



# PRICHARD COMMITTEE FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

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## Delivering Educational Excellence with Equity: The Role of School Climate & Culture

Prichard Committee Annual Meeting  
Embassy Suites Hotel  
1801 Newtown Pike, Lexington, Kentucky

**November 6, 2017**

*All Times are Eastern Time Zone*

- 9:45 a.m. **Welcome and Opening Session** Coldstream 4 & 5  
Bill Wilson, Prichard Committee Board Chair  
Brigitte Blom Ramsey, Executive Director
- 10:00 a.m. **Unleashing Student Voice as a Strategy to Improve Learning Outcomes**  
Dr. Vicki Phillips, Special Guest  
Prichard Committee Student Voice Team
- 11:00 a.m. **Influencing Climate & Culture**  
Rosz Akins, Black Males Working Academy, Lexington  
Alvin Garrison, Superintendent, Covington Independent Schools  
Tim Schlosser, Principal, Franklin-Simpson High School  
Vince Mattox, Moderator
- 12:00 noon Lunch
- Prichard Committee Award of Excellence**
- 12:45 p.m. **The Smartest School Cultures In The World: How Have Communities And Schools Cultivated Student Buy-In Around The World?**  
Amanda Ripley, via live video feed, Author, *The Smartest Kids in the World* and Journalist, *The Atlantic* and *The New York Times*  
Susie Smith, Student Voice Team, Moderator
- 1:30 p.m. **Listening is Policy**  
Matthew Barzun, Former Ambassador to Sweden and the United Kingdom
- 2:00 p.m. **ACTION: Moving from Study, Inform to Engaging Communities**  
Brigitte Blom Ramsey, Executive Director  
Justin Bathon, Prichard Committee Member
- 3:15 p.m. **Call To Action**  
Justin Bathon, Prichard Committee Member
- 3:30 pm **Closing & Adjourn**  
Bill Wilson, Prichard Committee Board Chair