



## Coalition News

At this time of thanksgiving, the Coalition is sincerely grateful for the partnership of our state association members and the opportunity to serve their private nonprofit member colleges and universities.

Happy Thanksgiving!

*Lyen, Anita, and Keith*

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## NEWS from STATE ASSOCIATIONS



Maryland Independent College  
and University Association

[MICUA Presidential Search](#)



[OFIC Grants Manager Search](#)

(apply by November 30)

## PARTNER SPOTLIGHT



### Proactively Plan for 2023



Higher Education Q3 2022 - IMA Financial Group

As you prepare your 2023-24 fiscal year budgets, learn how the insurance market is reacting to current private college dynamics within Cyber Risk, Excess / Umbrella limits, Property Valuations, etc. and strategies to review for 2023 and beyond.

Nearly 1.3 million students withdrew from American colleges during the pandemic. To learn how this and other trends will impact the Higher Education insurance market and pricing, [read the latest Markets In Focus report.](#)

IMA's Higher Education practice has a 100% Success Rate in Driving Down colleges' net cost of their **Property & Casualty Insurance** Program.

For colleges not yet in the program, IMA's proprietary assessment and benchmarking process will allow CFOs and Risk Managers to efficiently and effectively quantify gaps and identify opportunities for improvement.

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### [More Information](#)

## PROGRAM UPDATES



The most wonderful time of the year is quickly approaching, which means hackers and fraudsters are already hard at work thinking of new ways to scam you, your college, and even your family. Letting your guard down while celebrating is easy, but there are ways to keep devious fraudsters from robbing you of your festive mood (and more!) while you enjoy the holiday season.

Paymerang invites you to attend its [Holiday Fraud Training](#) webinar on Wednesday, December 7 at 1:00 (Eastern). Senior Fraud Analyst, Sierre Lindgren, and Security Operations Specialist, Josh Black, will cover the latest fraud trends and how to mitigate the risk of payment fraud and ransomware attacks during the holidays and beyond.

**Wednesday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 1 P.M. EST**

During this webinar, attendees will:

- Discuss growing payment fraud risks to your organization
- Define ransomware and walk through an attack scenario
- Highlight recent payment fraud incidents that have impacted businesses
- Learn how to safeguard your organization from the latest fraud trends

**REGISTER HERE**

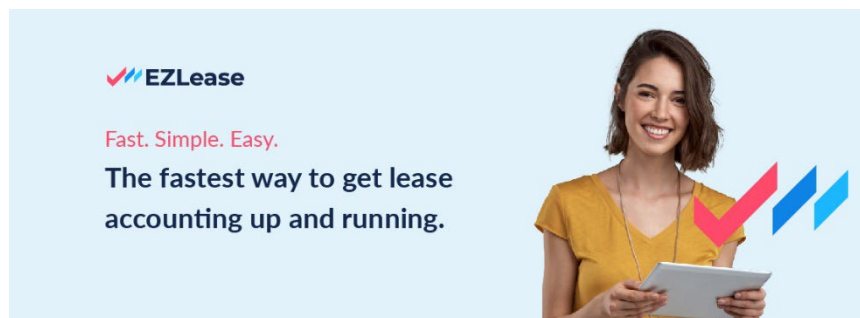
Attendees will receive **CPE credit** and a Paymerang Security Training Completion Certificate.



## Linked In Review Request

Paymerang invites current clients to [share their experience on Paymerang's Linked In Page](#). Your feedback will help Paymerang better understand your experience and help your peers decide if Paymerang's services are a good fit for their business office.

If you are not yet a Paymerang client and are curious about how Paymerang is working in business offices like yours, visit [Paymerang's Linked In Page](#) to see what your peers are saying.



Even with a fast, easy solution like EZLease, it's important not to wait until the last minute to get your lease accounting compliance project going.

As a member of your state private higher education association, you receive 20% off the list price of EZLease.

Contact [cccs@ezlease.com](mailto:cccs@ezlease.com) today to get started.

[Quick Video Overview](#)

[More Information](#)



**The Coalition** is pleased to announce a new strategic partnership with the **Higher Education Systems & Services (HESS) Consortium**.

Founded by private college & university chief information officers and chief financial officers in 2014, the [HESS Consortium](#) is a community of practice around information technology and operations in private higher education. The Consortium's primary work is centered around developing programs, buying agreements, savings, and collaboration with administrative enterprise system providers (ERP/SIS/HCM/Financial Aid and more).

Current enterprise system partners include Anthology, Ellucian, Jenzabar, Oracle and Workday as well as a number of technology consultants, cloud providers, implementation, and integration solution providers.

**Please join us on Thursday, December 8 at 2:00pm eastern to meet Keith and learn how HESS can benefit you and your college/university.**

>> [REGISTER FOR THE HESS INFORMATION SESSION HERE](#) <<

In celebration of this new strategic partnership, HESS has *waived membership fees* for its entire national membership and all new potential private, non-profit colleges and universities for 2022-2023!

[Register for free membership in the HESS Consortium](#)

Questions? Contact Keith Fowlkes at [keith.fowlkes@hessconsortium.org](mailto:keith.fowlkes@hessconsortium.org) or call 859.516.3571.

## COALITION PROGRAM DIRECTORY

Click [HERE](#) for details about these programs and contact information.

### FINANCE

EZLease

[Lease Accounting Compliance](#)

Mindstream

**Management Consulting**

First American Education Finance

**Purchasing Card**

**Project Financing**

Paymerang

[Invoice and Payment Automation](#)

Transact/Cashnet

**Incoming Payment Processing**

MCAG

[Settlement Recovery Services](#)

### TITLE IX / DEI

Grand River Solutions

**DEI/Title IX support, Climate Surveys**

### ATHLETICS

CBIZ Borden Perlman Sports

**Intercollegiate Sports Insurance**

### HEALTH/WELLNESS

UnitedHealthcare

**Student Health Insurance**

**Employee Health Insurance**

**Telehealth, Behavioral Health**

### HR

UnitedHealthcare

**Employee Health Insurance**

Liberty Mutual

**Auto and Home Insurance**

AffinityLTC

**Long Term Care Insurance**

Health Benefits Management

**Remodel Health**

### FACILITIES/ENVIRONMENTAL

Fastenal

[MRO and Construction Supplies](#)

First American Education Finance

**Project Financing**

### TELECOM/IT

Granite Telecommunications

[Telecom Solutions](#)

HESS Consortium

**ERP**

### LEGAL

MCAG

[Settlement Recovery Services](#)

IMA

**Property/Casualty/Risk**

**Management/Cyber/Active Aggressor**

## The Coalition and its Program Partners Who We Are and What We Do



Visit the playlist – [Who We Are and What We Do](#) on our YouTube channel. Learn about the Coalition and the valuable goods and services our program partners offer private colleges under the Coalition umbrella. Subscribe to be notified when new videos are added.

### Program Overview Videos

(+/- 2 minutes each)

Quickly determine programs of interest to research further:

#### [The Coalition – Who We Are and What We Do](#)

#### [EZLease Accounting Software Overview](#)

#### [About Granite Telecommunications](#)

#### [Settlement Recovery Services from MCAG](#)

#### [Payment Automation from Paymerang](#)

#### [Maintenance, Repairs, and Operations Management from Fastenal](#)

Learn more about all the Coalition's cost-saving and transformative programs [HERE](#)

