

COLLEGE OF HUMAN SCIENCES

Women's Philanthropy Board

6TH ANNUAL SPRING SYMPOSIUM & LUNCHEON

"Today's Decisions for Tomorrow's Money"

MONDAY APRIL 7, 2008 ✨ 8:00 AM SYMPOSIUM ✨ 12:00 PM RECEPTION & LUNCHEON
THE HOTEL AT AUBURN UNIVERSITY & DIXON CONFERENCE CENTER

SUNDAY, APRIL 6TH

5:30 PM 3RD ANNUAL EMPTY BOWLS BANQUET
featuring Lauren Bush and Ellen Gustafson,
Co-Founders, Feed Project, LLC

11:00 AM CONCURRENT SESSIONS
Dave Dennis
Katy Delashaw
Maru Pichardo

MONDAY, APRIL 7TH

8:00 AM REGISTRATION

11:45 AM CLOSING REMARKS
Lauren Bush and Ellen Gustafson
Co-Founders, Feed Project, LLC

8:30 AM WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS
Jera Stribling
Executive Director, Joseph S. Bruno
Charitable Foundation

12:00 PM RECEPTION AND "BAG SIGNING"

9:00 AM CONCURRENT SESSIONS
Dave Dennis, President, Specialty Contractors
and Associates, Inc. and three time past Chairman,
New Orleans Federal Reserve Board

12:30 PM LUNCHEON

Katy Delashaw, Financial Advisor and Financial
Planning Specialist, Citi Smith Barney

Introduction of Keynote Speaker
Kay Ivey
Treasurer, State of Alabama

Maru Pichardo, Director General,
Pichardo Asset Management

Keynote Speaker
Dr. David G. Bronner
CEO, Retirement Systems of Alabama

Presentation of WPB Scholarships and Awards

10:00 AM KEYNOTE ADDRESS
John Manley
Managing Director and Equity Strategist
Smith Barney, Global Private Client Group

2:30 PM ADJOURN

WPB Corporate Partners

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LAUREN BUSH

Co-Founder, FEED Project, LLC



ELLEN GUSTAFSON

Co-Founder, FEED Project, LLC

FEED Project was started in 2006 when acclaimed model and activist Lauren Bush designed a bag to benefit the

United Nations World Food Program's (WFP) School Feeding operations. Lauren, a WFP Honorary Spokesperson who has visited several WFP food aid operations around the world, was inspired by the plight of the people she met on her travels. She took a special interest in WFP's School Feeding program, which provides children with a nutritious meal a day and incentives for them to get an education. Inspired by the aesthetic of the bags of food distributed by WFP, she created the FEED 1 bag, a reversible burlap and cotton bag stamped with "FEED the children of the world" and the number "1" to signify that each bag feeds one child in school for one year.

At the UN, Lauren teamed up with Ellen Gustafson a former WFP Communications Officer to found FEED Project, LLC. Lauren and Ellen started selling FEED bags in April of 2007 and by the end of 2007, have given donations to WFP to feed over 37,500 hungry children in school for one year.



DAVID BRONNER

CEO, Retirement Systems of Alabama

Dr. David Bronner is the Chief Executive Officer of the Retirement Systems of Alabama (RSA), a public pension fund with assets in excess of \$32 billion providing benefits for over 314,000 public employees and retirees. The RSA is the 43rd largest public pension fund in the nation.

Dr. Bronner has been featured in *Time*, *Governing* magazine, *The Institutional Investor*, *The Money Manager*, *Wall Street Journal*, *Business Week*, *Forbes Magazine*, and *Pension & Investment Age* for his investment strategies and financial market decisions. In 2003, *PlanSponsor* magazine named the RSA "Plan Sponsor of the Year."



KAY IVEY, '67

Alabama's State Treasurer

State Treasurer and Auburn Alumna, Kay Ivey, '67, is known for her leadership and service to the people of Alabama. As a student at Auburn University, she was a pacesetter for women by becoming the first female ever to be elected vice president of the student body and president of the SGA Senate.

After graduating from Auburn in 1967, Kay excelled in a career that tailor-made her to serve as state treasurer. First elected state treasurer in 2002 and re-elected in 2006 with the largest vote in a contested statewide race, Treasurer Kay Ivey has been a champion of taxpayers' interests focusing on cost savings and efficiencies in Treasury operations. Recognized by her peers as a national leader in treasury management, she has served as president of the southern region of the National Association of State Treasurers and currently serves on the Executive Board of its College Savings Plans Network.

OTHER FEATURED SPEAKERS:

JERA STRIBLING

Executive Director, Joseph S. Bruno Charitable Foundation

DAVE DENNIS

President, Specialty Contractors and Associates, Inc.
and three time past Chairman, New Orleans Federal Reserve Board

MARU PICHARDO

Director General, Pichardo Asset Management

KATYE DELASHAW

Financial Advisor and Financial Planning Specialist
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JOHN MANLEY

Managing Director and Equity Strategist,
Smith Barney, Global Private Client Division

John L. Manley, Managing Director, Equity Strategist for Smith Barney's Private Client Division is a seven-time member of the Institutional Investor All-American team. John is a Supervisory Analyst and a Chartered Financial Analyst. He has spent over 27 years in the investment business.

John has been a frequent commentator on various networks including CNN, CNBC, and PBS. He has also appeared on Wall Street Week. He has been quoted in *The New York Times*, *The Wall Street Journal*, the *Chicago Tribune*, *Newsweek*, *USA Today*, *Barron's Business Week*, and *Time Magazine*.

Designed by Heather Jackson.

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* Tickets include Symposium, Luncheon and all applicable taxes.

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