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MVCTC BPA Students Dominate Contests

Clayton, Ohio -- Miami Valley Career Technology Center (MVCTC) Business Professionals of America (BPA) students dominated the recent BPA Regional Contests with 92 students winning or placing in the top five for their contest. Twenty-four of the BPA students who qualified at the Regional Level recently competed at the State Level in Columbus, and eleven of these students have now qualified to participate at the National Level BPA Contest, May 5-10, in Dallas, Texas. The eleven MVCTC students who qualified for the BPA National Contest are, Shelby Lyons (New Lebanon), Lacy Stamper (Huber Heights), Shamel Johnson (Miamisburg), MariJo McKinley (Tri County North), Jessica Webb (Eaton), Jon McKinney (Tipp City), Chanin Robison (Mississinawa Valley), Daniel Jasnowski (Northmont), Melinda Myers (Arcanum), Shannon Blevins (Preble Shawnee), and Zach Dozier (Huber Heights). Shelby Lyons (New Lebanon) was also one of five students in the State of Ohio to receive the Ohio Business Professionals of America $1,000 Scholarships.

BPA is a national student organization that serves Business and Information Technology students. Members participate in activities that promote leadership, citizenship, academic, and technological skills, as well as competing in BPA contests related to their career field at the local, regional, state, and national levels.

The area students placing in the recent BPA contests are:
- Ashley Leeper (Ansonia) - 2nd place Advanced Office Systems & Procedures Regional BPA Contest
- Melinda Myers (Arcanum) - 1st place Integrated Office Applications Regional BPA Contest, and 2nd place Integrated Office Applications State BPA Contest

- Ian Werts (Arcanum) - 6th place Financial Math & Analysis Regional BPA Contest
- Kevin Keough (Bethel) - 6th place Entrepreneurship Regional BPA Contest
- Ethan Snodgrass (Bethel) - 5th place JAVA Programming Regional BPA Contest
- Alex Dale (Brookville) - 3rd place Cisco Systems Administration Regional BPA Contest
- Alex Dale (Brookville) - 3rd place Computer Network Technology Regional BPA Contest
- Kortney Finger (Brookville) - 4th place Graphic Design Promotion Regional BPA Contest
- Stephanie Freeman (Brookville) - 3rd place Financial Math & Analysis Regional BPA Contest
- Jessica Miller (Brookville) - 1st place Medical Office Procedures Regional BPA Contest
- Jessica Miller (Brookville) - 6th place Administrative Support Concepts Regional BPA Contest
- Matthew Simon (Brookville) - 4th place JAVA Programming Regional BPA Contest
- Justin Valentine (Brookville) - 5th place Computer Network Technology Regional BPA Contest
- Courtney Wigger (Brookville) - 1st place Prepared Speech Regional BPA Contest
- Seth Lanier (Carlisle) - 1st place Computer Security Regional BPA Contest
- Seth Lanier (Carlisle) - 2nd place Computer Network Technology Regional BPA Contest
- Greg Ryherd (Carlisle) - 4th place Fundamentals of XHTML Regional BPA Contest
- Madalynne Young (Carlisle) - 5th place Information Technology Concepts Regional BPA Contest
- Robert Marcum (Eaton) - 6th place PC Servicing & Troubleshooting Regional BPA Contest
- Christina Perkins (Eaton) - 4th place Basic Office Systems & Procedures Regional BPA Contest
- Sierra Pierce (Eaton) - 1st place Legal Office Procedures Regional BPA Contest
- Sierra Pierce (Eaton) - 4th place Administrative Support Concepts Regional BPA Contest
- Cody Rider (Eaton) - 5th place Cisco Systems Administration Regional BPA Contest
- Paige Singleton (Eaton) - 5th place Management/Mktg/Human Resources Regional BPA Contest

- Jessica Webb (Eaton) - 2nd place Prepared Speech Regional BPA Contest
- Jessica Webb (Eaton) - 1st place Administrative Support Concepts Regional BPA Contest , and 1st place Administrative Support Concepts State BPA Contest
- Shana Bucklew (Huber Heights) - 4th place Legal Office Procedures Regional BPA Contest
- Zach Dozier (Huber Heights) - 1st place Payroll Accounting Regional BPA Contest , and 2nd place Payroll Accounting State BPA Contest
- Zach Dozier (Huber Heights) - 5th place Financial Math & Analysis Regional BPA Contest
- Lexi Fairley (Huber Heights) - 2nd place Video Production Team Regional BPA Contest
- Stephanie Justice (Huber Heights) - 2nd place Advanced Accounting Regional BPA Contest
- Lacy Stamper (Huber Heights) - 1st place Basic Office Systems & Procedures Regional BPA Contest, and top five place Basic Office Systems & Procedures State BPA Contest
- Andrew Wesseler (Huber Heights) - 6th place Desktop Publishing Regional BPA Contest
- Megan Yane (Huber Heights) - 4th place Management/Mktg/Human Resources Regional BPA Contest
- Shamel Johnson (Miamisburg) - 1st place Computerized Accounting Regional BPA Contest, and 1st place Computerized Accounting State BPA Contest
- Timothy Stine (Milton-Union) - 2nd place Video Production Team Regional BPA Contest
- Travis Welsh (Milton-Union) - 4th place Information Technology Concepts Regional BPA Contest
- Daniel Mart (Mississinawa Valley) - 2nd place Cisco Systems Administration Regional BPA Contest
- Chanin Robison (Mississinawa Valley) - 5th place Advanced Word Processing Skills Regional BPA Contest
- Chanin Robison (Mississinawa Valley) - 1st place Parliamentary Procedure Concepts Regional BPA Contest, and 1st place Parliamentary Procedure Concepts State BPA Contest
- Cynthia-Jo Bear (National Trail) - 2nd place Presentation Management - Team Regional BPA Contest
- Jordan Keirns (New Lebanon) - 5th place Fundamentals of XHTML Regional BPA Contest
- Shelby Lyons (New Lebanon) - 1st place Advanced Interview Skills Regional BPA Contest, and 1st place Advanced Interview Skills State BPA Contest
- Shelby Lyons (New Lebanon) - 2nd place Parliamentary Procedure Concepts Regional BPA Contest

