

MT. SAN ANTONIO COLLEGE

Paralegal/Legal Assistant Certification



Certification is a process by which a non-governmental agency or association grants recognition to an individual who has met certain predetermined qualifications specified by that agency or association. It usually involves *passing an examination* drawn up by the sponsoring organization and meeting specified educational and/or experiential requirements.

**National Association of
Legal Assistants (NALA):**
www.nala.org

Certified Paralegal (CP)

**National Federation of
Paralegal Associations
(NFPA):**
www.paralegals.org

**PACE Registered Paralegal
(RP)**

**National Association for
Legal Support Professionals
(NALS):**
www.nals.org

Professional Paralegal (PP)

**American Alliance of
Paralegals, Inc. (AAPI):**
www.aapipara.org

Certified Paralegal (ACCP)

**American Bar
Association
(ABA) Paralegal**

**Resources and Educational
Information
www.americanbar.org/groups/paralegals/**