

# CAUCE Bulletin

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## President's Message

Hello CAUCE Friends:

It is a pleasure to extend wishes on behalf of the CAUCE Board and to recognize the fabulous work of our members across Canada. Continuing and adult education in Canadian universities is most certainly alive and well.

I would also like to take this opportunity to share a few thoughts on the importance of working together and the criticality of support and advocacy in all that we do. At our 2014 conference in Halifax expertly hosted by St. Mary's University, we heard from Dr. Tim O'Neill about the undeniable need for continuing and adult education in Canada at this time. Among other things, this is due to Canada's changing demographics, the need for continuous education among professionals, and the retirement of the boomers. Certainly, now is a carpe diem moment.



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## Upcoming Events

### November 5 – 6, 2014

2<sup>nd</sup> Skills and Post Secondary Education Summit  
Toronto ON

[www.conferenceboard.ca/conf/education/agenda.aspx](http://www.conferenceboard.ca/conf/education/agenda.aspx)

### February 26 – 27, 2015

CAUCE Deans' and Directors' Annual Meeting  
Toronto ON

<http://www.cauce-aepuc.ca/news-events/directors-meeting.aspx>

### March 30 – April 1, 2015

UPCEA 2015 Annual Conference  
Washington DC

<http://www.upcea.edu/>

### March 11 – 13, 2015

UALL 2015 Annual Conference  
University of Strathclyde, Glasgow

<http://www.uall.ac.uk/>

### May 27 – 29, 2015

CAUCE Annual Conference & Meeting  
Winnipeg MB

<http://www.cauce-conference.ca>



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This said, we must also be strategic in how we present what we have to offer within our institutions and further afield to policy makers and educational decision makers. The CAUCE Executive is deeply committed to these goals and welcomes your input into how we might be able to help locally as well as on larger educational playing field. Please be sure to contact any Board member to share ideas and ask questions so that CAUCE continues to evolve in ways that truly assists you.

On that note, I do want to introduce the CAUCE Board. These wonderful people work extremely hard to support you and to advance continuing and adult education in Canada. Please meet:

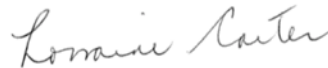
- Christian Blanchette, University of Montreal (President-elect)
- Robert Wensveen, University of Calgary (Past President)
- Michelle Fach, University of Guelph
- Carolyn Young, Western University
- Gordon Michael, St. Mary's University
- Gary Hepburn, University of Manitoba
- Coral Sawchyn, Secretariat

I would also like to recognize Bob Cram of the University of Saskatchewan. Bob has been a tireless champion of CAUCE for many years and an advisor to the Executive on a wide variety of issues. Bob moves into retirement this fall and deserves our deepest thanks for what he has done for the field and countless members of our organization.

Returning to where we stated, this newsletter is one way by which we can learn from each other. Perhaps there is an item that sparks an idea for you. Alternately, perhaps something presents as an issue and you would like to learn more. Reach out to the person or university involved. Indeed, the collegiality among CAUCE members is one of its greatest strengths.

As a final thought, I can't encourage you enough to become involved. CAUCE is your organization: become involved on a committee, participate in survey opportunities that come your way (this year, we are gathering as much evidence as possible to make informed decisions about the exciting future of CAUCE), participate in a professional development session, and plan to attend the 2015 CAUCE conference to be held in Winnipeg in May. Each of these opportunities is yours for the taking.

Thank you for your work on behalf of continuing and adult education in Canada.



