# THE HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL: LEADING FOR INNOVATION

## Agenda

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| 8:45AM | **Welcome** *(Nutmeg Ballroom)*  
  - Dr. Jeffrey Villar, Executive Director, CCER  
  - Dr. Karissa Niehoff, Executive Director, CAS                                       |
| 9:00AM | **Keynote**: Is My School a BETTER School Because I Am the Leader? *(Nutmeg Ballroom)*  
  - Principal Baruti Kafele                                                            |
| 10:00AM| Break                                                                               |
| 10:10AM| **Breakout Sessions:**  
  - Panel - Leading Transformation: Reflections from the Field *(Nutmeg Ballroom)*  
  - Authentic Research Experiences for Students *(Rocky Hill Room)*  
  - The Norwalk Early College Academy (NECA): Transforming the High School Experience Through the 9-14 Model *(Hartford Room)* |
| 11:10AM| Break                                                                               |
| 11:20AM| **Keynote**: High Impact Leadership: What Matters Most for Improving Schools *(Nutmeg Ballroom)*  
  - Dr. Douglas Reeves                                                                |
| 12:20PM| Lunch                                                                               |
| 1:10PM | **Breakout Sessions:**  
  - Why High Performance Teams Are Needed to Improve Student Performance *(Nutmeg Ballroom)*  
  - Engaging Students Through STEM *(Rocky Hill Room)*  
  - How Flex Time Leads to Student Success *(Hartford Room)* |

## Site Map: Sheraton Hartford South Hotel