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#### Vision:

To seek a secure peace with freedom and justice, built on global citizenship and effective global governance.

#### What is the ME to WE Organization?

An innovative social enterprise that provides products that make an impact, empowering people to change the world with their everyday consumer choices.

#### Hannah Alper ...

She is a "ME to We" Ambassador, lending her time and talent to help empower young people to change the world. She shines a spotlight on the issues close to her heart which includes the environment, social justice and Bullying.

**QC United** is a charity organization dedicated to providing educational experiences for youth to assist them in learning how to interact effectively and responsibly in a global society. Learn more...

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# The World of Work Symposium

## February 28th, 2017

### PROGRAM

8:00 to 8:40am	Registration
8:45am	Welcome
8:55am	Performance by Juan, Curtis and Victoria
9:00 to 9:45	Special Guest,; Hannah Alper– 14 year old Ambassador for the ME to WE Foundation. Born and raised in Canada, Hannah has been called an Ecco Warrior, a change-maker and an activist.
9:45 to 9:55	questions/ overview of remaining schedule
9:55	Break (5 minutes)
10:05 – 10:50	1st breakout session
10:55 - 11:40	2nd breakout session
11:45 – 12:55	Lunch Group will be split for lunch & College/Career Fair (one group attends lunch while the other attends fair)
	<b>Red Group:</b> Lunch 11:45 to 12:15 College/Work Fair 12:20 to 12:50
	<b>Blue Group:</b> College/Work Fair 11:45 to 12:15 Lunch 12:20 to 12:50
1:00 – 1:40	Keynote Speaker: Randy Moore - President of the Iowa American Water Company
1:45	Closing remarks (students complete evaluations)
1:50	Dismissal

# World of Work Symposium 2017 Breakout Session Options

**Students, Please indicate your 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> choices (write # 1 thru 4) for sessions you wish to attend:**

ALL FORMS MUST BE RETURNED TO TEACHER OR COUNSELOR BY FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH!

- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option A: Teachers Make it Happen!** Learn about the many options available in the field of education from pre-school through the high school level. Presented by Jabari Woods, Assistant Director of Human Resources from the Davenport School District.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option B: You Can Get There from Here.** Tony Morales, an adjunct professor of International Business at St. Ambrose University and a retired Aerospace Engineer from Alcoa discusses his personal experiences and the skills he needed to move forward.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option C: Earn While You Learn.** A Master Mechanic from Reynold's Ford Company, Derick Duffy, discusses the lucrative opportunities in the field of auto-mechanics and the opportunities to earn a living while receiving higher training.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option D: Be the First to Respond!** Police officers from the Davenport Police Department share their experiences and offer information about the many roles of Police Officers as well as the training/preparation required to enter this profession.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option E: Put Your Head in the Cloud.** Dr. Druckenmiller, professor of Computer Science from Western Illinois University –QC Campus, discusses the ever-changing and exciting world of Internet Technology and the many in-demand jobs associated with this field.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option F: Keep Moving and make \$\$.** Dr. Daniel Marvin from the Blong Center (part of the skilled trade program at Scott Community College) shares the many career options available to those who like challenges but prefer not to sit behind a desk.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option G: Becoming Your Own Boss.** Learn from a local entrepreneur about the challenges and benefits of starting your own business and the basic skills you need to be successful.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option H: You Can Make the World Better and Still Pay Your Bills.** Amy Rowell, the CEO of the local branch of the International non-profit organization; World Relief, talks about the joy she experiences in her career as well as the challenges.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option I: Being a Social Butterfly Pays Off!** Meghan Cooley, the Manager of Social Media Services at Augustana College, discusses the always-changing nature of social media as well as the opportunities and challenges in this career area.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option J: Loving the Numbers!** Hear from an experienced engineer about the many career opportunities in the field of engineering and the skills to develop so you are ready for the challenge.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option K: Flexibility is Key!** Lisa Gisel and associates from the Palmer School of Chiropractic discuss the many career options associated with this field ranging from support services to licensed doctor.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Option L: Serve your Country and earn valuable experiences.** Students are introduced to the many career options that exist within the Armed Services.

Student Name (print clearly!) \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher/counselor in Charge: \_\_\_\_\_