Better Science, Better Policy: a panel discussion

Friday, November 21st at 6 p.m. Amphitheatre, top floor, Heron Road Community Centre,1480 Heron Road East of St. Patrick's High School, OC Transpo routes 8 and 112

Please join us for this non-partisan, public panel on the role of science in formulating effective policy in areas such as the environment & health. Our panel will also discuss practices in Canada that affect communication by scientists employed at federal agencies. The meeting will feature the following panelists



Ralph Pentland – consultant, former federal water issues policy advisor, and co-author with Chris Wood of <u>Down the Drain</u>, a book that challenged myths about the "natural security" of Canada's fresh water.

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Katie Gibbs – biologist and Executive Director of <u>Evidence for</u> <u>Democracy</u>, an organization working to advance publicly funded scientific research and transparency in the sharing of scientific information.



Stephan Schott – Associate Professor in Carleton University's School of Public Policy, he teaches and performs research at the intersection of economics, public policy, and technological innovation.

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