

BUILDING EVIDENCE AND LEARNING AGENDAS IN FEDERAL AGENCIES

Thursday, October 18, 2018

- 9:00 a.m. **Breakfast and registration**
- 9:30 a.m. **Welcome and overview**
- **Demetra Nightingale**, Institute Fellow, Urban Institute [@urbaninstitute](#)
 - **Diana Epstein**, Evidence Team Lead, Office of Management and Budget [@OMBPress](#)
- 9:45 a.m. **Using and building evidence at Housing and Urban Development**
- **Pamela Hughes Patenaude**, Deputy Secretary, Housing and Urban Development [@HUDDepSec](#)
 - **Erika Poethig**, Vice President and Chief Innovation Officer, Urban Institute [@Erika_Poethig](#)
- 10:15 a.m. **Panel discussion**
- **Terell P. Lasane**, Lead Program Evaluator, Office of the Chief Financial Officer, Small Business Administration [@SBAGov](#)
 - **Melissa Patsalides**, Acting Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Policy, Planning, and Learning, US Agency for International Development [@USAIDPolicy](#)
 - **Emily Schmitt**, Deputy Director, Office of Planning, Research, and Evaluation, Administration for Children and Families, US Department of Health and Human Services [@epschmitt](#)
 - **Nick Hart**, Director, Evidence-Based Policymaking Initiative, Bipartisan Policy Center (*moderator*) [@NickRHart](#)
- 11:15 a.m. **Reflections and conclusion**
- **Maia Jachimowicz**, Vice President, Evidence-Based Policy Implementation, Results for America [@Results4America](#)
- 11:30 a.m. **Event concludes**

