

Agenda

Montgomery Moving Forward (MMF) 2020 3-Part Virtual Community Symposium

Our County's Commitment to Early Care & Education 2.0: Unlocking Resources & Finding Pathways Forward

Day 1:
November 5, 2020
1:00 - 2:30 pm

Day 1 Theme:

Early Care and Education in the time of COVID-19: What investment is necessary to support the workforce of today and develop the workforce of tomorrow?

Susan Madden**

Chief Government Relations Officer
Montgomery College

Bill Tompkins*

Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer
Montgomery County Economic Development Corporation

1:00 p.m Welcome and Framing the Issue

Susan Madden, Chief Government Relations Officer, Montgomery College

Bill Tompkins, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, Montgomery County Economic Development Corporation

1:10 p.m. Video

Facilitator:

Susan Madden, Chief Government Relations Officer, Montgomery College

1:15 p.m. Workforce of Today / Workforce of Tomorrow:
The Basics as a Pathway Forward for Montgomery County

Speaker:

Ronald Ferguson, Founder, The Basics

Q & A Facilitator:

Charlene Muhammad, Head Start Program Manager, Community Action Agency,
Montgomery County

1:50 p.m. Early Care and Education Interlude

Ruby Daniels, President, Maryland State Family Child Care Association (MSFCCA)

2:00 p.m. 3rd Grade Starts at Birth

Panelists:

Leah Bradley, Executive Director, Empowering the Ages

Ronald Ferguson, Founder, The Basics

Kimberly Rusnak*, Project Director, Children's Opportunity Fund

Facilitator:

Elijah Wheeler*, Executive Director, Montgomery County Collaboration Council for Children, Youth, and Families

2:25 p.m. Summary, Thank You, & Closing

Dusty Rood*, President & CEO, Rodgers Consulting

[*MMF Leadership Group Member](#)

****MMF Co-Chair**

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