

Speaker Bio | Bill Milliken

Milliken is a pioneer in the movement to assist young people in graduating from high school and going on to live rewarding lives. His activism in the 1960s eventually led him to establish the Communities In Schools network, a community-based organization that helps students achieve in school and prepare for life. Milliken has served three US presidents and received numerous honors for his work, including the Martin Luther King Jr. Legacy Award for National Service and the National Jefferson Award for Public Service. He serves on the boards of Leadership Foundations and Communities In Schools of Virginia. Milliken has written four books, is an honorary member of PathNorth, and has an honorary doctor of humane letters from Bard College.