



# ICE GATHERING PROGRAM

**June 1-2 | 2022**

**Fairmont Château Laurier  
Ottawa, ON**

**ALL TIMES ARE IN EDT**

Time	Session	Speakers	Details	Location
8:00am	Registration and Networking Breakfast		Check-in and connect with attendees. Breakfast buffet available.	Registration - Foyer (Lobby Level)  Breakfast Buffet - Drawing Room (Lobby Level)
10:00am	Opening Ceremony & Welcoming Remarks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Grandmother Irene Lindsay</b>, Elder, Wakaw, Saskatchewan</li> <li>• <b>Elder Alma-Jean Migwans</b>, Elder In Residence at KTEI</li> <li>• <b>Chief Dylan Whiteduck</b>, Chief at Kitigan Zibi Anishinabeg</li> <li>• <b>Terri Lynn Morrison</b>, ICE Associate Executive Director</li> <li>• <b>Madelaine McCallum</b>, MC</li> </ul>	Elder opening prayer, welcoming remarks and event kick-off.	Adam Room
10:45am	Indigenous Leadership and Climate Action	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Moderator: Jordyn Burnouf</b>, ICE Board of Directors</li> <li>• <b>Chief Kluane Adamek</b>, Yukon Regional Chief</li> <li>• <b>Yvonne Jones</b>, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Natural Resources and to the Minister of Northern Affairs</li> <li>• <b>Todd Russell</b>, President of the NunatuKavut Community Council (NCC)</li> </ul>	In this session, attendees will hear from leaders about the role of Indigenous leadership in the energy transition to a net zero economy while highlighting supporting federal policies and programs.	Adam Room
11:45am	Natural Resources Canada Announcement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Moderator: Eryn Stewart</b>, Managing Director at ICE</li> <li>• <b>Yvonne Jones</b>, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Natural Resources and to the Minister of Northern Affairs</li> </ul>	Natural Resources Canada clean energy announcement.	Adam Room
	Media Q&A Period			Adam Room
1:00pm - 2:00pm	<b>Networking Lunch</b>			Drawing Room
2:15pm - 3:15pm	<b>Concurrent Workshops</b>			
	Efficiency for Climate and Culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mike Reynolds</b>, Co-founder and Director at EcoHome Network</li> <li>• <b>Kyla Morriseau</b>, Consultation Coordinator at Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek</li> <li>• <b>Richard Hall</b>, Housing Specialist in Bella Coola</li> </ul>	Panel discussion highlighting how communities are leveraging efficient housing to make improvements that effect health, culture, pride, and climate.	Renaissance Room (Mezzanine Level)

Using Ethelo: Online Community Engagement for Clean Energy Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Alex Cook</b>, IODI Energy Champion for Baker Lake and Owner of ArchTech</li> <li>• <b>Hałagáit Ayla Brown</b>, Hałtzaqv Climate Action Advisor and Heiltsuk Tribal Councillor</li> <li>• <b>Bradley Roulston</b>, Sales Manager for Ethelo</li> </ul>	20/20 Catalysts and Indigenous clean energy champions are invited to join this session devoted to Ethelo, an online platform for community engagement. Learn about the platform, its successful applications by Hałtzaqv Climate Action Team (HCAT) and Alex Cook (IODI Energy Champion), and opportunities to use the platform for your community!	MacDonald Room (Mezzanine Level)
Climate Change Solutions Table	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Jordan Peterson</b>, Strategic Lead, Nation Building at Vuntut Gwitchin Government</li> </ul>	The Vuntut Gwitchin Government has taken a lead in the north related to Climate Change and Renewable Energies. As such, they are embarking on the development of a North Yukon Climate Change Solutions Table.	Burgundy Room (Mezzanine Level)
3:30pm - 4:30pm <b>Concurrent Workshops</b>			
Career Pathways & Employment in Energy Efficiency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Gail Lawlor</b>, President of Energy Matters</li> <li>• <b>Bonnie Van Tassel</b>, ICE Mentorship Program Manager at ICE</li> <li>• <b>Corey Cote</b>, Bringing It Home Program Manager at ICE</li> </ul>	Canada's clean energy sector employs 118,200 people in energy efficiency according to Statistics Canada and Clean Energy Canada. So what are the employment opportunities that exist?	MacDonald Room (Mezzanine Level)
Finding your Path in Clean Energy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Serena Mendizabal</b>, SevenGen Vice-Chair</li> <li>• <b>Cedric Pepelea</b>, CEO of Sustainable Kingston &amp; Instructor at St. Lawrence College</li> <li>• <b>Jasmine Mcdermott</b>, Founder &amp; President at Calgary Indigenous STEAM Student's Association</li> <li>• <b>Austin Bercier</b>, VP Sponsorship at Calgary Indigenous STEAM Students' Association</li> <li>• <b>Nicky Nicholson</b>, Youth Entrepreneur, Owner &amp; Operator of Happy Cones Solar-Powered Ice Cream Trailer</li> </ul>	Indigenous youth are invited to join a special youth session at the 2022 ICE Gathering. In this session, Indigenous youth will hear from young leaders about their journey, insights, and advice on advancing clean energy projects and navigating the clean energy space.	Adam Room
8:00pm - 9:00pm	<b>Evening Gratitude Flow (1 hour)</b> A gentle and accessible practice weaving in Hałtzaqv and yogic ways of healing through breath, movement, song, and prayer.		

