



WESTERN WASHINGTON
TUESDAY, MAY 22, 2018
HYATT REGENCY - BELLEVUE

CONFERENCE AGENDA

7:00 AM

REGISTRATION: Grand Ballroom Foyer | DOORS OPEN
HYATT REGENCY BELLEVUE

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM

POLICY SESSION #1: GOVERNMENT REFORM

The Seattle Income Tax and what it means for the whole state with new data from statewide poll, Seattle head tax update

Sen. Guy Palumbo | Former senior manager at Amazon and current small business owner
Chris Rufo | Plaintiff in the lawsuit against Seattle's income tax. WPC YP Board Member
Rep. Drew Stokesbary | Assistant Minority Floor Leader

8:40 AM - 9:35 AM

POLICY SESSION #2: EDUCATION

How public Charter Schools are helping kids and saving money

Corey DeAngelis | Policy Analyst at the Cato Center for Educational Freedom. Policy Advisor and Contributing Editor for the Heartland Institute

9:35 AM - 9:50 AM

BREAK

9:50 AM - 10:50 AM

POLICY SESSION #3: ENVIRONMENT

Carbon tax efforts in Washington and Smartphone environmentalism:
Saving the planet one app at a time

John Bernard | Author, strategist, and advisor to multiple governors
Todd Myers | Director of WPC's Center for the Environment

10:50 AM - 11:45 AM

POLICY SESSION #4: Labor Reform

How the coming Supreme Court ruling in *Janus v. AFSCME* means Washington may become a right-to-work state

Mark Janus | Lead plaintiff in the landmark case of *Janus v. AFSCME*

11:45 AM - 12:00 PM

BREAK

12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

KEYNOTE LUNCHEON

Featuring Stephen Hayes, editor-in-chief of *The Weekly Standard*