



**The Ohio Attorney General’s
Twenty-Seventh Annual Conference
for Public College and University Attorneys**

April 25 - 26, 2019

Nationwide Hotel and Conference Center
100 Green Meadows Drive South
Lewis Center, OH 43035

Agenda

*This course has been approved by the Supreme Court of Ohio
Commission on Continuing Legal Education for 8.50 total CLE hours,
with 1.00 of attorney professional conduct instruction*

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 2019

Registration and Breakfast 8:30 – 9:15

NorthPointe Ballroom

Welcome and Introduction..... 9:15 – 9:30

- *Dave Yost, Ohio Attorney General*

Presidential Transitions..... 9:30 – 10:15

- *John Biancamano, General Counsel, Ohio University*
- *Christopher Culley, Senior Vice President/ General Counsel, The Ohio State University*
- *Robin Parker, General Counsel, Miami University*
- *Sonali Wilson, General Counsel, Cleveland State University*

Practically Protecting Privilege and Production in the eDiscovery Realm 10:15 – 11:00

- *Amy Ruth Ita, Chief, Employment Law Section, Ohio Attorney General*
- *Jeanna Jacobus, Senior Assistant Attorney General, Court of Claims Defense Section, Ohio Attorney General*
- *Edward Olszewski, Principal Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Section, Ohio Attorney General*
- *Emily Simmons Tapocsi, Chief, Environmental Section, Ohio Attorney General*

Break
11:00 – 11:15

- State Solicitor’s Report**..... 11:15 – 12:00
- *Benjamin Flowers, State Solicitor, Appeals Section, Ohio Attorney General*
 - *Michael Hendershot, Chief Deputy Solicitor, Appeals Section, Ohio Attorney General*

Lunch
12:00 – 1:00
Dining Room

- Court of Claims Defense Section Update**..... 1:15 – 2:00
- *William Becker, Principal Assistant Attorney General, Court of Claims Defense Section, Ohio Attorney General*
 - *Lee Ann Rabe, Principal Assistant Attorney General, Court of Claims Defense Section, Ohio Attorney General*
 - *John Reichley, Chief, Court of Claims Defense Section, Ohio Attorney General*

- The Intersection of Non-Discrimination Policies and First Amendment Rights on Campus: Transgender Students, Title IX Investigations and Academic Freedom**..... 2:00 – 2:45
- *Rory Callahan, Principal Assistant Attorney General, Employment Law Section, Ohio Attorney General*
 - *Michael McPhillips, General Counsel, Shawnee State University*
 - *Barbara Nalazek, Deputy General Counsel, Ohio University*
 - *Janelle Schaller, Associate General Counsel, The University of Toledo*
 - *Anna Seidensticker, Assistant Chief, Employment Law Section, Ohio Attorney General*

Break
2:45 – 3:00

Breakout Sessions
NorthPointe Ballroom 1 (NP1) and NorthPointe Ballroom 2 (NP2)

Breakout Session 1

- NP1 Cyber Security**..... 3:00 – 3:45
- *Christine Czuprynski, Member, McDonald Hopkins*
 - *Gregory Tapocsi, Of Counsel, Dinsmore & Shohl*
- NP2 Sunshine Laws Update** 3:00 – 3:45
- *Sarah Pierce, Associate Assistant Attorney General, Constitutional Offices Section, Ohio Attorney General*

Breakout Session 2

- NP1 Online and Abroad: Engaging Partners, Consultants, and Employees Outside the United States**..... 3:45 – 4:30
- *Vinita Mehra, Director + Leader, Global Business, Kegler Brown Hill + Ritter*
 - *Michael Pfahl, Associate Counsel, Kent State University*
- NP2 Executive Compensation** 3:45 – 4:30
- *Mary Menkedick Ionno, Assistant Vice President/Senior Associate General Counsel, The Ohio State University*
 - *Wendy Swary, Senior Associate General Counsel, The Ohio State University*

FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 2019

Registration and Breakfast 8:15 – 8:45

NorthPointe Ballroom

- Welcome**..... 8:45 – 9:00
- *Amy Nash Golian, Section Chief, Education Section, Ohio Attorney General*
- Wright State University H-1B Investigation** 9:00 – 10:00
- *Ashley Barbone, Assistant Attorney General, Education Section, Ohio Attorney General*
 - *Pamela Vest Boratyn, Assistant Director of Business & Human Resources/Chief of Staff, Ohio Department of Transportation*
 - *Larry Chan, Vice President for Legal Affairs/ General Counsel, Wright State University*
 - *D. Michael Crites, Partner, Dinsmore & Shohl*
 - *Jennie Ferguson, Partner, Dinsmore & Shohl*
- Higher Education Issues in the 133rd General Assembly** 10:00 – 10:30
- *Bruce Johnson, President, Inter-University Council of Ohio*

Break 10:30 – 10:45

- Title IX Update**..... 10:45 – 11:30
- *Reid Caryer, Principal Assistant Attorney General, Education Section, Ohio Attorney General*
 - *Christopher Hogan, Partner, Newhouse, Prophater, Kolman & Hogan*
- Ethical Issues in Research Misconduct Investigations** 11:30 – 12:30
- *Emily Schriver, Senior Associate General Counsel, The Ohio State University*
 - *Sara Wisniewski, Associate General Counsel, The University of Toledo*