

# ***Consortium for Collaborative Governance at the Evans School***

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## **Consortium for Collaborative Governance**

- Helped our faculty understand how other schools (esp USC and AZ, but also Harvard's Weil Center and Syracuse's PARC initiative) think about and discuss cross-sectoral policy and management dilemmas and initiatives.
- Given our faculty and students more in-depth exposure to scholarship and teaching by USC and AZ faculty
  - Graddy, Schlager, Milward, plus Provan's upcoming Cascade visit in December

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- Helped our faculty and doctoral students identify previously unnoticed common themes and dilemmas in our research
  - For example, we have faculty who work on problems of international development as well as faculty who focus on domestic policy including environmental problem-solving, contracting for social and health services, and workforce development.
  - Common theme: multi-stake holder processes to solve difficult policy and management problems
  - Common dilemma: balancing the mix of simultaneous collaboration and contestation.

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- Helped inform curriculum development in public and nonprofit management courses, especially on topics related to cross-sectoral initiatives.
- Enhanced research profile of the school and individual faculty
- Could potentially serve as a basis or spark for grant proposals and other research initiatives

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- In the future, we hope CCG broadens our students' exposure to syllabi and faculty from the other schools, given the limited size of our faculty.
- Could be especially valuable in the area of doctoral committees, joint doctoral courses managed through distance learning, additional executive teaching exchanges, etc.