



EARLY YEARS CONFERENCE



2018

Strengthening Resilience in Today's World - Leading with Kindness and Understanding

PROGRAM AT A GLANCE

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 2018

7:30 am - 8:30 am	Registration Opens	Regency Foyer
8:30 am - 9:00 am	Welcome <i>Stacey Walsh, Angela Clancy (Conference Co-chairs)</i> Opening Prayer <i>Chief Ian Campbell</i> Opening Remarks <i>Honourable Katrina Chen</i>	Regency Ballroom
9:00 am - 10:15 am	Opening Plenary: What Early Experiences Really Are Important for The Social Ecology of Resilience: NineWays Families, and Communities Nurture a Child's Wellbeing <i>Michael Ungar</i>	Regency Ballroom
10:15 am - 10:45 am	Break - Exhibits & Poster Viewing (Coffee Provided)	Regency AB & Foyer
10:45 am - 12:15 pm	Concurrent Sessions A	
A1/B1	The Heartbreak Kid: Understanding the Impact of High Conflict Divorce <i>Deborah Bell, Evelyn Wotherspoon, Jennifer Malcolm</i>	Plaza B
A2	The ABC's of Social and Emotional Health <i>Estelle Paget, Andrew Macnab</i>	Plaza A
A3	Truth and Reconciliation for Early Years Educators <i>Jennifer Markides</i>	Regency D
A4	Canadian 24-Hour Movement Guidelines for the Early Years (0-4 years)... <i>Mark Tremblay, Valerie Carson, Guy Faulkner, Casey Grey</i>	Plaza C
A5	Neurons and Synapses and Fiber Tracts, Oh My! Early Brain Development <i>Amelia Bachleda</i>	Regency C
A6	Breaking Through the Barriers of Shame and Guilt: Engaging Isolated Families <i>Donna Balkwill, Deena Hall</i>	Regency E/F
A7	Supporting Children's Resilience through Play <i>Jessica Chisholm</i>	Georgia
A8i	Working with Immigrant and Refugee Families in a Bilingual Family Literacy... <i>Jim Anderson, Aliza Dhungana</i>	Prince of Wales
A8ii	Baby Group - From Fragile Beginnings to Strong Futures <i>Dawn Grunert, Dee O'Connor, Cheryl Fertich</i>	
A9i	'Take a Video!': Children's Digital and Non-digital Play in Their Homes <i>Laura Teichert</i>	Grouse
A9ii	How Does Parental Use of Digital Media Affect Young Children's Behavior? <i>Yvonne Kiefert Adebare</i>	
12:15 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch (on your own), Exhibits Open	Regency AB & Foyer

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 2018 CONT.

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm **Concurrent Sessions B**

B1/A1	The Heartbreak Kid (continued) <i>Deborah Bell, Evelyn Wotherspoon, Jennifer Malcolm</i>	Plaza B
B2	Young Scientists: Building STEM Skills and Exploring the World through Play <i>Marley Jarvis</i>	Grouse
B3	HELP's Program of Research as Tools to Understand Aboriginal Children's... <i>Duane Jackson, Laranna Androsoff</i>	Plaza C
B4	Kids on Wheels: Early Wheeled Mobility for Young Children Who Have... <i>Debbie Field, Roslyn Livingstone</i>	Prince of Wales
B5	Building Brains for Success in School and Life <i>Susy Komishin, Anne Rundle, Sheila Murdock, Louise Cameron</i>	Georgia
B6	Reaching Millennial Parents: What Today's Parents Know, Do, and Believe... <i>Rebecca Parlakian, Jodi Whiteman</i>	Regency C
B7	Bolstering Wellbeing Among Early Learning and Care Educators across Alberta <i>Veronica Smith, Zoey Zhang</i>	Plaza A
B8	The Intersection of FASD and Infant Mental Health: Applying a Trauma... <i>Mary Motz, Margaret Leslie</i>	Regency EF
B9	Raising Resilient Children <i>Denise Findlay</i>	Regency D

3:00 pm - 3:30 pm **Break - Exhibits & Poster Viewing (Cold Beverages Provided)** Regency AB & Foyer

3:30 pm - 4:30 pm **Plenary: Early Adversity and Lifelong Health: Risk & Resilience**
Sarah Enos Watamura Regency Ballroom

4:30 pm - 4:45 pm **Presentation: Dr. Hillel Goelman Award for Outstanding Leadership in Professional Development in Early Childhood Education & The Dana Brynelsen Educational Bursary**

4:45 pm - 5:30 pm **Networking Reception & Poster Session** Regency AB & Foyer

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 2018

8:00 am - 8:30 am **Registration Open, Exhibits Open** Regency AB & Foyer

8:30 am - 9:30 am **Plenary: Tots and Today's Technology**
Sarah R. Lytle Regency Ballroom

9:30 am - 10:30 am **Plenary Panel: Strengthening Resilience in Today's World: Perspectives from Family Members** Regency Ballroom

10:30 am - 11:00 am **Break - Exhibits & Poster Viewing (Coffee Provided)** Regency AB & Foyer

