

MESSAGE FROM THE CIPMM PRESIDENT



Dear Procurement and Materiel Management communities,

On behalf of the Canadian Institute for Procurement and Materiel Management, I am pleased to welcome you to our first workshop in Alberta since we launched a new program of regional workshops. It demonstrates our commitment to invest and strengthen a community that has not been well served during years of financial restraint. We hope that this Workshop will be one of many professional development opportunities available across Canada.

We have an outstanding program for the day, touching the diverse yet fascinating subjects that are shaping our profession such as social procurement, major procurement projects, aboriginal opportunities, asset management and procurement modernization. This is not a classroom... Our objective is to give you an opportunity to engage with colleagues and many of the leaders of our community.

In addition to a program of workshops, CIPMM is also committed to recognizing the outstanding contribution of our professions to Canadians. We invite you to nominate colleagues for the CIPMM award program in categories such as Project Management, Innovation and Community Builder. We will launch the call for nomination in Winter 2019. Stay tuned!

We hope that this event will help improve your professional networks, generate new insights and inspire you in your career. Looking forward to meeting everyone!

Vincent Robitaille

CIPMM President



MESSAGE FROM THE REGIONAL WORKSHOP CHAIR



Welcome to the Canadian Institute for Procurement and Materiel Management's Regional Workshop in Calgary. I want to thank you for choosing to join us today as we learn about some of the new advancements in the procurement and materiel management world. Some of the highlights for me was working with many people located in the Region to define what information you would want to hear and learn more about. We are pleased to also balance the coverage of both procurement

and materiel management in the Program and to have representatives of the municipal and provincial governments participating in our Workshop as well as the private sector. It is great to learn about new practices from others and to gain new perspectives we can incorporate into our practices.

It has been a lot of fun putting together a program for your day and I hope it will provide you with an opportunity to hear from some subject matter experts on a number of topics, network with your colleagues and learn some new skills. It was quite a challenge to squeeze everything into just one day!

Please join us at the end of the day for a Networking Reception and we can keep the conversations going. I hope you enjoy this Workshop as much as I enjoyed planning it!

Carolyn Montague

Vice President, CIPMM
Regional Workshop Chair



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Schedule at a Glance

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2018

8:00 am – 8:30 am Grand Foyer	Registration / Breakfast
8:30 am – 8:45 am Stephen Room	Opening Remarks
8:45 am – 9:30 am Stephen Room	Opening Keynote Meet the new Procurement Ombudsman
9:30 am – 10:30 am Stephen Room	Plenary Session Canadian Collaborative Procurement – What are the Opportunities for Your Public Sector Organization?
9:30 am – 10:30 am Doll / Herald Room	Concurrent Session GC Transfer - Innovation in Materiel Management and Disposal
10:30 am – 11:00 am Grand Foyer	Exhibits & Refreshments
11:00 am – 12:00 pm Stephen Room	Concurrent Session Procurement Transformation
11:00 am – 12:00 pm Doll / Herald Room	Concurrent Session Necessity the Motherhood of Invention - Logistical Innovation in Emergency Management
12:00 pm – 12:20 pm Grand Foyer	Lunch
12:20 pm – 1:00 pm Stephen Room	Plenary Session The Real People Stories Behind How PSAB Makes a Difference to Indigenous People and Leads Us Down the Path of Economic Reconciliation





Schedule at a Glance

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1:00 pm – 1:15 pm	Networking Break
1:15 pm – 2:15 pm Stephen Room	Concurrent Session Social Procurement
1:15 pm – 2:15 pm Doll / Herald Room	Concurrent Session PSAB Success Stories/ Aboriginal Opportunities and Considerations
2:15 pm – 2:45 pm Grand Foyer	Exhibits & Refreshments
2:45 pm – 3:45 pm Stephen Room	Concurrent Session CORCAN - Managing your Social Procurement Opportunities
2:45 pm – 3:45 pm Doll / Herald Room	Concurrent Session Lessons from the Giant Mine Project
3:45 pm – 4:45 pm Doll / Herald Room	Concurrent Session Overview of Meeting Your Materiel Management Requirements for the Management Accountability Framework (MAF)
3:45 pm – 4:45 pm Stephen Room	Concurrent Session 8 Rules 2 Kick Ass in Life - the importance of Work Life Balance in the Workplace
4:45 pm - 5:00 pm Stephen Room	Closing Remarks
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm Walker / Bannerman Room	Networking Reception



WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2018

REGIONAL WORKSHOP PROGRAM

8:00 am – 8:30 am

Registration & Breakfast

Grand Foyer

8:30 am – 8:45 am

Opening Remarks

Carolyn Montague, *Regional Workshop Chair & CIPMM Vice-President*

Stephen Room

8:45 am – 9:30 am

Opening Keynote: Meet the New Procurement Ombudsman and Share Your Thoughts

Alexander Jeglic, *Procurement Ombudsman*

Stephen Room

This session will provide CIPMM members the opportunity to hear what's on the new Procurement Ombudsman's mind in the context of promoting fairness, openness and transparency in federal procurement, and to share with the Ombudsman their own views and experiences.

CONCURRENT SESSION

9:30 am – 10:30 am

Session

1

Stephen Room

Canadian Collaborative Procurement – What are the Opportunities for Your Public Sector Organization?



Sean Crossan, *Director, Federal, Provincial, Territorial and International Relations, Office of Small and Medium Enterprises and Stakeholder Engagement, Acquisitions Program, Public Services and Procurement Canada*

Laurie-Anne Suchodolski, *Procurement Specialist, Western Region, Public Service and Procurement Canada*

This presentation will highlight the current status of the Canadian Collaborative Procurement Initiative and introduce you to the idea and benefits of a cross government employee interchange assignment for a federal employee who spent as a result of the Initiative 6 months working on site, fully immersed in the day to day procurement activity at the Province of Alberta, Service Alberta office.



CONCURRENT SESSION

9:30 am – 10:30 am

Session

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Doll / Herald
Room

GC Transfer - Innovation in Materiel Management and Disposal



Elizabeth Logan, *Regional Manager AB&NT, GCSurplus, Receiver General and Pension Branch, Public Services and Procurement Canada*

GCSurplus is a federal government organization responsible for the reselling government assets at the end of their lifecycle and seized property to the public. GCSurplus is an essential part of management of end-of-life assets and generates significant annual revenues through the resale of goods, which provides a return on investment and achieving greening of government initiatives. For assets that have not reached their end-of-life we encourage offering these assets to other federal government departments by advertising on GCTransfer. This session will provide an overview of GCTransfer and how assets with remaining useful life can be transferred within the Federal Government ensuring assets are fully utilized before they reach the end of life. An overview of GCTransfer services will be highlighted including showcasing the benefits and diversity of assets available for transfer within the government using this service.

10:30 am – 11:00 am

Exhibits & Refreshments Break

Grand Foyer

CONCURRENT SESSION

11:00 am – 12:00 pm

Session

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Stephen Room

Procurement Transformation



Chelle Busch, *A/ Director, Procurement Transformation, Procurement Services Alberta*

Kevin Turner, *Regional Director, Office of Small and Medium Enterprises, Western Region, Public Services and Procurement Canada*

Lynne Davies, *LL.B., LL.M., Manager, Procurement, Supply Management, Deputy City Manager's Office, The City of Calgary*

Gaétan Demers *CSCP, P. log., SCMP, Acting Branch Manager, Director, Corporate Contract Management, Financial and Corporate Services, Corporate Procurement and Supply Services, City of Edmonton*

Come and listen to a panel of experts drawn from The City of Calgary, The City of Edmonton, the Government of Alberta and the Canadian Federal Government as they share where their respective organizations are in terms of their pathway to procurement modernization. It will be a great opportunity to learn from them and to ask them questions.

CONCURRENT SESSION

11:00 am – 12:00 pm

**Session
4**

Doll / Herald
Room

Necessity the Motherhood of Invention – Logistical Innovation in Emergency Management!!



Scott Long, *Executive Director, Provincial Operations, Alberta Emergency Management Agency, Ministry of Municipal Affairs*

This session will provide some personal insights (for discussion) on the logistical challenges encountered during the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo Wildfires, May 2016. Specifically with regards to supporting the fight to save the community, evacuate the community and care for 90,000 Albertans that were displaced from their homes for well over 60 days.

