NSBA Board of Directors Report

Pacific Region
December 2013

NSBA Board at work!

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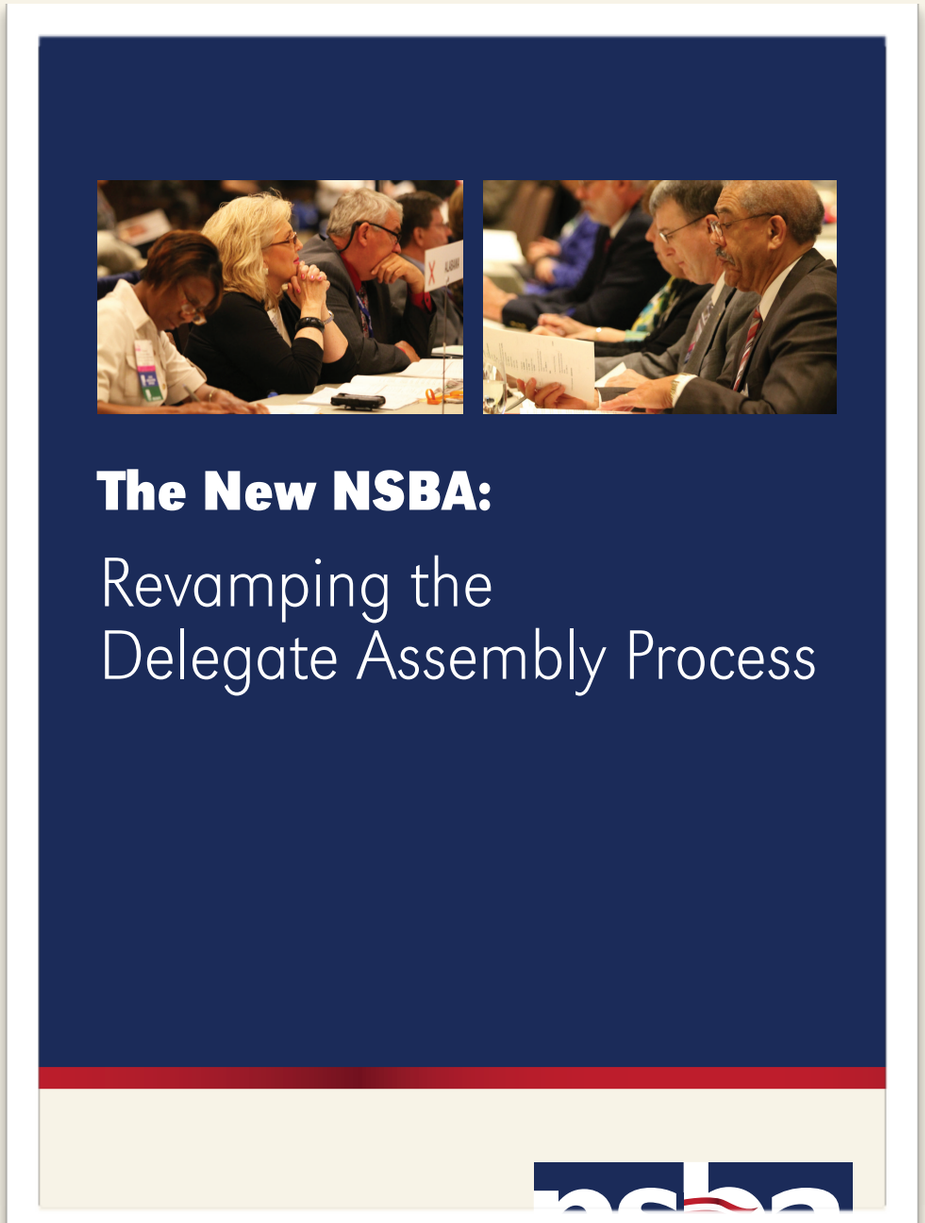

