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More than a GPA: Innovating to Build a Pathway to Success

A moderated discussion exploring how both longstanding and emerging programs are innovating to ensure students at all ages have the necessary support to thrive in school and in their careers.

Wednesday, October 27
12:30 p.m. CT

Meet Our Panelists

Moderated by

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Discussion Questions

- What resonated with you the most about today's discussion?
- What innovations or insights surprised you?
- What did you want to hear more about?
- After today's event, what immediate action will you take to help Chicago youth thrive?

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