

Tackling Critical Teacher Shortages

Insights on Federal Policies & Programs



Wednesday, March 20, 2024

4–5:30 p.m. ET

*Optional networking following
conclusion of briefing*

Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room B-48

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3:15 p.m. Registration

4:00 p.m. Opening Remarks

Michael DiNapoli, Jr. | Deputy Director of Federal Policy, Learning Policy Institute

4:03 p.m. Welcoming Remarks

Senator Tim Kaine (D-VA)

4:15 p.m. Presentation

Michael DiNapoli, Jr. | Deputy Director of Federal Policy, Learning Policy Institute

Susan Kemper Patrick | Senior Researcher, Learning Policy Institute

4:40 p.m. Panel Discussion

Jacqueline Rodriguez (moderator) | Chief Executive Officer, National Center for Learning Disabilities

Ternesha Burroughs | Secondary Math Teacher, Osseo School District; President, Education Minnesota-OSSEO

Clifton Tanabe | Dean, College of Education, University of Texas-El Paso

Reggie White | 2022-2023 Alabama Teacher of the Year; District Mentor Teacher, Birmingham City Schools

5:20 p.m. Audience Questions & Concluding Remarks

5:30 p.m. Networking & Refreshments

6:30 p.m. Event Concludes



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