



## Happy Thanksgiving from Your NATCA Family

NATCA wishes you and your loved ones a happy Thanksgiving! Thanksgiving week is always a busy one for aviation safety professionals, and this year is no exception. Our Union is grateful to represent the people who ensure millions of Americans can travel safely through the National Airspace System (NAS) to celebrate the holiday with their families. Thank you especially to those working today for sacrificing time with their loved ones. Have a safe and happy holiday!



**2025 NATCA Academy Course Schedule With Newly**

## Approved Dates and Locations

The NATCA Academy is an integral part of our Union's continued investment in our Union and our future, empowering members with the necessary tools and knowledge to excel as leaders and professionals. The NATCA Academy offers a range of courses tailored to provide members with a variety of skills, from safety and technology to legislative activism.

**This planned 2025 NATCA Academy schedule was recently updated with new dates and locations.** View the updated schedule on the [NATCA Academy webpage](#).

This National Academy schedule offers an engaging lineup of courses. Participants can look forward to dynamic interactions, practical exercises, and insights from seasoned professionals and NATCA leaders. If you are interested in furthering your knowledge and contributing to the betterment of our Union and profession, don't miss NATCA Academy's 2025 offerings.

Registration is now open for all 2025 courses on the [NATCA Membership Portal](#). Once you have logged in to the Portal, select "List of Events" from the Events menu tab. Then, select "NATCA Academy."

Some Academy courses (i.e. LEAP or RT-1 Instructor Bootcamp) are by invite only and not listed in the Portal.

*\*\*Please note that class dates and locations are subject to change.*

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## NATCA Benefits Partners with Beacon Realty for Exclusive Member Savings on Real Estate Services

NATCA Benefits is pleased to announce its partnership with Beacon Realty, offering members coordinated support for all real estate needs during relocation. Beacon Relocation's services provide seamless management whether members are moving locally or across the country, along with the advantage of up to a 20% Realtor® discount through their network of Approved Realtor® Partners.



This exclusive benefit simplifies the moving process by connecting members with vetted professionals, making each step easier and more cost-effective. To explore potential savings and services, visit [beaconrelocation.com](http://beaconrelocation.com) and complete their online questionnaire.

## Read 2024-2025 Scholarship Winner Isabella Calabro's Essay

Every year, NATCA offers a scholarship program for spouses, children, stepchildren, and legally adopted children of active, retired, and deceased members in good standing for at least two consecutive years. This scholarship is for full-time attendance at accredited colleges and universities within the United States and its territories for an undergraduate degree program.

This year's prompt asks candidates to examine the effect of artificial intelligence on workers and labor unions.

Isabella Calabro, child of Keith Calabro (New York Center, ZNY) is among this year's 20 scholarship winners. Read the essay that Isabella submitted on our [website](#).



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