



**Georgia Independent College Association
Compliance Collaborative Program**

**The Practice of Conducting Fair, Thorough, and Trauma Informed
Sexual Misconduct Investigations**

Tuesday, September 27, 2022 – 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

The training will address the practical application of trauma-informed principles when conducting fair, neutral, and thorough investigations. Participants will learn tools and strategies to assist them in effectively and efficiently executing their responsibilities as an investigator.

The agenda includes:

- 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. (or 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.)
 - Training Objectives:
 - Introductions and Review of Title IX – Final Rule
- 10:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. (or 2:15 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.)
 - Training Objectives:
 - The role of a Title IX Decision-maker in a Live Hearing has changed. The Title IX regulations make it very clear that decision-makers must be trained about specific topics. This training will focus on the following subjects:
 - General process for handling a hearing
 - Required attendance by an institution-provider Advisor
 - Cross-examination
 - Process
 - “Waiving” questions
 - Ruling by decision-maker
 - Relevant questions
 - Not relevant questions
 - Rape shield, legally recognized privilege, hearsay, medical records
 - Institutional decisions as to weight of evidence
 - Credibility determination and factors

Speaker: Chantelle Cleary Botticelli, Director of Strategic Partnerships and Client Relations, Grand Rivers Solutions

Chantelle is a nationally recognized subject-matter expert in Title IX and related fields. She has more than 10 years of experience in the investigation and adjudication of sexual and interpersonal violence.



She lectures extensively at universities and conferences throughout the U.S. on Title IX, VAWA, harassment, and implementation of best and emerging practices.