

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

# LESSONS LEARNED IN 2018 (In preparation for Elections 2020)

February 23-26, 2019  
Hyatt Regency Birmingham-The Wynfrey Hotel  
Birmingham, Alabama

### Saturday, February 23

8:00-9:00	Registration Desk	WyndSOR Foyer
9:00-12:00	Course #7 <a href="#">Facilitating Voter Participation</a> Mitchell Brown, Ph.D., Auburn University, Auburn, AL	WyndSOR I
	Course #8 <a href="#">Implementation of New Programs</a> Robert Montjoy, Ph.D., Auburn, AL	WyndSOR II
	Course #31 <a href="#">Election Story Telling</a> Kathleen Hale, JD, Ph.D., Auburn University, Auburn, AL	Yorkshire
12:00-1:30	Lunch for CERA Students Only	Ivory
1:30-4:30	Courses Continued	

### Sunday, February 24

8:00-11:00	Courses Continued	
3:00-4:00	<a href="#">Investing in Elections</a>	Yorkshire
5:00-8:00	Registration Desk	Outside Ivory
6:00-7:30	Welcome Reception	Ivory

### Monday, February 25

8:00-3:00	Registration Desk	WyndSOR Foyer
8:30-9:00	Continental Breakfast	WyndSOR Foyer

## ALL MEETINGS TODAY AND TUESDAY WILL BE IN THE WYNDSOR ROOM

9:00-9:15	<a href="#">Welcome/Housekeeping</a> Tim Mattice, CERA, Executive Director, Election Center, Katy, TX Ernie Hawkins, CERA, Program Chair, Election Center, Elk Grove, CA	
9:15-10:00	<a href="#">Keynote</a> Honorable John Merrill, Alabama Secretary of State, Montgomery, AL	
10:00-10:30	<a href="#">Professionalization Index</a> Mitchell Brown, Professor, Auburn University, Auburn, AL Kathleen Hale, Auburn University Professor and Director, Graduate Programs in Election Administration, Auburn, AL	
10:30-11:00	Break	WyndSOR Foyer
11:00-11:45	<a href="#">Helpful Hints from the EAC</a>	
11:45-12:30	<a href="#">EAVS Discussion and Update</a> David Kuennen, Senior Research Program Specialist, U.S. Election Assistance Commission, Silver Spring, MD	
12:30-2:00	Hosted Lunch	Ivory
2:00-2:30	<a href="#">UOCAVA Hints and Update</a> David Beirne, CERA, Director Federal Voting Assistance Program, Alexandria, VA	
2:30-3:00	<a href="#">USPS Services and Goals (A review of 2018)</a> Anthony Albence, CERA, Chair, Election Center Postal Committee, Wilmington, DE Daniel Bentley, Program Specialist, USPS, Washington, DC Tammy Patrick, Senior Advisor, The Democracy Fund, Washington, DC	
3:00-3:30	<a href="#">Security of Vote by Mail Voting</a> Steve Trout, Oregon State Election Director, Salem, OR Daniel Bentley, Program Specialist, USPS, Washington, DC	
3:30-4:45	<a href="#">Conducting Elections after a Major Disaster (Hurricane Michael)</a> Moderators: Susan Gill, CERA, Citrus County Supervisor of Elections, Inverness, FL Mark Anderson, Bay County Supervisor of Elections	

## Tuesday, February 26

- 8:00-2:00      **Registration Desk**                      *WyndSOR Foyer*
- 8:30-9:00      **Continental Breakfast**                      *WyndSOR Foyer*
- 9:00-10:00      **2018 Florida Elections**  
Moderator:  
Bill Cowles, CERA, Orange County Supervisor of Elections,  
Orlando, FL
- 10:00-10:30      **Voting at Home**  
Amber McReynolds, Executive Director, Vote at Home  
Foundation, Denver, CO
- 10:30-11:00      **Break**    *WyndSOR Foyer*
- 11:00-11:30      **Continued Increase in Voter Participation -Research to Practice**  
Adam Strong, Research Impact Fellow, Center for Information  
& Research on Civic Learning & Engagement, Tufts  
University, Medford, MA  
Kei Kawashima-Ginsberg, Director, Center for Information  
& Research on Civic Learning & Engagement, Tufts  
University, Medford, MA
- 11:30-12:00      **Election Security**  
Matt Masterson, Senior Cybersecurity Advisor, Homeland  
Security, Washington, DC
- 12:00-12:30      **An Introduction to Alabama Voting**
- 12:30-2:00      **No host lunch**
- 2:00-3:00      **Election Line Review of 2018 Elections**  
Mindy Moretti, Writer/Editor, Electionline.org, Washington, DC
- 3:00-3:30      **Investing in Elections**  
Kathleen Hale, Auburn University Professor and Director,  
Graduate Programs in Election Administration,  
Auburn, AL  
Tyler St.Clair, Election Center Fellow, Auburn University, AL  
Members of the Investing in Elections Steering  
Committee
- 3:30-4:30      **Services Available from The Election Center**  
Tim Mattice, CERA, Executive Director, Election Center, Katy, TX



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