Lorraine Carter, President

## 2015 Deans' and Directors' Meeting

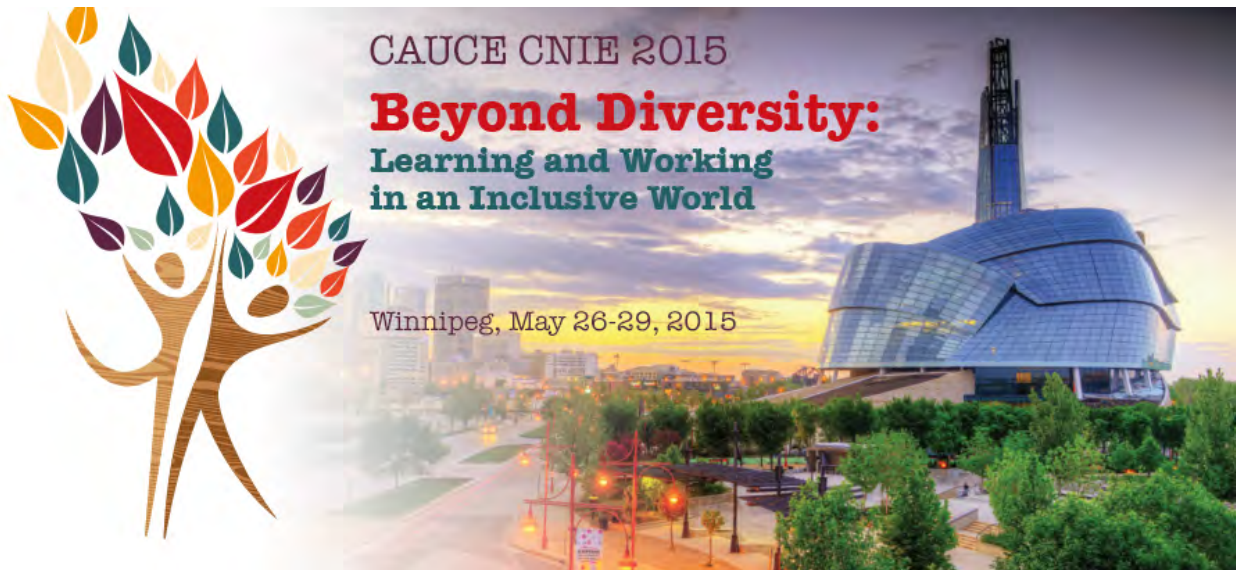
Planning is underway for the annual Deans' and Directors' meeting to be held February 26 – 27, 2015 at Intercontinental Toronto Yorkville. You must be an institutional member and a Dean or Director of a university continuing education unit (and/or a designate) to attend. For hotel reservations phone 1-416-324-5900 or 1-800-267-0010. Quote the group: Canadian Association for University Continuing Education. (CAUCE) or block code JZ6. Online booking is not available for this event.

**Reservation Due Date:** The cut-off date for reservations is 5:00 pm (EST) January 30, 2015 but we would appreciate if you book your room prior to December 20<sup>th</sup> if possible. Further details and registration information will be sent out in late November.

**Deans and Directors:** please mark your calendars for this engaging event and watch your email for the registration details and report template. You may also visit the website for updates:

<http://www.cauce-aepuc.ca/news-events/directors-meeting.aspx>





**CAUCE CNIE 2015 Beyond Diversity: Learning and Working in an Inclusive World** is the first joint conference with two national organizations the Canadian Association of University Continuing Education and the Canadian Network for Innovation in Education working together to bring you a unique experience in Winnipeg in 2015.

Come and join us May 26 – 29, 2015 and experience two conferences for the price of one at the Inn at the Forks, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

**Call for Presentations** - deadline for submissions is Monday, December 15, 2015.  
For more information go to: [www.cauce-cnief-conference.ca](http://www.cauce-cnief-conference.ca) ► Call for Presentations

**Keynote speakers:**

**Thursday, May 28, 2015**

**Ovide Mercredi**, a UM graduate (LLB/1977) is a lawyer, negotiator, artist, poet author and activist. Ovide was former National Chief of the Assembly of First Nations, Regional Chief of the Assembly of First Nations for Manitoba and served his community as Chef of the Misipawistik Cree Nation.

**Friday, May 29, 2015**

**Stephen Murgatroyd** worked for over thirty years as an academic and academic administrator, working at the Dean and Vice Presidential level in Universities in the UK, Canada and the UAE. Stephen is an author, worked for seventy of the Fortune 500 companies, and consulted for colleges and universities worldwide.

**Special Events:**

**Thursday, May 27, 2015**

Welcome Reception at the Canadian Museum for Human Rights

**Friday, May 29, 2015**

Gala Dinner (Winnipeg Social) at The Fort Garry Hotel

**Saturday, May 30, 2015**

Tour the Journey to Churchill or visit the exciting Canadian Museum for Human Rights.

**Accommodations:**

Inn at the Forks and Fort Garry Hotel located in one of the loveliest public spaces in Winnipeg, The Forks.