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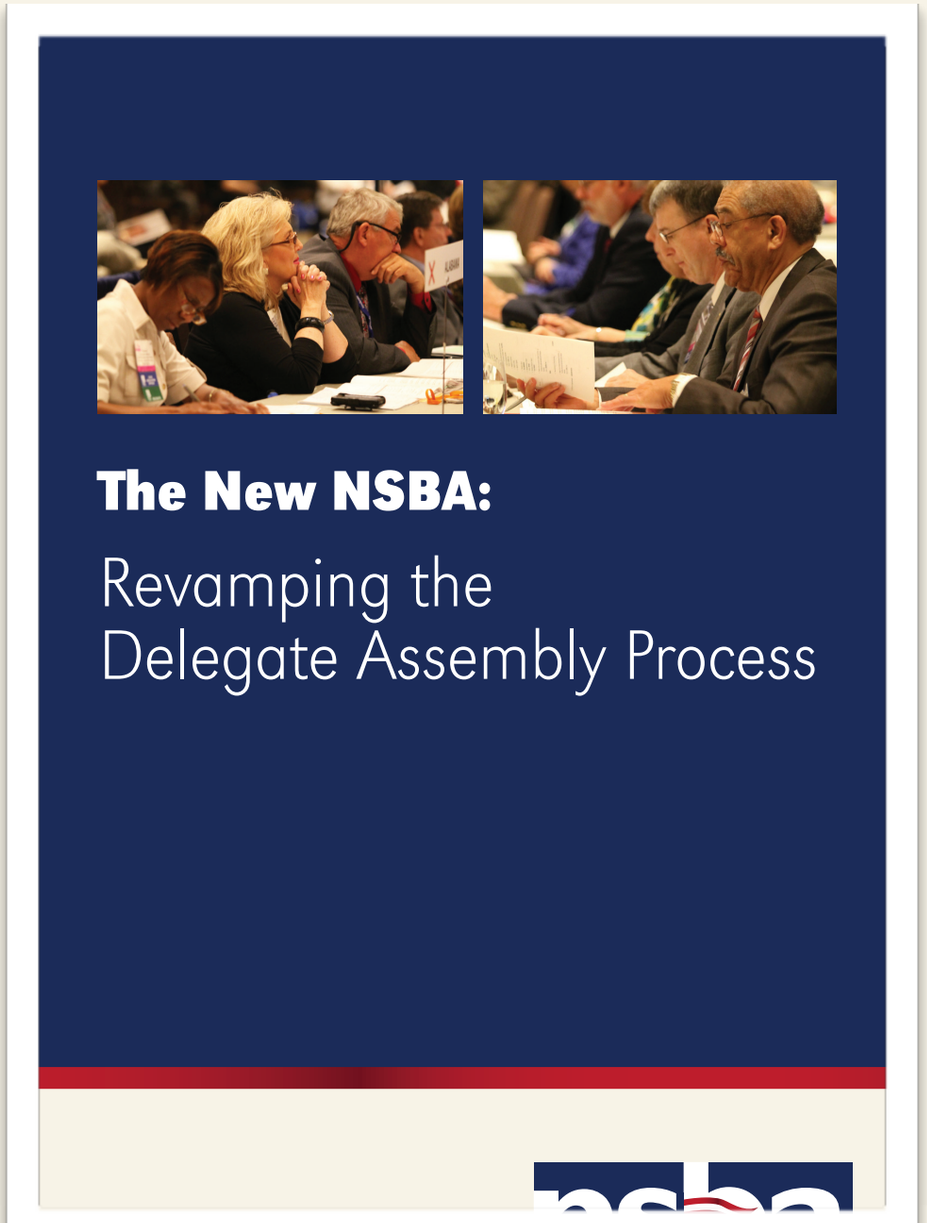

