



Corporate-Indigenous Relations Council (CIRC)

Indigenous Governance Series: Meeting Agenda

“A Discussion on Indigenous Governance Structures and the Path to Economic Reconciliation”

September 28, 2022 | 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm EST | Virtual Event (MS Teams)

This session, the third in our Indigenous Governance series, will begin with introductory remarks from Chief Commissioner Jules on the topic of Indigenous Governance Structures and the Path to Economic Reconciliation. Following this initial overview, a facilitated discussion will be held with our speaker, members, and guests.

This session will explore different governance models across the country (modern treaty/self-government models, Indian Act/on reserve models; hereditary/traditional governance models, etc.) and their relationship to economic development and self-determination.

1:30 p.m. –
1:35 p.m.

Welcome and Opening Remarks

Jo-Leen Folz, Council Manager, Indigenous and Northern Communities,
The Conference Board of Canada

1:35 p.m. –
1:55 p.m.

Indigenous Governance Structures and the Path to Reconciliation

Chief Commissioner Manny Jules, First Nations Tax Commission

1:55 p.m. –
2:15 p.m.

Audience Q & A

Chief Commissioner Manny Jules, First Nations Tax Commission

2:15 P.M. –
3:00 P.M.

Facilitated Discussion in Breakout Rooms

Jo-Leen Folz, Council Manager, Indigenous and Northern Communities,
The Conference Board of Canada

Jaime Fortin, Research Associate I, Indigenous and Northern Communities,
The Conference Board of Canada

Bonita Beatty, Faculty Member, Indigenous Studies, University of
Saskatchewan

Dazawray Landrie-Parker, Instructor, Indigenous Governance Degree (IGD)
Program, Yukon University and Director, Nuclear Sector, Creative Fire
(invited)

3:00 p.m.

Adjourn



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