Tentative Agenda - Special Education Advocacy Summit (SEAS): 2024

Orientation, Registration, Reception & Film: Lives Worth Living at the Drury Inn - Wednesday Evening, at 5:30 pm

	Wednesday, June 5, 2024	Thursday June 6, 2024	Friday June 7, 2024	Saturday June 8, 2024
9:00-9:15		1. Welcome and Faculty Introduction Patty Roberts 9:00 – 9:15	7. Evidence Strategies Panel Pete Wright + Catherine Michael + Jaime Vasquez-Bernier + Pat Howey	12. Advocates + Attorneys Working Together Catherine Michael + Pat Howey
9:15-10:30		2. History and Relevant Law Pete Wright		
10:30-10:45		Break	Break	Break
10:45-12:00		3. Critical Decision-Making in Client and Case Selection Catherine Michael	8. Dispute Resolution and Settling Cases Catherine Michael + Jaime Vasquez-Bernier	13. Legal Developments, SCOTUS, and Legal Research (Google Scholar + Pacer) Pete + Pam Wright
12:00-1:00		Lunch Multi Assistance Center (MAC) Presentation Monica Palma	Lunch Advancing Policy Changes at the State Level & Advocating for Military Families Jeremy Hilton	Lunch Networking
1:00-2:30		4. Using School Testing to Your Advantage Pete Wright	9. School Discipline and Behavioral Issues Catherine Michael	14. Q&A Panel Pete Wright + Catherine Michael + Jaime Vasquez-Bernier + Pat Howey
2:30-2:45		Break	Break	Closing Ceremony
2:45-4:00		5. Avoiding Mistakes at the IEP Table and in Due Process Catherine Michael + Pat Howey	10. Systemic Change through State Complaints and Class Actions Jaime Vasquez-Bernier	Optional Multi Assistance Center (MAC) Visit – aim to arrive at the MAC at 3:30pm
4:00-4:15		Break	Break	
4:15-5:30		6. Ethical Considerations for Special Education Representation Pete Wright + Catherine Michael + Jaime Vasquez-Bernier + Pat Howey	11. Section 504 Anna Draker	
5:30-7:00	Registration Reception Ice Breaker Movie Lives Worth Living	Happy Hour/Social at Drury Inn	Happy Hour/Social at Drury Inn	

^{*}Adjustments to schedule may occur; CLE credit expected for several sessions