

# School Board Conference

## AGENDA

**Saturday, October 18, 2014**

**9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

**Archdiocesan Center, Bloomfield, CT (Alumni Lounge)**

**“Unleashing the Leader in You: Building Better Boards”  
(20/20 Vision: 4.1, 4.2)**

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| <b>9:00 a.m.</b>               | <b>Coffee and Registration</b>  |
| <b>9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.</b>  | <b>Keynote Address: “Profile of a Board Leader”<br/>Dr. Dale R. Hoyt<br/>Superintendent of Catholic Schools<br/>Archdiocese of Hartford</b>   |
| <b>10:15 a.m.</b>              | <b>Break</b>  |
| <b>10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.</b> | <b>Breakout Session: “Mission Value and Leadership”<br/>Dr. Camille Brown<br/>Associate Superintendent for School Leadership<br/>and Community Programs<br/>Diocese of Baltimore</b>      |
| <b>11:20 a.m. – 12:05 p.m.</b> | <b>Breakout Session: “Structure and Authority”<br/>Mr. Robert O’Hara<br/>Chair, Archdiocesan School Board</b><br><br><b>Mrs. Terry Becker<br/>Chair at Northwest Catholic High School</b> |

***Forthcoming 30 minute webinars on school planning, advancement, finances***



**Dr. Dale R. Hoyt, Superintendent of Catholic Schools, Archdiocese of Hartford**

Dale R. Hoyt, Ed.D. has served ten years as Catholic School Superintendent of the Archdiocese of Hartford, CT and eight years as Catholic School Superintendent of the Archdiocese of San Antonio, TX . He spent six years as a Catholic elementary school principal in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Prior to that, he was an elementary and secondary Catholic school teacher. He also is a former adjunct faculty member of the University of San Francisco and St. Mary University in San Antonio, TX.

Dr. Hoyt received his doctoral degree in Education from the American International College, Springfield, MA. He received a Master of Arts in Education from the University of San Francisco, and a Master of Theological Studies from the Catholic Theological Union, a Bachelor of Arts in Religious Education from Columbia Pacific University. He has authored several articles in various Catholic papers and journals on Catholic school education.



**Camille Lewis Brown, Ph.D., Associate Superintendent for School Leadership and Community Programs, Archdiocese of Baltimore**

She holds a B.A. in History from Franklin and Marshall College, an M.A. in Theology from St. Charles Borromeo Seminary and a PH.D. in Educational Administration from Boston College. Dr. Brown served in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia for eighteen years as a teacher and principal prior to moving to Rhode Island where she was the Assistant Superintendent of Catholic Schools. She has lectured on Catholic Saints, Catholic schools, Catholic Educational School Boards and contemporary educational issues. Her writings include: Glossary of Catholic Education Governance Terms, A Recipe for Change: Consolidation and Restructuring in Catholic Schools and African Saints, African Stories: 40 Holy Men and Women. Her latest article is entitled, "Vatican II called the Laity: Catholic School Boards Respond". Her current research involves the life of St. Peter Claver and the Slaves of Cartagena. Dr. Brown founded the Bakhita Fund, a non-profit organization designed to provide educational assistance to children around the world. She has traveled extensively throughout the continent of Africa delivering health and school supplies to communities in need.



**Robert J. O'Hara, Esq.**

**-Director of Employment Law and HR Compliance at United Technologies Corporation**

**-Chairman at Equal Employment Advisory Council (EEAC)**

**-Chairman at Archdiocese of Hartford School Board**

-Board Chair at Northwest Catholic High School;

-Director EEO and Employment Counsel at United Technologies Corp

-Associate Counsel at Pratt & Whitney

-Attorney at Day, Berry & Howard LLP

-Customer Relations Officer at National Security Agency

-Senior Intelligence Analyst at National Security Council

-Intelligence Analyst at National Security Agency

-Georgetown University Law Center; Defense Intelligence College; The George Washington University; Walsh University; Ursuline High School

-Employment law counseling and litigation; products liability and personal injury litigation

-Specialties

-HR Counseling, HR Compliance and training



**Theresa Notte Becker, Class of 1976, AP, Chair, Northwest Catholic School Board**

1976 Graduate of Northwest Catholic High School

1980 Graduate of Bowdoin College with an AB in Mathematics

– I started my career as a reinsurance underwriter with General Reinsurance Corporation out of college in 1980. I worked for General Re for 3 years and then left the company in 1983 to become a reinsurance broker with Guy Carpenter, Inc. In 1994 I returned to General Re to work for their subsidiary, Herbert Clough, furthering my career as a reinsurance broker until 1999 when I transferred to another Gen Re subsidiary, General Re-New England Asset Management, Inc. At GR-NEAM I was V.P. of sales and marketing, responsible for new business development for the Firm. I "retired" from the firm in 2010.

– I joined the Northwest Catholic Board in 2009 and became Chair in 2012.

– I have been married for 22 years to Clint Becker and have 4 children:

– Two step daughters, Meghan 33 and Carolyn 30 and our two children Matthew, 20 and a 2011 NWC graduate and Mary, 19 and a 2013 NWC graduate.