

**Speakers List - ACES Conference – March 8, 9, 10, 2006  
Report – February 15, 2006**

Speakers List – ACES Conference – March 8, 2006

<b>Time</b>	<b>March 8</b>
<b>Conference Theme</b>	<b>Trades &amp; Apprenticeships, Labour Trends &amp; Futures Needs of Corporate Canada</b>
8:00 a.m.	Registration & Banquet Ticket Sales
8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Breakfast
9:00 a.m.	Master of Ceremonies By Buzz Morrisette, CFDC of CIFN Board Member Opening Prayer by Evelyn Camille, Kamloops Indian Band
9:05	Welcoming By Chief Shane Gottfriedson Welcoming By Mayor Terry Lake, City of Kamloops Welcoming by Ms. Betty Hinton, MP Welcoming Song – Seklep School  Conference Overview – Reminder Bid for Next Year's ACES By Geri Collins
9:15 – 9:45	Keynote Speaker - Manley McLachlan, BC Construction Association on Trades & Apprenticeships & Labour Trends
9:45 – 12:00	Panel Presenters – Introductions – Update on agency activities & set up workshops for the afternoon.
	Industry Training Authority (ITA) - Geoff Stevens Trades & Apprenticeships
	Aboriginal Human Resource Development Council of Canada (AHRDCC Champions) David Lindley, Western Co-Ordinator  Aboriginal Trades Initiatives & Aboriginal Construction Labour Market Study
	B. C. AHRDA Society – Trades Sub-Committee - Raf deGuevara, Chairman & David Lindley, Western Co-Ordinator, AHRDCC
	Speaker – Centre of Excellence in North East BC Topic: Oil Patch & Mining Industry Training Initiatives
	Speaker: Canadian Armed Forces Topics: Training Opportunities & the Bold Eagle Program and Raven Program  OR  UFCW Local 247 Education & Training Centre in Burnaby
10:45 – 11:15	Networking Session
11:15 – 12:00	Continuation from 9:45 Session

12:00 – 12:15	Networking Break
12:15 – 1:15	Lunch Speaker –Aboriginal Tourism BC - Connecting Aboriginal People with Emerging Opportunities in Tourism  OR
1:15 – 1:45	Facilitator Overview of Workshops Q & A in Panel Session Workshop Commercials
1:45 – 3:00	Breakout Sessions – Workshops – Room Allocations
	Salon A Facilitator – Lyle Henry, Coast Salish Employment Training Society (CSETS) Topic - Construction
	Salon B Facilitator – Vancouver Aboriginal Skills Employment Program Topic – Construction Orientation for Retention for Employment
	Columbia Room Facilitator – North East Native Advancement Society (NENAS) Topic – Oil Patch Initiatives – Mining Industries
	Ballroom B Facilitator – Geoff Stevens, Industry Trades Association (ITA) Topic – Apprentices & Forest Industry Safety Council
	Ballroom A Facilitator – Christian Saint Cyr Topic – BC Labour Market Trends
3:00 – 3:15	Networking Break
3:15 – 4:30	Breakout Groups
	Salon A Facilitator – Lyle Henry, Coast Salish Employment Training Society (CSETS) Topic - Construction
	Salon B Facilitator –Vancouver Aboriginal Skills Employment Program Topic – Construction Orientation for Retention for Employment
	Columbia Room Facilitator – North East Native Advancement Society (NENAS) Topic – Oil Patch Initiatives – Mining Industries  OR Jim Morin/Amber Teed - BCIT
	Ballroom B Facilitator – Geoff Stevens, Industry Trades Association Topic – Apprentices & Forest Industry Safety Council
	Ballroom A Facilitator – Wayne Peppard, BC Building Trades & Construction Council Topic – Building Trades
4:30 p.m.	Adjournment till 9 <sup>th</sup>
4:30 p.m.	Registration Closes
5:00 p.m. –	Sponsors Reception & Networking
6:30 p.m.	Master of Ceremonies by (Contact Harvey McLeod)

