



LESLEE MORRIS, J.D.

Title IX Practitioner ♦ Trainer ♦ Speaker

TOPICS OF EXPERTISE

- Title IX, Title VII, Clery Act, and Violence Against Women Act compliance and administration.
- Investigation of Title IX-related cases using a civil rights model.
- Trauma-informed investigative practices and processes.
- Gender equity and sexual misconduct policy development and review.
- Coordinated campus response to sexual misconduct.
- Bias incident/hate crime campus response and policy development.
- Mandatory reporting requirements.
- Mediation/informal resolution for student, faculty, and employee grievances when appropriate.
- Confidentiality and information-sharing considerations in Title IX cases.

SYNOPSIS

Having trained thousands of campus practitioners on Title IX and other civil rights compliance mandates applicable to schools, colleges, and universities, Leslee Morris is a highly knowledgeable and engaging trainer and speaker. She's also a skilled investigator who can be counted on to get to the bottom of even the most complex cases of gender-based discrimination, sexual harassment, and assault, involving students, faculty, and staff members, helping institutions reach the right decisions while also protecting the rights of all parties involved in complaints.

"She was great and so very approachable! We all really liked her. She took the direction that we needed and was just marvelous. We told her our concerns she addressed all of them. It was just GREAT!"

— Elisabeth Davidson, Program Specialist, Office of Equity and Inclusion, Portland Community College

BIO

- Affiliated Consultant, The NCHERM Group, LLC. (www.ncherm.org), and former Associate Attorney.
- Title IX Investigator, San Diego Community College District.
- Former Advisory Board Member, ATIXA, the Association of Title IX Administrators (www.atixa.org).
- Broad experience in campus compliance roles, including serving as:
 - Former Research Associate, Office of University Counsel at the University of Colorado, specializing in employment discrimination cases.
 - Investigator, Student Conduct Office at the University of Colorado, specializing in civil right-based grievances.
 - Title IX Compliance and Grievances Coordinator, National University.
- Former Policy Analyst, Children's Rights, Inc., specializing in child welfare and juvenile justice issues.
- Co-Author, *Youth Involvement in the Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice Systems: A Case of Double Jeopardy?*
- Former Contributing Editor, *Title IX Today*, an ATIXA publication.

MEDIA AVAILABILITY

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