

The Centre's vision is to work collaboratively and extend the practice of community development beyond the Fraser Valley region into the global context. To this end, the CGD promotes and encourages research and programs on sustainable human and community development in order to facilitate positive change.

In concert with Canada's development priorities, the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals, and international human rights standards, the Centre focuses on these key areas:

1. Good governance, peace, justice and strong institutions
2. Children and development
3. Environmental sustainability
4. Education and Training
5. Food Security

The Centre for Global Development is managed by the lead associate and the management committee comprised of one associate of the CGD and an external member which provides oversight to ensure transparency and accountability. The lead associate is appointed by the AVP Research, Engagement and Graduate Studies. The management committee provides advice and guidance on the CGD's activities, programs, strategic planning and plans for seeking funding for research activities. Associates of the CGD are UFV faculty and staff who are committed to teaching and research in the area of development in both the local and global contexts.

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Nothing to report

1. CGD in partnership with other departments, held the fifth edition of Politalk Roundtable Series on October 9, 2018 on the theme
. The event focused on the celebration of life and the achievements of the late former United Nations Secretary-General, Mr. Kofi Annan. The panel discussion was made up of Dr. Valerie Yankey-Wayne, Consultant, United Nations and European Union (New York and Brussels), Prof. Edward Akuffo, Department of Political Science, UFV, and Prof. Emeritus Yvon Dundurand, Department of Criminology, UFV.
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