

Governor's WORKFORCE SUMMIT 2008

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AGENDA

- 8:00 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 9:00 a.m. **Welcome**
Eric M. Seleznow, Executive Director
Governor's Workforce Investment Board

William G. (Bill) Robertson, Chair
Governor's Workforce Investment Board
President and CEO, Adventist HealthCare, Inc.
- 9:15 a.m. **Opening Remarks**
The Honorable Martin O'Malley, Governor
- 9:30 a.m. **Preparing Maryland's Workforce for the 21st Century**
Ken Poole, Ph.D., CEO, Center for Regional Economic Competitiveness
- 10:00 a.m. **Roundtable Discussion**
***Educating Maryland's Future Workforce: Aligning Education,
Economic Development and Industry Needs***
Moderator: Karen Elzey, Executive Director
Institute for a Competitive Workforce, United States Chamber of Commerce
- 11:15 a.m. **Break**
- 11:30 a.m. **Roundtable Discussion**
***No Such Thing as a Spare Marylander: Growing the Workforce in a
Time of Shifting Demographics and Increasing Employer Demand***
Moderator: Thomas E. Perez, Secretary
Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation (DLLR)
- 12:45 p.m. **Summary and Wrap up**
James E. Lyons, Sr., Secretary, MD Higher Education Commission
Thomas E. Perez, Secretary, DLLR
- 1:00 p.m. **Adjourn**