11:00 am - 12:30 pm **Concurrent Sessions C**

C1/D1 **Little Ones and Trauma: Best Practice in Compassionate Learning Communities...**
Linda O'Neill Regency EF

C2 **Reconciliation and Indigenous Place in the Early Years**
Kristin Webster, Lisa McArthur Plaza B

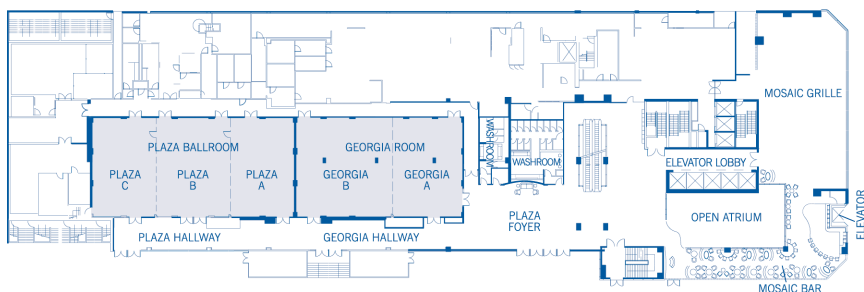
C3 **Sound to Meaning**
Marlene Lewis, Janet Gibson Georgia

C4 **The Interface Between Mothers with Experiences of Trauma and Children's...**
Erika Ono Regency D

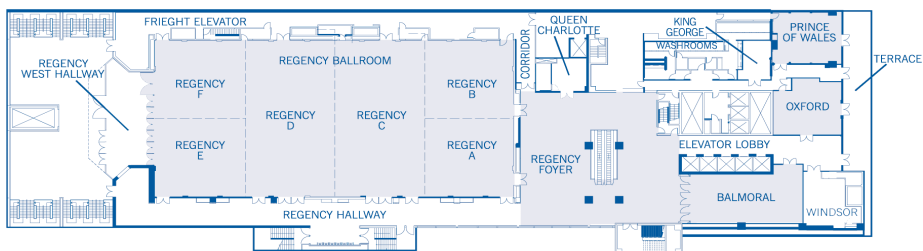
C5	Screening and Interventions for Behavior Regulation, Executive Functions... <i>Julianne Petrie, Margot MacKay</i>	Regency C
C6	Building the Pathway of Change <i>Sheila Grieve, Joan Gignac, Marc Lalonde</i>	Prince of Wales
C7	Build Resiliency in Families <i>Johanna Martens, Gloria Clevé</i>	Plaza C
C8i	Understanding the Why: Parent Beliefs About Mobile Devices for Infants... <i>Michaela Wooldridge</i>	Grouse
C8ii	Parental Awareness of Pediatric Screen Time Recommendations... <i>Annie Lau, Wendy Hall, Reda Wilkes</i>	
C9i	Appetite to Play: Healthy Eating and Physical Activity in the Early Years <i>Jennifer Scarr, PJ Naylor</i>	Plaza A
C9ii	Healthy Together: An Innovative Family Education Program, Easy to... <i>Michele Hopkins, Anaman Anand</i>	
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch (provided), Exhibits Open	Regency AB & Foyer
12:45 pm - 1:30 pm	Poster Session <i>Poster presenters will be available to answer questions</i>	Regency AB
1:30 pm - 3:00 pm	Concurrent Sessions D	
D1/C1	Little Ones and Trauma (Continued) <i>Linda O'Neill</i>	Regency EF
D2	The ABC's of Social and Emotional Health <i>Estelle Paget, Andrew Macnab</i>	Regency C
D3	Creating Culturally-Safe and Trauma-Informed Physical Activity Programming... <i>Jessica Webb, Francine Darroch, Robyn Fabiosa</i>	Prince of Wales
D4	Young Scientists: Building STEM Skills and Exploring the World through Play <i>Marley Jarvis</i>	Regency D
D5	How to Incorporate Family Support into Your Work and Why it's Important... <i>Sherry Sinclair, Gini Bonner, Diane Elliott-Buckley, Mary Johnson</i>	Georgia
D6	Chésa7 Mixálh ménmeñ: Attachment in the Classroom <i>Tanya Brown, Sonya Vellet</i>	Plaza A
D7	Building Friendships: One Step at a Time on a Journey to Belonging <i>Marta Carlucci</i>	Plaza C
D8	"You are My Sunshine..." How an Intergenerational Parent-Child... <i>April Martin-Ko, Maureen Doll, Patricia Asbun</i>	Grouse
D9i	Make the Connection 0-1 Parenting Program Makes a Difference... <i>Kimberley Swigger</i>	Plaza B
D9ii	Fostering Resiliency through Strengthening Connections and Coping Skills <i>Cindy Andrew</i>	
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Break - Exhibits & Poster Viewing (Cold Beverages Provided)	Regency AB & Foyer
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Closing Keynote: The 4 R's: A Unique Perspective on Resilience, Relationships, Respect and Reconciliation <i>Monique Gray Smith</i> Closing Remarks <i>Stacey Walsh, Angela Clancy</i>	Regency Ballroom
4:30 pm	Adjourn	

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Plaza Level (Second Floor)



Convention Level (Third Floor)



Perspectives Level (34th Floor) - Grouse Room

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