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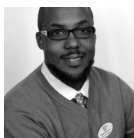
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Session I

12:30-1:40 p.m.

Intro Video

Opening Remarks



Dr. Cleamon Moorers, Jr.
Pursue Promise: The Greatest Failure is in the Inability to Quit

Dean of the College of Business at Baker College

 @DrCMoorers

 dr-cleamon-moorers



Brian Strobel
Normalizing Deviance

Award-winning author on change, former Marine officer

 @book_LCFW

 BrianStrobel



Syndell Parks
Changing the World One Gene at a Time

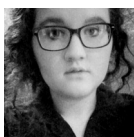
Biologist and owner of GenPass

 Facebook.com/GenPassID



Darnell Jackson
RACE: The Final Frontier

Saginaw County Circuit Court Judge



Cassidy Briggs

*Student singer/songwriter
Reeths-Puffer High School*

Session II

2:00-3:10 p.m.

Welcome Back

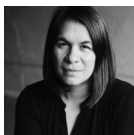


Shawn Blanchard
Science of Mentorship

Mentor, former Director of Youth Services for Detroit Mayor's office, former math faculty at University of Michigan

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Poppy Hernandez
Youth are Worthy Partners

*Assistant to the Superintendent and Director of Special Projects at Muskegon Public Schools, State of Michigan
Certified Prevention Specialist*

TED Talk



Michael Gerstweiler

We're Running Out of Steam

*Electrical & computer engineer by profession.
Student mentor & tech advocate by choice.*

 Michael.Gerstweiler



Lucy Carpenter

**As Shown Through the Lens:
Not-So-Random Acts of Kindness**

*Student photographer
North Muskegon High School*

Session III

3:40-5:00 p.m.

Welcome Back



Curt L. Tofteland

**September 2nd: The Better Angels of
My Nature Versus the Lesser Demons
of My Desire**

*Founder of Shakespeare Behind Bars,
Two-time Fulbright Fellow*



Theresa Hegedus DDS

**Meeting Humanity in the Faces
of the Syrian Refugees**

*Muskegon-area dentist, member of Flying
Doctors, travel and adventure enthusiast*

TED Talk



Kwame James Kamau

Same Mother

*Musician and poet, Music Director
at Muskegon Farmer's Market*

 @kwamekamau



Lori McIlrath Eslick

ART: Make It Your 'Favorite Inch' of the Day

Book illustrator, former Hallmark illustrator

 www.eslickart.com

 Lori Eslick Painting A day



Andrea Lindback

Music & Brain Stimulation

*Student and performer
North Muskegon High School*

Closing Remarks

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