

Canada West Foundation

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FOUNDATION**

**Good for Canada.
Good for the West.**

Our Work

For over 50 years, Canada West Foundation has provided a trusted voice on policy issues that matter to Canada. Our convening power combined with in-depth research and analysis has produced practical recommendations that impact people and their lives.

Whether it's finding solutions that address energy, environment and the economy, the ability of our transport systems to get products to market, or training people for jobs in tomorrow's economy, our work influences the direction of Canadian public policy.

Balanced. Trusted. Objective.

Canada West Foundation is a voice of reason in a world that seems increasingly divided.

We are the only policy shop with a solid track record of providing reasonable, evidence-based solutions targeted specifically to the economies of British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Our reputation for excellence is solid. We are valued by governments, business and industry for our independent, non-partisan, evidence-based research and thoughtful guidance when addressing tough issues.

Support us now and into the future. Here's how:

MAJOR ON-GOING THEMATIC FUNDING

Subject to funding and within the broad themes of each Centre's research, we will explore more specific projects related to our annual Work Plans. These include:

- Policy where the environment, energy systems and the economy meet
- Trade opportunities in the Indo-Pacific and the trade infrastructure the West needs to take advantage of them
- Improvements to training and education of Canada's workforce – improving capacity to improve productivity – including on-the-job training.

Each theme requires \$1.5 million over 3 years with lead sponsors of \$250,000/year, supporting sponsors of \$100,000 and others.

NAMED RESEARCH FELLOW POSITIONS

Sponsored Senior Research Fellows and Executives in Residence allow us to attract more top talent, enhance our research capacity and explore big issues in greater depth – and have a greater policy impact.

Sponsor a named Research Fellow or Executive in Residence position for \$1.5M for five years.

CANADA WEST FOUNDATION BRIEFS

CWF publishes monthly briefs with links that highlight developments related to our work you may not see on the front page of mainstream media.

Our Briefs include:

- Energy Innovation Brief
- China Brief: China's relationship with Canada's West

- Future of Work and Learning Brief
- North America Brief: United States and Mexico's trade relationship with Canada's Prairie provinces

Sponsor an individual brief for \$100,000/year.

NEXT GENERATION ENDOWMENT

CWF's Founders laid the groundwork for the first 50 years of our existence and since then, we've had an outsized impact. But now we need the next generation to build upon that legacy to continue our work as the world around us rapidly changes.

Contribute a major named gift to the endowment fund at \$2 million.

SUSTAINERS CIRCLE

Members of the Sustainers Circle commit to supporting CWF for three years with \$10,000 a year, showcasing their trust in and commitment to our work, helping to create a stronger West within a strong Canada.

INTERNSHIPS

CWF strongly believes in helping the next generation of critical thinkers with hands-on experience. When you support an intern placement, you contribute to good public policy in more than one meaningful way.

Support an internship position for \$25,000.

GENERAL SUPPORT

A general donation to CWF ensures we can continue to produce the high-quality, practical and respected work we do on issues that have an outsized impact on the West.

We create change, not chatter.

The Canada West Foundation is fiercely independent. We offer unbiased, evidence-based policy solutions. But we can only maintain our independence from government through the financial support of private individuals, foundations and companies.

Canada needs the Canada West Foundation – and we need you. As a donor-supported registered charity our survival depends on the engaged citizens and organizations who help us keep the lights on. We invite you to join CWF's family and help the West achieve its full potential. Together we are better.

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