



Investing in School Readiness

## READY TO ACHIEVE: *Investing Early in the Education of America's Future Workforce*

Tuesday, September 22, 2009 | Capital One Conference Center | McLean, Virginia

8:30 – 9:00 a.m.

### Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

### Welcome

- Penny Gross, Vice Chair, Fairfax County Board of Supervisors
- Charlene Wheelless, Chair, Fairfax Futures
- Elisabeth Bresee, Managing Vice President, Chief Counsel, Policy Affairs  
Capital One

*Introduction: The Honorable Jim Moran, U.S. House of Representatives*

- Dr. Jacqueline Jones, Senior Advisor to the Secretary for Early Learning  
U.S. Department of Education  
***A New Federal Focus on Early Learning***

10:00 – 10:15 a.m.

### Break

10:15 a.m. - 12 noon

*Introduction: Dr. Richard Moniuszko, Deputy Superintendent  
Fairfax County Public Schools*

- Dr. Derek Cabrera, President and Founder, ThinkWorks, Inc.  
***21st Century Skills: Thinking at Every Desk***
- Ted Austell, III, Vice President, Executive Branch and Congressional Affairs  
The Boeing Company

*Introduction: The Honorable Bob Etheridge, U.S. House of Representatives*

- General H. Hugh Shelton, USA (R), 14th Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff  
***Securing Our Future Through Quality Early Childhood Education***

12 noon

### Adjourn

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