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LRP's National Institute Announces Thirteen Featured Speakers for 2022 Event

Leading special education attorneys and educators will provide attendees with evidence-based research, case law and compliance guidance to help serve students with disabilities most effectively.

PALM BEACH GARDENS, Fla. – February 15, 2022 – LRP's National Institute on Legal Issues of Educating Individuals with Disabilities®, the leading source for compliance strategies and case updates impacting special education programs, announced today thirteen featured speakers for the conference taking place April 24 - 27, 2022 at the Kentucky International Convention Center in Louisville.

LRP's National Institute will bring together 38 speakers to deliver top-notch compliance and implementation strategies in more than 35 sessions, including these featured speakers covering topics in seven distinct tracks:

Administration Track:

- Geneva Jones, Attorney, Geneva Jones & Associates, PLLC
- Derek Ihori, Executive Director, Special Education & Psychological Services, La Cañada Unified School District

Behavior Track:

- Betsey Helfrich, Attorney, Law Office of Betsey Helfrich, LLC
- Brandon Wright, Attorney, Miller, Tracy, Braun, Funk & Miller Ltd.

Digital Learning Solutions Track:

- Mike Marotta, Inclusive Technology Evangelist, Inclusive Technology Solutions, LLC
- Joseph B. Ryan, Ph.D., Sue Stanzione Distinguished Professor, Clemson University

Ethics Track:

- David Garner, Attorney, Osborn Maledon P.A.
- Claire E. Parsons, Attorney, Adams Law, PLLC

IDEA Track:

- Kendra Yoch, Attorney, Franczek P.C.
- Jose Martín, Attorney, Richards Lindsay & Martín, L.L.P.

Section 504 Track:

- Dr. Paul Thompson, Section 504 Specialist, Denver Public Schools
- Erin Gilsbach, Executive Director, EdLaw Interactive

Special Ed Connection® Users Group Track:

- Kelly Whiting, Customer Relationship Manager, LRP Publications

Along with these featured speakers, the 2022 event will also include three captivating General Sessions from Jan Tomsy, *Partner, Fagen Friedman & Fulfrost, LLP*; Karen Haase, *Attorney, KSB School Law, PC, LLO*; and Henry Winkler, *Actor, Director, Producer, New York Times Best-Selling Author, and Philanthropist*.

“LRP’s National Institute has created a comprehensive program featuring special education professionals from across the nation, including leading attorneys, behavior experts, forward-thinking assistive technology leaders and special education practitioners,” said Julie J. Kline, Esq., Vice President of Education, LRP Media Group and Conference Chair. “We are looking forward to having this year’s expert speakers provide top-notch compliance and implementation strategies in-person to the Institute community.”

The Institute will also feature eight Pre- and Post-Conference Symposiums as well as an Expo Hall that will offer a unique opportunity for attendees to discover the latest innovations in classroom technologies and find new ways to improve students’ learning outcomes.

Registration is now open for LRP’s National Institute on Legal Issues of Educating Individuals with Disabilities. Professionals who register by February 25, 2022, 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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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 their communities.

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