



April 7, 2017

SCSBA Council of School Attorneys

- 8:30 - 9:00 a.m. Registration & Continental breakfast
- 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. **The Uniform Grant Guidance (UGG) and Why Districts Need to be Concerned**
The Uniform Grant Guidance are grant administrative regulations, cost principles, and audit regulations for federal grant awards within Title I, SIG, and the IDEA. Districts that are recipients of federal grants should anticipate increased oversight and accountability expectations for federal spending.
Presenter: Cathy Hazelwood, Esquire, SC Department of Education
- 10:00 - 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:15 - 11:15 a.m. **Legislative Update**
This session will offer an update on education bills that are moving through the General Assembly, including K12 funding, state pension fund proposals, appointed vs. elected state superintendent of education, and more.
Presenter: Debbie Elmore, SC School Boards Association
- 11:15 - 12:15 p.m. **Introduction to the US Equal Employment Opportunity Commission**
The presentation will include a brief introduction to the agency; to South Carolina's FEPA, SCHAC; an explanation of how EEOC and SCHAC interact; and a discussion of the typical life cycle of a charge.
Presenters: Rachael S. Steenbergh, Esquire, EEOC
Ylda M. Kopka, Esquire, EEOC
- 12:15 - 1:00 p.m. Lunch (included in registration)
- 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. **A Forecast of the Supreme Court on Special Education with Judge Gorsuch**
The presentation will discuss the opinions concerning special education from the 10th Circuit which Gorsuch has authored, and what his opinions indicate for future cases before the Supreme Court following his confirmation.
Presenter: Adam J. Mandell, Esquire, Boykin & Davis, LLC
- 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. **Dealing with Law Enforcement at the School Level**
With a special focus on the demands schools may expect to receive from Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) agents, this presentation will address the obligations of school based administrators to provide law enforcement access to students and student records, as well as guidelines school districts should consider adopting.
Presenter: John Emerson, Esquire, Charleston County School District
- 3:00 - 3:15 p.m. Break



3:15 - 4:15 p.m.

Building Resilience: Practical Tools for Keeping Your Head While Navigating a Changing World

The legal profession faces a bewildering array of challenges including new computer technologies, evolving client expectations, and competition. Some of the tools that have served us well in the past may fall a little short. As a result, managing change when the “new” becomes “the normal” can be overwhelming. This presentation offers a little bit of perspective on some of the reasons attorneys often are more susceptible to isolation and destructive behaviors, argues that a healthy mind is a crucial tool for all attorneys, and offers some practical strategies for surviving- and hopefully thriving- in an uncertain world.

Presenter: Jack Pringle, Esquire, Adams and Reese, LLP

4:15 p.m.

Closing remarks and Adjournment