



**2018 Louisiana Board of Regents
Campus Safety Conference**

Tuesday, February 20, 2018

Pennington Biomedical Research Center
6400 Perkins Road • Baton Rouge, LA 70808

8:00 - 8:30 a.m.

Conference Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:30 - 8:40 a.m.

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Dr. Joseph C. Rallo, Commissioner of Higher Education

8:40 - 8:50 a.m.

The Honorable John Bel Edwards, Governor of the State of Louisiana

8:50 - 9:00 a.m.

Coordinating Campus Safety Efforts

Dr. Uma Subramanian, Deputy Commissioner for Legal and External Affairs

9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

Hazing: Prevention Strategies and Lessons Learned

Susan Dumont, Miles & Stockbridge

This session covers best practices in hazing prevention, relevant case law and campus policies related to hazing, so as to enable attendees to assess current campus practices regarding hazing prevention and begin to implement changes as necessary to minimize collegiate hazing and the associated risks.

10:00 - 10:10

Break

10:10 - 11:30 a.m.

Free Speech, Campus Protests and Demonstrations: Trends and Challenges

Margo Bennett, Chief of Police, University of California, Berkeley

Steven J. Healy, Founder & CEO, Margolis Healy

Therese Leone, Associate General Counsel, University of California, Berkeley

Free speech, including academic freedom, have been fundamental principles in higher education. Indeed, the ability for faculty and students to express often controversial ideas is vital to the creation of new knowledge and the mission of colleges and universities. Free speech and associated campus protests also have led to campus unrest. Controversial speakers, "shoutdowns," protests over monuments and other demonstrations validate that

free speech is alive and well, while also threatened on campus. This session will explore how security and safety concerns impact campus decision-making as administrators consider important operational and strategic issues in planning for a potentially disruptive major campus event.

11:30 - 12:00 p.m.

Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act (DFSCA), Drug and Alcohol Prevention Program

Steven J. Healy, Founder & CEO, Margolis Healy

As the United States Department of Education (ED) focuses increased attention on the DFSCA as a part of its Clery Act enforcement efforts, the need for institutions to collaborate amongst many different departments to satisfy the Act's requirements is critical. The key players include nearly all offices within student affairs, human resources, institutional research, and athletics, to name a few. With fines at nearly \$58,000 and ED's recent history of aggressive enforcement in this area, compliance is critical.

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Title IX and Clery Landscape

Steven J. Healy, Founder & CEO, Margolis Healy

Therese Leone, Associate General Counsel, University of California, Berkeley

Recent changes to Title IX's guidance have created crucial misunderstanding around compliance. We will discuss the current guidance as well as promising practice in this crucial area. In addition to a review of Title IX, we will review what is required by the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) which amended the Clery Act in 2013 and is unaffected by the Title IX changes.

2:00 - 2:50 p.m.

Bias Incident Response Protocols

Steven J. Healy, Founder & CEO, Margolis Healy

A bias incident is a potential powder keg. There are many challenges to providing an institutional response that minimizes damage, promotes community healing, and speeds a return to normal operations. Steven will speak from experience helping institutions both manage the aftermath of an event, and plan to respond effectively when confronted by a bias incident.

2:50 - 3:00 p.m.

LaFASA: A Partner in Preventing Sexual Assault

Josef Canaria, Louisiana Foundation Against Sexual Assault (LaFASA)

3:00 - 3:45 p.m.

Ask the Experts Panel (Q & A)

All Speakers and Panelists

3:45 - 4:00 p.m.

Future Plans and Action Items

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