

Webinar: Pandemic economics: Thoughts on she-cession, she-recovery, and future growth ^[1]

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Armine Yalnizyan: Pandemic Economics: Thoughts on She-cession, She-recovery and Future Growth

In this webinar, Armine Yalnizyan provides attendees her thoughts on a post-pandemic recovery and the role of 'she-recovery' and future growth for Canada.

Armine highlights that "the path to re-hiring women is bottlenecked as a lack of childcare is the limiting factor for she-recovery".

Yalnizyan addresses the revelations of the pandemic on the economy and notes that:

- Warning: childcare may become the new long-term care facilities. If too many not-for-profit facilities fold, more capacity will be operated by for-profits. #CaringForProfit priority •
- Childcare viewed as driven by "market choice" alone guarantees market failure...and less growth.
- Underinvestment in early learning and child care (ELCC) means discounting the potential of 15-20% of children in low-income households. But population ageing means we need all hands on deck.
- High-quality ELCC must be part of the public education system, or we're leaving money on the table

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