

## **CURRENT OFFICERS**

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**May 7-9, 2025**

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# GAINS AGENDA

Wednesday, May 7, 2025

## Pre-Conference

Financial Review/Ethics Sessions 10:00 – 4:00

Thursday, May 8, 2025

PLEASE VISIT OUR VENDORS DURING THE BREAKS

Registration and Buffet Breakfast: 7:45-8:45

Welcome:  
Tomecka Woody, Meriwether County Schools 8:45-9:00

Session I: 9:00-10:00  
Dr. Haywood Cordy, PAGE Foundation President  
Professional Association of Georgia Educators  
Surviving and Thriving!

Break: 10:00-10:30

Session II 10:30-11:45  
Stephanie Tanner, Governmental Relations Manager  
GSBA  
Legislative Updates

Break: 11:45-12:00

Lunch: 12:00-1:00  
(If Session II is completed early, lunch will not begin until the time shown)

Session III: 1:00-2:15  
Rachael Krizanek, Director of Internal Controls and Policy  
State Accounting Office  
Internal Controls and Risk Assessment

Break: 2:15-2:45

Session IV: 2:45-4:00  
Liz Harlow, Financial Review  
Georgia Department of Education  
Accounting Updates and Changes

Friday, May 9, 2025

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Breakfast and Visit Vendors 7:45-8:45

Session I: 8:45-9:45  
Sara McLeod, Deputy Director  
Morgan Williams, Deputy Director  
Georgia Department of Audits  
Audit Updates and Current Issues

Break: 9:45-10:00

Vendor gift presentations: 10:00-10:10

Session II: 10:10-11:40  
Cory Kirby  
Pereira, Kirby, Kinsinger, & Nguyen  
Issues Pertaining to Georgia Schools

Break: 11:40-11:50

Session III: 11:50-12:05  
General Business Information Session  
Election of Officers for 2025  
Drawing for door prizes (Must be present to win)

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