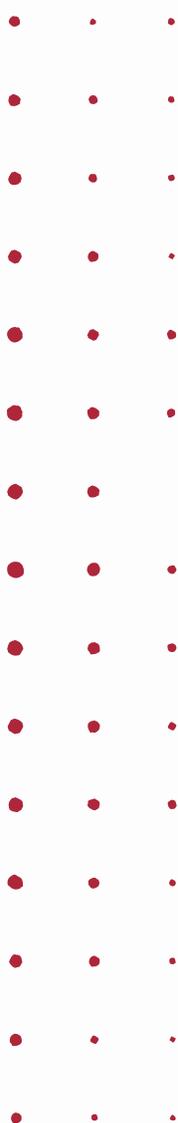




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What We Do



1. CPPR Public Policy Talks

Free events bringing together the SFU community and broader public to interact with leading public policy makers.

2. Chatham House Rule Dialogues

Ethical space for partner organizations to bring together people with different points of view to discuss difficult topics.

3. Opinion Pieces

The CPPR assists SFU policy-focused faculty publish opinion pieces concerning their peer-reviewed research with top media outlets.

4. Commissioned Reports

SFU experts and graduate students generate reports for governmental, non-profit, and for-profit organizations.

5. British Columbia Priorities

Connects partner organizations with the School of Public Policy's BC Priorities Project – a core part of the SPP curriculum which enhances graduate student learning outcomes and partner organization research capacity.

6. Chatham House Rule Series

Assembles top decision-makers, SFU faculty, staff, students, alumni, and invited guests for candid discussions about hot topics and the public policy making process



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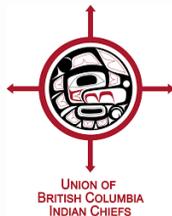
BC Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation Murray Rankin, CPPR Director Kennedy Stewart, and Chatham House Rule Speaker Series Participants (Photo: Dylan Kubota)

Who We Are

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