

# NAST Membership Benefits are for All Staff in Treasury and Financial Agency Offices



If you work in a dues-paying State Treasury office (or equivalent), you are entitled to all NAST member benefits. To ensure that members have access to these benefits, we encourage staff to use the member portal and ensure your contact information is up to date.

## With a Membership in NAST, you will:



### Advance Your Career

- Attend NAST conferences at a discounted member rate.
- Submit topics and speaker suggestions for conference sessions and webinars.
- Serve as a speaker or panelist at NAST conferences.
- Attend members-only webinars and conference calls.
- Access archived conference materials and recorded webinars.
- Participate in the New Treasurers' Orientation and Symposium.
- Access publications and other resource materials in the members-only site.
- Earn a certificate in public finance.



### Be an Advocate

- Advocate on behalf of public finance issues and programs before Congress and regulatory bodies.
- Receive the exclusive "Washington Update" with a level of detail unavailable from most news sources.
- Participate in quarterly conference calls with NAST's advocacy experts.
- Request assistance with policy briefings and Capitol Hill meetings.
- Join other state policy staff to share best practices, strategies, and resources for state-level advocacy and policy development.

Staff in state agencies who manage college savings programs, debt issuance, and unclaimed property are eligible to join their respective Networks. Like NAST, membership in a Network is inclusive of all staff who work in a dues-paying office.





### Connect with Colleagues

- Join a Network of college savings plans directors, state debt managers, or unclaimed property personnel.
- Connect and engage with NAST on social media.
- Join a job-alike caucus or listserv.
- Connect with and learn from your peers whose shared knowledge represents decades of experience in every area of public finance.
- Attend members-only events.



### Stay Current

- Receive the NAST Newsletter with curated articles and updates on NAST events.
- Access the members-only website to contact members, review Treasurers' profiles, and view the state careers directory.
- Attend NAST Committee and Network calls and meetings to learn about current policy development issues.
- Access job-specific resources to communicate with and learn from colleagues.
- Promote your state's/office's accomplishments by submitting materials to the Weekly State Round Up.
- Raise awareness of your office's successes with peers and media across the country.
- Participate in communications and public relations training.



### Be a National Leader

- Submit an article for the weekly Thoughtful Leaders blog.
- Present your state's achievements in a webinar or at a conference.
- Submit relevant articles, research, and educational material for your peers' benefit through the NAST Newsletter.
- Serve on Committees of NAST and/or the Networks.

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## Learn More

If you have any questions about this process, updating your profile, or renewing your membership, please contact Shaun Snyder, Executive Director:



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