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“If higher education is to fulfill its mission of delivering opportunity and social mobility to all Louisianans, we must craft a new policy agenda that puts student outcomes at the center.”

Kim Hunter Reed, Ph.D.
Commissioner of Higher Education

SB 117

Sen. Walsworth

AFFORDABLE TEXTBOOKS

Increase college affordability and student success through the utilization of open education resources. Provide cost transparency to students when registering for classes by marking which courses exclusively use low- or no-cost course materials.

SB 243

Sen. Morrish

DUAL ENROLLMENT TASK FORCE

Create a task force to study the creation of a statewide framework designed to provide equitable access to dual enrollment courses to eligible and interested high school juniors and seniors.

HB 294

Rep. Carpenter

SEXUAL ASSAULT CLIMATE SURVEYS

Amend current law to allow for increased response rates and broader utility of the anonymous sexual assault climate surveys administered by postsecondary campuses.

HB 562

Rep. Emerson
Sen. Morrish

PROPRIETARY SCHOOLS LAW UPDATE

In collaboration with proprietary school owners and stakeholders, update the existing proprietary schools statute to eliminate ambiguity and redundancy, provide clarity and promote consumer protection.

HB 576

Rep. Zeringue

LUMCON & LOUIS CARRYOVER AUTHORITY

Ensure cash flow stability for the LA Universities Marine Consortium (LUMCON) and the LA Library Network (LOUIS) by codifying the authority to carry over interagency transfers and self-generated revenue.

SCR 42

Sen. Appel
Rep. Brass

WORK-BASED LEARNING

Address workforce shortages and better prepare students for 21st century jobs by developing a framework to implement work-based learning opportunities by connecting industry with education.

