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EVENT AGENDA

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2026 | Montgomery College, Maryland



10:00–10:15 AM	**WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS** Introductions, forum objectives, and setting the stage for the day.
10:15–11:15 AM	**LESSONS FROM THE HEADLINES: STRESS-TESTING YOUR VAWA, CLERY & TITLE IX RESPONSE** Examine recent cases, common compliance breakdowns, and practical ways to assess institutional policies and procedures.
11:15–11:30 AM	**COFFEE & NETWORKING BREAK**
11:30 AM–12:00 PM	**LATE-BREAKING: CAMPUSES IN THE NEWS** Explore recent campus safety headlines, emerging concerns, and lessons for peer institutions.
12:00–1:00 PM	**NETWORKING LUNCH**
1:00–1:45 PM	**THE NEW CONGRESS AND WHAT IT MAY MEAN FOR YOUR WORK** Discuss legislative and regulatory developments affecting campus safety, Clery, Title IX, and hazing compliance in 2027.
1:45–2:00 PM	**COFFEE & NETWORKING BREAK**
2:00–2:45 PM	**ELEVATING YOUR ROLE: TELLING YOUR DEPARTMENT'S STORY** Explore how to communicate risk, demonstrate program value, and strengthen your department's strategic influence with institutional leadership.
2:45–3:00 PM	**KEY TAKEAWAYS, AUDIENCE Q&A & CLOSING REMARKS** Reflect on actionable next steps and priorities for the year ahead.