



NCSBA FALL LAW VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

OCTOBER 7-9, 2020

Wednesday, October 7, 2020

- 8:45 – 9:00 a.m.** **Early Zoom Login, Greetings, and Announcements**
- 9:00 – 10:30 a.m.** **Student Legal Issues Under COVID-19 Conditions: Attendance, Discipline, and Records and Privacy Concerns**
Panelists: Emma Hodson, General Counsel, Pitt County Schools, Dionne Jenkins, General Counsel, Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools, and Michele Morris, General Counsel, Union County Schools
- 10:30 – 10:45 a.m.** **Break**
- 10:45 – 11:30 a.m.** **Addressing Students' Mental Health Needs and Suicide Prevention: New Legislation**
Presenter: Sarah M. Saint, Attorney, Brooks Pierce, Greensboro, NC
- 11:30 – 11:45 a.m.** **Break**
- 11:45 – 12:30 p.m.** **The Authority of State and Local Health Departments to Implement Measures to Address and Control the Spread of Communicable Diseases**
Presenter: Jill Moore, Associate Professor of Public Law and Government, UNC-CH School of Government, UNC-CH, Chapel Hill, NC

Thursday, October 8, 2020

- 8:45 – 9:00 a.m.** **Early Zoom Login, Greetings, and Announcements**
- 9:00 – 10:15 a.m.** **School Employment Law Update: COVID-19 and the Impact on Federal and State Employment Law**
Presenter: Colin Shive, Attorney, Tharrington Smith, Raleigh, NC
- 10:15 – 10:30 a.m.** **Break**
- 10:30 – 11:00 a.m.** **Maintaining Appropriate Student-Teacher Boundaries in the Remote Learning Environment: Rethinking Board Policies and Practices**
Presenter: Chris Campbell, Attorney, Campbell Shatley, Asheville, NC
- 11:00 – 11:15 a.m.** **Update on the CARES Act**
Presenter: Chris Campbell, Attorney, Campbell Shatley, Asheville, NC
- 11:15 – 11:30 a.m.** **Break**

11:30 – 12:45 p.m. **Employee Performance, Documentation, and Discipline in the Remote Learning Environment: Observations, Evaluations, Disciplinary Hearings, and Sanctions**
Presenter: Stephen Rawson, Attorney, Tharrington Smith, Raleigh, NC

Friday, October 9, 2020

8:45 – 9:00 a.m. **Early Zoom Login, Greetings and Announcements**

9:00 – 10:00 a.m. **Title IX — Implementing the New Regulations**
Presenters: Elizabeth Troutman, Attorney, Brooks Pierce, Greensboro, NC,
and Justice Warren, Attorney, NCSBA, Raleigh, NC

10:00 – 10:15 a.m. **Break**

10:15 – 11:15 a.m. **The Obligation to Provide Special Education Services During COVID-19: What School Board Members Need to Know**
Presenter: Eva DuBuisson, Attorney, Tharrington Smith, Raleigh, NC

11:15 – 11:30 a.m. **Break**

11:30 – 12:30 p.m. **Free Speech Considerations in a Time of Political and Social Unrest**
Presenter: Neal Ramee, Attorney, Tharrington Smith, Raleigh, NC

Board members and school administrators attending the entire conference will receive 9 clock hours of continuing education training. We have applied for attorneys attending the entire conference to receive 9 hours of CLE credit.