



# Schedule at a Glance

## Convention Schedule – THURSDAY

### School Law Seminar

LOCATION	8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Crowne Plaza: Olympic Room	21st Annual Pre-Convention School Law Seminar

### Communications Workshop

LOCATION	Noon – 4:00 p.m.
Conference Center: Lussi Ballroom	9th Annual Pre-Convention Communications Workshop <i>Managing Community Opposition</i>

### Educational Sessions *(All educational sessions will be held at the Conference Center at Lake Placid)*

LOCATION	1:00 – 2:00 p.m.	2:15 – 3:15 p.m.
Excelsior	Teacher Shortage? What Teacher Shortage?	Compassion Fatigue: Does Caring Too Much Create Conflict on Your Board
Intervale	Leading Technology Change from the Administrative Level	College & Career Awareness: It's Elementary!
Intervale	Measuring Your Board's Effectiveness	The Relationship That Transforms Culture
Whiteface	Addressing Data Privacy and Security Services Through RIC One	Taking Education to New Heights Through CTE
Gore	PBL Experiences in a Rural School	Nature Inspired Learning in a Rural School

### Convention Opening *(Both events will be held at the Conference Center at Lake Placid)*

LOCATION	4:00 – 6:00 p.m.	6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
1980 Arena & USA Rink	Opening Reception	
1932 Jack Shea Arena		Opening Session/Keynote Speaker: <b>Yong Zhao, Ph.D.</b>

# Convention Schedule – FRIDAY

## Featured Sessions

LOCATION	8:30 – 9:30 a.m.	9:45 – 10:45 a.m.	10:45 a.m. – Noon	12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	1:45 – 2:45 p.m.	3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
<b>Conference Center: Lussi Ballroom</b>	<b>Mental Health 101: Signs and Symptoms of Common Disorders in Youth</b> <i>Speaker: Representative from The Child Mind Institute</i>	<b>Government in the Sunshine</b> <i>Speaker: Kristin O'Neill Esq., J.D.</i>		<b>New York's ESSA Plan: What It Means for School Districts</b> <i>Speaker: Ira Schwartz</i>	<b>Addressing Trauma so Students Can Succeed</b> <i>Speakers: Thomas Andriola, Karen Hill, Renee L. Rider, and Carly Sunderlin</i>	<b>Understanding and Educating the Immigrant Child</b> <i>Speaker: Alex Kumi-Yeboah, Ph.D.</i>
<b>1932 Jack Shea Arena</b>			<b>A Conversation with the Commissioner: MaryEllen Elia</b>			

## Special Session

LOCATION	9:45 – 10:45 a.m.
<b>Conference Center: Legacy</b>	<i>Speaker: Vanessa Rosa – Using Technology to Support Rigor and Engagement for ALL Students</i>

## Educational Sessions *(All educational sessions will be held at the Conference Center at Lake Placid)*

LOCATION	8:30 – 9:30 a.m.	9:45 – 10:45 a.m.	11:00 a.m. – Noon	12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	1:45 – 2:45 p.m.	3:00 – 4:00 p.m.
<b>Legacy</b>	Bilingual Education: An Imperative for the 21st Century		Diversity-Rich Content Through Professional Development	Website Accessibility: A Hot Topic for School Districts	My Brother's Keeper Research Guidance	School Budgets: It's More Than Numbers
<b>Excelsior</b>	State Aid 101	Analytics You Can Use	Policy Hot Topics	Going Digital at Warp Speed	School Facilities Investments Maximize Learning	3D Visualization Encourages STEM
<b>Lussi Ballroom</b>			Financial Planning to Support Instruction			
<b>Salon A</b>	Whole Child Education: Recess and Play	The Special Sauce: Student-Centered Learning Design	Envisioning New Heights	What Boards Should Monitor About Student Achievement	Closing the Gap: The Newcomer Program	Paving the Way for School-Based Mental Health Initiatives
<b>Salon B</b>	Building Stronger Relationships	That Never Happens At Home!	#Passed! Strategies for a Successful Referendum	Engage Your Parents and Families	No Child Left Inside	Community Schools 101: A Strategy, Not A Program
<b>Salon C</b>	Religion in the Public Schools	Collective Bargaining: In Search of the New "Normal"	Employee Discipline: What is New? What is the Same?	Bargaining with Teachers Under the Tax Cap	Special Education 101	Student Free Speech: Legal and Practical Implications
<b>Van Hoevenberg</b>	Supporting Students Experiencing Poverty and Homelessness	LGBTQ Rights: Legal Considerations for Schools in a New Age	Robotics at the Elementary Level	Substance Abuse and the Heroin/Opioid Epidemic	Facts Not Fear: Managing Food Allergies	Dispelling the Myth
<b>Intervale</b>	Hiring New Superintendents	Superintendent Evaluation: Fair and Unbiased	The Emotionally Intelligent Board	Shared Leadership: The Board President/Superintendent Partnership	Delegate Orientation	Board Management Solutions
<b>Whiteface</b>	Local Wellness Policies: New Requirements, New Challenges	Federal Issues Update	All Aboard	Advocacy 101	Personalized Learning: The Future of Education	Residency, Foster Care and Student Homelessness
<b>Gore</b>	Supporting Pre-Kindergartners	Gamification: A Tool To Improve Engagement and Achievement	School-Community Partnerships in Rural Areas	State Aid 201	Expanding Opportunities in Small School Districts	Anatomy of the Goal Setting Process

# Convention Schedule – SATURDAY

## Annual Business Meeting

LOCATION	8:00 a.m. – Conclusion
Conference Center: 1932 Jack Shea Arena	Annual Business Meeting

## Special Session

LOCATION	8:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Conference Center: Lussi Ballroom	Board Officers Roundtable - Know Thyself

## Educational Sessions *(All educational sessions will be held at the Conference Center at Lake Placid)*

LOCATION	8:30 – 9:30 a.m.	9:45 – 10:45 a.m.	11:00 a.m. – Noon
<b>Legacy</b>	Increase Diversity in Superintendent Candidates	Encourage and Contribute to OER	Embrace Diversity to Maximize Student Outcomes
<b>Excelsior</b>	Makerspace 101	The Role of Strategic Workforce Planning in Education	Creating a Cashless School
<b>Salon A</b>	2-Year Kindergarten: Success for At-Risk Youth	Tackling the Persistent Reading Achievement Gap	So What Should I See In Our Classrooms?
<b>Salon B</b>	The 187 Words That Will Save Your Life	Consent Building: Managing Opposition	Inspire Enthusiasm for STEM
<b>Salon C</b>	Special Education Update	Superintendent Contracts	Email Use by School Board Members: The Legal Issues
<b>Van Hoevenberg</b>	Looking into the Darkness: Suicide in Schools	Rethink Discipline: Implementing Restorative Practices	Project Based Learning: Garnering 21st Century Skills
<b>Intervale</b>	SuperEval: The Online Superintendent Evaluation System	School Board Meetings: Legal Do's and Don'ts	Board Member Handbooks Strengthen Relationships
<b>Whiteface</b>	Agricultural Science Education: What It Can Do For Your District	The Boiling Point: Where STEAM Emerges	A Culture of Professional Learning
<b>Gore</b>	Disrupting Rural Poverty	Leading Change: 21st Century Professional Development	Keeping Up with The Class of 2030

