



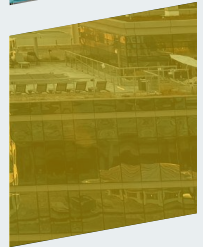
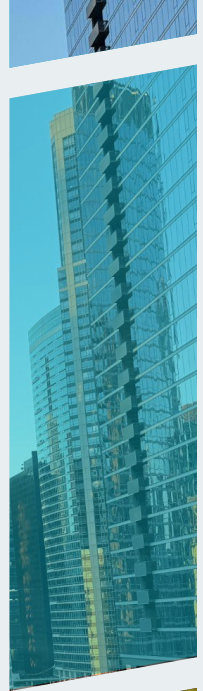
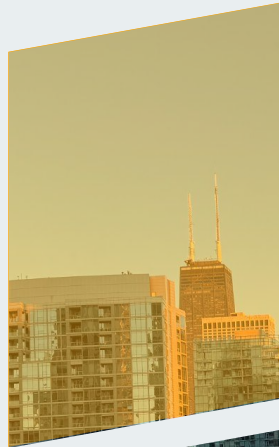
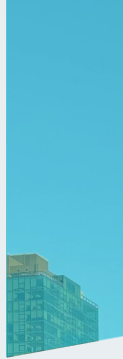
IASB Joint Annual Conference 2024



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Lighting the Way





Greg Scapillato
Board President



SESSION HIGHLIGHTS

Fiscal Foundations for School Board Members

- Efforts to achieve educational equity must be intentional, accountable, and contextual.
 - Fiscal Equity is taking into consideration the needs of students BEFORE the allocation of funds is measured in fiscal expenditures AND academic outcomes
 - Board members and administrators have a responsibility to ensure both educational equity and fiscal equity are considered in the budgeting process
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Top Ten Legal Mistakes School Boards Make (And How to Fix Them)

- Connected “mistakes” to PAC decisions and other case law
- Covered wide range of potential pitfalls: public comment, employee discipline, email & OMA, conflicts of interest, closed session, and more.
- Gave practical advice on best practices to avoid these potential pitfalls



Dr. Anisha Jogee
Board Vice President



SESSION HIGHLIGHTS

Bringing Student Voice to the Board Table

- Full day training with MS/HS student board reps
- Student leadership, civic pipeline, youth voice

What Boards and District Staff Does Matters

- Smith, 7-time Teacher of the Year
- Recipient of the 2020 GRAMMY Music Educator Award

Promoting, Provoking, and Embracing Positive Change

- Superintendents Nick Polyack and Michael Lubelfeld
- The Unfinished Leader: A School Leadership Framework for Growth & Development
- Lens: Empathy, Equity, Adaptability, Development, Communication, Unfinished

2025 Joint Annual Conference Proposal:

- Continue our 5th consecutive presentation streak
- Deadline - March 1st





Kevin Michael
Board Secretary



SESSION HIGHLIGHTS

Recruiting and Supporting New Board Members

Opportunities for candidates to meet administrative team and ask questions

Information about filing for candidacy and running a campaign

Clear communication about roles and responsibilities of BOE Members

Detailed onboarding experience and mentoring program

Building Equitable Systems by Ensuring Strong Adult Cultures

Relationships between BOE Members, between the board and superintendent, between the board and staff, and between the board and community are all vital components



Liz Nierman
Board Member



SESSION HIGHLIGHTS

Which Hat Am I Wearing? Board Member Conundrums

- Approaching situations from the perspective of a parent, Board Member, community member

Investing in Safety: The Impact of a Therapy Dog and SRO

- Enhancing safety and emotional well-being in schools creatively.
- Collaboration between a community and their schools = Pawfficer Louie



High Trust Teams: David Horsager

- Trust is the most important aspect of team building.

AI Overview: Transforming Education and Work

- AI in education is inevitable and coming fast. School Boards and educators should collaborate on an AI plan for Professional development and training, funding, and focus on student success and academic integrity.