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LRP's National Institute Announces Eleven Featured Speakers for 2023 Event

Nationally recognized experts will explore special education's biggest concerns and share case law, research and tools for attendees to use to make a positive impact on their students, special education programs and community.

PALM BEACH GARDENS, Fla. – February 7, 2023 – LRP's National Institute on Legal Issues of Educating Individuals with Disabilities®, the leading professional development event for compliance strategies and case updates impacting special education programs, announced today eleven featured speakers for the conference taking place April 16 - 19, 2023 at the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center in New Orleans.

LRP's National Institute will bring together 33 speakers to deliver top-notch compliance and implementation strategies in 40 sessions, including these featured speakers covering topics in six distinct tracks:

Administration Track:

- Alefia Mithaiwala, *Attorney, Atkinson, Andelson, Loya, Ruud & Romo*
- Bobby Truhe, *Attorney, KSB School Law, PC, LLO*

Behavior Track:

- Beverley H. Johns, *Professional Fellow, MacMurray College*
- Brandon Wright, *Attorney, Miller, Tracy, Braun, Funk & Miller Ltd.*

Ethics Track:

- Jonathan Read, *Partner, Fagen Friedman & Fulfrost, LLP*
- Andrew Tatgenhorst, *Counsel, Thompson & Horton, LLP*

IDEA Track:

- Dr. Derek Ihori, *Executive Director of Special Education & Psychological Services, La Cañada Unified School District and Co-founder, FAPE Consulting*
- Jan Tomsy, *Partner, Fagen Friedman & Fulfrost, LLP*

Section 504 Track:

- Laura Greenberg Anthony, *Partner, Bricker & Eckler LLP*
- Jeremy Neff, *Shareholder, Ennis Britton Co., L.P.A.*

Special Ed Connection® Users Group Track:

- Kelly Whiting, *Customer Relationship Manager, LRP Publications*

Along with these featured speakers, the 2023 event will also include three captivating general sessions with NCAA Division One Hall of Fame Athlete Roger Crawford, attorney Geneva Jones with Geneva Jones & Associates, PLLC, and attorney Karen Haase from KSB School Law, PC, LLO.

“The presenters at LRP's National Institute are top-notch and always offer legal compliance tips to address the challenges special educators have right now,” said Julie J. Kline, Esq., Vice President of Education, LRP Media Group and Conference Chair. “Their enthusiasm for their topic, whether it is service animals or graduation or virtual schools, is so evident and inspiring.”

The Institute will feature one full-day and seven half-day symposiums giving special educators an opportunity to take a deeper look at major issues in their field. LRP's National Institute Bookstore will also be available for attendees to check out hundreds of LRP Publications' best-selling books, newsletters, *Answer Books* and more offering guidance and staff training.

Registration is now open for LRP's National Institute on Legal Issues of Educating Individuals with Disabilities. Professionals who register by February 17, 2023, can take advantage of **Early Bird Savings** and save \$150.00 off the on-site rate. For more information and to register visit www.LRPInstitute.com or call toll-free 1-800-727-1227.

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About LRP's National Institute on Legal Issues of Educating Individuals with Disabilities®

LRP's National Institute on Legal Issues of Educating Individuals with Disabilities has been delivering the highest-quality professional development possible to special educators for over 40 years. With a robust program focusing on legal compliance and best practices, the National Institute provides the tools and resources needed for educators to make an impact in the lives of students, special education programs and communities.

About LRP Media Group

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