

TACCA

Texas Association of
Community College Attorneys

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The **Texas Association of Community College Attorneys (TACCA)**,
is an organization dedicated to providing resources to
meet the legal needs of its members and their clients.

The mission of TACCA is to identify current legal problems of
concern to community colleges, to disseminate and make
available legal information and resources, to provide a forum
for discussion and analysis of legal information by attorneys
representing community colleges, and to promote and facilitate
a closer relationship between community college attorneys and
the board members and administrators with whom they work.

Questions? Call Lisa Gray at 806-371-5144

Visit our website for membership information: www.taccatx.org

25th Annual Conference

*A Two-Day Conference for Community College
Administrators, Attorneys, and Board Members*

January 26 - 27, 2023
in Austin, Texas



**Presented in Partnership with
TASB Community College Services**

Conference Schedule

THURSDAY, JANUARY 26

- 1:00 Registration & Welcome**
Katie Anderson, TACCA President
- 1:15 Best Practices for Responding to EEOC Charges**
Marina Guerra
- 2:00 Public Information and Open Meetings Act Update**
Justin Gordon and Christy Drake-Adams
- 2:45 BREAK**
- 3:00 Cooperative Purchasing - How it Works & What Everyone Needs to Know**
Sandy Hellums-Gomez, Michelle Griffin and John Hopkins
- 3:30 Laws that Do (and Do Not) Apply to Community Colleges**
Amy Magee
- 5:00 Welcome Reception - Westin Austin Lounge**

FRIDAY, JANUARY 27

- 9:00 Continental Breakfast & Welcome**
John Hopkins - 1st Vice President
- 9:15 Legislative Update - What's in the Hopper - Guns, Marijuana, and Tenure**
Mark White, Jacob Cottingham, Richard Moore and Beaman Floyd
- 9:45 Financing Community Colleges Over Time**
Emily Cormier and Amy Peterson
- 10:15 BREAK**
- 10:30 Intersection of First Amendment and DEI**
Cobby Caputo and Augie Rivera
- 11:15 LUNCH - Demonstration of TACCA Listserv**
Mark White
- 12:15 Fourth Amendment - Student Drug Testing & Campus Searches**
Leigh Porter
- 1:00 Furry Friends on Campus: Service & Emotional Support Animals**
Kathryn Monroe
- 1:45 "Please Don't File a Complaint" Ethics Game Show & Quiz**
Chad Timmons, Dr. Jennifer Kent, Dr. Pam Anglin, Rebecca Bradley
and Kay Schroeder
- 2:45 General Meeting**
- 3:00 Closing Remarks**

CLE Pending - Total Program Hours: 7.0

Conference Information

ONLINE REGISTRATION

www.tacatx.com - Conference 2023

	Early Registration Before January 4, 2023	Late Registration After January 4, 2023
TACCA Members	\$175.00	\$200.00
Non-Members	\$200.00	\$225.00

Credit card fees will be applied to transaction

*No confirmation of your registration will be sent.

*If unable to register online, make checks payable to **TACCA** and mail to Lisa Gray, PO Box 447, Amarillo, TX 79178 along with your contact information.

*Cancellation and Refund Policy: Send written notice of cancellation to lisagr@actx.edu on or before January 9, 2023 to receive a partial refund (registration fee less \$50 processing fee).

*There are no refunds for cancellations received after January 9, 2023.

CONFERENCE VENUE

TASB Community College Services
12007 Research Blvd., Austin, Texas 78759
Transportation Not Provided

HOTEL INFORMATION

The Westin Austin at the Domain
11301 Domain Drive, Austin, Texas

Call for Reservations: 512-832-4197

Special Room Rate: \$209.00
Available Wednesday & Thursday Nights
Group Code: TACCA Free Parking
(Rate good through January 4, 2023)

RECEPTION

Thursday Evening from 5:00 to 6:30 pm
Westin Austin Lounge

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