

## BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION



**DAN KELLY**  
**President and CEO, CFIB**

Dan Kelly serves as President, Chief Executive Officer and Chair of the Board of Governors of the Canadian Federation of Independent Business (CFIB). He is the lead spokesperson for the views of the Federation's 109,000 small and medium-sized member businesses.

Each year Dan gives dozens of presentations on small businesses and their relationship with governments. In 2013, Dan presented to the DAC on CFIB's work with the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA), to positive reviews.

Dan has spent over 20 years with CFIB in its Winnipeg, Calgary and Ottawa offices and is now in Toronto. Dan has played many legislative and policy roles, including work on the growing shortage of labour, training and immigration, banking and credit cards, and government finance and taxation.

In 2015, Dan was named one of the "Top 100 Most Powerful and Influential People in Government and Politics", by Power & Influence magazine, and was named as one of Alberta's "50 most influential people" during his time there.

CFIB is very focused on SME policy, often focusing on key issues for the financial services sector, such as retirement savings, CRA compliance and taxation issues.