

2012 State Leadership Conference March 15-16, 2012



SLC Dress Code

In order to promote a professional atmosphere, the Ohio Association Executive Board has approved the following official dress code policy for the 2012 State Leadership Conference. Students, advisors, and chaperones must follow the established dress code.

Professional Dress Code

Professional attire is required for the opening sessions, competitive events, and the Grand Awards Ceremony.

Women

- Pant or skirt suit
- Dress skirt or dress slacks with coordinated blouse and/or sweater
- Business dress
- BPA blazer with dress skirt or dress slacks and blouse or sweater
- Dress shoes or dress sandals with heel required with all of the above.

Men

- Dress slacks with dress shirt and tie
- Suit with dress shirt and tie
- Sport coat with coordinated dress slacks, dress shirt, and tie
- BPA blazer with dress slacks, dress shirt, and tie
- Dress shoes and dress socks required with all of the above

- ➡ Pencil mini-skirts are not permitted on stage for the awards ceremony.
- ➡ Strapless, spaghetti straps, midriff tops and transparent clothing are not acceptable professional attire.
- ➡ Denim is excluded for both women and men.

Casual Dress Code

The following casual dress is appropriate for the Dance and other non-competitive event activities.

- Sportswear (jeans), pants, and shirt, t-shirt and shorts
- Footwear required at all times

Swim suits must be covered with appropriate attire while in any area except the hotel pool.

Violation of the *official* Ohio BPA dress code can result in competitive event disqualification. The minimum penalty for a dress code violation will be a point deduction that prohibits the student from placing in the top ten for his or her competitive event.