



2025 Economic Inclusion Summit
Georgia International Convention Center
November 12, 2025

8:30 AM – Registration Opens & Networking Breakfast

9:30 AM – Call to Order & Remarks

Le Joyce Naylor, SVP, Chief Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Officer, Wellstar Health System
Economic Inclusion Council Chair, Georgia Chamber

Unlocking Georgia’s Economic Potential Through Workforce Innovation

Dr. Jann Joseph, President, Georgia Gwinnett College

Dr. John Fuchko III, President, Dalton State College

Dr. Georj Lewis, President, Clayton State University

Moderator: Ernie Suggs, Enterprise Reporter, The Atlanta Journal-Constitution

This conversation will explore how Georgia’s future growth depends on forward-thinking workforce strategies, talent development, and reducing barriers to employment across industries.

AI for Everyone- Bridging Talent, Technology, and Opportunity in Georgia

Aaron Brown, Recruiter, Cloud Operations + Innovations, Microsoft

Moderator: Melvin Coleman, President & CEO, Atlanta Black Chambers

Pathways to Prosperity: Meeting Workforce Needs While Expanding Opportunity

Amber King, Georgia Human Resource Executive, Atrium Health

John Hancock, President & CEO, Junior Achievement of Georgia

Antrell Tyson, Senior Policy Advisor, Paramount Consulting

Moderated by: Johnathon King, Director, Workforce Development, Georgia Power

This session explores how Georgia can bridge workforce gaps while creating equitable access to opportunity. Leaders from business, education, and community sectors will share strategies to develop skilled talent pipelines, support small and diverse-owned businesses, and align education with employer needs for a more inclusive, future-ready workforce.

11:45 AM – Lunch & Facilitated Discussions

Facilitated by: Aisha DeBerry, Access and Opportunity Officer, Gwinnett County Government

A facilitated discussion exploring real solutions to develop stronger talent pipelines, remove hiring barriers, expand access to capital for small business growth, and align workforce programs with employer needs.

1:00 PM – Closing Remarks

Tasha Allen, Vice President of People & Corporate Citizenship, Georgia Chamber of Commerce