



Each Illinois school board member who is elected or appointed to fill a vacancy of at least one year’s duration must complete State-mandated *professional development leadership training* (PDLT) and *Open Meetings Act* (OMA) training. State-mandated training is also required for board members who want to vote upon a dismissal based upon the *Performance Evaluation Reform Act* . For additional information, see Board policy [2:120](#), *Board Member Development*.

The following table contains State-mandated training requirements and other professional development activities that were completed by each Board member. When the Illinois Association of School Boards (IASB) provided the training, the acronym “IASB” follows the listed activity.

Name	Development and Training Activity and Provider	Date Completed
Laura Mellon	Open Meetings Act	06/14/13
Laura Mellon	Performance Evaluation Reform Act [PERA] Professional Development Leadership Training	06/14/13
Laura Vogt	Open Meetings Act	6/9/17
Laura Vogt	Performance Evaluation Reform Act [PERA] Professional Development Leadership Training	6/9/17
Lisa Yaffe	Performance Evaluation Reform Act [PERA] Professional Development Leadership Training [PDLT]	7/12/19
Lisa Yaffe	Open Meetings Act	7/12/19
Peter Rastrelli	Performance Evaluation Reform Act [PERA] Professional Development Leadership Training [PDLT]	7/12/19
Peter Rastrelli	Open Meetings Act	7/12/19
Laura Vogt	IASB Workshop Leading Leaders: The Job of the Board President	11/22/19



Laura Vogt	Trends in Collective Bargaining for School Board Member	1/25/2020
Aaron Wellington	Open Meetings Act	10/29/2020
Aaron Wellington	Performance Evaluation Reform Act [PERA] Professional Development Leadership Training [PDLT]	11/24/2020
Linda Vecchie	Open Meetings Act	5/18/2021
Linda Vecchie	Basics of Governance	5/18/2021
Linda Vecchie	Performance Evaluation Reform Act [PERA] Professional Development Leadership Training [PDLT]	6/7/2021
Mark Ponce	Open Meetings Act	6/2015
Mark Ponce	Performance Evaluation Reform Act [PERA] Professional Development Leadership Training [PDLT]	6/2015

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