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**Three MVCTC students competing in national BPA leadership conference**

**Clayton, Ohio** – The Miami Valley Career Technology Center (MVCTC) Business Professionals of America (BPA) chapter will have three Legal Assistant students competing in the 2012 National BPA Conference in Chicago, IL from April 24-29.

- **Dairyale Guest** (Legal Assistant student from Northmont) placed 1st in the Legal Office Procedures BPA State Contest and has advanced to compete in the National BPA Contest.
- **Jessica Miniard** (Legal Assistant student from Brookville) placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Advanced Office Systems & Procedures BPA State Contest, and has advanced to compete in the National BPA Contest.
- **Jordan Murphy** (Legal Assistant student from Arcanum-Butler) placed 3rd in the Legal Office Procedures BPA State Contests, and has advanced to compete in the National BPA Contest.

The MVCTC students, chaperoned by MVCT Legal Assistant instructor Mrs. Kelly Haws, will join over 5,000 other conference delegates from across the nation to participate in national level business skills competitions, workshops, general sessions, and the national officer elections. Besides having the opportunity to excel, they will experience the city of Chicago, IL, along with its museums, parks, and other attractions.

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.

MVCTC is very proud of Dairyale, Jessica, and Jordan and wish them the best of luck in Chicago. For more information about BPA and the Legal Assistant program at MVCTC, visit [www.mvctc.com/LA](http://www.mvctc.com/LA).

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Photo: MVCTC BPA students from the Legal Assistant program qualified to compete in the National BPA Leadership Conference in Chicago, IL. Pictured left to right – Dairyale Guest (Northmont), Jessica Miniard (Brookville), and Jordan Murphy (Arcanum).