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November 1, 2017 **Policy Conference** CIRA- ACRI/ALRB



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CIRA-ACRI / ALRB Policy Conference - November 1, 2017 Calgary

Overview

0900 - 1000 Registration & Breakfast

1000 - 1015 Opening Remarks

Session 1 - Labour Relations Board Responses to Recent Legislative Changes

- Topics include: Certification Procedure, Process for Duty of Fair Representation complaints, Marshalling of Proceedings
- Speaker: Jeremy Schick (Legal Counsel, Labour Relations Board)

Session 2 - Essential Services

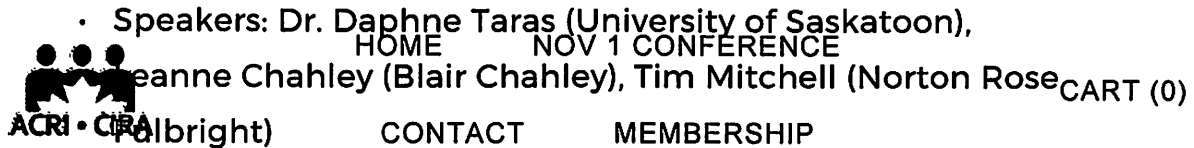
- Topics include: Changes to application of provisions, Current state of negotiations
- Speaker: Gwen Gray (Essential Services Commissioner, Labour Relations Board)

1200-1300 Lunch - Employment Standards Changes - Overview

Speaker: Leann Wagner (Assistant Deputy Minister, Department of Labour)

Session 3 - Post Secondary Labour Relations (Panel)

- Topics include: Recent changes, Impact on Labour Relations, Advice to Parties in managing in new environment



- Speakers: Dr. Daphne Taras (University of Saskatoon), Jeanne Chahley (Blair Chahley), Tim Mitchell (Norton Rose Albright)

Session 4 - First Contract Arbitration (Panel)

- Topics include: Recent changes, Considerations for application in Alberta, Experience in BC
- Speakers: Grant McArthur (Director Mediation, BCLRB), Katrina Piechotta (UFCW), Laura Mensch (Gowling WLG)

Session 5 - Enhanced Arbitration & Arbitration Review (Panel)

- Topics include: Recent changes, Impact on arbitration, Impact on review of arbitration
- Speakers: Dr. Allen Ponak (Arbitrator), Cheryl Bartel (Arbitrator), Karen Scott (Seveney Scott), Tom Ross (McLennan Ross)

Session 6 - Occupational Health & Safety Review

- Topics include: Overview, issues and update on review process, Marijuana Framework
- Speaker: Ross Nairne, Executive Director, OHS Policy & Program Development

1800 - 2000 Dinner - **Speaker** - Honourable Christina Gray, Minister of Labour and Minister of Democratic Renewal

Check back for further updates to the schedule.

Location - Village Park Inn - Best Western, 1804 Crowchild Trail NW (Motel Village), Calgary AB

Conference Cost \$225 per person - Non-Members
 \$200 per person - Members
 (includes Lunch & Dinner)



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