how to" video is available if you need assistance. Applications are due by March 15. A decision announcement will be made on April 15. Apply Today!

Gift Card Giving Tree
Our Gift Card Giving Trees at the 2019 International Convention generated a total of $1,400 in gift cards for three lucky winners. We are pleased to announce we will be using the trees as a part of our fundraising efforts again in 2020.

So we are once again asking you to donate cards, in any denomination, from large chains or stores that are recognized nationwide. This will ensure that the winners will be able to redeem the cards no matter where they reside.

Cards or monetary donations should be sent to Beth Chitnis at IAIP Corporate Center by April 15th. Thanks for your continued support of the Foundation!

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