The 2021 Public Policy Summit gives you an insider’s view of the policy landscape in Washington, DC.

The Summit will equip foundation leaders and staff with the tools they need to leverage public policy to pursue equity, strengthen the sector, and advance the greater good. Attendees will also have the opportunity to build relationships with colleagues from the sector around key policy issues.

TOP GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND POLICY EXPERTS WILL JOIN LEADERS IN PHILANTHROPY TO DISCUSS:

- The intersections of wealth inequality, racial equity, philanthropy, and public policy
- How new congressional proposals could impact philanthropy and your work
- The Biden Administration’s equity executive order and how philanthropy can partner with the federal government
- How to effectively educate elected officials on policy issues that matter to the sector

TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Philanthropy’s Role in Shaping a More Equitable Future
- Congress and the Philanthropic Sector
- The Biden Administration Equity EO: A Pivotal Moment in Federal Policy
- Mind the Gap: Philanthropy’s Role in Addressing Racial Wealth Disparities
- Regulating Philanthropic Perpetuity: The Current Debate
- Stepping Up and Showing Up for Communities: Advocacy Trainings

The Council’s reputation as a policy expert, combined with high-profile speakers and an interactive, virtual event platform, makes the 2021 Public Policy Summit an opportunity to reach hundreds of public policy and legal staff in the philanthropic sector, as well as CEOs and program officers interested in policy and advocacy.

Whether your institution is just getting started or has its own policy department, the Summit offers a mix of main-stage moments, panel discussions, and trainings to suit your needs.
LOOKING BACK AT 2020 at a glance

ATTENDEE FEEDBACK

“Extremely relevant and informative! I learned a lot about the dos and don’ts of advocacy in philanthropy. Going to share a brief of the content with the rest of my team.”

“The expertise, passion, and directness were refreshing and illuminating.”

“Really engaging conversation among funders, great helpful takeaways about practical ways to center equity and make greater impact through education/advocacy.”
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