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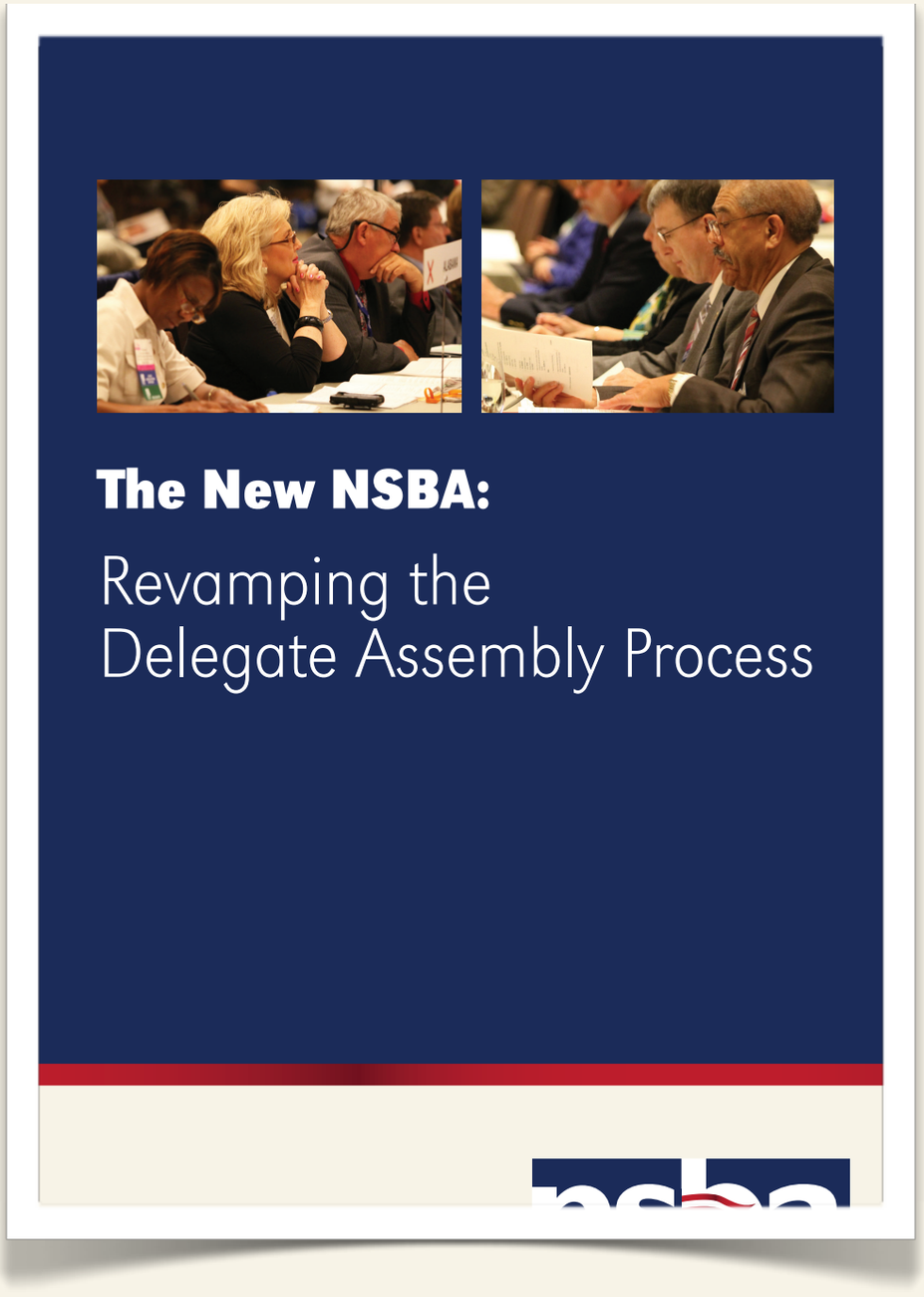

