



AGENDA

University of Lethbridge, Science Commons

DAY 1 | TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH

11:00 AM	Registration Opens	
12:30 PM <i>Atrium</i>	Gathering Convenes - Welcome & Introduction Master of Ceremony - Tony Delaney Elder Prayer - Charlie Crow Chief Blackfoot Drum Group - Bull Horn University of Lethbridge - Dr. Matthew Letts - Dean of Arts and Science Kainai Environmental Protection Agency - Ninna Piiksi Dr. Mike Bruised Head Oldman Watershed Council - Shannon Frank Roundtable on the Crown of the Continent - Shawn Johnson	<i>60 min</i>
1:30 PM	<i>BREAK</i>	<i>10 min</i>
1:40 PM <i>BMO</i> <i>Auditorium</i>	Panel: Plant Sovereignty/Climate/Water /Innii <i>Speakers</i> Api'soomaahka William Singer III, KEPA Ninna Piiksi Dr. Mike Bruised Head, KEPA Dr. Leroy Little Bear, University of Lethbridge Marsha Heavy Head, KEPA Elliot Fox, KEPA	<i>100 min</i>
3:20 PM	<i>BREAK</i>	<i>10 min</i>
3:30 PM <i>BMO</i> <i>Auditorium</i>	Panel: Private Land Conservation in Southern Alberta <i>Speakers</i> Tom Lynch-Staunton, Nature Conservancy of Canada Thorsten Hebben, Ducks Unlimited Canada	<i>45 min</i>
4:15 PM <i>BMO</i> <i>Auditorium</i>	Crown Cafe: Reconciliation <i>Invitation for Roundtable conference participants to share information about their organization and current happenings, needs, etc. Open mic, 1 - 3 minutes per speaker.</i>	<i>45 min</i>
5:30 PM <i>Atrium</i>	Reception and Dinner w/ Special Entertainment by Api'soomaahka William Singer III	

DAY 2 | WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST

7:30 AM <i>Atrium</i>	Coffee and Pastries	
8:00 AM <i>Atrium</i>	Good Morning Welcome Nathan Neudorf, MLA Lethbridge-East	<i>15 min</i>
8:30 AM <i>BMO Auditorium</i>	Panel: Watershed Councils - Milk River and Oldman River <i>Speakers</i> Shannon Frank, Executive Director, Oldman Watershed Council <i>Working with Nature to Combat Drought</i> Sofie Forsstrom, Education Program Manager, OWC <i>Life Aquatic: What the bugs are telling us about water quality</i> Tim Romanow, Executive Director, Milk River Watershed Council <i>Connecting Land, Water, and Biodiversity – Preview of the new Transboundary Milk River State of the Watershed Report</i>	<i>75 min</i>
9:45 AM	<i>BREAK</i>	<i>15 min</i>
10:00 AM <i>BMO Auditorium</i>	Presentation: Kitawahsinnoon Our Territory: The Blackfoot Place Map <i>Speaker</i> Souta Calling Last, Indigenous Vision	<i>45 min</i>
10:45 AM <i>BMO Auditorium</i>	Panel: Paahtómahksikimi Waterton Lakes National Park and Region <i>Speakers</i> Dylan Frank, Cultural Resource Impact Assessment Officer, Waterton Lakes National Park <i>Archaeology in Paahtómahksikimi</i> Nora Manners, Waterton Biosphere Region Bill Dolan, Waterton Biosphere Region	<i>45 min</i>
11:45 AM <i>Atrium</i>	Lunch w/ Roundtable Awards	
1:00 PM <i>Atrium</i>	Crown Cafe: Climate Change <i>Invitation for Roundtable conference participants to share information about their organization and current happenings, needs, etc. Open mic, 1 - 3 minutes per speaker.</i>	<i>45 min</i>
1:45 PM <i>BMO Auditorium</i>	Panel: Innii Initiative - Blackfeet Nation <i>Speakers</i> Lauren Monroe Jr., Blackfeet Nation Rep. Tyson Running Wolf, Montana House of Representative Ervin Carlson, Director of the Blackfeet Buffalo Program	<i>90 min</i>
3:15 PM <i>Atrium</i>	Roundtable Discussion <i>In small groups, participants reflect on the central themes of the conference and how they can move forward with their work.</i>	<i>45 min</i>
4:00 PM <i>Atrium</i>	Conference Adjourns <i>Remarks</i> Ninna Piiksi Dr. Mike Bruised Head, KEPA Shawn Johnson, Roundtable Leadership Team	