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# Canada's North 2013

## October 15 to October 17, 2013

Coast High Country Inn and Yukon Convention Centre • Whitehorse, YT

### Building the North's Future by Sharing Current Successes

In 2011, The Conference Board's Centre for the North held its inaugural summit on Canada's North, drawing nearly 300 people from across Canada and the North, to learn and explore the region's major challenges and opportunities. This October, we'll again gather leaders from communities, businesses, governments and others across the North to learn from lessons past and present. This discussion will focus on three main areas:

**CONNECTIONS:** What connections have helped build and sustain the North? We'll consider physical infrastructure - the roads, airports, and telecommunications links that connect people and communities across the North.

**COMMUNITY:** Communities lie at the heart of the cultures of the North. How can communities build greater resilience, and what does resilience mean to northerners? Discussion will include critical social issues such as housing, health, governance, and economic development.

**COMMERCE:** Commercial interest in the North from outside companies will accelerate in the years ahead. How can northern communities balance the preservation of their ways of life with greater economic activity?

#### Who Should Attend?

Aboriginal leaders, business leaders, local, regional, and national governments, and community leaders involved with:

- Housing, Health, and Education
- Employment
- Business Development
- Transportation
- Security/Emergencies and Response
- Infrastructure Development
- Economic Planning and Development
- Energy and Natural Resources
- Culture, Heritage, and Tourism
- Climate Change
- Sustainability

#### Confirmed Speakers to-date:

- **Nils Andreassen** - Executive Director, Institute of the North, Alaska
- **Mitch Bloom** - Vice-President, Policy and Planning, Canadian Northern Economic Development Agency
- **Anja B. Jeffrey** - Director, Centre for the North, The Conference Board of Canada
- **Nitin Kawale** - President, Cisco Systems Canada Co.
- **Stephen Mooney** - Director, Cold Climate Innovation Yukon Research Centre, Yukon College
- **The Hon. Darrell Pasloski** - Premier, Government of Yukon

Join us to share your views and discuss the issues critical to the future of the North. Collaborate with the experts, learn about the latest research, and network with your peers from across Northern Canada.

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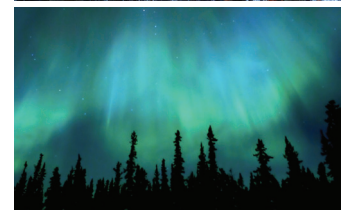
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