



MINNESOTA SITE VISIT

St. Croix Conference Room • Centennial Bldg, 2nd Floor • 658 Cedar St. • St. Paul, MN

AGENDA

Tuesday, April 28, 2009

The Twiga Foundation, Inc.

The Twiga Foundation, Inc., founded in 2005, is a nonprofit corporation dedicated to inspiring, promoting and maintaining family-consciousness at home, in the workplace and in the community. As we focus on the workplace we find workplace flexibility to be a key component in addressing the mismatch between the workplace and family needs.

www.twigafoundation.org

The Sloan Center on Aging and Work at Boston College

The Sloan Center on Aging & Work at Boston College was founded in 2005. Working in partnership with workplace decision-makers, the Center promotes the quality of employment for the 21st century multi-generational workforce. The Center strives to put evidence into practice to improve employment experiences for both employers and employees. We place a particular emphasis on workplace flexibility that supports 21st century ways of getting work done and enhances employees' work experiences. Our multi-tiered strategy includes combining employer engaged research and academic rigor with innovative communications. We engage multi-disciplinary teams of researchers from around the world to forward three research streams – the US National Initiatives, the State Initiatives, and the Global Initiatives.

The Center on Aging & Work is grateful for the continued support of the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation.

<http://agingandwork.bc.edu/>

8:30 am • Registration

9:00 am to 9:30 am • Introduction:
States as Employers-of-Choice Project –
Defining Employers-of-Choice
Bob Davis, Project Director, SAEC

9:30 am to 11:30 am • Review of the Research Highlights and
Minnesota's Survey Results

- Awareness
- Assessment
- Action

Bob Davis, Project Director, SAEC
Jana Kemp, Author & Business Owner

11:30 am to 12:00 am Explore how workplace flexibility can help address some of the particular workplace challenges now facing state governments – including the rapid aging of the public sector workforce. Then, engage in an in-depth discussion examining the role that local, state and federal policy can play in advancing workplace flexibility in the public sector and beyond.

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