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Charting Canada's Freshwater Governance

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Dr. Rob de Loë is the University Research Chair in Water Policy and Governance at the University of Waterloo.

De Loë is also Director of the multi-university Water Policy and Group. During the past two decades, he has been studying and writing about critical governance challenges relating to water allocation and water security, source water protection, and climate change adaptation. He provides policy advice to various government and non-government organizations in Canada, at scales ranging from local watersheds to the nation. He chairs the advisory panel for the Royal Bank of Canada's Blue Water project, a \$50 million, 10-year charitable grant program to support fresh water conservation, protection and accessibility.

Peter Annin

Mr. Peter Annin is an Environmental Journalist, Author, and Associate Director for the Institutes for Journalism & Natural Resources.

A veteran conflict and environmental journalist, Peter Annin spent more than a decade reporting on a wide variety of issues for Newsweek. He serves as Associate Director of the Institutes for Journalism and Natural Resources, a nonpartisan national nonprofit that organizes educational fellowships for mid-career environmental journalists. www.ijnr.org.

Author of *The Great Lakes Water Wars* (Island Press, 2006).

Andrew Biro

Dr. Andrew Biro is the Canada Research Chair in Political Ecology and Environmental Political Theory at Acadia University.

He investigates the social construction of scarcity, and the role of culture and ideology in environmental politics, with a focus on water issues. He examines debates over the commodification of water as a concrete example of the policy implications of differing conceptions of nature. His current research aims to develop a sense of the ways in which the demand or "need" for water is to a certain extent manufactured.

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