12:00 pm – 12:20 pm

Buffet Lunch

Grand Foyer

PLENARY SESSION

12:20 pm – 1:00 pm

**Session
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Stephen Room

The Real People Stories Behind How PSAB Makes a Difference to Indigenous People and Leads us Down the Path of Economic Reconciliation



Tim Hopkins, *President, Advantage Group of Companies*

Tim Hopkins, President of Advantage Group of Companies, takes us on a stark and humorous journey of how one Indigenous company has worked to create success stories through successful partnerships between Government, Indigenous communities, industry and private sector; bridging worlds, culture and bringing new ideas together.

1:00 pm – 1:15 pm

Networking Break

Grand Foyer

CONCURRENT SESSION

1:15 pm – 2:15 pm

**Session
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Stephen Room

Social Procurement



Kevin Turner, *Regional Director, Office of Small and Medium Enterprises, Western Region, Public Services and Procurement Canada*

Participants will hear from a panel of local experts in social enterprise as they discuss how public procurement and social enterprise can come together.

CONCURRENT SESSION

1:15 pm – 2:15 pm

Session

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**Doll / Herald
Room**

The Procurement Strategy for Aboriginal Business



Dolores Coelho, *Senior Program Officer, Economic and Business Opportunities Branch, Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs*

The Procurement Strategy for Aboriginal Business supports Aboriginal business capacity development on behalf of the government of Canada. Through mandatory set asides, voluntary set asides, joint ventures and partnerships, sub-contracting activities, and Aboriginal Participation components. The Strategy aims to assist Aboriginal businesses to compete for and win federal contracting opportunities. The Government of Canada believes that employment and wealth creation is key to economic self-reliance. By helping Aboriginal businesses compete for more government contracts, PSAB allows Aboriginal communities to access a more level playing field, enabling economic prosperity like never before.

2:15 pm – 2:45 pm

Exhibits & Refreshments

Grand Foyer

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

2:45 pm – 3:45 pm

Session

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Stephen Room

CORCAN - Managing your Social Procurement Opportunities



Kelly Hartle, *Acting Chief Executive Officer, CORCAN, Correctional Service of Canada*

The presentation will include an overview of the various types of products available while highlighting the benefits and ease of procurement through CORCAN, a Special Operating Agency (SOA) within the Correctional Service of Canada (CSC). CORCAN is a key rehabilitation program of the CSC. It contributes to safe communities by providing offenders with employment and employability skills training while incarcerated in federal penitentiaries, and after release to the community. This is done through on-the-job training that focuses on our five business lines: Manufacturing, Textiles, Construction, Services and Agriculture. By acquiring from CORCAN, purchases contribute to a reinvestment in the offender employment and employability program and also lessen your procurement and administrative tasks.

Session

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**Doll / Herald
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Lessons from the Giant Mine Project



Robert Turek, *Manager, Procurement, Environmental Services Acquisition Team, Western Region PSPC*

I will provide an overview of the Giant Mine Remediation project with a focus on the procurement challenges presented by this complex long-term project with multiple stakeholders. This will include a discussion on the strategy to maximize opportunities for Indigenous contractors and suppliers

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

3:45 pm – 4:45 pm

Session

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**Doll / Harold
Room**

Overview of Meeting Your Material Management Requirements for the Management Accountability Framework (MAF)



Blair Hurd, *CIPMM Treasurer*

This session will describe suggested materials to help you meet your material management requirements for the management and accountability framework (MAF). There will be lots of time for sharing your own experience and to ask some questions.

Session

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Stephen Room

8 Rules 2 Kick Ass in Life - the Importance of Work Life Balance in the Workplace



Al Garlinski, *Regional Trainer, Western Region, School of Procurement, Public Service and Procurement Canada*

Al shares his lessons learned and basic 8 rules to stay “grounded” within the fast paced world of Procurement. His rules are tied to constantly pushing yourself outside of your comfort zone and keeping an open dialogue about mental health, anxiety and depression. As a long distance runner and animal rescue advocate, he will make the link to mental fitness in the workplace by sharing some of his running adventures ranging from running across Iceland, trekking the Grand Canyon to climbing Mt. Jacinto in California.

4:45 pm - 5:00 pm

Closing Remarks

Stephen Room

5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

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