

**EARLY CHILDHOOD ACCESS CONSORTIUM FOR EQUITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS
AS OF JANUARY 30, 2025**

Appointee Name	Appointing Entity	Affiliation/ Organization	Appointment Category	Term Expiration
Adrienne Pickett	ICCB	ICCB	Co-Chair	
Joyce Gronewold	ISBE	ISBE	Co-Chair	
Vacant	IDEC	IDEC	Co-Chair	
Ginger Ostro	IBHE	IBHE	Co-Chair	
Trish Rooney	IDHS	IDHS	Co-Chair	
VACANT	Legislation	Senate Higher Education Committee	Chair/Vice-Chair, Senate Higher Education Committee	October 31, 2027
TBD	Legislation	Senate Higher Education Committee	Minority Spokesperson, Senate Higher Education Committee	October 31, 2025
TBD	Legislation	House Higher Education Committee	Chair/Vice-Chair House Higher Education Committee	October 31, 2026

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VACANT	Legislation	House Higher Education Committee	Minority Spokesperson, House Higher Education Committee	October 31, 2027
Jill Andrews	IDEC	Kiddie College	Employer in Southern IL	October 31, 2026
Kimberly McClellan	IBHE	Southern Illinois University Edwardsville	Union Representing Higher Education Faculty	October 31, 2025
Jennifer Buchter	IBHE	Eastern Illinois University	Union Representing Higher Education Faculty	October 31, 2027
Kate Connor	ICCB	Truman College	Urban Community College	October 31, 2025
Lisa Downey	IBHE	National Louis University	Private University, College of Education	October 31, 2025
Laurie Elish-Piper	IBHE	Northern Illinois University	Rural Public University, College of Education	October 31, 2026

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Emnet Gebrehiiwet Ward	IDEC	Eyes on the Future Child Development Center	For-profit Child Care Provider	October 31, 2026
Alicia Geddis	ISBE	Danville School District 118	Urban School District	October 31, 2027
Francis Godwyll	IBHE	Illinois State University	Other Experts	October 31, 2027
Rochelle Golliday	IDEC	Cuddle Care, Inc.	Community-Based Child Care Provider	October 31, 2026
Ashley Harms	IDHS	Amity Child Care Center	Non-profit Child Care Provider	October 31, 2025
Michael Kim	IDEC	Illinois Action for Children	Advocate With Statewide Expertise	October 31, 2026
VACANT	DCFS	IL Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS)	DCFS	October 31, 2027
Leslie Mckinily	ISBE	Chicago Public Schools, District 299	District In a City with a Population Of 500,000 Or More	October 31, 2026

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Lauri Morrison-Frichtl	IDEC	IL Head Start Association	Other Experts	October 31, 2026
Stephanie Neuman	IDEC	Kountry Kids Learning Center	Employer in Central Illinois	October 31, 2025
Susan Orozco	ISBE	East Aurora School District 131	Suburban School District	October 31, 2027
Evelyn Osorio	IDHS	Service Employees International Union	Union Representing Child Care and Early Childhood Providers	October 31, 2026
Meredith Palmer	ICCB	Richland Community College	Rural Community College	October 31, 2025
Joi Patterson	IBHE	Governors State University	Suburban Public University, College of Education	October 31, 2025
Tywanda Jiles	ICCB	Prairie State College	Suburban Community College	October 31, 2027
Jim Reed	ICCB	Illinois Community College Trustee Association	Organization that Advocates on Behalf of Community	October 31, 2025

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			College Trustees	
Martina Rocha	IDHS	Together for Children Network	Family Child Care Provider	October 31, 2025
Stephanie Schmitz-Bechteler	ISAC	Illinois Student Assistance Commission	Illinois Student Assistance Commission	October 31, 2027
VACANT	IDEC	INCCRRA	INCCRRA	October 31, 2026
VACANT	ISBE		Rural School District	October 31, 2026
Tom Phillion	IBHE	Northeastern Illinois University	Urban Public University, College of Education	October 31, 2026
Ken Trzaska	ICCB	Community College Presidents Council, Lewis & Clark Community College	Other Experts	October 31, 2027
VACANT	IDEC		Advocate with Statewide Expertise	October 31, 2025