



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"> • Grandmother Irene Lindsay, Elder, Wakaw, SK • Elder Alma-Jean Migwans, Elder, Manitoulin Island, ON • Chief Dylan Whiteduck, Chief at Kitigan Zibi Anishinabeg • Terri Lynn Morrison, ICE Associate Executive Director • Madelaine McCallum, MC 	Elder opening prayer, welcoming remarks and event kick-off.	Adam Room
10:45am	Indigenous Leadership and Climate Action	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Jordyn Burnouf, ICE Board of Directors • Regional Chief Kluane Adamek, Yukon Regional Chief • Todd Russell, President of the NunatuKavut Community Council (NCC) 	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"> • Moderator: Eryn Stewart, Managing Director at ICE • Yvonne Jones, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Natural Resources and to the Minister of Northern Affairs 	Natural Resources Canada clean energy announcement.	Adam Room
	Media Q&A Period			Adam Room
1:00pm - 2:00pm	Networking Lunch			Drawing Room
2:15pm - 3:15pm	Concurrent Workshops			
	Efficiency for Climate and Culture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mike Reynolds, Co-founder and Director at EcoHome Network • Kyla Morrisseau, Consultation Coordinator at Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek • Richard Hall, Housing Specialist in Bella Coola 	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"> • Moderator: Nicole Pham-Quan, IODI and ICE Mentorship Assistant • Alex Cook, IODI Energy Champion for Baker Lake and Owner of ArchTech • Hałąǵáı̨ Ayla Brown, Hałąǵaǵv Climate Action Advisor and Heiltsuk Tribal Councillor • Bradley Roulston, Partnership Development for Ethelo 	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 Hałąǵaǵv 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"> • Jordan Peterson, Strategic Lead, Nation Building at Vuntut Gwitchin Government 	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)
3:15pm	Networking Break			Foyer
3:30pm - 4:30pm	Concurrent Workshops			
	Career Pathways & Employment in Energy Efficiency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gail Lawlor, President of Energy Matters • Bonnie Van Tassel, ICE Mentorship Program Manager at ICE • Corey Cote, Bringing It Home Program Manager at ICE 	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"> • Serena Mendizabal, SevenGen Vice-Chair • Cedric Pepelea, CEO of Sustainable Kingston & Instructor at St. Lawrence College • Jasmine Mcdermott, Founder & President at Calgary Indigenous STEAM Student's Association • Austin Bercier, VP Sponsorship at Calgary Indigenous STEAM Students' Association • Nicky Nicholson, Youth Entrepreneur, Owner & Operator of Happy Cones Solar-Powered Ice Cream Trailer 	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	Evening Gratitude Flow (1 hour)			Laurier Room
	A gentle and accessible practice weaving in Hałąǵaǵv 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"> • Ambassador David L. Cohen, United States Ambassador to Canada 	Join the mainstage for a special keynote address.	Adam Room
9:15am	Indigenous Mega-Projects - Partnership Success	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilitator: Terri Lynn Morrison, ICE Associate Executive Director • Chief Mike Delisle, Chief at Mohawk Council Of Kahnawake • Matt Jamieson, President/CEO at Six Nations of Grand River Development Corporation • Tanna Pirie Wilson, Interim Director of Operations at Eel River Bar First Nation 	<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 Hertel-New York Interconnection Project to transmit green renewable energy to New York City.</p> <p>The Oneida Storage Project 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 Wocawson Energy Project with an installed capacity of 20 MW.</p>	Adam Room
10:15am	Generation for Generations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator: Sydney Vandale, Communications & ICE Network • Bonnie Van Tassel, ICE Mentorship Program • Corey Cote, Bringing it Home • Ricky-Lee Watts, Youth Programs & Generation Power • Freddie Huppé Campbell, Global Hub • Alexandra Thomson, Youth Mentoring & ImaGENation • Justice Morningstar, 20/20 Catalysts 	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	Networking Break			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** ᓄᓕᓄᓄ ᓄᓄᓄᓄ ᓄᓄᓄᓄ, 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 & 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.

Renaissance 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.

Renaissance Room (Mezzanine Level)

	Haítzaq Teamwork	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'Qátuwás Brown, Communications Manager for Haítzaq Climate Action Team • Zuxv́alaqs Leona Humchitt, Haítzaq Climate Action Co-ordinator and Heiltsuk Tribal Councillor • Hałáǵáit Ayla Brown, Haítzaq Climate Action Advisor and Heiltsuk Tribal Councillor • 'Wuítáitx̱w̱ax̱sm Astrid Wilson, Haítzaq Climate Action Youth Ambassador • Bonnie Van Tassel, IODI Program Manager at ICE 	Learn about teamwork rooted in Indigenous worldviews from members of the very successful Haítzaq team that is leading multiple clean energy projects.	MacDonald Room (Mezzanine Level)
	Federal Funding Landscape for Indigenous Clean Energy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stephan Bowman, (CIRNAC) • Kara Kolkman (CIRNAC) • Stephanie Zimmerling (NR-Can) • Anil Arora (CIRNAC) • Mariah St-Pierre (CIRNAC) • Barb Gray (CIRNAC) • Kathleen Lombardi (NRCan) • Victoria Sandre (NRCan) • Brendan Struthers (NRCan) • Hannah Bihun (NRCan) 	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"> • Grandmother Irene Lindsay, Elder, Wakaw, Saskatchewan • Elder Alma-Jean Migwans, Elder, Manitoulin Island, ON • Darrell Brown, Chair of ICE Board of Directors • Terri Lynn Morrison, ICE Associate Executive Director • Chris Henderson, ICE Executive Director 	Coming together to reconvene and close the event in the right way.	Adam Room
5:00pm - 10:00pm	ICE Gala		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>MC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kwatuuma Cole Sayers, Senior Manager at ICE <p>Opening Prayer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grandmother Irene Lindsay, Elder, Wakaw, Saskatchewan • Elder Alma-Jean Migwans, Elder In Residence at KTEI <p>Performers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Madelaine McCallum Dancer, Motivational Speaker, Facilitator, and MC • Howie Miller, Comedian • Silla & Rise, Performers, Musicians (Throat Singing) 		Canada Room

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