

New Board Member Workshops



School Board
Governance

Essential school board training starts here!

JUNE 2–3, 2017

NIU DeKalb
Holmes Student Center
340 Carroll Ave
DeKalb, IL 60115

Pere Marquette
501 Main Street
Peoria, IL 61602

Thelma Keller Convention Center
1202 N. Keller Dr.
Effingham, IL 62401

JUNE 9–10, 2017

Wyndham Glenview Suites
1400 Milwaukee Avenue
Glenview, IL 60025

The Pavilion
1602 Sioux Dr.
Marion, IL 62959

JUNE 16–17, 2017

Gateway Center
One Gateway Dr.
Collinsville, IL 62234

Tinley Park Convention Center
18451 Convention Center Dr.
Tinley Park, IL 60477

JULY 7–8, 2017

Hilton Garden Inn
3100 South Dirksen Pkwy
Springfield, IL 62703

NIU Naperville
1120 E. Diehl Rd.
Naperville, IL 60563



Look for registration information in Spring 2017.

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Day One: State-Mandated Training

Professional Development Leadership Training (PDLT) — This course satisfies the requirements for mandatory board member training per Public Act 097-0008 including instruction in education and labor law; financial oversight and accountability; and fiduciary responsibilities.

Every new school board member elected or appointed MUST complete this training within the first year of the first term.

Performance Evaluation Reform Act (PERA) training is included in order to prepare board members for their role in implementing the “optional alternative evaluation dismissal process.”

Open Meetings Act (OMA) — This course satisfies the requirements for mandatory board member training per Public Act 097-504, and it focuses specifically on the law as it applies to school board meetings and members.

Every newly-elected or appointed school board member MUST complete this training within 90 days of taking the oath of office.

Day Two: Board Member Training

The Basics of Governance — Hit the ground running with this essential board training workshop. Participants will focus on board and board member roles and responsibilities, and learn how boards in high functioning districts can make a positive impact on student learning. Specifically, this workshop will provide participants with an opportunity to

- Identify the role and work of the school board.
- Distinguish board work from that of the superintendent and staff.
- Understand how each member relates to the full board.
- Discuss effective board and board member best practices.

Participants will leave with tools to sharpen their decision-making skills.

This workshop fulfills the governance overview requirement for admission into the LeaderShop Academy, IASB’s exclusive recognition program for board members committed to continuous learning and professional development.



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