



**ARKANSAS**

***Economic Development Foundation***

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# 2020 LUNCHEON

**Tuesday, April 21 • 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

**STATEHOUSE CONVENTION CENTER, LITTLE ROCK**

**WALLY ALLEN BALLROOM**

**Featuring Christian Fischer**  
**President & CEO of Georgia-Pacific**

# ABOUT THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION

**THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION** is a 501(c)(6) nonprofit organization established in 1955. The purpose of the Foundation is to support economic development efforts in Arkansas. Such efforts may include research, site visits, prospect entertainment and recruitment support.

**THE ARKANSAS INDUSTRIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION** is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization established in 2011. The purpose of the Foundation is to support the economic development activities of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission.

## KEYNOTE SPEAKER CHRISTIAN FISCHER



Christian Fischer was named president and CEO of Georgia-Pacific in March 2017. Born and educated in Germany, Mr. Fischer began his career with GP in Europe in 1989 as a market pulp sales manager. He relocated to Atlanta, GP's corporate headquarters, where he led the company's packaging and cellulose division. He speaks four languages—English, Spanish, German and Portuguese. Mr. Fischer is a member of the Metro Atlanta Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors and the Board of Councilors for The Carter Center and serves as a board member of the American Forest and Paper Association.

GP, the maker of internationally known brands such as Dixie cups, Brawny paper towels and Quilted Northern bathroom tissue, has plants in Crossett, Gurdon, Fordyce and Fort Smith. The company directly employs more than 2,300 people with \$180 million in direct wages and benefits to those employees.

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