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Williams to Discuss Challenges and Barriers to Employment for People With Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

[Bob Williams](#), the Associate Commissioner for the Social Security Administration's Office of Employment Support Programs will attend the 2011 [Alliance for Full Participation, Summit 2.0 Real Jobs—It's Everyone's Business](#). The Summit takes place November 17-19 at the Gaylord National Harbor, just outside Washington, D.C. Mr. Williams will be part of this year's Summit highlight, an interactive Town Hall presentation, in which he and other panel members will engage in a challenging and frank conversation about what is needed to make integrated employment a reality for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Frank Sesno, former CNN Special Correspondent, will moderate the Town Hall, and featured speakers include self-advocates, federal, state, and local policy leaders, employers, service providers, and researchers. Audience members have the opportunity to ask questions, voice opinions, and vote on critical issues.

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