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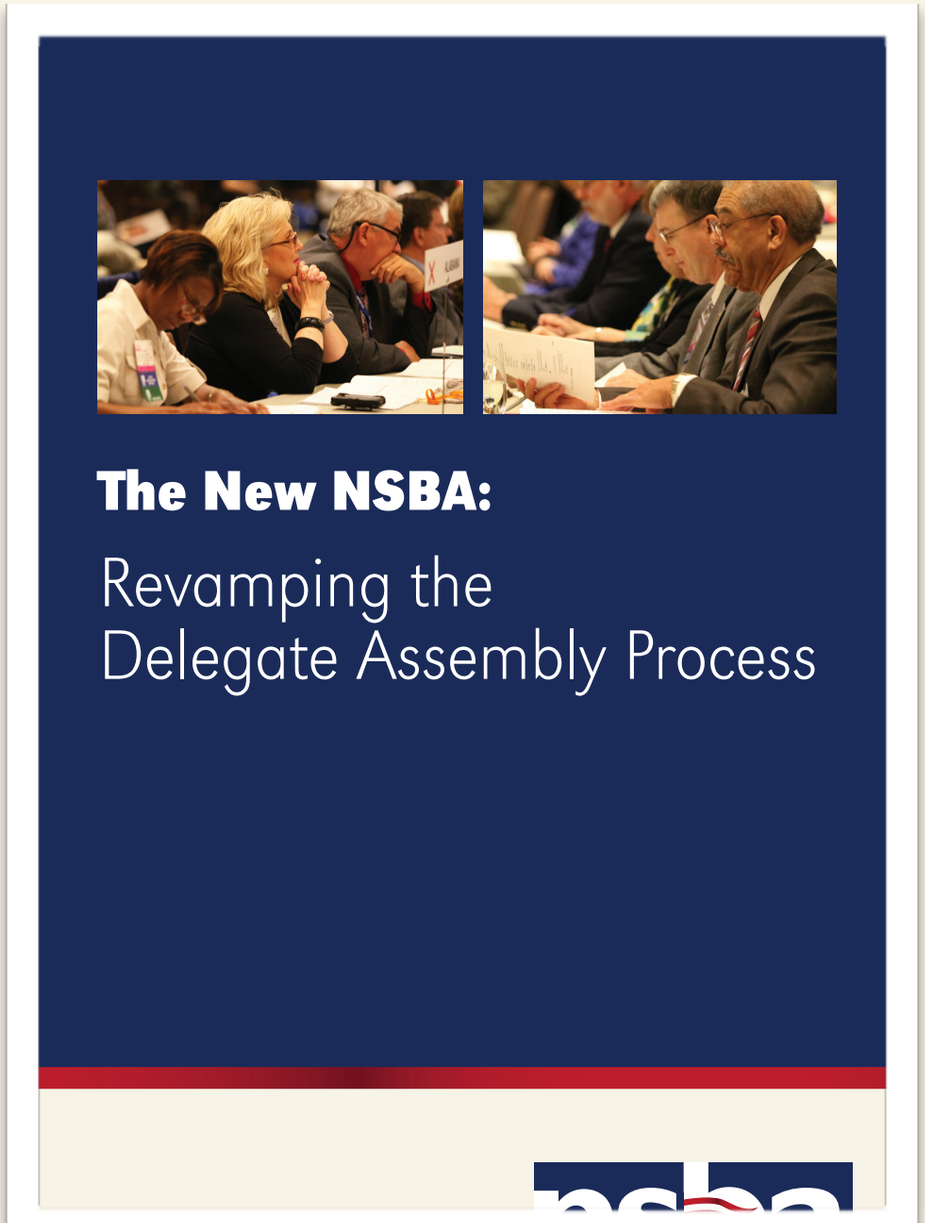
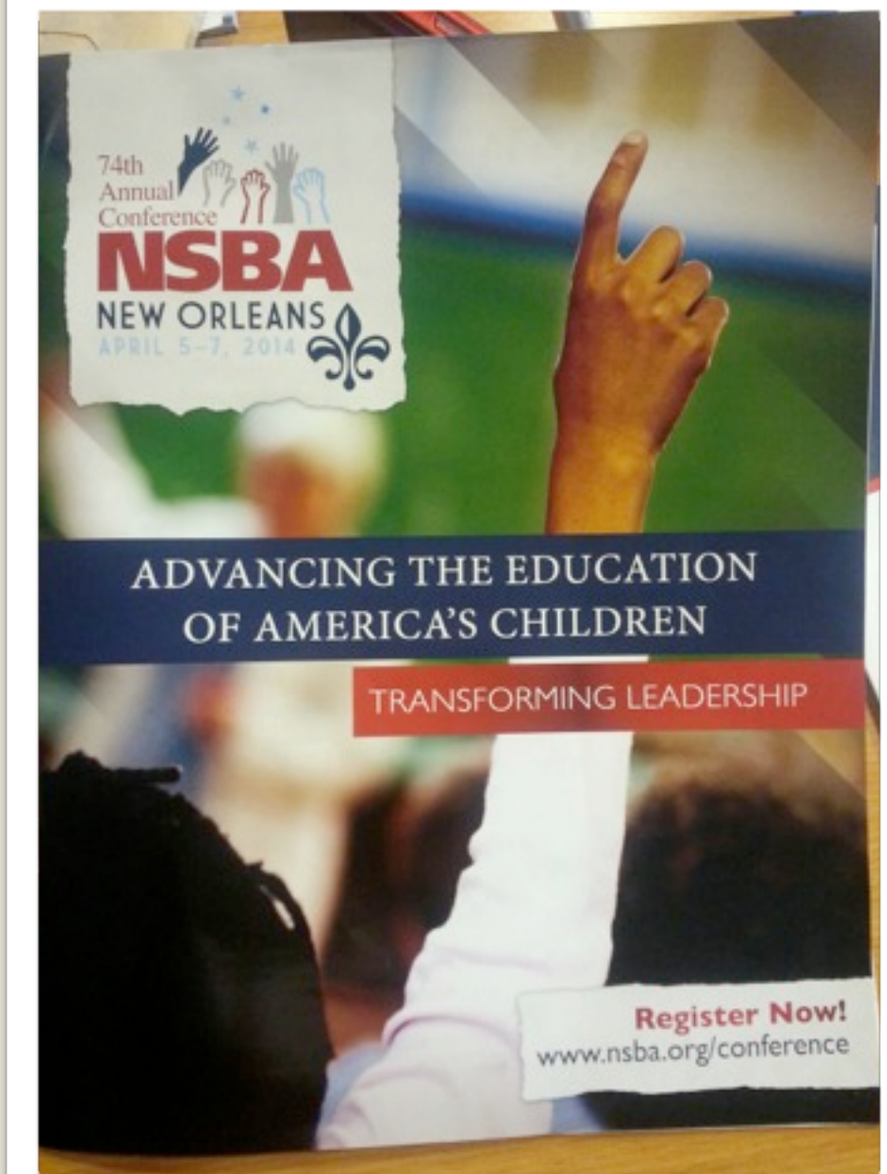