Details regarding reservations can be found on the website at:

[www.cauce-cnief-conference.ca](http://www.cauce-cnief-conference.ca) ► Hotels

For more information:  
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# Institutional Reports

## McGill University

### CAREER & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The first joint McGill/ETS CAPE summer program, Best Practices in Aerospace Management, took place in August with participants from the Ukraine and UK. More information and testimonials can be found here:

<http://www.mcgill.ca/continuingstudies/programs-and-courses/aerospace/summer-program>

### TRANSLATION & WRITTEN COMMUNICATION

- [Multilingual translator awarded the McGill Associates Prize in Translation](#)
- [Dynamic polyglot wins the 2014 McGill Associates Prize in Translation](#)

**Graduate Diploma in Translation Reception.** On June 12, students, faculty and administrators gathered together to honor the 2013-2014 graduates from the Graduate Diploma in Translation program. One of the School's main mission is to contribute in a meaningful way to the renewal of Canada's language industry. These graduates are McGill's contribution.

### PERSONAL AND CULTURAL ENRICHMENT (PACE)

**MCLL's 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations.** This fall marks 25 years since the McGill Institute for Learning in Retirement held its first slate of study groups for senior learners. Twenty-five years and a name change later, and the McGill Community for Lifelong Learning (MCLL) continues to be an important contributor to the School's educational mandate. The last few months saw MCLL host a slew of member-led celebrations:

- The 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary was officially launched on June 12<sup>th</sup> at this year's Bloomsday festival, an annual celebration of the James Joyce literary masterpiece Ulysses, founded by MCLL members. This year's Bloomsday was very well attended, drawing hundreds of individuals to a number of events held at McGill University, Concordia University, the McCord Museum, Atwater and Westmount libraries and many other cultural centers and pubs.
- On August 28<sup>th</sup>, a visual art exhibit of MCLL member artwork was launched at the McClure Art Gallery of the Visual Arts Center in Westmount.

- On September 19<sup>th</sup>, two MCLL members unveiled Zest for Learning, a photography exhibit and website showcasing MCLL members and highlighting their respective passion for lifelong learning. The exhibit is on display this fall at the MCLL lounge.

**MMFA @ McGill University.** The first collaborative course between the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts (MMFA) and the PACE program, [The Birth and Evolution of Expressionism](#), begins this October at the Museum. Other PACE courses to be developed in 2015 are in line with the MMFA's upcoming exhibits on Orientalism, the works of Rodin and the Beaver Hall movement.

## Western University

### CORPORATE DEVELOPMENT FOCUS

Western Continuing Studies is excited to announce that Megan Weekley has joined the team as the Corporate Sales Coordinator. This is a new role that will focus on growing the customized corporate training portfolio and increasing corporate memberships. To support this growth, WCS began utilizing a new upgrade to their software system this fall enabling them to provide better service to their corporate clients. WCS is now able to create a specialized co-branded website for an organization called a corporate learner portal. The corporate learner portal provides seamless registration for employees in approved courses with automatic company invoicing. Corporate clients can also access the administrative system and add members to their group and facilitate registrations on their own.

### DEGREE2CAREER STUDENT PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

Western Continuing Studies offers 10 unique post-degree diploma programs that combine classes taught by industry experts with a four-month practicum. To reflect the nature of these programs, they have reoriented their welcome receptions for incoming students to a professional development workshop. As these programs have a combination of academic and professional expectations, this new initiative provides students with the skills they need to transition from a traditional classroom into a professional learning experience.

## University of Victoria

### UNIVERSITY PATHWAY PROGRAM AT UVIC CONTINUING STUDIES SUCCESS

In September 2011, the UVic English Language Centre (ELC) at the Division of Continuing Studies developed a university Pathway program for talented, and well-educated international students lacking the language requirements for UVic direct admission. The program provides an educational foundation for university and supports students need to transition successfully to university life in Canada.

In the first year, 44 students began the 12-month program that incorporated first year courses in economics and math with English language courses to develop their academic English skills. The program saw a fantastic 81% pass rate and enrollment increased by more than 100% for the 2013-2014 academic year. The 2015-16 program has over 160 students in the Economics, Engineering and Science pathway program.

Over 90 students have now completed the pathways programs and are continuing on in credit programming at UVic.

### ENGLISH LANGUAGE CENTRE ACCOMPLISHMENT

In 2013-14, the English Language Centre (ELC) had an all-time high enrollment -- over 1,000 registrations more than our last fiscal year. We accepted 3528 applications in 2013-14 compared to 2,513 in 2012-13. The Division is proud of this accomplishment, as this has been a banner year for ELC.

### GOING SOCIAL

UVic Division of Continuing Studies has officially entered the world of social media. We are initially focusing on Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter and YouTube with Google+ and Instagram following. Our Marketing Content Specialist, a recently created position, has developed the Division's social media plan and guidelines and is responsible for the day-to-day management of the social media channels working closely with the program area staff. The position is further responsible for making sure all digital content whether it's on social media, website or emails is consistent, relevant and engaging for the audiences we are targeting.

