



I. CEF Hill Briefing: The Impact of COVID-19 on Education Jobs, Thursday, March 25, 2 – 3:30 p.m. ET

- [RSVP here for the Zoom webinar link](#) – CEF is holding its first Zoom briefing of the year for congressional education staffers and CEF members next Thursday on the impact of COVID 19 on education jobs – something that will be affected by the American Rescue Plan’s historic support for education. Education job losses have implications for teaching and learning as well as for the importance of fiscal year 2022 federal education funding to address long-standing needs. CEF has invited all congressional education staffers, but feel free to forward this invitation personally to Hill staff with whom you work.



Briefing on the Impact of COVID-19 on Education Jobs
Thursday, March 25, 2021
2 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. ET
[Click here to register](#) for the Zoom webinar

The briefing features a panel of researchers and policy experts who will provide a broad outline of the impact on education jobs nationwide, discuss the disparate impact from state to state, and address the job impact in both the elementary and secondary school arena as well as higher education. States and localities have already eliminated more than 1 million jobs and cut billions from their education budgets, and colleges have been hard hit, with nearly one quarter laying off faculty, office, and administrative staff by last fall. Panelists are:

- [Melat Kassa](#), Research Associate, Economic Policy Institute
- [Maryanne Salm](#), Associate Director of Research & Strategic Initiatives, American Federation of Teachers
- [Andy Brantley](#), President and CEO, College and University Professional Association for Human Resources

- **You must RSVP to attend** – Unlike CEF’s usual Zoom meetings, you must [RSVP in advance to get the Zoom link](#) to attend this webinar.