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## **Texas Business and Technology Educators Association June 2011 Membership Update**

July 1, 2011

Dan Blier  
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Dear Dan:

The Texas Career Education Conference 2011 is just days away. The TBTEA Board is looking forward to your participation in the conference. Please stop by our Membership booth to vote on the 2011-2012 TBTEA Officer slate, renew your membership, and say hello.

Should you have any TBTEA related questions or concerns please feel free to address those to me at [blierdan@aol.com](mailto:blierdan@aol.com).

Sincerely,

Daniel Blier  
Vice President—Secondary Education

## **NOMINATIONS**

### **TBTEA Board Elections**

TBTEA members will elect the 2011-2012 by stopping by the TBTEA Membership table and voting in favor, against or abstaining from the slate presented by the Nominating Committee.

## **MEMBERSHIP**

It is time to start renewing your TBTEA membership for the 2011-2012 year. Membership runs from August 1 through July 31 of each year. Please encourage your colleagues to join TBTEA so they will be able to take advantage of our membership benefits. Here is our current [membership form](#).

Any questions or concerns regarding your TBTEA membership should be addressed to [Dan Blier, Vice President–Secondary Education](#). Specific needs relating to Liability Insurance should be directed to [Barbara Leschber, Executive Director](#).

## CONFERENCES

### Texas Career Education Conference 2011

The TCEC will be again held at the Sheraton Hotel in Dallas, Texas from July 17-20, 2011. Please mark your calendar to join us next summer.

Website: <http://TexasCareerEducationConference.com>.

### Word 2007/2010 Training

Certiport is offering certification workshops in Word 2007 and Word 2010 again this year. The price is \$299. Those wanting to participant must register immediately!

### TBTEA Silent Auction

Each year at the Texas Career Education Conference, we hold a silent auction. The proceeds from the silent auction help fund our various academic scholarships. Please consider donating an item valuing \$25 or more to help us raise these important funds. Although we prefer items over \$25, items under \$25 may be packaged with other similar priced items to create a larger basket. Contact [Shirlyelaine Gray](#) if you have any questions or would like to help with the TBTEA Silent Auction.

**TBTEA Member Discount** codes for conference registration were sent out this week from Bailey Morrison [robin@ctat.ccsend.com]. Please check your spam folder if you did not receive your discount code. If you do not receive your code, please email me at [blierdan@aol.com](mailto:blierdan@aol.com) and I will get the unique code to you.

This year's **Business Tour** will be Cowboys Stadium. We tried other venues, but due to the tour being scheduled for a Sunday we were limited to businesses that are geared up for weekend visitors.

Make plans to Attend the **TBTEA Awards Luncheon** at this summer's Texas Career Education Conference 2011. It will be held Tuesday, July 19 from 11:45am – 1:30pm. Don't forget to reserve your seat for this year's TBTEA Awards Luncheon. Tickets are \$20 and should be purchased at the time of your registration to reserve your seat. If you already registered for the conference and would like to attend the luncheon, please email [blierdan@aol.com](mailto:blierdan@aol.com) and a seat will be reserved for you.

**NBEA** will be raffling a Kindle as well as gift cards for all new and renewing NBEA members. Please visit the TBTEA Membership table for more information.

## NBEA

National Business Education Association is the national organization representing our curriculum at the United States Government level. Are you interested in joining NBEA, but need more information? Contact [Violet Snell](#), TBTEA's National Representative, for assistance.

# COMMITTEES

TBTEA committee chairs continue to work hard for our association. If you wish to serve on one of these committees, please contact the committee chair. You can find contact information on the <http://TBTEA.org> website.

Committee	Chair
2011 TBTEA Journal	Karen May
Awards	Michelle Kirkland
Conference	Karen May
Educational Development	Mazie Will
Fundraiser	Shirlyelaine Gray
Governmental Relations/Legislative Action	Dan Blier
Nominating	Ann Wilson
Membership	Dan Blier
Scholarship	Cheryl Mallan
President's Council	David Loper