- Alexa McConkey (New Lebanon) - 6th place Legal Office Procedures Regional BPA Contest
- Matthew Sampson (New Lebanon) - 2nd place Fundamentals of XHTML Regional BPA Contest
- Casey Briscoe (Northmont) - 2nd place General Clerical Regional BPA Contest
- Amanda Burgher (Northmont) - 6th place Medical Office Procedures Regional BPA Contest
- Daniel Jasnowski (Northmont) - 1st place Fundamentals of XHTML Regional BPA Contest, and 1st place Fundamentals of XHTML State BPA Contest
- James McConnell (Northmont) - 3rd place Banking and Finance Regional BPA Contest
- Brittany Noaks (Northmont) - 6th place General Clerical Regional BPA Contest
- Matt Ratermann (Northmont) - 1st place Microsoft Network Administration Regional BPA Contest
- Nicole Smith (Northmont) - 5th place Prepared Speech Regional BPA Contest
- Cody Fuduloff (Northridge) - 6th place Cisco Systems Administration Regional BPA Contest
- Danielle Fairman (Patterson) - 4th place General Clerical Regional BPA Contest
- Shannon Blevins (Preble Shawnee) - 2nd place Legal Office Procedures Regional BPA Contest, and top five place Legal Office Procedures State BPA Contest
- Bailey Lewandowski (Preble Shawnee) - 6th place Fundamentals of XHTML Regional BPA Contest
- Casey Pennington (Preble Shawnee) - 2nd place Video Production Team Regional BPA Contest
- Casey Pennington (Preble Shawnee) - 2nd place Management/Mktg/Human Resources Regional BPA Contest
- Samantha Powers (Preble Shawnee) - 2nd place Fundamental Accounting Regional BPA Contest
- Samantha Powers (Preble Shawnee) - 4th place Financial Math & Analysis Regional BPA Contest
- Brennon Redmyer (Preble Shawnee) - 6th place Information Technology Concepts Regional BPA Contest
- William Bridenbaugh (Tipp City) - 3rd place Microsoft Network Administration Regional BPA Contest
- Timothy Butler (Tipp City) - 3rd place Fundamentals of XHTML Regional BPA Contest
- Harrison Fink (Tipp City) - 6th place Extemporaneous Speech Regional BPA Contest

- Ashley Fultz (Tipp City) - 1st place Advanced Office Systems & Procedures Regional BPA Contest
- Jon McKinney (Tipp City) - 1st place Computer Network Technology Regional BPA Contest, and 1st place Computer Network Technology State BPA Contest
- Lauren Dyer (Tri-County North) - 3rd place Medical Office Procedures Regional BPA Contest
- Mariha League (Tri-County North) - 1st place Fundamental Word Processing Regional BPA Contest
- MariJo McKinley (Tri-County North) - 4th place Computerized Accounting Regional BPA Contest
- MariJo McKinley (Tri-County North) - 1st place Financial Math & Analysis Regional BPA Contest, and 1st place Financial Math & Analysis State BPA Contest
- Michael Devor (Tri-Village) - 5th place Graphic Design Promotion Regional BPA Contest
- Alexis Burt (Trotwood) - 5th place Banking and Finance Regional BPA Contest
- Damian Elder (Trotwood) - 2nd place Computerized Accounting Regional BPA Contest
- Stephanie Foster (Trotwood) - 4th place Cisco Systems Administration Regional BPA Contest
- Brandon Walls (Trotwood) - 3rd place Legal Office Procedures Regional BPA Contest
- Brandon Walls (Trotwood) - 5th place Administrative Support Concepts Regional BPA Contest
- Ashley Strike (Twin Valley South) - 3rd place General Clerical Regional BPA Contest
- Delana Cornett (Valley View) - 2nd place Video Production Team Regional BPA Contest
- Matt Kalmbach (Valley View) - 2nd place Microsoft Network Administration Regional BPA Contest
- Matt Kalmbach (Valley View) - 4th place Computer Network Technology Regional BPA Contest
- Sarah Worrell (Valley View) - 3rd place Economic Research Project - Individual Regional BPA Contest
- Marjorie Brickey (Vandalia) - 2nd place Presentation Management - Team Regional BPA Contest
- Jessica Davis (Vandalia) - 1st place General Clerical Regional BPA Contest
- Chasity Eades (Vandalia) - 5th place Administrative Support Research Project Regional BPA Contest
- Jacqueline Sells (Vandalia) - 5th place General Clerical Regional BPA Contest

- Jason Wilkerson (Vandalia) - 3rd place JAVA Programming Regional BPA Contest
- Brittany Brown (Versailles) - 3rd place Administrative Support Concepts Regional BPA Contest
- Brittany Matthieu (Versailles) - 3rd place Payroll Accounting Regional BPA Contest
- Brandon Weese (Versailles) - 2nd place Integrated Office Applications Regional BPA Contest
- Matt Longstreath (West Carrollton) - 5th place C++ Programming Regional BPA Contest

MVCTC students in the career technical programs of Clerical Services, Computer Information Technology, Computer Networking Engineering Tech Prep, Financial Management, Interactive Multi-Media, Legal Assisting, and Medical Office Management participate in BPA. For more information about the Business and Information Technology programs at MVCTC, please visit www.mvctc.com.

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