



# FBLA ARIZONA MIDDLE LEVEL



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## WELCOME MIDDLE LEVEL!

Hello Middle Level FBLA members and advisers! On behalf of your State Officer team, we welcome you to another great year in FBLA! If you are a new chapter to FBLA we are excited to meet you and to get you involved with all these great opportunities that this organization provides.

Middle Level is expanding more than ever and we can't wait to see what the future holds for all of you. We hope that FBLA can help all of you succeed and "Determine Your Destiny" this year.

## MY INTRODUCTION

Hey Middle Level! My name is Luis Encinas and I am FBLA Arizona's VP of Chapter Development/State & National Programs. I am excited to work with you this year by providing monthly newsletters, competitive event information, and providing updates on upcoming conferences. I look forward to what this year will bring and hope you will reach out to me if you have any questions. You can contact me at [luis.encinas@azfbla.org](mailto:luis.encinas@azfbla.org)!

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# STATE PRESIDENT+STATE ADVISER'S MESSAGE



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



*Dear FBLA Arizona Members & Advisers,*

*On behalf of Team 61, I am thrilled to welcome you back to another fantastic year in FBLA Arizona. Team 61 has worked extremely hard these past couple of months to ensure that you have the best FBLA experience this year!*

*FBLA Arizona has some super exciting things planned and we are eager to see you all "Determine Your Destiny" by attending our conferences and leadership opportunities that we provide.*

*Be sure to take advantage of all the incredible things FBLA Arizona has to offer and make this another great year in FBLA!*

**Alexandria Lopez**  
**FBLA Arizona State President**

## A WORD FROM MS GOODMAN

**Hello FBLA Students:**

**Welcome back to another year in FBLA. To all returning members, we are so excited to have you back and to be able to share another wonderful year with you. For those who are new, we welcome you as our newest FBLA members and to one of the best student organizations around!**

**As you begin this school year, I hope you will take advantage of the opportunities that FBLA will provide for you this year. We have been working hard at the state office and your state officer team is ready to help you "determine your destiny" this year.**

**I hope you will stay involved, be engaged, and expand your network of connections throughout this school year. Get involved in the online testing tournament, social media challenges and contests, community service activities, BAA's/LEAD programs, competitions, State Officer networking opportunities, State Councils, and all the other fun things that your state and local chapters provide. These are different times, but we are excited to have new ideas, new opportunities, and new challenges. Embrace change and move forward for the better.**

**I wish you the best as you begin the 2022-2023 school year. I hope you make lots of good memories, have fun with your chapter, and have a spectacular FBLA year!**



**Missey Boucher-Goodman**  
**FBLA Arizona State Adviser**



# MEET YOUR STATE OFFICERS!



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PRESIDENT



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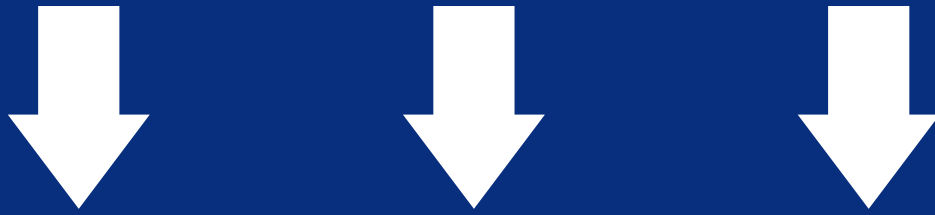
**ROBERT CASTRO**  
VP OF  
FINANCE/SPONSORSHIPS

**WE'RE ALL SO  
EXCITED TO  
SERVE YOU  
AS THE 2022-  
2023 STATE  
OFFICER  
TEAM!**





# THE 2022-2023 STATE THEME!



**DETERMINE**  
*Your*  
**DESTINY**



**"Determine Your Destiny" is FBLA Arizona's state theme for the 2022-2023 school year. FBLA's purpose is to provide students with opportunities that will help them in their future careers. FBLA has helped students find what they are good at and enjoy doing through all of the conferences and programs we provide. We encourage all of our FBLA members to step out of their comfort zone and become the person they are meant to be.**

**So let's "Determine Our Destiny" this year in FBLA!**



# NLC RECAP AND UPCOMING EVENTS!



**CONGRATS TO ALL OUR  
TOP NLC WINNERS!**



- **NICOLAS SZOKOL FROM COPPERWOOD ELEMENTARY- 1ST PLACE IN CAREER RESEARCH**
- **DEVON SPANGLER & SOLVEI WADMAN FROM OLD VAIL MIDDLE SCHOOL-7TH IN CRITICAL THINKING**
- **GLADYS LEAL GARCIA & ARTHUR 'GAGE' QUETEL FROM ROUND VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL-5TH IN MUTLIMEDIA AND WESBITE DEVELOPMENT**
- **SKYLER BLISS FROM OLD VAIL MIDDLE SCHOOL-5TH IN VIDEO GAME CHALLENGE**

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**FALL TBD- SKATING TO THE FUTURE IN GLENDALE, AZ**

**NOVEMBER 8TH- FLEX CONFERENCE IN PHOENIX, AZ**



**NICOLAS SZOKOL ACCEPTING HIS 1ST PLACE  
AWARD AT NLC**