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# Upcoming Events

**January 2, 2019**

MPA Membership forms and Conference Registration Forms available online! Look for online payment methods in 2019!

**January 28, 2019**

Winter Board Meeting Ellensburg 10a-2p ALL Welcome!

## March 10-13, 2019

[APPA Winter Institute-Miami](https://www.appa-net.org/institutes/2019-Miami/attend/)

## March 27-28, 2019

## DUI Court Refresher-Beaverton, OR

**May 6-8, 2019**

MPA Annual Conference

The Marcus Whitman Walla Walla

**September 18-20, 2019**

[4th World Congress on Probation-Sydney Australia](https://www.correctiveservices.justice.nsw.gov.au/worldcongressonprobation)

[WWW.WA-MPA.ORG](http://WWW.WA-MPA.ORG)

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| **Congratulations to our recent**  **Probation Academy Graduates:**  Maria B.-Yakima; Andy C.-Lewis; Kris C.-Grant ; Effran D.-Pierce; Jason D.-Yakima; Lindsey D.-Snohomish; Maria F.-Bothell; Matt G.-Mason; Yolanda G.-Pasco; Amy H.-Clark; Mark H.-Pierce; Michelle L.-Clark; Rachel L.-Clark; Stephanie M.-Everett; Alex M.-Snohomish; Aaron N.-Pierce; Dawn R.-Pierce; Angela S.-Snohomish; Derek S.-Lakewood; Rene S.-Island; Paige S.-Bothell |
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**UPDATES**

* Thanks to DMCJA who provided our organization with funding, we will be welcoming Keith Graves of [Graves and Associates](https://gravesassociates.com/) as our Highlighted Speaker-addressing “Emerging Drug Trends”.
* The board would like to announce the appointment of Tonya Dotson from Seattle Municipal Court as the new Legislative Chair. Her term will expire in 2020.
* 52 participants successfully completed Motivational Interviewing hosted by MPA in Des Moines in October!
* 30 probation officers and court staff completed the DV MRT training hosted by SnoCo in September. A list of probation departments who are or will be offering the class to outside referrals can be found [here](file:///\\Cdmfs105\public\Court\Melissa\Court.docx).
* As of July 1, 2018 DSHS is no-longer the monitoring agency for behavioral health providers, due to legislative changes DOH is now responsible. The links to the new WACs and changes can be found [here](https://www.doh.wa.gov/LicensesPermitsandCertificates/FacilitiesNewReneworUpdate/BehavioralHealthAgencies/RulesinProgress).
* Are you interested in getting more involved with MPA? Join us for a board meeting or contact MPA President [Chris Hornung](mailto:chornung@marysvillewa.gov) and share your desire to do more! Currently, we are looking for someone who would like to take on Public Relations! Contact Chris for more information!