

39th Annual School Law Retreat  
July 25-26, 2025

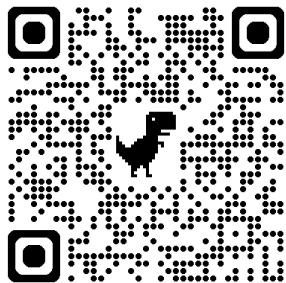


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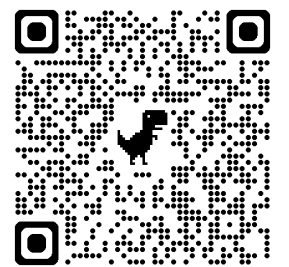
## HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

A block of rooms has been reserved at the resort for July 24-27, 2025, for \$323 (1 King Bed/2 queen beds) per night, plus tax and fees. The deadline for making reservations within the room block is June 30, 2025, at 5:00 p.m. Please note, however, that the block of rooms reserved at the conference rate is limited, and these rooms will be filled at the conference rate on a first-come, first-served basis. In past years, rooms reserved under the block for this conference have sold out well before the deadline; attendees are encouraged to book rooms as soon as possible. Once the block of rooms at the conference rate is sold out, you will be charged the regular rate by the resort, subject to room availability. To make reservations, please contact the Hyatt Lost Pines Resort at (512) 308-1234 and ask for the State Bar of Texas, School Law Section Retreat rate, or book your room online using the QR code to the left.



## EVENT REGISTRATION

Scan the QR Code on the right to register online with a credit card. On-site attendee registration must be paid with a purchase order or check; credit cards cannot be accepted on site. For questions regarding registration, please contact TIGER HANNER at tigerhanner@gmail.com. The early bird registration fee is \$275 for online registration on or before June 30, 2025. registration increases to \$300 after June 30, 2025. Conference registration cancellations received by July 10, 2025, will receive a \$100 refund and all electronic materials. After July 10th, no refund will be issued but registrants will receive a copy of the electronic materials.



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Friday, July 25

3.75 hours MCLE Credit

Presiding Officer: Cory Rush, Chair

- 7:15-8:00**      **Breakfast and Registration**
- 8:00-8:45**      **Legislative Update** 0.75 hr  
Paige Williams, Texas Classroom Teachers Association
- 8:45-9:30**      **Child Abuse/SBEC Reporting** 0.75 hr  
Tiger Hanner, Law Offices of Tiger Hanner  
Joy Baskin, Texas Association of School Boards
- 9:30-10:15**      **Appellate Advocacy** 0.75 hr  
Meredith Walker, Walsh Gallegos Kyle Robinson & Roalson, P.C.  
Richard Hightower, Spalding Nichols Lamp Langlois
- 10:15-10:30**      **Break**
- 10:30-11:30**      **Interfacing and Interacting with Law Enforcement, Threat Assessments, and Student Discipline** 1.0 hr  
Matthew Greer, Eanes ISD  
Leandra Ortiz, Walsh Gallegos Kyle & Roalson, P.C.  
D'Ann Bey, Lewisville ISD
- 11:30-12:00**      **Lawyers as Fact Witnesses** 0.5 hr (0.5 hr ethics)  
Giana Ortiz, The Ortiz Law Firm



Saturday, July 26

4 hours MCLE Credit

Presiding Officer: Leslie Story, Chair-Elect

- 7:15-8:00**      **Breakfast**
- 8:00-8:30**      **Equal Access Act and Viewpoint Neutrality** 0.5 hr  
Sean Hooper, Rogers, Morris, & Grover, LLP
- 8:30-9:00**      **Hot Topics (Compliance with Federal and State Executive Orders)** 0.5 hr  
Lisa Brown, Thompson & Horton, LLP
- 9:00-9:30**      **What Is (and Isn't) Allowed During Public Comment** 0.5 hr  
Lynn Rossi Scott, Brackett & Ellis, P.C.
- 9:30-10:00**      **Business Meeting and Break**
- 10:00-10:45**      **Service Animals** 0.75 hr  
Cory Rush, Spalding Nichols Lamp Langlois
- 10:45-11:30**      **Pro Bono Opportunities** 0.75 hr (0.75 hr ethics)  
Pablo Almaguer, Texas Rio Grande Legal Aid
- 11:30-12:30**      **Handling Lawyer Stress and Anxiety** 1.0 hr (1.0 hr ethics)  
Bobby Caine, Texas Legal Assistance Program

7.75 hours of MCLE credit, including 2.25 hours of ethics

EVENT PROGRAM

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Scanning this code takes you directly to the State Bar of Texas' MCLE reporting tool with information for this course automatically filled in. If the information is not automatically populated, please scan the qr code and follow these steps.

1. Login to your "My Bar Page" with your State Bar Number and Password
2. Click "View/Report MCLE Hours"
3. Click "Add Attendance"
4. Input Course Number and verify dates attended and claimed hours
5. Click the checkbox that "You agree the requested credit is correct"
6. Click "Submit"

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**Materials:** Registrants will be able to download conference materials electronically prior to and during the Retreat. Printed conference materials will not be available for the event. Attendees wanting hard copies of materials must print materials on their own prior to the event.

**Thursday Night “Tritico Rainey” Reception:** Continuing the tradition established by Chris Tritico over the years, a networking reception for Retreat attendees hosted by participating attorneys and firms, Chris Tritico, and the School Law Section, will be held from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 24, 2025. Please join us for this popular event!

**Friday Dinner and Kelly Frels Lifetime Achievement Award:** A casual dinner will be held Friday evening, July 25, 2025, at the resort; cash bar at 6:30 p.m., dinner at 7:00 p.m. Dinner is complimentary for each registrant. Registrants may add dinner reservations for any additional adults (\$25 each) or children ages 12 and under (\$15 each) during the registration process. The Kelly Frels Lifetime Achievement Award will be presented during the Friday Dinner. Please be sure to join us as we celebrate this prestigious Award and enjoy dinner and fellowship.