### NEW PROGRAM

Cultural Resource Management Program at the University of Victoria is proud to announce that they are entering the third annual intake of their new **Graduate Certificate in Cultural Heritage Studies**, which provides advanced learning for emerging and mid-career individuals involved with a range of cultural heritage fields.

The program is designed to strengthen both understanding and integration of cultural heritage, community engagement and sustainable development. It builds knowledge and practical management skills necessary to keep pace in today's rapidly changing context. The program is designed to be completed on a part-time basis, one course per term, to enable students to balance their studies with personal and professional commitments or concurrent graduate study.

### MUSIC COURSES FOR TEACHERS

The Kodály Summer Institute 2014 was offered in partnership with UVic's Division of Continuing Studies and the Faculty of Education and the Kodály Society of Canada. Over sixty students participated in the internationally acclaimed Level I and Level II certification courses, which provide a firm foundation for music teaching. The Summer Kodály Institute 2015 is in the initial planning stages and we look forward to another successful offering.

### POPULATION HEALTH DATA ANALYSIS

The Division of Continuing Studies is pleased to announce that the first cohort of the Professional Specialization Certificate in Population Health Data Analysis (PHDA) have successfully completed the program with 11 graduates this spring. This is a fully distance professional development program designed to meet the need for certified training and qualifications in the analysis of Population Health Data for health professionals, researchers, students and faculty. The program goal is to provide participants with strong foundational knowledge and data analysis skills that can support their work within the field of population health.

### CONTINUING STUDIES BUILDING ADDITION

Construction has begun on the expansion of the Continuing Studies building. Collectively the current building and the addition will house 29 English Language Centre classrooms, three Language Labs, the Study Centre, the Pronunciation Centre, the Writing Centre and two "Executive-style Classrooms". It will also include enhanced space for our English Language teachers and socio-cultural assistants and much needed "social space" for DCS students. Estimated completion date is December 2015.

## Awards and Honors

### Honorary Membership Awards

**TWO HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS AWARDED AT THE 2014 ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND AGM.**

#### DENIS MAYER

Denis started his post-secondary administrative career at Laurentian University in 1987 as Associate Director at the Centre for Continuing Education. Over the past twenty years Denis has served Laurentian University in the capacity of Director of the Centre for Continuing Education and is retiring from his position as the Associate Vice-President of Student Affairs, a position he assumed in 1996 until his retirement in January



2014. This role included responsibility for the following services: Centre for Continuing Education and Part-time Studies (which includes distance education), Recruitment and Liaison Services, Health & Counseling Services, Special Needs Office, Career & Employment Centre, Student Success Centre, and Laurentian International. Despite Denis' additional responsibilities he continues to be committed to maintaining an active role in continuing and distance education both within and outside of Laurentian University.

Both as Associate Director and then as Director of the Centre for Continuing Education Denis has always provided dynamic leadership, sound decisions, and clear direction. Under his leadership the Centre has increased its bilingual course and program offerings, whilst maintaining a high level of personalized service for students and a rigorous course development process. Denis was especially influential in continually thinking outside the box and being open to incorporating new technologies into the distance education courses, without compromising student access. Denis continues to initiate programs and services to improve the total student experience and engagement at the University while ensuring that the needs of the part-time and adult student learner are never overlooked. He spearheaded the creation of the E-Learning Department at Laurentian University in 2004, and played a pivotal role in creating the Learning Commons area within the main library at Laurentian University.

Denis' active role in promoting distance education has also been evident beyond Laurentian University at the provincial and national levels. In 2002-2003, he was President of the Canadian Association for Distance Education-Association canadienne de l'éducation à distance (CADE-ACED). He also was President of the Ontario Council for University Lifelong Learning (OCULL) in 2000-2001. Between 2005 and 2009, Denis has been President and Chair of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Virtual University-Université virtuelle canadienne (CVU-UVC). And in 2004, the Réseau d'enseignement francophone à distance du Canada (Canada's Francophone Distance Education Network) presented him with an achievement certificate for his dedication and contributions to distance education in French Canada.

#### ANU VARSAVA

Throughout her career Anu Varsava has been, and continues to be, an outstanding contributor to the field of lifelong learning. She has enjoyed a distinguished 25-year career in business and economic development, specializing in the marketing of higher education over the past 16 years. Anu has served the Faculty of Extension at the University of Alberta since 2001 as its Marketing Director.



