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As senior fellow at Bellwether Education Partners, Weeby advises foundations, nonprofits, and government agencies on city-level education reform initiatives, governance, innovation and talent. He is also currently a Pahara Institute NextGen Fellow, a selective 12-month program that encourages and supports education sector leaders to strengthen the educational equity and excellence movement by engaging more diverse perspectives.

Prior to joining Bellwether, Weeby led programmatic and innovation initiatives at Education Pioneers, a nonprofit that recruits and develops students and professionals from diverse backgrounds to work for K-12 school districts, charter schools and other education organizations. While there, he was a recipient of the Met Life Foundation Scholarship to attend Columbia Business School's Developing Leaders Program for Nonprofit Professionals. He was also an Education Pioneers fellow at Envision Schools in 2007.

Weeby began his career serving youth as a treatment provider in a residential crisis unit and then as a middle school language arts and social studies teacher at Kazoo School, both in Kalamazoo.

As a member of the Lee Honors College, Weeby earned his bachelor's degree in secondary education and environmental studies. He earned his master's degree in education from Stanford University with a concentration in policy, organization, and leadership studies.



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