

2026-2027 FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA

AREA CONFERENCES

AREA 1

Area 1 Board Rep: Kristi Coleman & Area 1 VP: Joe A. Perez
Area Fall Leadership Conference: October 14, 2026
Area Leadership Conference: January 27, 2027
Location for BOTH: Region 17 1111 West Loop 289 | Lubbock, TX 79416

AREA 2

Area 2 Board Rep: Dawn Menchca & Area 2 VP: Leonardo Gomez
Area Fall Leadership Conference: October 23, 2026
Location: 9600 Sims Dr. El Paso Texas 79925
Area Leadership Conference: January 22, 2026
Location: 950 Bordeaux Dr. El Paso Texas 79907

AREA 3

Area 3 Board Rep: Christiana Johnson & Area 3 VP: Barak Shraga
Area Fall Leadership Conference: October 17, 2026
Location: Liberal Arts and Science Academy, 1012 Arthur Stiles Rd, Austin, TX, 78721
Area Leadership Conference: TBD
Temple HS, 415 N 31st, Temple, TX, 76504

AREA 4

Area 4 Board Rep: Marcos Almanza & Area 4 VP Siddhanth Raju
Area Fall Leadership Conference October 24, 2026 (tentative)
Area Leadership Conference TBD
Contact:

AREA 5

Area 5 Board Rep: Karla Foit & Area 5 VP: Ridhi Rentala
Area Fall Leadership Conference: November 14, 2026
Location: Obra D. Tompkins HS
Area Leadership Conference: January 30, 2027
Location: Mayde Creek 19202 Groschke Rd, Houston, TX 77084 Time: TBD

AREA 6

Area 6 Board Rep: John Whitten & Area 6 VP: Isaac Hernandez
Area Fall Leadership Conference: Date: October 29, 2026
Location: 2110 N Edwards Ave, Mt.Pleasant, TX 75455
Area Leadership Conference: January 11, 2027
Location: Region 8 Education Service Center 4845 US Hwy 271 N, Pittsburg, TX 75686

AREA 7

Area 7 Board Rep: Lindsey Gideon & Area 7 VP: Leela Boutchantharaj
Area Fall Leadership Conference: November 14, 2026
Location: 9450 Ray White Rd, Fort Worth, TX 76244
Area Leadership Conference: January 30, 2027, Time: TBD
Location: Timber Creek HS 12350 Timberland Blvd, Fort Worth, TX 76244

AREA 8

Area 8 Board Rep: Courtney Newberry & Area 8 VP: Gordon Taft
Area Fall Leadership Conference: Date November 14, 2026
Location: At Cypress Ridge High School – 7900 N. Eldridge Pkwy, Houston, TX 77041
Area Leadership Conference: January 23, 2027
Location: Cypress Woods HS 13550 Woods-Spillane Blvd, Cypress, TX 77429

AREA 9

Area 9 Board Rep: Kelly Randolph & Area 9 VP: Clinton Weir
Area Fall Leadership Conference: November 12, 2026 (Virtual)
Area Leadership Conference: January 25-28, 2027 Online (Virtual)