

Dress Code of the Portland Executives Association

The Portland Executive's Association has maintained its status as the most prestigious association of its kind in the Portland area by maintaining high standards in membership, participation, speaker's and leads performance. Some of these standards are written, some are understood common practices, while yet others are passed on through division meetings, new member orientation, our website, the mentorship program, observation, and general discussion. One of these common and accepted practices is the expectation that our members wear professional business attire to our Thursday Lunch Meetings.

Suggested attire includes business suits, sport coats, slacks/skirts, and dress shoes; however, the Association trusts our members ability to make appropriate choices. When in doubt, members should select more conservative options.

In the event of exceptionally warm weather or on special occasions, the President may authorize business casual attire.

The following items are unacceptable for any Thursday meeting:

- Denim
- Athletic/Gym attire
- T-shirts
- Shorts
- Spaghetti Straps
- Halter Tops
- Flip-Flops
- Sneakers/Athletic Shoes
- Tight and/or revealing clothing
- Garments that are ripped, frayed, or stained.

All members are expected to comply with this dress code in a manner consistent with their gender identity and expression. Any questions regarding appropriate dress should be directed to the Executive Director or a member of the Board of Directors.