

## Agenda - Special Education Advocacy Summit (SEAS) 2025

	Wednesday July 23, 2025	Thursday July 24, 2025	Friday July 25, 2025	Saturday July 26, 2025
9:00-9:15		1. Welcome and Faculty Introduction <i>Dean Patty Roberts</i>	7. Maximizing School Testing Data <i>Pete Wright</i>	12. Ethical Considerations and AI in Special Education Advocacy <i>Pete Wright + Catherine Michael + Pat Howey</i>
9:15-10:15		2. Understanding Key Special Education Law <i>Pete Wright</i>		
10:15-10:30		Break	Break	Break
10:30-11:45		3. Informed Decision-Making in Client and Case Selection <i>Catherine Michael</i>	8. Best Practices for IEP Meetings and Due Process <i>Catherine Michael + Pat Howey</i>	13. Dispute Resolution and Case Settlement Strategies <i>Catherine Michael</i>
11:45-1:00		Lunch 4. Effective Collaboration Between Advocates and Attorneys <i>Catherine Michael + Pat Howey</i>	Lunch 9. Recent Legal Developments and Supreme Court Cases <i>Pete + Pam Wright</i>	Lunch 14. Intro to Master of Legal Studies and Q&A Panel <i>Pete Wright + Catherine Michael + Pat Howey</i>
1:00 – 1:15		Break	Break	Break
1:15-2:30		5. Addressing School Discipline and Behavioral Concerns <i>Catherine Michael</i>	10. An Overview of Section 504 <i>Anna Draker</i>	15. Closing Ceremony (1:15 – 1:45)
2:30-2:45		Break	Break	
2:45-4:00		6. Navigating State Complaints <i>Jaime Vasquez-Bernier</i>	11. Evidence Strategies Panel <i>Pete Wright + Catherine Michael + Pat Howey</i>	
5:30-7:00	Registration Reception Ice Breaker Movie: <i>Lives Worth Living</i>			

\*adjustments to schedule may occur; CLE credit expected for several sessions