

Panel Discussion: Five Steps to Accelerate Economic Growth in Connecticut

Connecticut's economy is not currently on a stable path to long-term economic growth. Combined with large fixed expenses in the state budget, slow or no growth puts real pressure on the state's ability to invest in infrastructure and meet educational and human services needs. What initiatives should Connecticut take to accelerate economic growth in a way that improves rather than exacerbates income inequality?

Moderator:

Jay Williams, President, Hartford Foundation for Public Giving

Panel Members:

Peter Gioia, Economist, CT Business and Industry Association

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Representative Jason Rojas, 9th House District, Chair, Finance Revenue and Bonding Committee

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