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# Housing Futures Center

## Advancing a Future with Housing for All

University of Washington, in partnership with Puget Sound Regional Council, invite you to join regional leaders to **celebrate the launch of the Housing Futures Center.**

- **Date:** Wednesday, April 22, 2026
- **Time:** 4:00 – 6:00 PM
- **Location:** Vive Conference Center | 1201 3rd Avenue, 24th Floor, Seattle

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**Washington faces significant housing challenges.** We collectively confront a growing housing shortage and, in particular, insufficient housing that is affordable to middle and lower income households.

**Meeting that need will require coordinated, informed, and sustained action.**

**The Housing Futures Center is a new interdisciplinary initiative** designed to build capacity and strengthen decision-making across Washington's housing ecosystem. By integrating applied research, education, and cross-sector engagement, the Center supports those who shape housing policy, finance, development, and community outcomes.

This launch will introduce the Center's initial **research agenda, outline opportunities for partnership, and convene leaders** committed to advancing housing attainability, stability, and shared prosperity across our state.

The program will include remarks from **Gregg Colburn, Founder and Director of the Housing Futures Center, and Josh Brown, Executive Director of the Puget Sound Regional Council.**

We hope you will join us for this important moment. Additional speakers and program details will be announced in the coming weeks.

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