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<td>Your opportunity to connect with colleagues and friends, meet new ones, and begin the discussion on inclusion! <em>Continental breakfast provided.</em></td>
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<td>Kristi Luzar, Executive Director of UEDA, welcomes you to our 16th Annual Community Development Summit. She will share how this year’s topic was selected and provide an overview of today’s event.</td>
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| 8:45–   | **KEYNOTE ADDRESS:**  
| 9:45   | **MICHAEL MORRIS, NATIONAL DISABILITY INSTITUTE**                                                                                                  |
| 8:45   | While physical barriers have been removed and communication barriers have been reduced, what do the numbers tell us about the financial health and well-being of people with disabilities compared to their non-disabled peers? Michael’s keynote presentation will identify barriers and opportunities for the disability and financial communities and cover how key stakeholders can work together to advance financial inclusion, capability, and stability for individuals with disabilities. |
| 9:45–   | **BREAK**                                                                                                                                       |
| 10:00  | Restrooms are located behind the screen and on the first floor, through the atrium.                                                                |
| 10:00–  | **WHAT WORKS! PANEL**                                                                                                                          |
| 11:00  | Panel members will highlight successful collaborative programs, employer-led strategies, and self-employment journeys that result in increased employment of people with disabilities. Together, they will identify ways in which employing people with disabilities makes good business sense, what relationships help in recruiting and hiring people with disabilities, and what resources are available for business owners to access when it comes to hiring for or starting a business. |
| 11:00–  | **GUIDED NETWORKING**                                                                                                                           |
| 11:40  | Now is the time for you to talk and form relationships with service providers in the area! Take a walk around the room to gather ideas and suggestions on how you can ensure your programs, projects, services, spaces and events are more accessible. *Look inside your blue folder* for a packet that lists tabling organizations along with examples of what types of questions each can help you answer. |
| 11:40–  | **BREAK & GRAB YOUR LUNCH**                                                                                                                     |
| Noon   | Please move back to your seats quickly. Our luncheon keynote speakers will begin promptly at noon.                                                   |
| Noon–  | **LUNCH & REMARKS**                                                                                                                             |
| 12:30  | **MILWAUKEE MAYOR, TOM BARRETT**                                                                                                                |
| 12:30  | Mayor Barrett will share efforts that Milwaukee is engaged in to make the City more inclusive for people with disabilities.                          |
| 12:30–  | **LT. GOVERNOR OF WISCONSIN, REBECCA KLEEFISCH**                                                                                            |
| 1:00   | Lt. Governor Rebecca Kleefisch will discuss the State of Wisconsin’s commitment to employing people with disabilities and the expansion of Project SEARCH sites across the state. |
| 12:30–  | **CLOSING & TABLE TALK**                                                                                                                        |
| 1:00   | Use this time to reflect on what you heard, learned, and experienced throughout today’s program. Take a minute to share with someone at your table a piece of information you learned or one thing you plan to do as a result of attending this event. |
WELCOME TO THE 16TH ANNUAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT SUMMIT

BUILDING ECONOMIC & SOCIAL INCLUSION WITH THE DISABILITY COMMUNITY

We are pleased to present this year’s Summit, which seeks to increase awareness around the connection between people with disabilities and poverty. Since its inception in 1997, UEDA has worked to strengthen the community and economic development sector by facilitating collaboration among individuals and organizations in the private, public and nonprofit sectors. Our Summits highlight relevant and emerging issues in the sector, and bring together diverse stakeholders to focus on some of the most pressing challenges in our region.

In 1990 the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) was signed into law, yet today a third of people with disabilities live below the poverty line. In the City of Milwaukee, the median earnings of a person with a disability is $15,743 annually, compared to $25,032 for a person with no disability (ADA-PARC). Additionally, nearly one in two working-age adults with disabilities are unbanked or underbanked, and more likely to use alternative financial services on a regular basis (NDI). Persistent barriers to economic self-sufficiency for people with disabilities clearly remain.

UEDA’s Board and Staff are excited to have you participate in today’s event, and identify ways you can improve accessibility, and foster an inclusive culture in your workplace, activities, programs and community events. You will hear from our Keynote Speaker Michael Morris of the National Disability Institute (NDI) about how different sectors can work to advance economic self-sufficiency for people with disabilities. Luncheon speakers Milwaukee Mayor Tom Barrett and Lieutenant Governor Rebecca Kleefisch will share how government is committed to policies and programs that can advance economic stability for people with disabilities.

Join us in this important endeavor as we ask you to share your thoughts and ideas, to move forward in creating a region that is economically healthy, with the opportunity to share in its prosperity for all citizens.

Kristi Luzar
UEDA Executive Director

Dominique Samari
UEDA Board President
Today’s event would not have been possible without the generous assistance, hard work and commitment of these individuals. Please join us in thanking each of them!

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SUMMIT PRESENTERS & PARTICIPANTS

WHAT WORKS! PANEL
A panel focused on employment journeys for people with disabilities. Members will highlight successful collaborative programs, employer-led strategies, and pathways to self-employment.

