

Edward Lindsey, Jr., Board Chair

Edward Lindsey is a partner in Dentons' Public Policy practice and serves as the head of the Firm's Georgia State Government Affairs team. His focus is on advancing the public policy interests and objectives of clients in the transportation, infrastructure, health care and education sectors. Edward has more than 32 years of legal, political and leadership experience, including 10 years as a Georgia state representative and 3 terms as the House majority whip. He also served on the House Appropriations, Judiciary, Education, Ways and Means, and Rules Committees. In addition, he served as a member of the Uniform Law Commission and the Georgia Commission on Family Violence. *James Magazine*, a statewide political journal, recognized him as one of Georgia's most influential legislators. Immediately prior to joining Dentons in 2016, Edward was a partner and head of the litigation practice at Goodman McGuffey Lindsey & Johnson LLP, an Atlanta-based firm he co-founded in 1990. His dedication to refugee education stems from both his professional and personal endeavors. While serving in the Georgia General Assembly for a decade he had a strong interest in education issues, having served on both the House Education and Education Appropriations Committees. In addition, his parish, All Saints Episcopal Church, has a strong history of support for the refugee community.