

EDUCATION WEEK QUALITY COUNTS

Education Adjusts To a New Economic Reality

UNCERTAIN FORECAST

Tuesday, January 11, 2011
10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The Pew Charitable Trusts
Washington, D.C.

AGENDA

10:00

Opening Remarks and Context

Virginia B. Edwards

President, Editorial Projects in Education
Editor-in-Chief, *Education Week* and edweek.org

Gina Burkhardt

Executive Vice President
American Institutes for Research

10:30

Quality Counts 2011 Highlights

Amy M. Hightower, Director, EPE Research Center

Christopher B. Swanson, Vice President, Editorial Projects in Education

Moderator: **Mark W. Bomster**, Assistant Managing Editor, *Education Week*

11:30

Morning Break—Café 9, 9th Floor

- 11:45** **State Leadership Address**
Superintendent of Schools from the top-ranked state for Quality Counts 2011
Moderator: **Mark W. Bomster**, Assistant Managing Editor, *Education Week*
- 12:15** **District Perspectives—Challenges and Opportunities**
Karen Hawley Miles, President and Executive Director, Education Resource Strategies
John W. Scanlan II, Deputy Superintendent of Administration, Rochester City School District
Matthew E. Stanski, Chief Financial Officer, Prince George’s County Public Schools
Moderator: **Sean Cavanagh**, Assistant Editor, *Education Week*
- 1:00** **Lunch Break—Café 9, 9th Floor**
- 1:45** **Insight—High-Quality Special Education on a Tight Budget**
Thomas B. Parrish, Managing Director, American Institutes for Research
- 2:00** **Policy Roundtable—The Education Forecast**
Noelle Ellerson, Assistant Director, Policy Analysis & Advocacy, American Association of School Administrators
Bethany Little, Chief Education Counsel, U.S. Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions
Gerard Robinson, Secretary of Education, Virginia
Andrew J. Rotherham, Co-Founder and Partner, Bellwether Education
Moderator: **Alyson Klein**, Staff Writer, *Education Week*
- 2:45** **Concluding Remarks**
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