



# INDIANA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

INDIANA  
STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

**Name of Agency or Office:** Indiana State Board of Education ("Board")

DEC 18 2019

**Name of Recipient:** Brian Murphy

**Title of Recipient:** Board Executive Director

FILED

**Brief Description of Item Solicited, Accepted, or Received and approximate value of item:**

Mr. Murphy was offered a scholarship to attend the recent Foundation for Excellence in Education ("ExcelinEd") National Summit on Education Reform conference, in San Diego, California. The scholarship reimbursed Mr. Murphy for his flight, ground travel, hotel, meals, and registration fee to attend the November 20-21, 2019, ExcelinEd conference. The approximate value of the scholarship is \$1,830.96.

**Date of Receipt:** Reimbursement pending at the time of filing this form.


**Name of Donor:** Foundation for Excellence in Education.

**Donor's Address:** P.O. Box 10691  
Tallahassee, FL 32302

**Nature of Business Relationship with Agency:** In 2018, the Board invited ExcelinEd to present at a board meeting and discuss national trends and best practices utilized by other states in developing state accountability systems. At that meeting, Patricia Levesque, CEO of ExcelinEd provided public testimony, research, and recommendations to the Board in regard to the State's accountability system for measuring school performance, which the Board is currently in the process of reviewing and revising.

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As a member of the Board staff, it is in the public's interest that Mr. Murphy attend this event to represent Indiana and to bring back valuable information from the resources mentioned above, as well as all of the other topics that will be discussed during the conference.

  
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Timothy Schultz, General Counsel/Ethics Officer  
Indiana State Board of Education

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**Name of Agency or Office:** Indiana State Board of Education ("Board")

**Name of Recipient:** Greg Gastineau

**Title of Recipient:** Board Member

**Brief Description of Item Solicited, Accepted, or Received and approximate value of item:**

Mr. Gastineau was offered a scholarship to attend the recent Foundation for Excellence in Education ("ExcelinEd") National Summit on Education Reform conference, in San Diego, California. The scholarship reimbursed Mr. Gastineau for his flight, ground travel, hotel, meals, and registration fee to attend the November 20-21, 2019, ExcelinEd conference. The approximate value of the scholarship is \$1,677.53.

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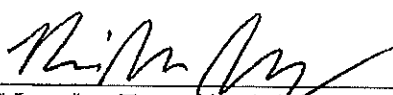
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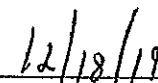
**Donor's Address:** P.O. Box 10691  
Tallahassee, FL 32302

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**Brian Murphy, Executive Director**  
Indiana State Board of Education

  
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Name of Agency or Office: Indiana State Board of Education ("Board")

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STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

Name of Recipient: Katie Mote

DEC 18 2019

Title of Recipient: Board Member/Vice Chair

FILED

**Brief Description of Item Solicited, Accepted, or Received and approximate value of item:**

Ms. Mote was offered a scholarship to attend the recent Foundation for Excellence in Education ("ExcelinEd") National Summit on Education Reform conference, in San Diego, California. The scholarship reimbursed Ms. Mote for her flight, ground travel, hotel, meals, and registration fee to attend the November 20-21, 2019, ExcelinEd conference. The approximate value of the scholarship is \$2086.50.

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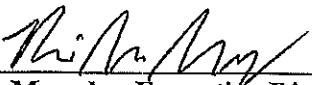
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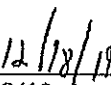
**Donor's Address:** P.O. Box 10691  
Tallahassee, FL 32302

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As a member of the Board, it is in the public's interest that Ms. Mote attend this event to represent Indiana and to bring back valuable information from the resources mentioned above, as well as all of the other topics that will be discussed during the conference.

  
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**Brian Murphy, Executive Director**  
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**Name of Agency or Office:** Indiana State Board of Education ("Board")

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**Name of Recipient:** Peter Miller

DEC 18 2019

**Title of Recipient:** Board Member

FILED

**Brief Description of Item Solicited, Accepted, or Received and approximate value of item:**

Mr. Miller was offered a scholarship to attend the recent Foundation for Excellence in Education ("ExcelinEd") National Summit on Education Reform conference, in San Diego, California. The scholarship reimbursed Mr. Miller for his flight, ground travel, hotel, meals, and registration fee to attend the November 20-21, 2019, ExcelinEd conference. The approximate value of the scholarship is \$1,808.96.

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**Name of Donor:** Foundation for Excellence in Education.

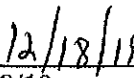
**Donor's Address:** P.O. Box 10691  
Tallahassee, FL 32302

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As a member of the Board, it is in the public's interest that Mr. Miller attend this event to represent Indiana and to bring back valuable information from the resources mentioned above, as well as all of the other topics that will be discussed during the conference.