NSBA Annual Conference

- USING DATA TO IDENTIFY STUDENT AT-RISK FOR DROPPING OUT OF SCHOOL
- A session that is a joint endeavor of NSBA's Council of Urban Boards of Education (CUBE), National Black Caucus (NBC), National Hispanic Caucus of School Board Members (NHC) and National Caucus of American Indian/Alaska Native (NCAIAN) will be presented at this annual conference.



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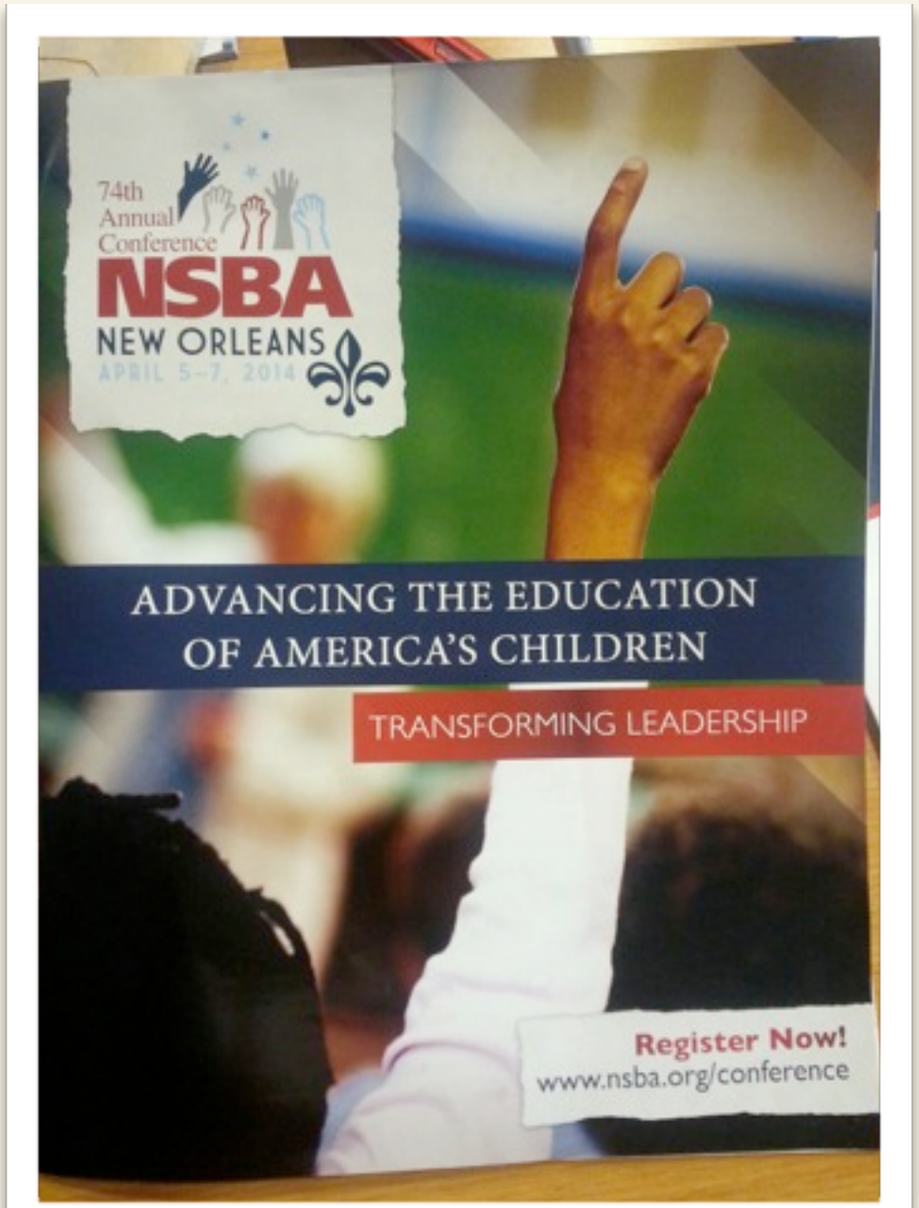

