

# EVALUATING CANNABIS LEGALIZATION

June 8-11 • Washington State



## **Renaissance Seattle Hotel**

515 Madison Street  
Seattle, Washington 98104  
+1(206) 583-0300

<http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/seasm-renaissance-seattle-hotel/>

## **Spokane City Hall**

808 W. Spokane Falls Boulevard  
Spokane, WA 99201

<https://my.spokanecity.org/cityhall/>

## *OVERVIEW*

### **Monday, June 8**

Participants arrive in the  
afternoon and evening  
Dinner at the workshop hotel for  
those who have arrived

### **Tuesday, June 9**

Breakfast  
Welcome and Introductions  
Workshop Sessions 1 and 2  
Lunch  
Workshop Sessions 2 (cont'd)  
and 3  
Official Welcome Dinner at  
Cutters Crabhouse Next to  
Seattle's Pike Place Market

### **Wednesday, June 10**

Breakfast  
Workshop Session 4  
Conclusions and Next Steps  
Lunch  
Spokane Participants Head to Airport  
Official Welcome Dinner at Stacks at  
Steam Plant in Spokane

### **Thursday, June 11**

Breakfast  
Special Meeting of the Spokane City  
Council Marijuana Policy  
Subcommittee of the Public Safety  
Committee  
Lunch  
Spokane Site Visit  
Final Conclusions, Participants Depart

## Chatham House Rule

In order to create a confidential setting and to encourage open and candid discussion, the Workshop Sessions taking place in Seattle on June 9 and 10 will be conducted under the Chatham House Rule:

When a meeting, or part thereof, is held under the Chatham House Rule, participants are free to use the information received, but neither the identity nor the affiliation of the speaker(s), nor that of any other participant, may be revealed.

Chatham House, The Royal Institute of International Affairs (1927),  
<http://www.chathamhouse.org/about/chatham-house-rule>.

The rapporteur's report of the Seattle Workshop Sessions will aim to provide as full and accurate a description of the discussion as possible. But no individual participant will be quoted—nor his or her identity or affiliation revealed—without express permission.

In contrast to the confidential nature of the Seattle sessions, the Special Meeting of the Spokane City Council Marijuana Policy Subcommittee of the Public Safety Committee on June 11 will be open to the public and media.

## AGENDA

*Simultaneous interpretation into English and Spanish will be available throughout.*

### Monday, June 8

Not all participants will arrive in time for dinner, so we will host earlier arrivals **at 7:00 PM in the Vista Room on the 28<sup>th</sup> floor of the Renaissance Seattle Hotel** and reserve our official welcome dinner until Tuesday, June 9.

### Tuesday, June 9

*All activities at the Renaissance Seattle Hotel take place on the 28<sup>th</sup> floor.*

0800 Continental Breakfast, Visions Room

0900 Welcome and Introductions

1000 *Session 1: Overview of New Cannabis Laws and Regulatory Systems*

CHAIR: Robert MacCoun, Stanford University

PRESENTER: Andrew Freedman, Director of Marijuana Coordination, State of Colorado

PRESENTER: Rick Garza, Washington State Liquor Control Board

PRESENTER: Augusto Vitale, *Instituto de Regulacion y Control del Cannabis*, Uruguay

1045 Coffee Break

- 1100 *Session 1, cont'd*  
 PRESENTER: Cynthia Franklin, Alaska Alcoholic Beverage Control Board  
 PRESENTER: Will Higlin, Oregon Liquor Control Commission
- 1130 *Session 2: Public Health*  
 CHAIR: Peter Reuter, University of Maryland  
 PRESENTER: Kathy Lofy, Washington State Department of Health  
 DISCUSSANT: Rosalie Pacula, RAND
- 1215 Lunch, Vista Room
- 1315 *Session 2, cont'd - Visions Room*  
 PRESENTER: Larry Wolk, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment
- 1450 *Reflections on Session 2*  
 In the last ten minutes of the session, participants will be invited to reflect on the substance and course of the discussion, particular points of interest, and unanswered questions.
- 1500 Coffee Break
- 1515 *Session 3: Public Safety*  
 CHAIR: Jonathan Caulkins, Carnegie Mellon University  
 PRESENTER: Julio Calzada, Immediate Past Secretary General, National Drugs Board of Uruguay  
 DISCUSSANT: Angela Hawken, Pepperdine University
- 1635 *Reflections on Session 3*
- 1645 Conclusion of Day's Workshop Sessions
- 1830 Meet in Hotel Lobby for Transportation to Dinner
- 1900 Dinner at Cutters Crabhouse next to Seattle's Pike Place Market, 2001 Western Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98121,  
<http://cuttersbayhouse.com/>  
*We will be joined by ACLU of Washington Executive Director Kathleen Taylor and Seattle City Attorney Pete Holmes, who will provide welcoming remarks.*

**Wednesday, June 10**

*Hotel guests traveling to Spokane should check out of their rooms before the 0900 session begins and leave their bags in the Vista Room on the 28<sup>th</sup> floor.*

- 0800 Continental Breakfast, Visions Room
- 0900 *Session 4: Markets in the Public Interest*  
 CHAIR: Patrick Oglesby, Center for New Revenue  
 PRESENTER: Lewis Koski, Colorado Marijuana Enforcement Division  
 DISCUSSANT: Mark Kleiman, New York University

- 1020 *Reflections on Session 4*
- 1030 Coffee Break
- 1045 *Conclusions and Next Steps*  
Summaries of key challenges, lessons learned, and recommendations that emerged from each session
- 1200 Lunch, Vista Room
- 1315 Spokane participants meet in lobby for transportation to airport
- 1500 Spokane participants fly to Spokane, check in at DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel Spokane City Center
- 1800 Participants meet in hotel lobby for transportation
- 1900 Dinner at Stacks at Steam Plant, 159 South Lincoln, Spokane, Washington 99201, <http://steamplantspokane.com/restaurant>  
*We will be joined by Spokane City Council President Ben Stuckart and Council Member Jon Snyder, who will provide welcoming remarks.*

## **Thursday, June 11**

- 0700 Continental Breakfast at Hotel  
*Please use the breakfast voucher provided to you at check in.*
- 0800 Meet in Hotel Lobby for Transportation to Spokane City Hall  
*Spokane City Council Marijuana Policy Subcommittee of the Public Safety Committee*
- 0900 Call to Order and Introductions
- 0910 Spokane County and State Marijuana License Update
- 0920 I-502 Retrospective/Research Paper
- 0930 Community Partner Updates and I-502 Licensees
- 1000 Break
- 1010 Public Health and Prevention Funding Update
- 1020 Impaired Driving Update
- 1040 Roundtable/Panel Discussion with out-of-state and international guests of the Washington Office on Latin America (WOLA) and American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)
- 1200 Lunch and Shared Observations
- 1300 Spokane Site Visits
- 1600 Participants depart