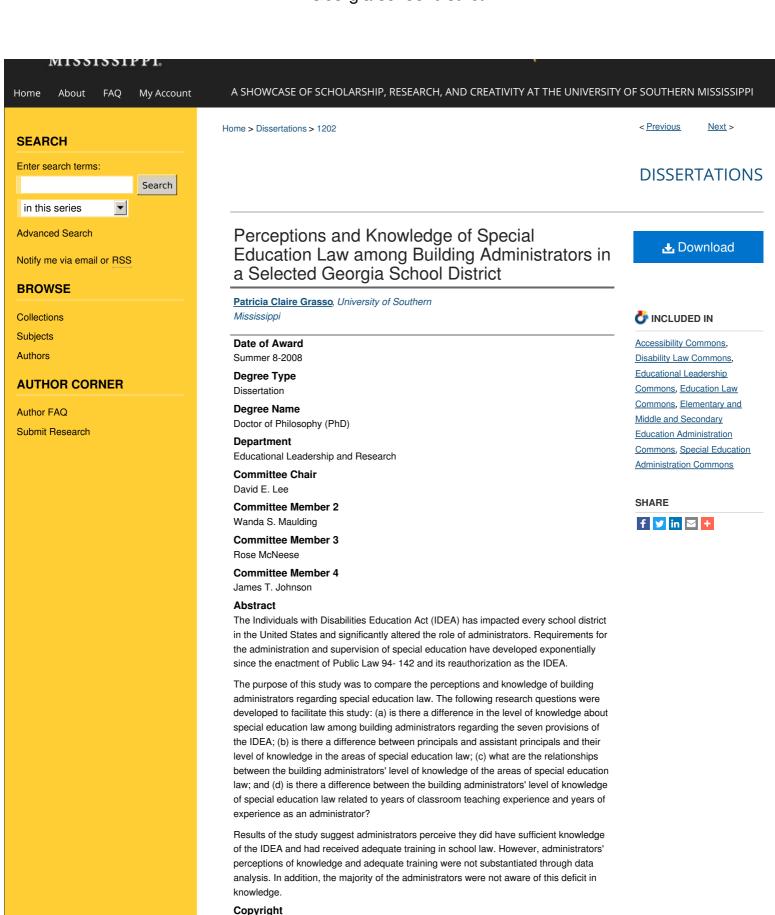
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Some districts categorize special education administrators by specific skill sets; for example, some districts have coordinators that primarily provide mentoring and support to new teachers. Coordinators can also be in charge of technology, including computerized IEP systems and cloud-based file storage. Some districts even hire special education administrators to strictly monitor and evaluate IEP compliance. Special Education Administrators on the Career Path. This background creates a strong foundation upon which they can build their knowledge of the complex legal and compliance issues that administrators oversee. Others find their way into special education administration after serving as school principals and vice principals. Schools must provide students who earn only a CDOS written confirmation that they are eligible to return and earn a diploma until they reach age 21. Child Find. New York City has an obligation to identify, locate, and evaluate each child attending a New York City school who has a disability or is suspected of being a child with a disability, regardless of the severity of the disability. This is called the "Child Find" obligation. The obligation of the DOE to maintain the student's special education records in a manner that ensures that only appropriate staff has access. Consent. General Education Curriculum. The body of knowledge and range of skills that all students, including students with disabilities, are expected to master. H. Home Instruction. Special Education Law – Job Duties. The work of the special education attorney spans the entire litigation spectrum from basic administrative proceedings to complex state and federal litigation. On the plantiff side, special education attorneys and paralegals assist in meeting the educational needs of children and protecting their constitutional rights. They must have knowledge of the education options available and be familiar with IEP issues, disabilities, discipline issues and behavioral supports. On the defense side, special education a