Anu has contributed in numerous ways to CAUCE and continuing education in Canada through her involvement in the western administrators' and marketers' groups and her service on many CAUCE committees. She has also been a prolific contributor to CAUCE conferences, presenting numerous marketing sessions, writing for the conference proceedings, and assisting with the promotion of the *Canadian Journal of University Continuing Education (CJUCE)*. She also served a two-year term on the CAUCE Executive.

Anu has been an esteemed colleague and an invaluable business development and marketing mentor to many in several institutions of higher education both in Newfoundland and Alberta. She has been a successful leader and team builder demonstrating creativity, motivation, wit, and a great sense of humor. This Honorary Membership celebrates and demonstrates Anu's genuine dedication to advancing professional development and lifelong education.

## Award of Recognition

### PAUL BELANGER

Fluently bilingual, he is as celebrated in the English constituency of adult educators as in his native French community. As a respected academic, Professor Bélanger's scholarly publications—books, articles, chapters,



international reports, in both French and English, are known and cited around the world. The hallmarks of his publications are his strength of analysis, ability to connect trends around the world, and

proficiency in moving beyond critique to useful solutions. According to his colleagues, Paul Bélanger is famous for his approach of we will find a solution!

Co-workers consistently remark on his good humour, his humanity and enduring grace, his optimism in the face of discouraging realities, his manifold skills for motivating colleagues, and his untiring efforts. Paul Bélanger is not a general in a boardroom but a man in the trenches. He has worked tirelessly with individuals operating at the local level and is firmly in tune with a longstanding Xaverian value of acting small and thinking big.

Most Reverend Chancellor, in recognition of a career spanning over 40 years, a committed, passionate and strong activist, researcher and director of institutions in the field of adult education, both domestically and internationally, I present to you Paul R. Bélanger for the degree Doctor of Laws, honoris causa.

## Journal Award 2014

Erika Smith is a PhD candidate in Adult Education at the University of Alberta. Erika researches notions of 'digital native' learners in Canadian higher education, with a specific focus on building research-informed understandings of undergraduate student perceptions of social media in their university learning. Over the past decade, she has worked as an instructional designer and educational technology expert for government and post-secondary organizations. Most recently, Erika held the position of Senior Instructional Designer in the UofA's Faculty of Extension, where she also teaches courses on social media. Having recently relocated to Calgary, she enjoys skiing and hiking in the mountains. She volunteers as the co-boss of Nerd Nite Calgary, a monthly event with fun yet informative presentations across disciplines.



## Call for Submissions

### CAUCE Research Fund

The CAUCE Research Fund supports projects where the outcomes are likely to have direct relevance to and wide applicability within the practice of university continuing education in Canada.

The deadline for the next call for possible funding is November 15, 2014. Please see the [website](#) for full details about making a submission.

– Heather McRae, Chair, Research Committee

## Online Membership Directory

### PLEASE UPDATE YOUR INSTITUTIONS INFORMATION ONLINE

We ask for your continued assistance in keeping the online membership directory accurate and up-to-date. As an Institutional or Affiliate member, you have received an administrative password needed to log in and update your section of the directory. Please note that you may indicate each individual's program area of interest (maximum of one for staff and two for the Dean/Director.) This information can be updated by selecting the area of interest from the pick list under the "Program Area" field.

Update membership: <http://www.cauce-aepuc.ca/admin/>

If you prefer not to update the information yourself, or have misplaced your password, please contact the Secretariat at [CAUCE.secretariat@usask.ca](mailto:CAUCE.secretariat@usask.ca). We thank those of you who have been updating your institutional lists on a yearly basis and appreciate your assistance.

## 2014-2015 Webinar Series

This year, our Professional Development Webinars will focus on **Valuing Continuing Education: Programs, Promotion and Processes**. An introduction to Blackboard Collaborate session was also offered to assist those new to the webinar software and format.

### Mobile Learning: A User Experience Perspective

Date: October 21, 2014

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. EDT

### Quality Standards for Distance Delivery

Date: Tuesday, November 18, 2014

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. EST

### Credit vs. Non-Credit Certificate Programs

Date: Tuesday, December 16, 2014

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. EST

### Marketing Metrics for Online Education and Courses

Date: Tuesday, January 20, 2015

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. EDT

### How MOOCs can support lifelong learning

Date: Tuesday, February 17, 2015

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. EDT

### Digital Analytics for Beginners

Date: Tuesday, March 17, 2015

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. EDT

For more descriptive information of these sessions and to register, visit the CAUCE web site at:

<http://www.cauce-aepuc.ca/news-events/events.aspx>

Pursuant to the committee's terms of reference, new members for the committee will be recruited from the membership at large by the member of the CAUCE executive who acts as liaison to the Membership Committee. The proposed members will be approved and appointed by the Executive Committee.

