

# IASPA This Week

February 7, 2022

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## Court Ruling

Friday's ruling in Sangamon County has impacted all school districts, whether or not your specific district was named in one of the lawsuits. The past few days have been difficult as we pivot, plan...and wait. Please know that you are not alone! Reach out to an IASPA colleague so that we can support each other.

Please make sure to consult your district's legal counsel for specific details on how your district will need to respond to this issue.

## Administrator Academy Registration Deadline - February 11, 2022

IASPA will be offering an Administrator Academy this year designed for school administrators with HR responsibilities entitled "Essentials of School Human Resources". If you need an Administrator Academy this year - or if you are just looking for some quality professional development, please consider attending the IASPA Administrator Academy scheduled for February 22, 2022. The deadline for signing up is Friday, February 11th.

**Register: (AA) Essentials of School Human  
Resources**

## Webinar Wednesday is Back! Join us on February 16th at Noon

IASPA is offering a FREE Webinar on **Teacher and Principal Evaluator Qualifications**.

Have your administrators completed the proper training to be fully qualified to evaluate teachers, assistant principals, and principals? The requirements for evaluators can be overwhelming and confusing. There are a number of factors to consider when checking to see if teacher and principal evaluators have the proper qualifications. Please join us for a fifteen minute presentation by Dr. Phil Georgia on Teacher and Principal Evaluator Qualifications. The presentation will be followed by time for Q and A.

**Register: Webinar Wednesday**

## IASPA's Virtual Job Fair - March 8th from 3:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Is your district seeking teacher or administrator candidates for the 22/23 school year? Does your district want to save money on the related costs of job fair attendance - hotels, meals, travel? Does your district want access to new and veteran candidates from around the state? Consider attending the first IASPA Statewide Educator Virtual Job Fair!

The virtual job fair will be held on March 8, 3:00 - 7:00 pm. Registration is open for now.

Questions may be sent to [JobFair@iaspa.org](mailto:JobFair@iaspa.org).

**Register: IASPA Statewide Educator Virtual Job Fair**

## IASPA's Professional Associate Network - Mark Your Calendars for Friday, April 29th at 2:00 p.m.

We are excited to launch our first Professional Associate Network and invite you to join us for quarterly meetings that will provide support for, allow collaboration with, and serve as a resource for fellow Human Resources colleagues. Whether you are new to Human Resources, new to Human Resources in education, or are a veteran in Human Resources, participation in

the Professional Associate Network will assist you in building your support network, sharing information, learning new processes and procedures, and continuing to learn and grow. The first meeting was held on January 20th at the IASPA Annual Conference. There was strong interest in the network, and our team is planning for the April meeting. Please look for updates in IASPA This Week about how to attend. Please note that you must be an IASPA member to participate in the Professional Associate Network.

## Honoring our IASPA Award Winners!

Each week, we will highlight one of the winners of an IASPA Award in IASPA This Week. Awards were presented at the Annual Conference on January 20, 2022.



## Congratulations to Dr. Phil Georgia, recipient of the New Member Award!

### New Member Award:

The New Member Award is given to an active member of IASPA who has less than three years of experience in the field. This individual has demonstrated involvement at the local, state, and

national level though new to the field and has distinguished themselves in personnel administration through contributions that have had an impact on public education.

This year's recipient is Dr. Phil Georgia, the Director of Human Resources for Certified Staff at Community Consolidated School District 15 in Palatine. Dr. Georgia is a recent addition to our field and is an active member of IASPA, NWSPA, LCPA and AASPA.

Phil has been involved with all levels of K-12 HR leadership as a teacher, principal and now in the HR office. When he was a building level leader, he attended local affiliate chapters of LCPA and NWSPA to gain knowledge as a potential HR leader. He became an active member of IASPA during this time and earned his pHCLE.

Dr. Georgia embodies the idea of professional growth not only giving back to others but actively involved in it for himself. He is consistently attends IASPA webinars, HR affiliate meetings, HR Essentials, and IASPA's Annual Conference. Phil contributes to IASPA by providing high quality professional development. He has presented at HR Essentials, IASPA 2021, IASPA 2022, and has prepared two webinars.

Dr. Georgia has quickly demonstrated that he is a go to resource for a number of K-12 HR issues, and perfectly embodies what we would expect for a new K-12 HR leader. Congratulations to Dr. Phil Georgia, recipient of the New Member Award.

## Upcoming IASPA Events:



# Webinar Wednesday - Teacher and Principal Evaluator Qualifications

When

Wednesday, Feb. 16th, 12pm

Where

via Zoom

More information

Click [here](#) to register.

# Administrator Academy - Essentials of School Human Resources

When

Tuesday, Feb. 22nd, 9am

Where

1860 Glen Ellyn Road  
Glendale Heights, IL

# IASPA Statewide Educator Virtual Job Fair

When

Tuesday, March 8th, 3-7pm

Where

This is an online event.

# Professional Associate Network Meeting

When

Friday, April 29th, 2-3:30pm

Where

via Zoom





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