



Building & Investing in Your Manufacturing Workforce Development Supply Chain

AGENDA

November 12, 2025

9:30 am – 1:30 pm

In partnership with



9:00 – 9:30 am	Registrant check-in
9:30 – 9:45	Event welcome Greg Dozier, Commissioner, Technical College System of Georgia
9:45 – 10:30 am	“Workforce by Design – Building Strategic Partnerships with Your Local Technical College” Dee Barnes, CEO, Evans Metal Stamping Jaime Martinez, Manager Workforce Development L&D, Rivian Jacob McBride, VP Gypsum Operations, Georgia Pacific Dr. Melinda Robinson-Moffett, AVP of Corporate & Community Relations, Georgia Piedmont Technical College Lisa Winton, CEO, Winton Machine (Discussion Leader)
10:30 – 11:15 am	“Strengthening the College Industry Pipeline – Apprenticeships in Action” Mandy Callaway, HR Manager, General Mills Jen Pfledderer, Engineering & Maintenance Director, Pepsico Beverages of North America Dr. John Pritchett, Workforce Development Lead, Newton County School System Dr. Serra Hall, Executive Director, Newton County Industrial Development Authority (Discussion Leader)
11:15 – Noon	Lunch The Manufacturer’s Economic Development Toolbox Power Evans, Regional Project Manager, Georgia Department of Economic Development
Noon – 12:45 pm	“Developing the Pipeline – Creating Alternative Pipelines” Dr. Jodi Ford, Director of Career, Technical & Higher Education, Georgia Department of Corrections Ann Hall, HR Manager, CKS Packaging Matt Miller, COO, First Step Staffing Patricia Royak, Board Member, Tommy Nobis Center Kim Wallace, Head Client & Community Partnerships, SKL’D (Discussion Leader)
12:45 – 1:30 pm	Tour of Georgia Piedmont Technical College Manufacturing Labs (optional)