



Buy Social Canada Summit

Exploring the Future of Social Procurement

Draft Program Schedule

Monday, November 27th

15 h 00 – 17 h 00	Registration
16 h 00 – 17 h 00	Opening Reception
17 h 00 – 17 h 30	Welcomes
17 h 30 – 18 h 30	Opening Panel Discussion Why Social Procurement Perspectives from Government, Community & Private Sector
18 h 30 – 20 h 00	Meet & Greet Reception

Tuesday, November 28th

	Continental Breakfast
8 h 30 – 10 h 00	Opening Plenary: The Business Case for Social Procurement Four Case Studies of Models from Across Canada
10 h 00 – 10 h 30	Network Break
10 h 30 – 12 h 00	Learning Exchange Workshops: Facilitated Group Exploration Leveraging development and infrastructure investments through Community Benefit Agreements Culture Shift: From Risk Aversion to Opportunity Creation Selecting and Matching Purchases with Social Outcomes Social Enterprise: Responding to Opportunities Another Topic

12 h 15 – 13 h 15	"Working" Lunch Table Topics facilitated by the Community of Practice Participants
13 h 30 – 14 h 30	Learning Exchange Workshops: Facilitated Group Exploration Navigating Trade Agreements & Legal Issues Beyond CSR: Social Purchasing in Private Sector Localizing Goals & Measuring Success Tools & Resources Another Topic
14 h 30 – 15 h 00	Network Break
15 h 00 – 16 h 00	Closing Plenary Panel Exploring the Future of Social Purchasing