



**Building
Resilient
Communities**

Building Relationships & Embracing Change

November 18-21, 2024

Penticton Trade & Convention Centre

Monday, November 18, 2024			
13:00	Registration Table Open		
14:00	Envisioning the Future of Our Industry	There's Got to be a Better Way: PPOST - Origins & Applications in Community Recovery (Innemergence)	Panel Discussion - 2023 events from a Communications Perspective
15:00	Coffee Break		
15:30	UBCM Grant Writing Hints and Tips	TBD	
16:00	Reflection / Daily Closing		
17:00	Networking Social		

Tuesday, November 19, 2024							
07:30	Registration Table Open (7:30 to 15:00)						
08:15	Conference Opening						
09:30	Welcoming Session						
10:00	TBC	TBC	The Animal Response 2023 Okanagan	Chilotin Landslide - Multiple Perspective	Indigenous Partnerships in Action: Community Resilience through Cultural Safety and Collaboration	Building Resilience: A Case Study on Collaborative Emergency Response and Recovery for Vulnerable Populations (Kelowna)	Anatomy of a Ransomware Attack
11:00	Coffee Break in Exhibitor Hall						
11:30	Mini media training: Maintaining credibility and trust amid chaos: Dynamite Public Relations	TBC	Program Innovations in Health Emergency Management: Bridging Gaps for Greater Resilience	Holding Multiple Perspectives: The Art of Climate Risk Assessment (Heron Bridge)	Indigenous Partnerships in Action: Community Resilience through Cultural Safety and Collaboration	Changing the Paradigm- Collaboration in fighting Wildfires in Rural Communities Argenta	Business Continuity Planning (BCP) 101 for non-BCPers - "What"
12:30	Lunch in Exhibitor Hall						
13:30	Pathways to Preparedness	TBC	Self Governing First Nations, Traditional Knowledge & Unified Command: A Case Study from North of the Arctic Circle	Start Here! Define the Playing Field of Your Next Risk Assessment	Indigenous Partnerships in Action: Community Resilience through Cultural Safety and Collaboration	Place Based Resilience- Storytelling in a Changing Landscape (Comox Valley RD)	Local Authority Experience with Business Continuity Planning
14:30	Coffee Break in Exhibitor Hall						
15:00	McDougall Creek Wildfire, District of Lake Country						
16:00	EMCR / Reflection / Daily Closing						
17:00	Networking Reception in Exhibitor Hall / Show & Shine						

Wednesday, November 20, 2024

08:30	Daily Orientation						
09:00	Plenary in Ballroom TBC						
10:00	Mental Health Strategies for Reducing Stress in the Workplace – Science/Research	Disaster Debris Management in BC – Successes and Failures Baughen Consulting	Learning from Global Practices: Bringing the MHPSS Model to British Columbia PHSA	Indigenous Partnerships in Action: Community Resilience through Cultural Safety and Collaboration	ESS Financial Challenges and Successes - Panel	Fostering Community Commitment to Preparedness : tips to help your communities be more resilient in the face of emergencies. BC Earthquake Alliance	Building FireSmart Communities Through Post-Fire Learnings FireSmartBC
11:00	Coffee Break in Exhibitor Hall						
11:30	Mental Health Strategies for Reducing Stress in the Workplace – Techniques Training	Post-wildfire geohazard risk management of the Bush Creek East Fire	Learning from Global Practices: Bring the MHPSS Model to British Columbia	Indigenous Partnerships in Action: Community Resilience through Cultural Safety and Collaboration	TBC : Navigating ESS changes	Resilient Retrofits for a Multi-Hazard Reality	Enhancing Wildfire Preparedness in Canada: Launch of Long-Term Fire Weather Projections on ClimateData.ca Environ Canada
12:30	Lunch in Exhibitor Hall						
13:30	Mental Health Strategies for Reducing Stress in the Workplace – Experience Workshop	Flood Mitigation and Risk Reduction in the City of Grand Forks Grand Forks	Learning from Global Practices: Bring the MHPSS Model to British Columbia PHSA	Indigenous Partnerships in Action: Community Resilience through Cultural Safety and Collaboration	ESS Host Community Panel	Raising Flood Hazard Awareness and Personal Preparedness Through Accessible Data.	Introduction to ICI Society- Benefits of Collaboration
14:30	Coffee Break in Exhibitor Hall						
15:00	Plenary In Ballroom TBC						
16:00	Reflection / Daily Closing						
17:00	Networking Reception - Trivia Fun						

Thursday, November 21, 2024							
08:30	Daily Opening / Orientation						
09:00	EMCR What we heard at the conference						
9:45				Interactive Dialogue Sessions			
10:45	Coffee Break						
11:00				Hope & Opportunity			
11:45	Conference Closing Remarks & First Nations Closing						
12:15	Lunch & Conference Closing						