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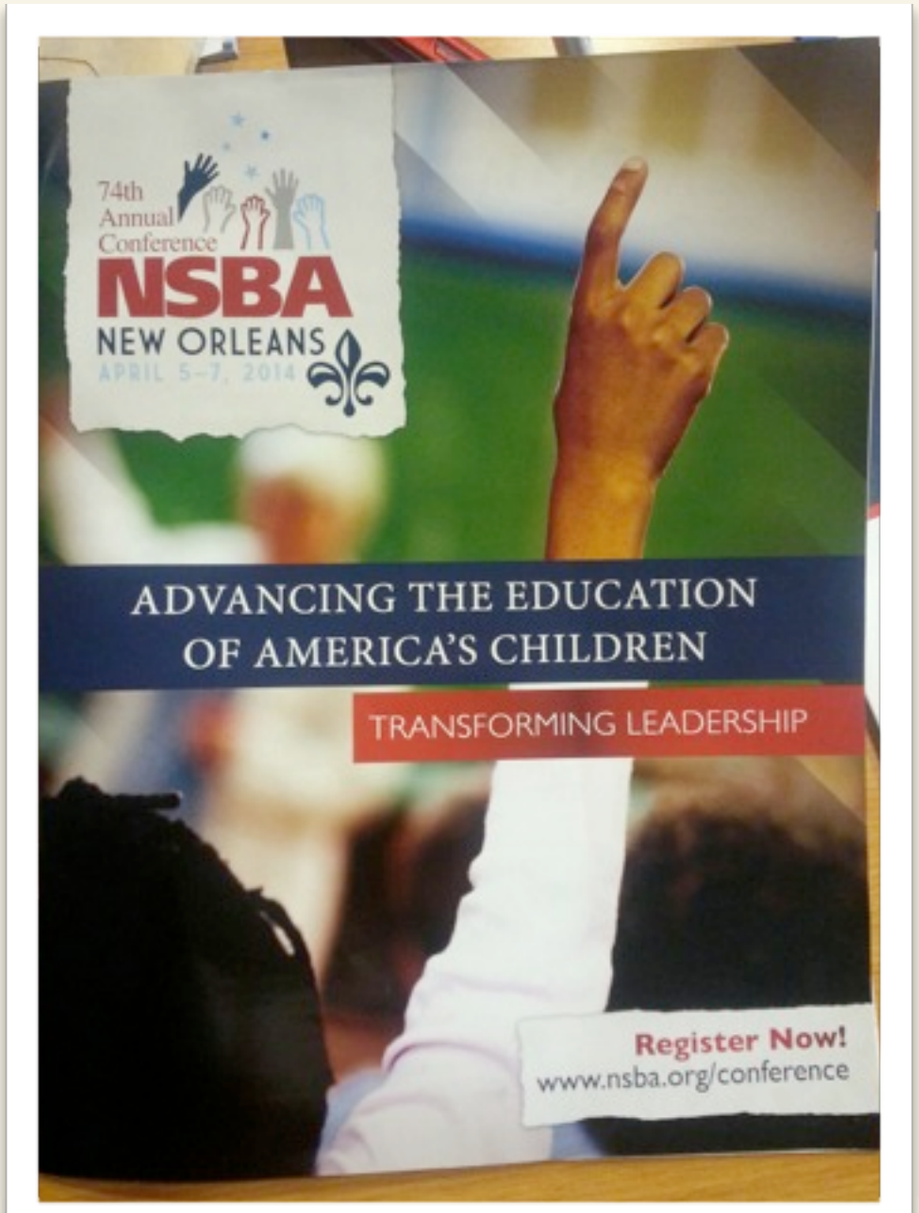

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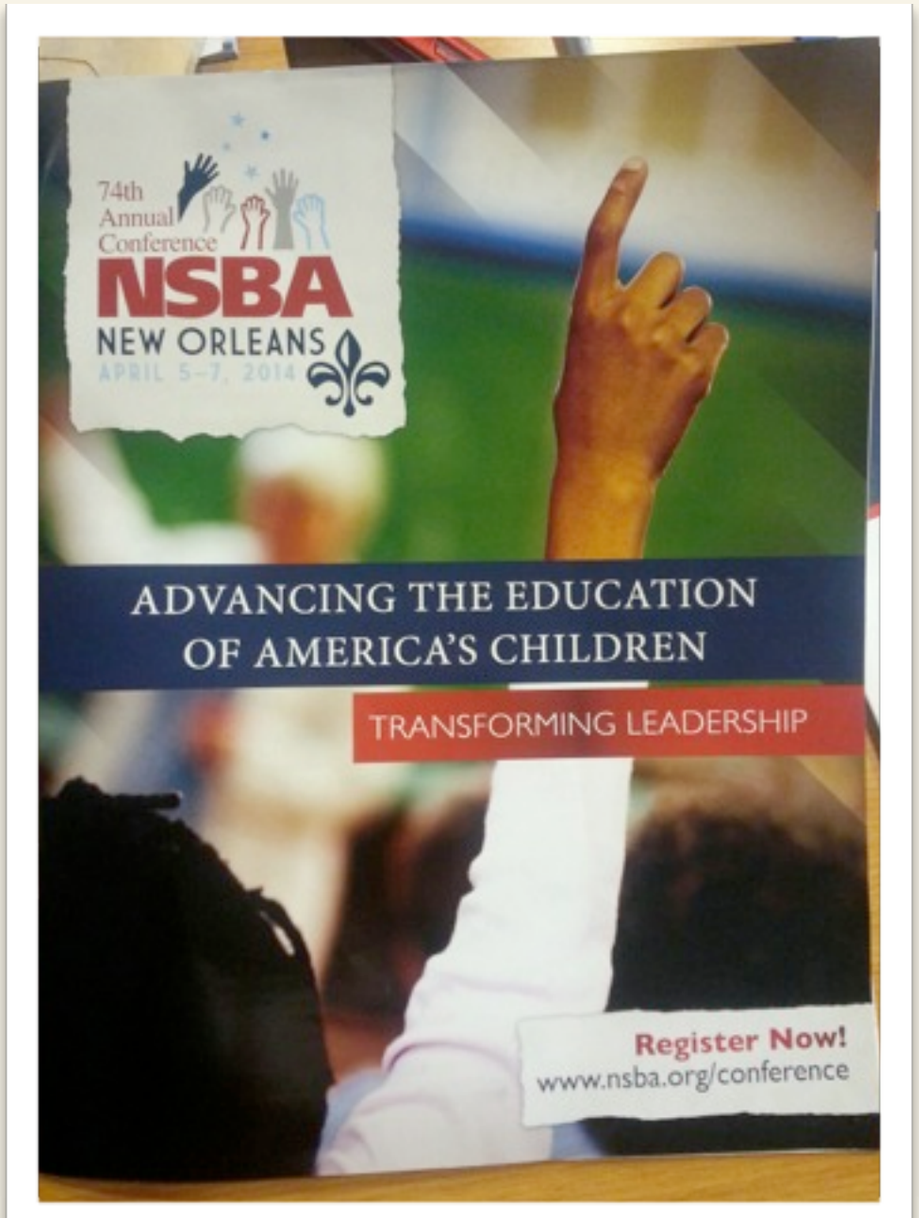
- Any board member who have Black, Hispanic, American Indian, or Urban schools in their district!



