



AGENDA: JUNE 13, 2018

Conversational Leadership

- 7:00 – 8:00 am **Pipe Ceremony**
- 7:15 – 8:15 am **Conference Registration & Breakfast**
- 8:15 – 8:35 am **Conference Opens** - Master of Ceremonies: Merle White, President of ANFCA Board of Dir.
Prayer - Elder Irene Morin
- 8:35 – 8:45 am **Welcome/Opening Remarks**
Chief Billy Morin (*to be confirmed*), Enoch Cree Nation & Todd Belot, President of CFAR
- 8:45 – 9:30 am **Conversational Leadership in Action – Walking our Talk**
KEYNOTE SPEAKER:
(Chief) Dr. Reg Crow Shoe, Elder & former Chief of the Piikani Nation
MODERATOR: Andrea McLandress, Executive Director, Mining Association of Manitoba Inc.
- 9:30 – 10:00 am **A Look at the Work of Alberta and the Métis & First Nations Women's Economic Security Councils**
KEYNOTE SPEAKER:
Donavon Young, Deputy Minister, Ministry Indigenous Relations, Government of Alberta
MODERATOR: Jon Stringer, General Manager, Aboriginal Relations, Black Diamond Group Ltd.
- 10:00 – 10:15 am **Networking Break**
- 10:15 – 10:45 am **Working Together – the Importance of Progressive Indigenous Relations, CAREERS and Partnerships**
KEYNOTE SPEAKER:
Dr. Eric Newell, (Retired) CEO, Syncrude Canada Ltd., Officer of the Order of Canada
MODERATOR: Tracy Balash, Founder of Brave Birds Studio
- 10:45 – 11:45 am **LEADERSHIP IN A TIME OF TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION**
- **Dr. Reg Crowshoe** - Elder & former Chief of the Piikani Nation
 - **Tracy Balash** - Founder of Brave Birds Studio
 - **Dr. Eric Newell** - (Retired) CEO, Syncrude Canada Ltd.
 - **Jordan Jolicoeur** - President & CEO, Carvel Electric Ltd.
- MODERATOR:** Dr. Michael Lickers, Senior Advisor Indigenous Relations, Suncor Energy
- 11:45 – 1:00 pm **Networking Lunch** with a 12:15 pm presentation (grab your lunch outside in time to come back into the main room by 12:15 pm)
- 12:15 – 12:45 pm **LUNCH TIME PRESENTATION**
An update on the forgotten people – Alberta's Métis
Marilyn Lizee, Executive Advisor to the President, Métis Nation of Alberta
MODERATOR: Bob Phillips - Indigenous Community Industry Liaison Consultant/Facilitator
- 12:45 – 1:00 pm **Networking Break**
- 1:00 – 1:30 pm **Indigenous Leadership: From Transaction to Transformation**
KEYNOTE SPEAKER:
Dr. Patricia Makokis, Director of Indigenous Programs, Faculty of Extension, Univ. of AB
MODERATOR: Dale Swampy, Consultant, Indigenous/Industry Relations

Information subject to change.

1:30-1:45 pm

Networking Break

1:45-2:45 pm

BREAKOUT SESSION #1: Be sure to attend all three & move quickly – there is little time between sessions!

1) Tracy Balash, *Founder of Brave Birds Studio* – **Conversational Intelligence**

Conversational Intelligence (C-IQ) is the ability to awaken new neuropathways and insights. Based on Judith Glaser's teachings on "Conversational Intelligence – How Great Leaders Build Trust and Get Extraordinary Results," Tracy will walk participants through conversational essentials that lead to high levels of trust and quality conversations. Tracy explains the neuroscience behind conversations that are based on trust, inclusion, appreciation and discovery, and how C-IQ activates our executive brain and leads to better decision-making, creativity, empathy and trust.

2) Justin Fontaine, *Associate, Osler, Hoskin & Harcourt LLP* – **Update on Consultation Requirements, the Procedural Fairness Owed to Project Proponents & Legislative Reform**

The previous year has seen significant activity in the context of Indigenous consultation in relation to major projects. This includes the handing down of Supreme Court of Canada (SCC) decisions such as Hamlet of Clyde River (Hamlet) v Petroleum Geo-Services Inc. and Chippewas of the Thames First Nation v Enbridge Pipelines Inc., which provide clear guidance on what practices constitute fulfilment of consultation requirements; and Federal Court decisions respecting the Taseko Mines Limited New Prosperity mine project, which deal with the topical issue of procedural fairness owed to proponents during and post-hearing. Perhaps the most anticipated development however, comes in the form of the proposed Bills C-68 and C-69, which promise to bring several major changes to Canada's federal regime for environmental assessment and project approval. One such development includes the need for consent from the council of the band for federally-regulated pipelines crossing reserve lands.

3) Marilyn Lizee, *Executive Advisor to the President, Métis Nation of Alberta* – **Métis 101**

An overview of who the Métis are and matters that are relevant to Métis, and the people who work and interact with Alberta's Métis in today's ever changing Indigenous landscape and economic climate.

2:45-3:45 pm

BREAKOUT SESSION #2: As above (participants change rooms)

3:45-4:45 pm

BREAKOUT SESSION #3: As above (participants change rooms)

4:45-4:55 pm

Conference Wrap-up - Tim Heins, Manager of Community Engagement, Royal Camps

4:55-5:00 pm

Closing Comments - Todd Belot, CFAR Society President & Irene Morin, Elder

5:00-6:00 pm

Break

6:00-10:00 pm

Evening Networking Mixer

EVENING PRESENTATION 7:00-7:30 pm

Re-Thinking Justice with an indigenous perspective

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: John Reilly, Retired Judge/Speaker/Author

MODERATOR: Lorne Ternes, Owner, Lorne J. Ternes Professional Corp.