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CROWDER BUSINESS STUDENTS QUALIFY FOR NATIONALS

NEOSHO, MO – The Crowder College Phi Beta Lambda students recently attended the Missouri PBL State Leadership Conference in Columbia, MO. Crowder College PBL members competed against students from MU, MSU, MSSU, Truman, and many other Missouri two- and four-year colleges and universities.

We had 14 students place in the top 5 of their event and six of those students qualify to compete at Nationals which will be held in Anaheim, CA this summer.

The following is a list of contest results with those qualifying for Nationals marked with an asterisks:

Business Communications – Jessica Waldron, Anderson, MO, 5th place

Computer Applications - Chris Mungai, Nairobi, Kenya, 1st place*

Database Design and Application – Chris Mungai, Nairobi, Kenya, 1st place*

Hospitality Management – Caitlin Stayton, Joplin, MO, and Nathan Stillions, Neosho, MO, 5th place

Impromptu Speaking – Nathan Stillions, Neosho, MO, 5th place

Information Management – Peggy Williams, Neosho, MO 4th place

Job Interview – Katie Phillips, Carl Junction, MO, 4th place

Management Concepts - Ron Metz, Joplin, MO, 3rd place*

Marketing Analysis and Decision Making – Neal Davidson, Goodman, MO, and Sakel Peak, Anderson, MO, 1st place*

Retail Management - Ron Metz, Joplin, MO, 1st place*

Sales Presentation – Melissa Winslow, Joplin, MO, 3rd place

Small Business Management Plan - Danely Flores, Carthage, MO, and Aliza Sanchez, Carthage, MO, 2nd place*

Sports Management and Marketing – Vincent Estes, Carthage, MO, 4th place

Word Processing – Yesenia Hernandez, Webb City, MO, 5th place

Phi Beta Lambda (PBL) is a national organization for postsecondary students preparing them for careers in business-related fields.

For more information please contact Crowder PBL Advisor, Cynthia Quinly, at: cynthiaguinly@crowder.edu.



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Back row - Sakel Peak, Nathan Stillions, Neal Davidson, Vincent Estes Front row - Yesenia Hernandez, Alisa Sanchez, Katie Phillips, Danely Flores, Melissa Winslow.

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