	Fashion Show – Shannon Kilroy Gus Baptiste – Flute Player Fashion Show – Ms. Manuel Sage Hills Drum Group (Bernie Clement)
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## Speakers List – ACES Conference – March 9, 2006

<b>Time</b>	<b>March 9</b>
<b>Conference Theme</b>	<b>Professional Development &amp; Certification Innovations &amp; Sharing Approaches in Partnerships</b>
8:00 a.m.	Registration & Banquet Ticket Sales
8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Breakfast
9:00 a.m.	Master of Ceremonies By Larry Casper, Chairperson, CFDC of CIFN
9:05	Welcoming & Summary Comments – Connecting Day 1 to Day 2 By Geri Collins
9:15 – 10:00	Keynote Speaker By Past, Present and Future – World Context – Apply concepts to our World OR Teresa Augustine – Certification Process – Follow Up – Workshop Facilitator or Key Note Speaker
10:00 – 10:30	Workshop Introductions
	Aboriginal Human Resource Development Council of Canada (AHRDCC) Champions – Kelly Lendsay Guiding Circles, Retention Project & Inclusion Network
	Prince George Nechako Aboriginal Employment & Training Association Society (PGNAETAS) – Paula Bellrose Topic: Memorandum of Understanding with Five Unions (?)  Verna Billy-Minnabarriet, Nicola Valley Institute of Technology Topic: Prior Learning Assessments & The Accreditation Process  Speaker – Lisa Harvie & Svitlana Konova - Council for the Advancement of Native Development Officers (CANDO) Topic – Occupational Certification
	Deb Donald, Topic - FASD Screening
	Topic - The SASSI (Substance Abuse Subtle Screening Inventory)
	Speaker - Jan Derrick Topic: Bi-lateral violence
	Speaker – Jeannie Cranmer - BC Hydro & Power Authority Topic: Innovations & Sharing Approaches in Partnerships plus bursary, scholarships & community fund.  Speaker: Duke Energy Topic: Employment Opportunities
10:30 – 10:45	Networking Session
10:45 – 12:00	Workshops (5 concurrent sessions)
	Salon A

	Facilitator – Kelly Lendsay, Aboriginal Human Resource Development Council of Canada (AHRDCC Champions) Topic: Guiding Circles, Retention Project & Inclusion Network
	Salon B Facilitator – Paula Bellrose, Prince George Nechako Aboriginal Employment & Training Association Society (PGNAETAS) Topic: Memorandum of Understanding with Five Unions
	Columbia Room Facilitator – Verna Billy-Minnabarriett, Nicola Institute of Technology Topic: Prior Learning Assessments & The Accreditation Process  AND  Facilitator: Lisa Harvie & Svitlana Konoval, Council for the Advancement of Native Development Officers (CANDO) Topic: Occupational Certification
	Ballroom B Facilitator – Deb Donald Topic: FASD Screening
	Ballroom A Facilitator – Jeannie Cranmer, B. C. Hydro & Power Authority Topic: Innovations & sharing Approaches in Partnerships plus Bursary, Scholarships & Community Fund – New Apprenticeship Strategy & Employment Opportunities
11:45 – 12:00	Q & A in Workshop Sessions
12:00 – 12:15	Networking Break
12:00	Luncheon Prayer By _____ Lunch Provided  Chief Atham School Drum Group
12:30	Luncheon Speaker By  <b>Or</b>  Speaker By Minerva Women’s Mentorship Topic: Young Women in Leadership Program
1:15 – 1:45	Facilitator Overview of Workshops & Introductions Q & A in Panel Session
1:45 – 3:00	Workshop Sessions
	Salon A Facilitator – Flo Frank Topic – Partnerships
	Salon B Facilitator – Tawaney Joseph, Aboriginal Liaison, Four Host Nations Topic – 2010 Procurement Strategy - 2010 Commerce Centre
	Columbia Room Facilitator – Deb Donald Topic - FASD Screening