Department of Education

- Deb Delisle - US Dep. of Ed.
- Elementary and Secondary Asst. Sec.
- NSBA fostering relationships
- DOE is partnering with education - Leaders of Leaders

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NSBA Vision Card

A School Boards Vision for Public Education

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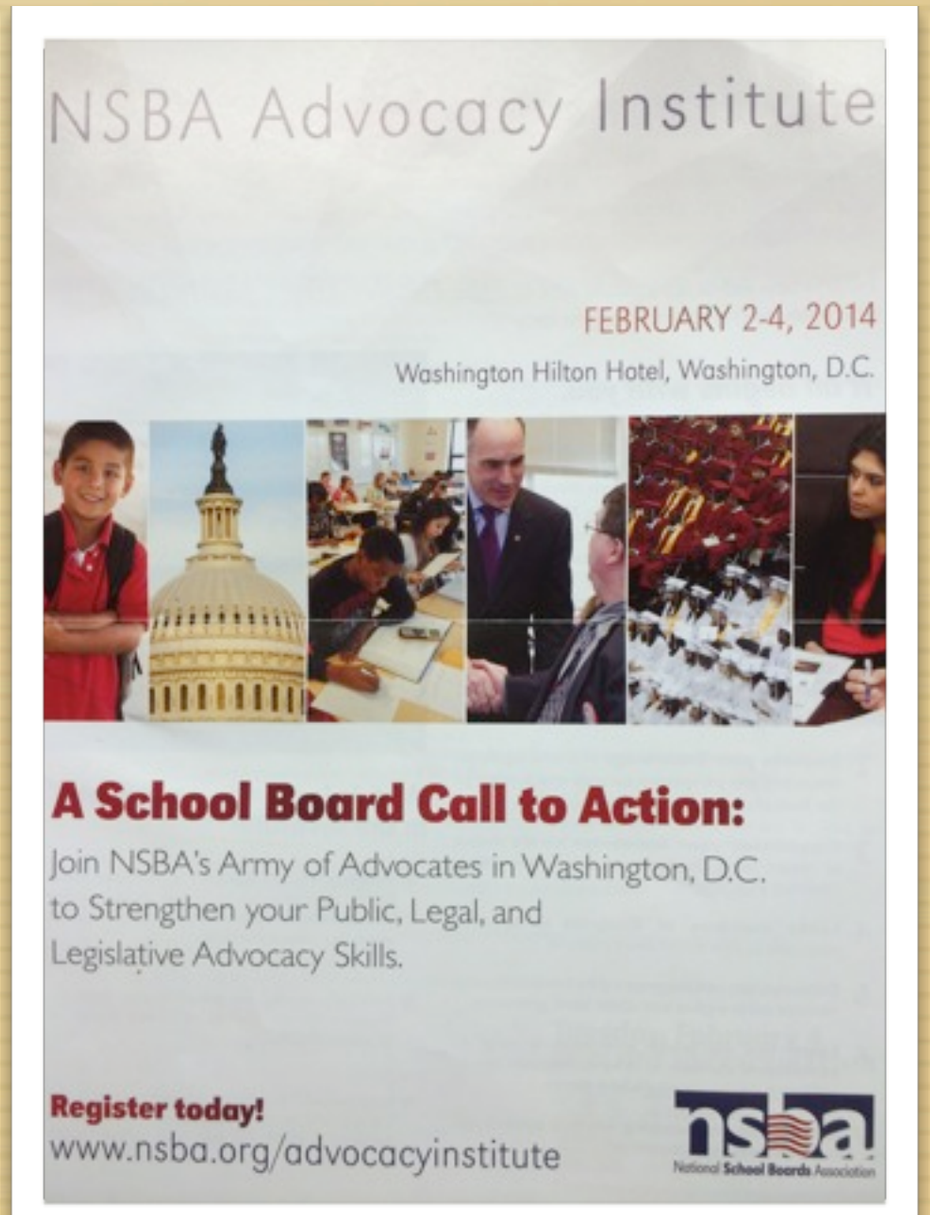
NSBA Advocacy Institute