**DAY 2 | JUNE 2, 2022**

Time	Session	Speakers	Details	Location
8:00am	Networking Breakfast		Check-in and connect with attendees. Breakfast buffet available.	Registration - Foyer (Lobby Level)  Breakfast Buffet - Drawing Room (Lobby Level)
9:00am	Keynote Address	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ambassador David L. Cohen</b>, United States Ambassador to Canada</li> </ul>	Join the mainstage for a special keynote address.	Adam Room
9:15am	Indigenous Mega-Projects - Partnership Success	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Facilitator: Terri Lynn Morrison</b>, ICE Associate Executive Director</li> <li>• <b>Chief Mike Delisle</b>, Chief at Mohawk Council Of Kahnawake</li> <li>• <b>Matt Jamieson</b>, President/CEO at Six Nations of Grand River Development Corporation</li> <li>• <b>Tanna Pirie Wilson</b>, Interim Director of Operations at Eel River Bar First Nation</li> </ul>	<p>Panel discussion with Indigenous changemakers discussing partnership success on three projects:</p> <p>The Mohawk Council of Kahnawake and Hydro-Québec partnership on the <b>Hertel-New York Interconnection Project</b> to transmit green renewable energy to New York City.</p> <p>The <b>Oneida Storage Project</b> is the first of its kind in Canada. A 250MW battery storage facility has the capacity to harness, store and inject clean energy into the power grid, on demand.</p> <p>The <b>Wocawson Energy Project</b> with an installed capacity of 20 MW.</p>	Adam Room
10:15am	Generation for Generations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Moderator: Sydney Vandale</b>, Communications &amp; ICE Network</li> <li>• <b>Bonnie Van Tassel</b>, ICE Mentorship Program</li> <li>• <b>Corey Cote</b>, Bringing it Home</li> <li>• <b>Ricky-Lee Watts</b>, Youth Programs &amp; Generation Power</li> <li>• <b>Freddie Huppé Campbell</b>, Global Hub</li> <li>• <b>Alexandra Thomson</b>, Youth Mentoring &amp; ImaGENation</li> <li>• <b>Justice Morningstar</b>, 20/20 Catalysts</li> </ul>	Profiling ICE programs and leadership to support the next wave of change for Indigenous clean energy across Turtle Island, and the key role being played by the next generation of leaders.	Adam Room
11:15am	<b>Networking Break</b>			Foyer

## Challenges for Indigenous Business and the Indian Act

- **Moderator: Cara Sanders**, ICE Board of Directors
- **Nadir Andre**, Partner at Borden Ladner Gervais S.E.N.C.R.L., S.R.L. (BLG)
- **Paul-Emile McNab**, Vice-President, Business Development & Member Experience at Canadian Council for Aboriginal Business (CCAB)
- **Samantha Martin-Bird** ᓄᓕᓕ ᓄᓕᓕ ᓄᓕᓕ, Program Partner, Canada Programs at Mastercard Foundation

Exploring the legal challenges faced by First Nation business owners on-reserve, what programs are available to support Indigenous business owners, and success stories from across the country.