	OR The SASSI
	Ballroom B Facilitator – Paula Bellrose Topic – PGNAETAS Partnership Development (MOU with Five Unions)  OR  Speaker on Employment Counsellor Training @ University of Northern BC. (One University perspective & One participant perspective)
	Ballroom A Facilitator – Verna Billy-Minnabarriet Topic – Prior Learning Assessments & The Accreditation Process
2:45 – 3:00	Q & A in Workshop Sessions
3:00 – 3:15	Networking Sessions
3:15 – 4:30	Workshop Sessions
	Salon A Facilitator – Cora Anthony & Students Topic – Partnerships – Programs to Chase – Impacts @ Community Level
	Salon B Facilitator – Kelly Lendsay, Aboriginal Human Resource Development Council of Canada Topic – Guiding Circles, Retention Project & Inclusion Network OR Londea Riffel, CFDC of CIFN Topic: Safety in the Workplace, D & A Identification
	Columbia Room Facilitator – Ted Williams, Cowichan Tribes Topic – Partnerships – Employment & Training Programs – Impacts @ Tribal Level
	Ballroom B Facilitator – Dave Calver Topic – Creative Uses of the WOP
	Ballroom A Facilitator – Harbs Bains & Randy Sunderman, 2010 Aboriginal Procurement Topic – Aboriginal Suppliers
4:30 p.m.	Adjournment till March 10 <sup>th</sup>
5:00 – 6:00	Break & Networking
6:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.	Master of Ceremonies – Chief Mike LeBourdais Banquet & Entertainment
	Entertainment – Banquet & Entertainment – Schedule follows
6:00 p.m.	MC – Geri – confirmed Chief Mike LeBourdais (Feb 6 – 4:00 p.m.)
	Keynote Speaker – Flo Frank
	Rod Bandura – Songs

	Dennis Francis to do a Mens Traditional or Fancy Dance along with Richard Jackson
	Gus Baptiste – Flute Player
	Rose McArthur to do women’s (traditional or fancy) along with Carol Camille
	Ken Thomas – Coyote Story Teller
	Sage Hills Drum Group – Bernie Clement – Opening & Closing Song

## DRAFT - Speakers List - ACES Conference – March 10, 2006 - DRAFT

<b>Time</b>	<b>March 10</b>
<b>Conference Theme</b>	<b>Networking &amp; Partnership with Business Changing Policies &amp; Role of Government</b>
8:00 a.m.	Registration
8:00 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	Breakfast
9:00 a.m.	Master of Ceremonies By Yvonne Scotchman, Board Member – CFDC of CIFN  Opening Prayer By
9:05	Welcoming & Summary Comments By Geri Collins, General Manager, CFDC of CIFN
9:15 – 10:00	Keynote Speaker  Kevin Kruger-New Relationships with Government  Suggested - Bob Joseph
10:00 – 10:30	Networking Session
10:30	Speaker – Mariann Burka, BC Employment Assistance Program Topic - Aboriginal Self Identifier Project (ASIP)
10:50	Speaker – Sandy Rodgers, Allen Gray and Suzanne Ferguson, Ministry of Human Resources Topic – BC Employment Program; Employment Program for Persons with Disabilities; Policies & Procedures  and  Speaker: Ms. Roxanne Wolfhead, Central Interior Partners in Aboriginal Human Resource Development (CIPAHRD) Topic: Update – Persons with Disabilities Video
11:10	Speaker – Hal Howie, Services Canada Topic: HRSDC / Service Canada – Program & Authority Changes
11:30	Speaker – Linda Stiller Topic - INAC: Policy Manual & Disabilities Designations AND Renee Beauchamp or James George, President, First Nations Social Development
	Speaker - Western Economic Diversification – Wayne McAlpine Topic: Introduction to WD & What They Sponsor
	Speaker Topic - INAC – Post Secondary Education
12:00 -0 12:15	Networking Session
12:15 – 1:15	Luncheon Prayer

	Lunch Provided
12:30 – 1:15	Luncheon Speaker By Claude Richmond, Minister of Human Resource Topic: Mobilizing Services for client Groups
1:15 – 2:15	Facilitated Session – Question & Answer in Plenary Panel Session Where to Go Next? – Geri Collins
	Summary of Conference Where to Next? Bid for Next Year's Conference
2:15 – 3:00	Round the Room –
3:00 p.m.	Closing Prayer