

**Implementing
 Land Claims Agreements
 for Social and
 Economic Prosperity**

Claiming our Future



MAY 12 - 15, 2009
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"Claiming Our Future" will bring together more than 450 Aboriginal leaders, business people, policy makers, negotiators, academics and representatives from the federal, provincial and territorial governments to explore the ways that comprehensive land claims agreements can be used to generate economically and culturally sustainable communities.

SESSION THEMES

- **Social and Economic Prosperity:** How can modern treaty holders leverage economic, social and cultural assets to create wealth and self-sufficiency among their communities?
- **International Connections:** Comprehensive land claims agreements provide Aboriginal peoples with a strong and growing voice in international affairs. How can these international connections best benefit modern treaty holders in Canada?

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Aboriginal governments, businesses and cultural organizations
- Northern and Aboriginal economic development corporations
- Federal, provincial and territorial governments and agencies
- Aboriginal business leaders
- Institutions of public government, regulatory bodies and co-management boards
- Self-government and land claim negotiators
- Industry and sectoral organizations with an interest in Aboriginal land and resource development
- Businesses serving Aboriginal clients: consulting and legal firms, airlines, banks and others
- Academic and training institutions

Conference Speakers



Economic
 Keynote:
Calvin Helin



Nelson Leeson
 President, Nisga'a Nation
 and Coalition
 First Nations Co-chair



Paul Kaludjak
 President, Nunavut
 Tunngavik Inc. and
 Coalition Inuit Co-chair

Other Speakers Include:

Julie Kitka – President, Alaska Federation of Natives
Richard Nerysoo – President, Gwich'in Tribal Council
Hon. Chuck Strahl - Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs
Bob Reid – President, Aboriginal Pipeline Group
Jean Larose – CEO, Aboriginal Peoples' Television Network
Professor Michael Byers - University of British Columbia

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CONCURRENT BREAK-OUT SESSIONS

Please indicate your first and second choice for each of the Concurrent Break-out Sessions beside the individual sessions for each date.

Concurrent Break-Outs 1: Wednesday May 13

- _____ Leveraging Our Joint Resources
 _____ Managing Capital
 _____ Maximizing Impact Benefits Agreements
 _____ Open for Business
 _____ Leveraging Our Cultural Resources
 _____ Negotiating Agreements

Concurrent Break-Outs 2: Thursday May 14

- _____ Changing Perspectives: Advocacy on the International Stage
 _____ Our Treaties and Canada's Treaties
 _____ Sovereignty and Land Claims Agreements:
 International, National, and Global Interests in Arctic Areas
 _____ International Trade Missions
 _____ Comprehensive Land Claims Agreements:
 An Introduction (Technical Session)

REGISTRATION FEES

- \$820 per person + \$41 GST = \$861

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