### LET'S RECRUIT NEW MEMBERS!

If you have colleagues outside your university who would be interested in taking out a Professional or Affiliate Membership in CAUCE, please ask them to submit a membership application online at

<http://cauce-aepuc.ca/membership/default.aspx>

## SCRC Grants

The Special Collections Research Center (SCRC) at Syracuse University Libraries invites applicants for its Alexander N. and Margaret Charters Adult Education Grants-in-Aid Program, now in its seventh year. Up to \$4,000 of grants-in-aid will be awarded in 2014 to researchers, scholars, and practitioners wishing to work with our adult education collections and materials. The actual amount of each award will depend upon the scope of the research outlined in the applicant's proposal. Winners will be encouraged to submit copies of any scholarly output resulting from their work for inclusion in SURface, Syracuse University's institutional repository.

The application deadline is January 15, 2015; winners will be announced by March 1, 2015. Grant funds must be used between July 1, 2015 and June 30, 2016. For information on how to apply, visit the Charters Grants-in-Aid Program website at

<http://library.syr.edu/digital/guides/a/AlexanderNCharters/grants.htm>.

## Membership Report

	14-15	13-14	12-13
Institutional:	45	46	49
Affiliate:	7	10	7
Professional:	9	12	11

### COMMITTEE MEMBERS 2014-2015

Current members are Cathy Newell Kelly, Chair, Ellen Stewart, Alex Waugh, Maureen MacDonald, and Robert Wensveen, Executive Liaison.

## CJUICE

Would you like to publish your research and reflections about the theory and practice of university continuing education? The *Canadian Journal of University Continuing Education* (CJUICE) is eager to publish your articles, forum pieces, reports of practice and book reviews. Check out current and archived issues at [cjuice.ca](http://cjuice.ca)

If you want to see a brief description of the 4 types of submissions check out

<http://ejournals.library.ualberta.ca/index.php/cjuice-rcepu/about/editorialPolicies#sectionPolicies>



## 2<sup>nd</sup> Skills and Post-Secondary Education Summit 2014

We are pleased to be partnering with the Conference Board of Canada for this important event to be held on November 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>. As part of our partnership, we're able to offer our valued contacts the special rate of \$795! For more information on how you can take advantage of this special rate, please see below.

The Conference Board is pleased to announce that the [2<sup>nd</sup> Skills and Post-Secondary Education Summit 2014: Developing the Skills and PSE Strategy for Canada](#) will be taking place November 5-6 at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre. Don't miss this chance to meet hundreds of national and international stakeholders and share your views and insights on the future of the PSE system in Canada.

*In addition to featuring the latest global best practices and original research you've come to expect, this event will also give you the chance to view and provide your input on the pre-draft **Skills and Post-Secondary Education Strategy for Canada**—a comprehensive, action-oriented framework that expresses a shared vision for the future of PSE in Canada, specific goals, and actions to achieve the required changes in the medium- to long-term.*

You'll receive a copy of the pre-draft *Skills and PSE Strategy for Canada* prior to the Summit, and will be invited to take part in interactive discussions and consultations throughout the event. This is an exclusive opportunity to provide your input on key issues related to the content, development, and implementation of the Strategy, so don't delay in securing your place!

[Our Summit agenda is now online for viewing](#), and features some of Canada's top experts on our Post Secondary Education system. You'll hear from speakers such as:

Dr. Carl G. Amrhein, Provost and Vice-President (Academic), University of Alberta

Denise Amyot, President and Chief Executive Officer, Colleges and Institutes Canada

Dr. Robert J. Birgeneau, Chancellor Emeritus; Arnold and Barbara Silverman Distinguished Professor of Physics, Materials Science and Engineering, and Public Policy, University of California, Berkeley

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Register today using the [online registration system](#) and quote rebate code PRM27 to receive the rate of \$795! Please note that this rate is available for non-registered delegates only. There are also special rates for Students and not for profit associations. For more information on this program or our special registration rates, please contact Emily Hayward at [hayward@conferenceboard.ca](mailto:hayward@conferenceboard.ca)

Please note that this event will be presented in English only.

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The deadline for submissions for the Spring 2015 (April) issue is March 31, 2015. Thank you to all contributors!

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