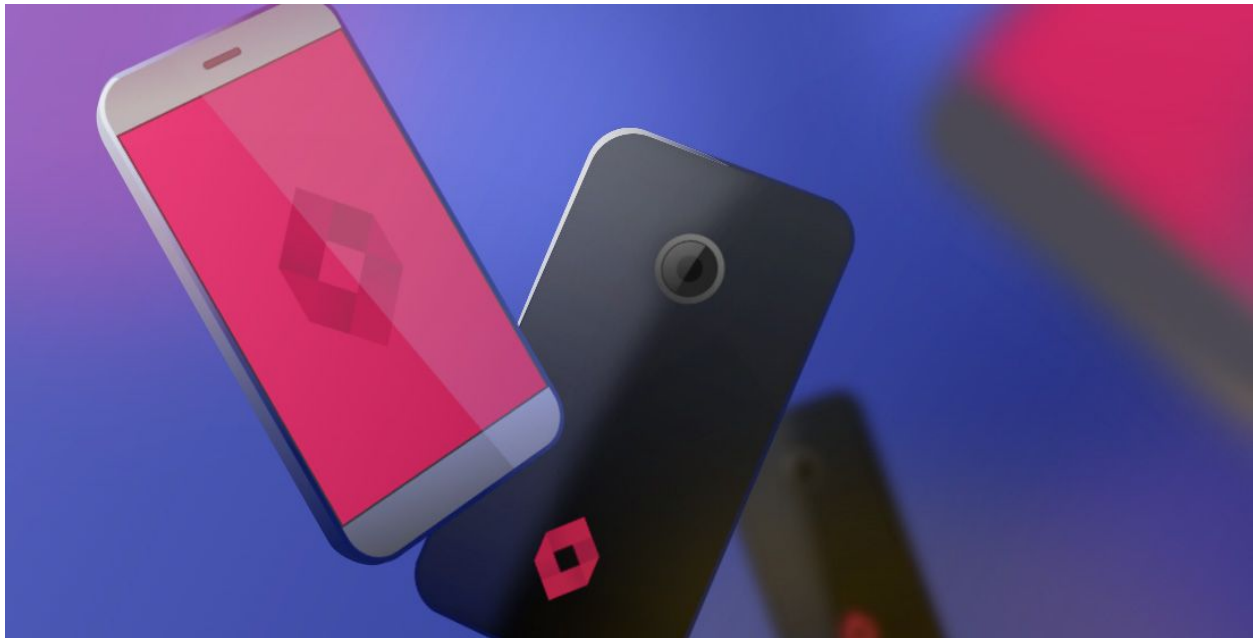


## Intertel Region 5

# Newsletter

March 31, 2019

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## 2019 AGA is in Phoenix (a week before Mensa AG)

**Who:** Members and their family members who will be seen with them in public.

**When:** 26 Jun 2019 4:00 PM - 30 Jun 2019 11:00 AM

**Where:** Phoenix, Arizona, Hampton by Hilton Hotel, 601 North 44th Street, 85008, with amenities including free hot breakfast, free WiFi, free airport shuttle, free parking, pool, and fitness center. King accessible, King, or Two Queens \$85 + tax. Intertel rate available for dates 6/23 - 7/2.

**What:** Hospitality room, food and drinks, games, speakers, and Saturday banquet.

**Why:** Looking back at the 2018 AGA, all the speakers were excellent. Like last year, this year's speakers probably won't be disclosed until the AGA, but good chance they'll be good as well. This AGA is being hosted by the region that in the last AGA it hosted (2016) used a "Stripper" Bus as transportation to the banquet. The performer had a cartoon character's logo as a tattoo on her back. People who didn't attend complained. Not saying history will repeat itself, just make sure you have first hand evidence in the event you want to complain. If you are attending

the Mensa AG and are worried about being too tired for the AGA, don't worry. The AGA is first. Take the 1% challenge and see if the AGA will leave you too tired for the AG.

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## Current Region 5 Director term limited, position open starting 1/1/2020

Beat the rush to be a candidate.

Qualifications: All candidates must be current members, and no elected officer or director may serve more than two consecutive terms in the same office. A member shall not be a candidate for nor hold more than one elected office at a time. To qualify as a candidate for Regional Director, one must have been a member for not less than three consecutive years.

How: Successful written nominations must be postmarked no later than May 31, and shall be sent to the Election Committee Chairman to verify that all nominees are qualified to be candidates. If no more than one qualified candidate is nominated for a given office, that candidate is considered elected.

More details can be found on the Intertel website ( <https://intertel-iq.org/> ) or contact your current Region 5 Director ( [Intertel@ScottPorter.info](mailto:Intertel@ScottPorter.info) )

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## Consider hosting local events

You don't have to be an officer or regional coordinator to host events. The central Florida area has a "Monthly" last "Saturday" Dinner (the quotes signify variance from the strict definition of the word). The Orlando host compiled an email list and sends a notice when he decides when and where he would like to dine with fellow Illians. He usually has 3-8 people join him each time.

If there is something you would like to do in your "hometown" with other Illians, just issue an invite.

Need help with creating an email address list to send invites? Your current Region 5 Director ( [Intertel@ScottPorter.info](mailto:Intertel@ScottPorter.info) ) will help in whatever way the membership database will permit.

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