

Birmingham District VIRTUAL EEO SEMINAR What Now? The EEO Landscape in 2020 Wednesday – August 19, 2020

AGENDA

08:30 a.m. Virtual Environment Opens

09:00 a.m. **Opening Remarks**

Bradley A. Anderson, District Director US Equal Employment Opportunity Commission – Birmingham District Eddi Abdulhaqq, Outreach & Education Coordinator US Equal Employment Opportunity Commission – Birmingham District

09:30 a.m. **EEOC Legal Update**

Learn about the EEOC's legal efforts regarding race, sex/gender, religion, national origin, color, age, sex-based wage and genetic information discrimination, harassment and retaliation. Marsha L. Rucker, Regional Attorney US Equal Employment Opportunity Commission – Birmingham District

10:30 p.m. Break

10:45 a.m. The ADA, Title VII, ADEA, GINA and COVID-19 Share in celebrating the 30th Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) while gaining valuable insight about how the ADA and other EEO laws apply to situations employers face during the COVID-19 pandemic. *Jeanne Goldberg, Senior Attorney Advisor, Office of Legal Counsel US Equal Employment Opportunity Commission*

12:00 noon Break

12:30 p.m. The Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services Makes Accommodations Possible

Discover reasonable accommodation possibilities and learn about the many services provided by the Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services Vocational Rehabilitation Services which has been making the impossible possible for 100 years for employers and employees. Leslie Dawson, State Administrator, Business Relations Program Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services, Vocational Rehabilitation

01:30 p.m. Break

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- 1:45 p.m. Maintaining an Equitable and Civil Work Environment Experience a "how-to" discussion of employer and employee rights and responsibilities for maintaining an equitable and civil work environment. Awaiting confirmation.
- 2:45 p.m. Questions, Comments
- 3:00 p.m. Adjourn