February 2-4 2014
Washington DC
Washington Hilton Hotel



Brown vs. Board of Education

- May 17, 1954 - supreme court decision that all state laws establishing separate public schools for black and white students were unconstitutional.

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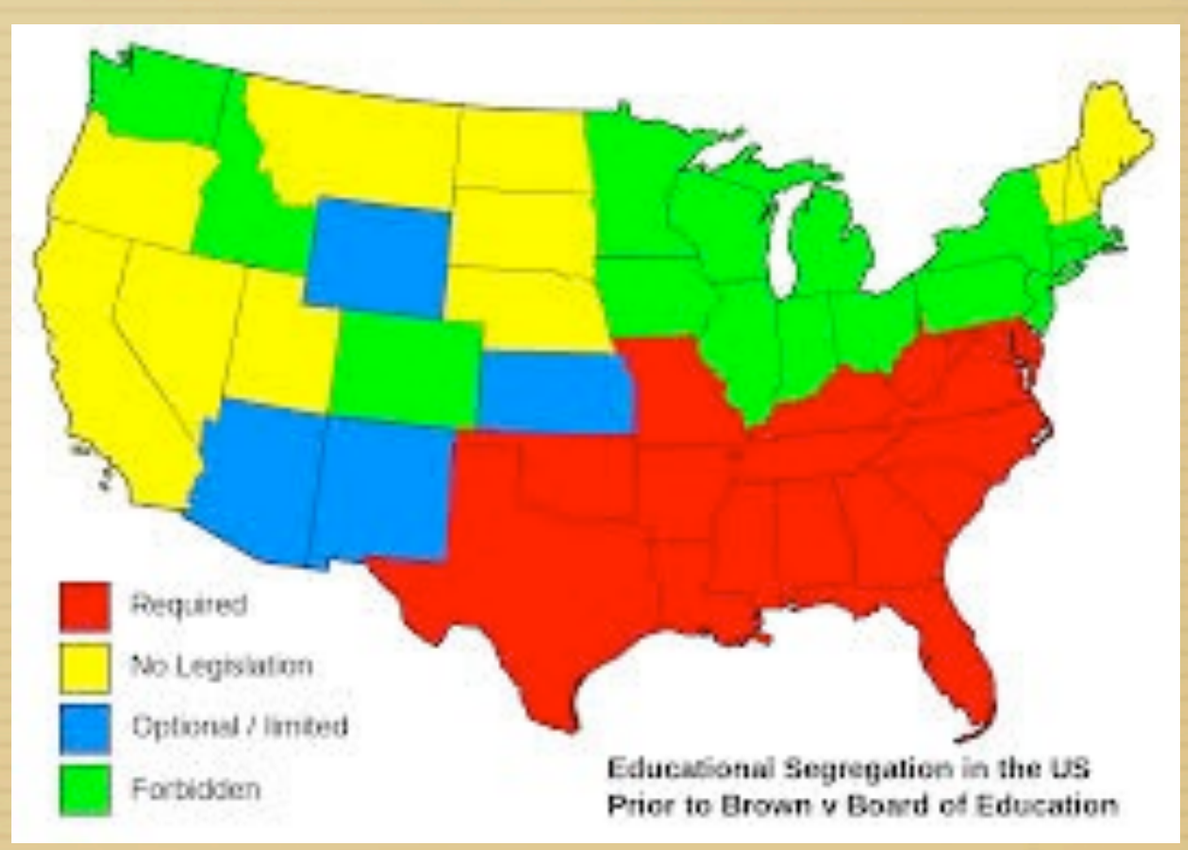
- This unanimous decision by the Warren Court stated that separate education facilities were inherently unequal and ultimately paved the way for school integration.

Red: Segregation was required
Blue: Allowed in schools- not required
Green: Forbade segregation
Yellow: No legislation regarding segregation



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- 2014 marks the 60th anniversary of this landmark decision. As our local state associations move into next spring, it is hoped that we as members in the Pacific Region could remember and honor this cornerstone of victory for the rights movement. Perhaps resolutions could be crafted by the state school board associations for our local boards to adopt in honoring this milestone anniversary.

August 2015 - Chicago

- NSBA State Association Leadership Conference
- Presidents training
- Region Meetings
- Leadership training

Team work!

Pacific Region Members

Have a Merry Christmas!