



# INDIANA SUMMIT

## FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

### VIA EARLY LEARNING COALITIONS

**DATE: June 5, 2017**

**TIME: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.**

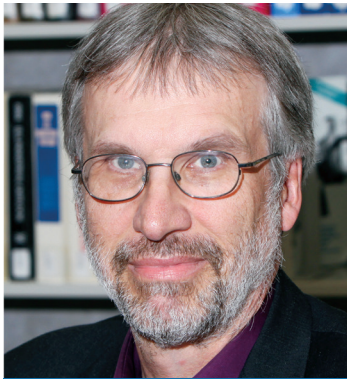
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**WHERE: Monroe County Convention Center**

302 South College Avenue, Bloomington, IN  
Accommodations - The Courtyard Marriott

**WHO:** Business Leaders; Chamber, Economic & Community Development Professionals; Early Childhood Leaders; Community Leadership; Healthcare Leaders; Education Professionals in K-12 & Higher Education; Faith Based Leaders; Civic Leaders; Funders and Other interested individuals passionate about the future of their community.



**KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

**TIM BARTIK**

**Senior Economist at W.E. Upjohn Institute**

Nationally renowned expert, and author of "Investing in Kids." Dr. Bartik's research explores state and local economic development and local labor markets, including how early childhood programs impact local economies and job-creation programs.



**FEATURED SPEAKER**

**ERIN RAMSEY**

**Senior Manager, Mind in the Making at The Bezos Family Foundation**

Erin will present on the importance of early brain development for social and emotional skills.

**"The research evidence on the benefits of early childhood programs for the local economy is extremely strong." Dr. Tim Bartik**

## AGENDA

### 8:00 a.m. Registration

Video Montage “Return on Investment for Early Childhood”, Rob Grunewald, Economist at the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Professor Heckman from current library, Harvard Developing Child Institute – Brain Architecture

### 9:00 a.m. Welcome

### 9:15 a.m. Morning Keynote - Erin Ramsey, Senior Manager, Mind in the Making at The Bezos Family Foundation, “Why Investing in the Early Years is Important and Shapes the Future Workforce”

### 10:15 a.m. Break and Facilitated Topic Tables

### 10:45 a.m. Understanding the Indiana Landscape for Economic Development and Early Learning - Kevin Bain, CEO and Executive Director at Welborn Baptist Foundation, Chairman of the Indiana Early Learning Advisory Committee

### 12:00 p.m. Lunch/Keynote - Jeffery Connor-Naylor, Senior Associate at Ready Nation, “Social-Emotional Skills in Early Childhood Support Workforce Success;” Keynote - Tim Bartik, Senior Economist at W.E. Upjohn Institute, “The Economic Case for Investing in Early Learning”

### 1:30 p.m. Coalition Breakout Sessions

- Engaging Key Stakeholders
- Understanding the Current State/Baseline Data
- Developing a Strategic Plan
- Continuous Quality Improvement
- Family and Community Engagement

### 2:30 p.m. Break and Facilitated Topic Tables

### 3:00 p.m. Coalition Breakout Sessions (Repeat Offerings)

### 4:10 p.m. Closing and A Call to Action - Ted Maple, President and CEO of Early Learning Indiana

### 4:30 p.m. Closure

## RSVP

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