

# NASHVILLE EDUCATION SUMMIT

## Agenda

### **8:30 – 8:50 a.m.**

Welcoming Remarks by former Sen. Bill Frist  
Remarks by Mayor Karl Dean: Current Status of Metro Nashville Public Schools

### **8:50 – 9:50 a.m.**

Superintendents Discussion – Eliminating the Racial and Ethnic Achievement Gap in Public Education by Working to Create an Effective School for Every Child

*Moderator:*

Dan Katzir, Managing Director, The Broad Foundation

*Panelists:*

- Paul Pastorek, State Superintendent of Education for the State of Louisiana
- Michelle Rhee, Chancellor, District of Columbia Public Schools
- Dennis Walcott, Deputy Mayor of Education, New York City

## **BREAK**

### **10 – 10:50 a.m.**

Panel Discussion – Educational Options

*Moderator:*

Kevin Hall, CEO, Charter School Growth Fund

*Panelists:*

- Richard Barth, CEO of the Knowledge is Power Program (KIPP)
- Matt Chandler, CEO of New Schools for New Orleans
- Elliot Washor, Co-founder of Big Picture Learning

### **10:55 – 11:50 a.m.**

Panel Discussion – Human Capital

*Moderator:*

Frances McLaughlin, COO, Education Pioneers

*Panelists:*

- Jon Schnur, CEO of New Leaders for New Schools
- Victoria VanCleaf, Vice President of The New Teacher Project
- Elisa Villanueva Beard, COO of Teach for America

## **BREAK**

### **12 – 1:30 p.m.**

The Opportunity: Jim Shelton, Assistant Deputy Secretary of Education  
*Introduction and brief remarks by Gov. Phil Bredesen*  
*Sen. Frist will moderate Q&A with audience afterward*

**1:30 – 2:30 p.m.**

Panel Discussion – Expanded Learning Time

*Moderator:*

Courtney Philips, Assistant Director of Policy, The Broad Foundation

*Panelists:*

- Chris Gabrieli, Chairman, National Center on Time and Learning
- Eric Schwarz, President and CEO, Citizen Schools
- Tim Webb, Commissioner, Tennessee Department of Education

**2:20 – 2:30 p.m.**

Closing Remarks by Mayor Dean