

## DR. AARON THOMPSON

UK DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY ALUMNUS PRESIDENT OF THE KY COUNCIL ON POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION

MAKING HIGHER EDUCATION MATTER TO **KENTUCKY** 

From his start as a low-income minority youth in rural Clay County to Council on Postsecondary Education President, Dr. Aaron Thompson will share his story about the transformative power of higher education. Thompson will also speak about how his passions for closing opportunity gaps and increasing the value of higher education have influenced the state's new strategic agenda for postsecondary education.



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