

# NEBRASKA'S PATHWAYS TO PROSPERITY *Symposium*



## AGENDA

SEPTEMBER 5, 2012 • THE CORNHUSKER HOTEL • LINCOLN, NE

8:00 a.m.

Refreshments and Networking

8:30 a.m.

Welcome and Opening Remarks

- Ms. Catherine Lang – Department of Labor/Economic Development
- Dr. Roger Breed – Department of Education

Keynote Address

- Mr. William Symonds – Harvard Graduate School of Education

Table Conversation #1

Dialogue with Expert Panel

- Dr. Michael Chipps – President, Northeast Community College
- Mr. Michael Flint – Plant Manager, Becton Dickinson
- Dr. Steve Joel – Superintendent, Lincoln Public Schools
- Mr. Bruce Rieker – Vice President, Nebraska Hospital Association

Noon

Lunch

- Mr. Richard Baier – Executive VP, Forging Nebraska's Future, Nebraska Chamber of Commerce

Promising Solutions

- Mr. Rich Katt – Department of Education
- Ms. Joan Modrell – Department of Labor
- Dr. Rich Feller – Professor, Colorado State University

Models from Other States

- Rep. Tim Probst – Washington's 17th Legislative District

Table Conversation #2

3:00 p.m.

Closing Remarks

- Mr. William Symonds – Harvard Graduate School of Education
- Dr. Rich Feller – Professor, Colorado State University

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