

- 7:45 a.m.** Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 8:15 a.m.** Welcome and Opening Remarks
2003 MEA President **Dan Marsh**
University of St. Thomas
- 8:20 a.m.** *Hurwicz Distinguished Lecturer* Nobel Laureate,
Robert Lucas, University of Chicago
- 9:30 a.m.** Break
- Panel Discussion: "Economic Analysis of Current Policy Issues in Education"
- Panelists:**
- 9:45 a.m.**
- **Derek Neal**, University of Chicago
 - **Helen Ladd**, Duke University
- Moderator:**
- **Paul Glewwe**, University of Minnesota
- 10:45 a.m.** Break
(Questions for the panel should be written and submitted to the moderator)
- Panel Discussion
- Discussants:**
- 11:00 a.m.**
- **Chas Anderson**
Minnesota Assistant Commissioner for Finance and Administrative Services
 - **Stacy Becker**
former Budget Director and Public Works Director, City of St. Paul
 - **Judy Schaubach**
President of Education Minnesota
- 12:00 noon** Luncheon

Business Meeting

- Brief Business Meeting
- Presentation of Awards
- Brief (5-minute) Presentations by Award Winners

1:00 p.m.

["Economics of Early Childhood Development"](#)

Luncheon speaker:

1:15 p.m.

Art Rolnick, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis

2:15 p.m.

Break

2:30 p.m.

Tours of the Federal Reserve Bank

3:30 p.m.

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