



AFN Virtual Symposium on First Nations Education: Reclaiming and Reimagining First Nations Education

March 3 and 4, 2021

Draft Agenda

DAY 1 - Wednesday, March 3, 2021

1:00 pm	Opening Prayer and Welcoming <i>MC: Simon Bird</i> <i>Knowledge Keeper: Roberta Oshkabewisens</i> <i>Regional Chief Bobby Cameron</i>
1:15 pm	Keynote Presentation: First Nations Culture and Social Media <i>James Jones (@notoriouscree)</i>
1:45 pm	First Nations Education Administrators Association- <i>Darren Googoo</i>
2:00 pm	Update: High-Cost Special Education Program Review – <i>INDsight Consulting</i>
2:45 pm	Break Door Prizes
3:00 pm	Workshop A A1. Decolonizing Education – <i>Sandy Pinay-Schindler -Cowessess First Nation</i> A2. Mental Health – <i>Rebecca Scirocco -Mi'kmaw Kina'matnewey</i>
3:45 pm	Recap Door Prizes
4:00 pm	End of Day 1



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DAY 2 - Thursday, March 4, 2021	
1:00 pm	Prayer Welcome/Recap
1:15 pm	Showcasing Regional Experiences: Manitoba First Nations – <i>Lyn Blackburde- Assembly of Manitoba Chiefs</i> <i>Virginia Arthurson- Manitoba First Nations Education Resource Council</i>
1:45 pm	Break Door Prizes
2:00 pm	Update: Education Infrastructure – Bram Lerat- Assembly of First Nations <i>Craig Baker and Sarah Pearson- First Nations Engineering Services Ltd.</i>
2:45 pm	Break Door Prizes
3:00 pm	Workshop B B1. Connectivity and Education – Tim Whiteduck and Philippe Lalancette -First Nations Education Council B2. Regional Education Agreements – Ivan Augustine -Elsipogtog First Nation
3:45 pm	Recap Door Prizes Closing Comments
4:00 pm	End of Day 2



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