Overall Changes for the 2024 National Leadership Conference

- Removed repeat competitor rule, members can now repeat competitions
- Four entries per competition per state
- Photo identification required
- Refreshed rating sheets
- Penalty points moved to staff only
- Refreshed categories: Case Competition, Chapter, Objective Test, Presentation, Production
- Objective test time is 50 minutes
- Set-up time is 3 minutes
- Test Tie Breakers have changed: Ties are broken by comparing the correct number of answers to 10 pre-determined questions on the test. If a tie remains, answers to 20 pre-determined questions on the test will be reviewed to determine the winner. If a tie remains, the competitor who completed the test in a shorter amount of time will place higher.
- Several events retired or combined into new events

Accounting Case Competition

- Presentation time is 12 minutes

Business Case Competition

- Only offered at the Career Connections Conference

Business Communication

- Production only event

Computer Applications

- New Event
- Production Category, individual, with objective test
- Cover competencies in the retired Administrative Support Technology event

Entrepreneurship Pitch Competition

- New Event
- Presentation Category, team
- Cover competencies in the following retired events: Business Decision Making, Business Law, Business Sustainability, Human Resource Management, Management Analysis & Decision Making, Organizational Behavior & Leadership, Small Business Management Plan

Finance Case Competition

- Presentation time is 12 minutes
Foundations of Communication
- New Event
- Objective Test Category, individual

Foundations of Computer Science
- New Event
- Objective Test Category, individual

Foundations of Economics
- New Event
- Objective Test Category, individual

Foundations of Entrepreneurship
- New Event
- Objective Test Category, individual

Foundations of Hospitality Management
- New Event
- Objective Test Category, individual

Foundations of Management
- New Event
- Objective Test Category, individual

Foundations of Marketing
- New Event
- Objective Test Category, individual

Foundations of Selling
- New Event
- Objective Test Category, individual

Foundations of Technology
- New Event
- Objective Test Category, individual

Future Business Educator
- Added Pre-judged Component: Lesson Plan
- Preliminary & Final Round is the same: combination of lesson plan presentation and interview

Future Business Executive
- Final round interview is 10 minutes
- Cover letter & resume no longer required to bring to interview
Hospitality Case Competition
- Presentation time is 12 minutes

Impromptu Speaking
- Presentation time is 5 minutes

Job Interview
- Final round interview is 10 minutes
- Cover letter & resume no longer required to bring to interview

Management Case Competition
- New Event
- Presentation Category, team
- Cover competencies in the following retired events: Business Decision Making, Business Law, Business Sustainability, Human Resource Management, Management Analysis & Decision Making, Organizational Behavior & Leadership, Small Business Management Plan

Marketing, Sales, and Communication Case Competition
- New Event
- Presentation Category, team
- Cover competencies in the following retired events: Client Service, Desktop Publishing, Digital Media, Integrated Marketing Campaign, Marketing Analysis & Decision Making, Retail Management, Sales Presentation, Social Media Marketing, Sports Management & Marketing

Parliamentary Procedure
- Objective Test Category, individual

Technology and Computer Science Case Competition
- New Event
- Presentation Category, team