MODERATOR
Angela Adams
Director of Community Relations
Goodwill Industries of Southeast Wisconsin

PANEL MEMBERS
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Owner
Spa Massage on the Go
Founding Member of the Wisconsin Veterans Chamber of Commerce

Bob Glowacki
President & CEO
Easter Seals of Wisconsin
Member of the Disability Workforce Collaborative

Nicole Richard
Director of Human Resources
Tailored Label Products

Laura Romens
Program Manager
Goodwill Industries of Southeast Wisconsin

Meg Simonis
Regional Field Recruiter
Walgreens

NETWORKING RESOURCES

Audio & Braille Literacy Enhancement (ABLE)
City of Milwaukee, Department of Administration
Disability Rights Wisconsin
Division of Vocational Rehabilitation, Workforce Development Center

Employment Resources, Inc.
First Stage
Goodwill Industries of Southeast Wisconsin
IndependenceFirst
Life Navigators
Metropolitan Milwaukee Fair Housing Council

My Choice Family Care
National Disability Institute
Wisconsin Department of Health Services, Office for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission
TMG Wisconsin
KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

MICHAEL MORRIS
DIRECTOR, NATIONAL DISABILITY INSTITUTE

Michael Morris is the Director of National Disability Institute (NDI). He has over 30 years of experience in and outside of government, pioneering new strategies to improve the lives of people with disabilities. Michael serves as an advisor and technical expert to multiple federal agencies on policy and systems relationships at federal, state, and local levels to advance economic stability, mobility and asset development for persons with disabilities.

In 1981, he was named the first Joseph P. Kennedy Fellow in Public Policy and came to Washington, DC to work in the Office of Connecticut Senator Lowell Weicker, as legal counsel to the United States Senate Subcommittee on the Handicapped. Michael also served as counsel to the U.S. Senate Small Business Committee. From Capitol Hill, Michael went to work at United Cerebral Palsy Association as the first director of government relations, then as director of community services and finally as national executive director. During his 14-year tenure, his leadership put a focus on needed assistive technology and its essential role in accommodating people with disabilities in the areas of employment, education, communications and daily living. In 2001, he helped establish NDI to advance the social and economic independence of persons with disabilities through strategic investment and technical assistance activities nationwide that bring together government, corporations, foundations and community and faith-based organizations.

LT. GOVERNOR REBECCA KLEEFISCH
WISCONSIN’S 44TH LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

Since January 2011, Lt. Governor Kleefisch has been Wisconsin’s Jobs Ambassador, a champion for worker training, and a leader for creative solutions to our state’s toughest challenges. A former small business owner, Rebecca developed the annual Governor’s Small Business Summit and works frequently with economic developers and business owners to recruit new businesses and grow current employers. She also chairs the Manufacturing Committee for the Aerospace States Association. As Wisconsin creates more jobs, she’s working hard to expand the talent pipeline that fills them.

Rebecca wants our state’s success to embrace all our citizens, especially those who must overcome barriers to prosperity. So she chairs the Governor’s Task Force on Minority Unemployment, works on the issues of homelessness and offender reentry, and advocates for returning veterans and people with disabilities looking to join the workforce.
UEDA MEMBERSHIP

UEDA is a 501(c)(3) membership association dedicated to facilitating effective, cross-sector collaboration, meaningful connections, and strengthening individual and organizational capacity in Wisconsin’s community and economic development sector.

Incorporated in 1997, we focus on and advocate for community investment, sustainable homeownership and housing, regional transportation, small business growth, financial empowerment, and the local food economy.

We invite you to become a UEDA member if you are interested in accessing a diverse network of economic and community development professionals and staying informed on the latest issues, events, and developments. Drop off this form at the registration table on the way out, or pick up a membership form at the UEDA booth in the registration area OR join online at www.uedawi.org and click on “Join UEDA.”

MAIN CONTACT NAME

EMAIL

ORGANIZATION

ADDRESS

PHONE

FAX

NAMES AND EMAILS OF ADDITIONAL MEMBERS

MEMBERSHIP TYPE

☐ Student Rate $20
☐ Individual Membership $50
☐ Nonprofit Corporation/Organizational $150 (two additional staff—please list separately)
☐ Corporation/Government $350 (three additional staff—please list separately)

TYPE OF ORGANIZATION

☐ Community Development Corporation
☐ Financial Services please circle: Banking / Business lending / Investment / Mortgages / Other
☐ Business Improvement District
☐ Nonprofit Organization ______ 501(c)(3) _____ Other nonprofit
☐ Government _____ City _____ County _____ State _____ Federal
☐ Foundation
☐ Other ________________________________

GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA

☐ Neighborhood-Based
☐ City-wide
☐ Regional ________________________________
☐ Statewide
☐ Nationwide
☐ Multi-state
☐ Other ________________________________

Comments / Requests:

Make checks payable to UEDA of Wi, Inc. Send form and check to UEDA: 1915 N. Martin Luther King Drive, Suite 260, Milwaukee, WI 53212, OR drop off at the registration table on your way out. Payment is also accepted by credit card at www.uedawi.org.
Following the Summit, UEDA will share a roster of attendees so you can easily connect with individuals you spoke with or reach out to those you didn’t get a chance to talk to. In addition, we hope you will consider engaging in activities that will help you to foster a more inclusive culture in your workplace, activities, programs, and events.

Below are some suggestions to get you started!

• Continue the conversation with the organizations you spoke with today—sign up to receive e-updates, like them on social media, and connect them with your staff and professional or personal networks.

• Share at least one piece of information you learned today with another member of your organization, a partner, Board member, or with a friend or family member.

• Work to implement at least one strategy you identified that will result in making your programs, services, projects, and other efforts more accessible to those with disabilities.

• Talk to at least one business in your community about why hiring an individual with a disability makes good business sense.

• Recognize and support businesses that employ individuals with disabilities.

• Join the National Disability Institute’s “Disable Poverty” Campaign! Visit disablepoverty.org to learn more and take the pledge.

• RSVP to attend UEDA's October 17th On the Table conversation where, in partnership with MIAD, we will continue to discuss how we can make our city more inclusive for all residents! Call 414-562-9904 if you are interested.