

# Testing and Accountability in K-12 Public Education

**Friday, October 12, 2018**

**8:00am-8:50am**

Opening lecture on **“The Economics of Testing and Accountability in K-12 Public Schools”**  
**Ben Scafidi**, Director of the Education Economics Center at Kennesaw State University  
**Prillaman Hall 1103**

**9:00am-10:45am**

Panel discussion on **“Testing and Accountability in K-12 Public Schools—Stay the Course, End It, or Mend It?”**  
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**11:00am-12:00pm**

Film Screening: **“The Education of Michelle Rhee”**  
**Prillaman 1000**

## Panelists:



**Shepard Barbash**  
Writer and former education  
advisor to Georgia Governor  
Sonny Perdue



**Neal McCluskey**  
Director of the Center for  
Educational Freedom  
at the Cato Institute



**Alisha Thomas Cromartie**  
Former member of  
the Georgia House of  
Representatives, D-Austell



**Eric Wearne**  
Provost, Holy Spirit College  
and former State of Georgia  
Accountability Official

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