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**MONDAY, JUNE 30, 2014**

**National Forum on Education Policy**

**Subject:** The Education Commission of the States (ECS) will host their 2014 national forum to discuss education policy, from early learning through postsecondary education and beyond from June 30th to July 2nd.

**Participants:** Governor Brian Sandoval (R-NV); Sal Khan, Founder and Executive Director, Khan Academy; Janet Napolitano, Former Secretary of Homeland Security, President, University of California System; Brandon Busteed, Director, Gallup Education; Kenneth Trump, President, National School Safety and Security Services; and other guests.

**Time and Location:** 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (agenda); Capital Hilton, 1001 16th Street, NW, Washington DC.

**Contact:** Register at: [http://www.cvent.com/events/2014-national-forum-on-education-policy/event-summary-8eed0930754643c0a06e3ae18305cd2b.aspx](http://www.cvent.com/events/2014-national-forum-on-education-policy/event-summary-8eed0930754643c0a06e3ae18305cd2b.aspx) (there is a general registration fee).

**TUESDAY, JULY 1, 2014**

NONE.

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 2, 2014**

NONE.
THURSDAY, JULY 3, 2014
NONE.

FRIDAY, JULY 4, 2014
INDEPENDENCE DAY—FEDERAL HOLIDAY.

On The Floor This Week

Senate Floor:
The Senate will be in recess until July 7th.

House Floor:
The House will be in recess until July 8th.

Bills to Watch

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION ACT (ESEA)
S. 1094  Sponsor: Sen. Tom Harkin (D-IA)
Strengthening American Schools Act of 2013 to reauthorize the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (6/12/13 passed by Senate HELP Committee)

Student Success Act to reauthorize the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (6/19/13 passed by House Ed and Workforce Committee)

WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT (WIA)
H.R. 803  Sponsors: Sens. Tom Harkin (D-IA); Patty Murray (D-WA), Lamar Alexander (R-TN); Johnny Isakson (R-GA)
Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (bipartisan, bicameral agreement) – Amendment in the nature of a substitute (6/25/14 passed by Senate; 5/20/14 introduced)

H.R. 803  Sponsor: Rep. Virginia Foxx (R-NC)
Supporting Knowledge and Investing in Lifelong Skills Act (3/15/13 passed by House; 3/6/13 passed by House Education and the Workforce Committee)

Links for Up-to-Date Information on Hearings, Legislation, and Events

U.S. House of Representatives 2013 Schedule:
http://majorityleader.gov/calendar/113thCongressFirstSession.pdf
U.S. Senate 2013 Schedule:
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