

CONGRATULATIONS to LAPA Member Kathleen M. Rosenstock, ACP!

Kathleen was recently selected as a member of the LEAP Class of 2008. LEAP is a new leadership training program developed by the National Association of Legal Assistants, Inc. ("NALA") and coordinated by its Professional Development Committee. LEAP is designed to explore the various facets of leadership and prepare volunteers for the challenges of national leadership roles with NALA.

To qualify, a LEAP participant must be an active NALA member, hold a current CLA/CP credential, and have experience volunteering in local or state paralegal associations and/or community non-profit organizations. To be selected for a LEAP class, members submit an application form to the Professional Development Committee. The 2007-2008 class of LEAP will be comprised of 12-15 paralegals who will be formed into three smaller groups, each with its own leader—a role to be rotated throughout the year. LEAP members and discussion leaders will work together during a 12 month program and meet via web-based lectures, group discussion, and research.

Participating in the year-long LEAP curriculum is not an easy decision. Congratulations again Kathleen for your commitment to NALA and its future!

Read more about LEAP on the web at <http://www.nala.org/LEAP.htm>.