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- [Ballmer Investments in Washington State](#)
- [Investing \\$43 Million to Build Washington's Early Childhood Education Workforce](#) Ballmer blog post
- [Washington State's Fair Start for Kids Act, 2022 legislation](#)
- [The True Cost of Quality Child Care in Washington](#), a 2022 report to the state legislature and governor
- [Child Care Aware WA](#)
- [Child Care Aware WA's Policy/Advocacy campaign road map](#)
- [Pathwaves WA](#)
- [The True Cost of Quality Child Care in Washington](#), a 2022 report to the state legislature and governor
- [Child Care Aware, Early Educator Design Team, ELAA Legislative Session Retreat](#)
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- [Principles of Ideal Learning Environments](#)
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- [Stabilizing the Early Childhood Education Workforce – Enabling Conditions](#)
- [Heising-Simons Investments in California Workforce](#)
- [Center for the Study of Child Care Employment \(CSCCE\)](#)
- [Josephine Yates – Pedagogical Giant and Organizational Leader in Early Education and Beyond](#)
- [Early Childhood History, Organizing, Ethos, and Strategy Project \(ECHOES\)](#), an archive by CSCCE
- [Early Childhood Workforce Index, 2020](#), by CSCCE

- [Early Educator Investment Collaborative](#), EEIC
- [Early Educator Investment Collaborative Makes \\$9 Million in Grants to Address Unjust Compensation for Early Childhood Education Workforce](#), November 15, 2023 press release by EEIC
- [Mary Pauper: A Historical Exploration of Early Care and Education Compensation, Policy and Solutions](#), a report by EEIC
- [Advancing ECE Workforce Compensation and Equity: Key Conditions for a National Lead Teacher Certification](#), September 2023 national feasibility study by EEIC
- [Opinion: Federal funding for child care is about to fall off a cliff. Why that's a disaster](#), September 26, 2023 LA Times Op-Ed by Rebecca E. Gomez
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### **Bainum Family Foundation**

- [Bainum Early Childhood Investments](#)
- [Celebrating a Major Win for D.C.'s Early Childhood Educators](#)
- [WeVision EarlyEd](#)
- [DC Early EdX](#)
- [Under 3 DC](#)
- [White House Convening on Child Care Leaves Us Inspired and Hopeful](#), August 1, 2023 blog post on Early Childhood Funders Collaborative by Marica Cox Mitchell and Rachel Schumacher of ECFC's Raising Child Care Fund
- [Introducing "DC Men in ECE": Championing Men of Color in Early Childhood Education](#), October 2023 PRNewswire
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### **Other Related Resources**

- [Early Childhood Funders Collaborative](#)
- [Raising Child Care Fund](#)
- [Transforming the Workforce for Children Birth Through Age 8](#), 2015 National Academies of Sciences report
- [National Black Child Development Institute](#)
- [Early Efforts: The Importance of Men in Early Childhood](#), October 2023 webinar hosted by Hunt Institute
- [Workforce of Today and Tomorrow: The Economics of Tennessee's Child Care Crisis](#), a December 2022 report by Tennesseans for Quality Early Education