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DR. DAVID BRONNER TO SPEAK AT ANNUAL MEETING IN MAY

Dr. David G. Bronner, CEO of the Retirement Systems of Alabama (RSA), will be the featured speaker during the General Assembly of AERA’s 2018 Annual Meeting on May 8 at the Pelham Civic Complex in Pelham.

Dr. Bronner earned a Ph.D. and law degree from the University of Alabama where he taught in the Graduate Schools of Business and Education and served as assistant dean and lecturer in the School of Law before coming to the RSA.

Dr. Bronner has been featured in *Time*, *Governing*, and *Forbes* magazines; *The Institutional Investor*; *The Money Manager*; *Wall Street Journal*; *Business Week*; and *Pension & Investment Age*, for his investment strategies and financial market decisions. In 2003, *PlanSponsor* magazine named the RSA “Plan Sponsor of the Year.” Recently, Dr. Bronner received the “Institutional Development Award” presented by the International Economic Development Council.

High profile investments to help Alabama thrive are a hallmark of Dr. Bronner, including office buildings in Montgomery, Mobile, and New York, plus the development of eight hotels and conference centers in Alabama. Other investments include Raycom Media with 65 television stations and Community Newspaper Holdings, Inc. with over 160 newspapers that provide free advertising for the state of Alabama.

The venture of which Dr. Bronner is most proud of is Alabama’s Robert Trent Jones Golf Trail. This collection of 26 championship golf courses at 11 sites has put Alabama at the top of the list of golf destinations worldwide and helped to increase tourism from a \$1.8 billion industry to a yearly \$13 billion industry.



DR. DAVID BRONNER



Annual Meeting Information

Tuesday, May 8, 2018

Pelham Civic Complex, Pelham

**Registration ~ 8 a.m./General Assembly ~ 9:30 a.m./Annual Luncheon ~ Noon
General Assembly Speaker ~ Dr. David Bronner, CEO of the RSA**