MacDonald Room (Mezzanine Level)

## Hydrogen - Production &amp; Opportunities

- **Moderator: Sydney Vandale**, Communications Coordinator at ICE
- **Troy Jerome**, President & CEO at SEN'TI Environmental & Indigenous Services
- **Amandeep Garcha**, Senior Policy Advisor in Fuels Diversification Division at Natural Resources Canada

Breakout on hydrogen's potential for heavy lift: trucking (freight (including to remote communities), forestry, mining), marine, etc.

Adam Room

## Financing Energy Efficiency

- **Ian Scholten**, Program Director at ICE
- **Vince Gasparro**, Managing Director of Corporate Development and Clean Energy Finance, Vancity Community Investment Bank
- **Nik Schruder**, Advisor, Climate Change Office, Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation

Exploring financing pathways and the role and needs of Indigenous communities, lenders, and the government to make this possible and contribute your ideas to how we can make financing and funding for energy efficiency more accessible.

Burgundy Room (Mezzanine Level)

1:00pm - 2:00pm

## Networking Lunch

Drawing Room

2:15pm - 3:15pm

## Concurrent Workshops

## Community-led Renewable Energy Microgrids - A Global Shift

- **Freddie Huppé Campbell**, Global Hub Program Manager at ICE
- **Mihskakwan James Harper**, Business Development Manager at NRStor Inc.
- **Philline Donggay**, Director of Storytelling, Greenergy Solar PH

Interactive workshop, discussing our roles, responsibilities and opportunities in global climate action.

Burgundy Room (Mezzanine Level)

	Haítzaqv Teamwork	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>'Qátuwás Brown,</b> Communications Manager for Haítzaqv Climate Action Team</li> <li>• <b>Zuxvalaqs Leona Humchitt,</b> Haítzaqv Climate Action Co-ordinator and Heiltsuk Tribal Councillor</li> <li>• <b>Hałagáit Ayla Brown,</b> Haítzaqv Climate Action Advisor and Heiltsuk Tribal Councillor</li> <li>• <b>'Wuítátxv?axsm Astrid Wilson,</b> Haítzaqv Climate Action Youth Ambassador</li> <li>• <b>Bonnie Van Tassel,</b> IODI Program Manager at ICE</li> </ul>	Learn about teamwork rooted in Indigenous worldviews from members of the very successful Haítzaqv team that is leading multiple clean energy projects.	MacDonald Room (Mezzanine Level)
	Demystifying Federal Clean Energy Programming	TBC	Natural Resources Canada and Indigenous Services Canada (ISC) will facilitate regional dialogues tables for six provinces to discuss their needs, be introduced to program funding and make connections.	Adam Room
3:30 pm - 4:00pm	Plenary/Closing Ceremonies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Grandmother Irene Lindsay,</b> Elder, Wakaw, Saskatchewan</li> <li>• <b>Elder Alma-Jean Migwans,</b> Elder In Residence at KTEI</li> <li>• <b>Darrell Brown,</b> Chair of ICE Board of Directors</li> <li>• <b>Terri Lynn Morrison,</b> ICE Associate Executive Director</li> <li>• <b>Chris Henderson,</b> ICE Executive Director</li> </ul>	Coming together to reconvene and close the event in the right way.	Adam Room
5:00pm - 10:00pm	<b>ICE Gala</b>		Cocktail Hour, Dinner and Reception at the National Arts Center	National Arts Center
5:00pm - 6:00pm	Cocktail Hour			Canada Room
6:00pm - 10:00pm	Dinner Reception	<p>Opening Prayer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Grandmother Irene Lindsay,</b> Elder, Wakaw, Saskatchewan</li> <li>• <b>Elder Alma-Jean Migwans,</b> Elder In Residence at KTEI</li> </ul> <p>Performers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Madelaine McCallum</b> Dancer, Motivational Speaker, Facilitator, and MC</li> <li>• <b>Howie Miller,</b> Comedian</li> <li>• <b>Silla &amp; Rise,</b> Performers, Musicians (Throat Singing)</li> </ul>		Canada Room

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