



# Online & Hybrid Learning Pedagogy: Toward Defining Best Practices in Legal Education

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## CONFERENCE AGENDA

### Thursday, September 22, 2022

Time	Event	Room	Presenter
1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Registration		
1:30 p.m. – 1:40 p.m.	Welcome to the Online & Hybrid Learning Pedagogy Conference	165	David Thomson (Denver)
1:40 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.	Welcome to the Sturm College of Law	165	Dean Bruce Smith (Denver)
1:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Opening Keynotes/Framing	165	David Thomson (Denver)
2:00 p.m. – 2:25 p.m.	• <i>Evidence-Based Research to Guide and Shape Legal Education - Hybrid and Online</i>	165	Tiffane Cochran (AccessLex)
2:25 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.	• <i>Empirical Designs in Efficacy Research on Hybrid and Online Education</i>	165	Vicki VanZandt (Dayton)
2:50 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	• <i>International Perspectives on Regulators, Professionalism, and Legal Education</i>	165	Paul Maharg (Newcastle)
3:40 p.m. – 4:05 p.m.	Community Building: Reports from Recent Distance Learning Working Groups and Q&A		Jon Garon (NSU) Rebecca Purdom (UNH), William Byrnes (Texas A&M)
4:05 p.m. – 4:20 p.m.	Break		
4:20 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Listening to Learners: Panel Discussion and Q&A with Online and Hybrid Law Students	165	Moderator: David Thomson (Denver) Students: Kelsey Wilcox (DU), Ali Stillman (Dayton), Ken Richard (UNH) Tammie Ton (St. Francis)
5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Reception hosted by <i>Aspen Publishing</i>	HRTM	
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Dinner hosted by BARBRI – iLaw	HRTM	Distinguished Dinner Speaker: David Yellen (Miami)

## Friday, September 23, 2022

Time	Event	Room	Presenter
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast hosted by West Academic Publishing	Forum	Conference Sponsor
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Evidence-Based Design: Learning from the Past and Workshopping the Future (Concurrent & Consecutive Sessions)		
	Lessons from the Data – Legal Education Responds to the Pandemic	165	Moderator: Vicki Van Zandt (Dayton)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Pandemic Empiricism: What the Data Says Worked and Didn't During the COVID Crisis</li></ul>		James Levy (NSU)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Successful Synchronous Sessions: Using Synchronous Classes and Office Hours to Connect Material and Build Rapport (with student perspectives)</li></ul>		Anna Elbroch (UNH)
	Online and Hybrid Student-Centered Learning Workshop (Consecutive Sessions and Q&A)	155	Moderator: Sara Berman (Touro)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Building Community to Enhance Learning</li></ul>		Sophie Sparrow (UNH)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Improve Summative Assessment and Learning Outcomes by Using Online Tools to Create Purposeful Formative Assessments</li></ul>		Elena B. Langan (Touro) Patricia Baia (Touro)
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Plenary: Regs Affecting Distance Learning	165	Moderator: Greg Brandes
10:00 a.m. – 10:20 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The Impact of Changes in ABA Standards</li></ul>		William Adams (ABA)
10:20 a.m. – 10:40 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Higher Education Funding and Access</li></ul>		Chris Chapman (AccessLex)
10:40 a.m. – 11:00 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Q &amp; A</li></ul>		Moderator: Greg Brandes
11:00 p.m. – 11:15 p.m.	Break		
11:15 p.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Plenary: Evidence-Based Learning Design for Online Programs	165	Nicole Noël (NESL), Chance Meyer (NESL)
12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch: Hosted by LSAC: The Law School Admissions Council		Conference Sponsor

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1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Looking Ahead: Improving Pedagogy from Experience (2 Concurrent Sessions; No Moderators)		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taking Stock: Applying Lessons Learned from Emergency Online Teaching to “Normal Times” Remote Education</li> </ul>	165	Cindy Thomas Archer (UCI), Aimee Dudovitz (Loyola LA), Amy Levin (Loyola LA), Hillary Reed (U of Houston)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Next Chapter: The Empirical Journey Through a School-Wide MBE Project... And How the Pandemic Changed Our Path Forever</li> </ul>	155	Elizabeth Xyr (Monterey)
2:00 p.m. – 2:10 p.m.	Break		
2:10 p.m. – 3:05 p.m.	Online Pedagogy: Regulation and Design (Concurrent Sessions)		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Teaching a Hybrid Administrative Law Simulation Class Using Jurassic Park</li> </ul>	190	Roberto Corrada (DU)
	Proposals for Post-Pandemic Regulation and Curricular Reform Workshop	165	Moderator: Greg Brandes
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Distance Learning in Law Schools: Why It’s Time to Permanently Remove Restrictions</li> </ul>		Kandace Kukas (Northeastern)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Curriculum in the New Era of Legal Education: Panel Discussion</li> </ul>		Jon Garon (NSU) Sophie Sparrow (UNH) Vicki VanZandt (Dayton) Elena Langan (Touro)
	The Student Experience		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Importance of the Student Experience in Online Education</li> </ul>	155	Catherine Schenker (AUWCL)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Expanding Accessibility to Legal Education through Deliberate Online Design Choices</li> </ul>		Susan Landrum (U of I Urbana-Champaign)
3:05 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Break		
3:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	Plenary: LSAC Assessment Workshop – Assessments and Learning: Unlocking the Potential in all Law Students	165	Moderator: Zach DeMeola (LSAC) Panelists: Lily Knezevich (LSAC), Jeremy Sakovich (LSAC) Michele Pistone (Villanova)

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4:45 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Partner Panel and Showcase	Forum	Moderated by Greg Brandes BARBRI iLaw, West Academic Publishing, Aspen Publishing, All Campus, and Carolina Academic Press
5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Reception: Hosted by the Sturm College of Law	Forum	
6:30 p.m.	Dinner (on your own)		

### Saturday, September 24, 2022

Time	Event	Room	Presenter
8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Breakfast hosted by All Campus.  Discussion Tables for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Foundations for Practice (IAALS)</li><li>• Debrief: First-Time Online Teaching for Profs</li><li>• Teaching Legal Skills Online</li></ul>	Forum	Conference Sponsor
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	Research & Assessment: Partners in Pedagogy (2 Concurrent Workshop Sessions) <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Empirical Research Workshop</li><li>• Teaching Online Advanced Legal Research – Optimize Student Learning Experience</li></ul>	170  155	Tiffane Cochran (AccessLex), Logan Cornett (IAALS)  Dajiang Nie (Texas Tech)
10:00 a.m. – 10:20 a.m.	Break		
10:20 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	Plenary: The Future is Here: Legal Education in a Hybrid World <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Syracuse</li><li>• Denver</li><li>• Dayton</li><li>• The Colleges of Law</li><li>• Touro</li><li>• New Hampshire</li><li>• Suffolk</li><li>• St. Mary's</li></ul>	165	Moderator: Sara Berman (Touro)  Shannon Gardner Bruce Smith Andrew Strauss Andrea Funk Elena Langan Megan Carpenter Gabriel Teninbaum Patricia Roberts
11:50 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Concluding Remarks		David Thomson, Greg Brandes, Sara Berman (Conference Co-Chairs)
12:00 p.m.	Lunch (box lunches)		
1:00 p.m.	Conference Concludes		