  
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**Brian Murphy, Executive Director**  
**Indiana State Board of Education**

  
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**Name of Agency or Office:** Indiana State Board of Education ("Board")

**Name of Recipient:** Ron Sandlin

DEC 18 2019

**Title of Recipient:** Senior Director, School Performance & Transformation

FILED

**Brief Description of Item Solicited, Accepted, or Received and approximate value of item:**

Mr. Sandlin was offered a scholarship to attend the recent Foundation for Excellence in Education ("ExcelinEd") National Summit on Education Reform conference, in San Diego, California. The scholarship reimbursed Mr. Sandlin for his flight, ground travel, hotel, meals, and registration fee to attend the November 20-21, 2019, ExcelinEd conference. The approximate value of the scholarship is \$1749.27.

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**Name of Donor:** Foundation for Excellence in Education.

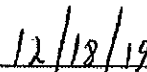
**Donor's Address:** P.O. Box 10691  
Tallahassee, FL 32302

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**Brian Murphy, Executive Director**  
**Indiana State Board of Education**

  
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**Name of Agency or Office:** Indiana State Board of Education ("Board")

INDIANA  
STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

**Name of Recipient:** Dr. David Freitas

DEC 18 2019

**Title of Recipient:** Board Member

FILED

**Brief Description of Item Solicited, Accepted, or Received and approximate value of item:**

Dr. Freitas was offered a scholarship to attend the recent Foundation for Excellence in Education ("ExcelinEd") National Summit on Education Reform conference, in San Diego, California. The scholarship reimbursed Dr. Freitas for his flight, ground travel, hotel, meals, and registration fee to attend the November 20-21, 2019, ExcelinEd conference. The approximate value of the scholarship is \$2000.33.

**Date of Receipt:** Reimbursement pending at the time of filing this form.

**Name of Donor:** Foundation for Excellence in Education.

**Donor's Address:** P.O. Box 10691  
Tallahassee, FL 32302

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As a member of the Board, it is in the public's interest that Dr. Freitas attend this event to represent Indiana and to bring back valuable information from the resources mentioned above, as well as all of the other topics that will be discussed during the conference.

  
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Brian Murphy, Executive Director  
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Name of Recipient: Chad Ranney

DEC 18 2019

Title of Recipient: Senior Director—Policy & Legislative Affairs

FILED

**Brief Description of Item Solicited, Accepted, or Received and approximate value of item:**

Mr. Ranney was offered a scholarship to attend the recent Foundation for Excellence in Education ("ExcelinEd") National Summit on Education Reform conference, in San Diego, California. The scholarship reimbursed Mr. Ranney for his flight, ground travel, hotel, meals, and registration fee to attend the November 20-21, 2019, ExcelinEd conference. The approximate value of the scholarship is \$1,800.75.

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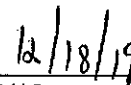
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Brian Murphy, Executive Director  
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**Name of Agency or Office:** Indiana State Board of Education ("Board")

**Name of Recipient:** Tony Walker

DEC 18 2019

**Title of Recipient:** Board Member

FILED

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Mr. Walker was offered a scholarship to attend the recent Foundation for Excellence in Education ("ExcelinEd") National Summit on Education Reform conference, in San Diego, California. The scholarship reimbursed Mr. Walker for his flight, ground travel, hotel, meals, and registration fee to attend the November 20-21, 2019, ExcelinEd conference. The approximate value of the scholarship is \$1805.92.

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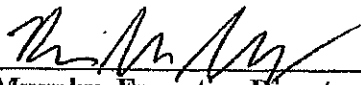
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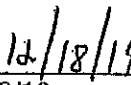
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Indiana State Board of Education

  
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**Name of Agency or Office:** Indiana State Board of Education ("Board")

**Name of Recipient:** B.J. Watts

DEC 18 2019

**Title of Recipient:** Board Member/Chair

FILED

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Mr. Watts was offered a scholarship to attend the recent Foundation for Excellence in Education ("ExcelinEd") National Summit on Education Reform conference, in San Diego, California. The scholarship reimbursed Mr. Watts for his flight, ground travel, hotel, meals, and registration fee to attend the November 20-21, 2019, ExcelinEd conference. The approximate value of the scholarship is \$2013.96.

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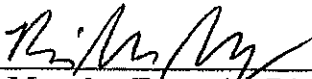
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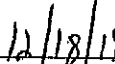
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Brian Murphy, Executive Director  
Indiana State Board of Education

  
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**Name of Agency or Office:** Indiana State Board of Education ("Board")

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**Name of Recipient:** William Durham

**Title of Recipient:** Board Member

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Mr. Durham was offered a scholarship to attend the recent Foundation for Excellence in Education ("ExcelinEd") National Summit on Education Reform conference, in San Diego, California. The scholarship reimbursed Mr. Durham for his flight, ground travel, hotel, meals, and registration fee to attend the November 20-21, 2019, ExcelinEd conference. The approximate value of the scholarship is \$1,577.97.

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**Donor's Address:** P.O. Box 10691  
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As a member of the Board, it is in the public's interest that Mr. Durham attend this event to represent Indiana and to bring back valuable information from the resources mentioned above, as well as all of the other topics that will be discussed during the conference.

  
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Brian Murphy, Executive Director  
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