

# 9th International Research Conference on Adolescents and Adults with FASD

## TEEN & ADULT PROGRAM

April 22-25, 2020 | The Hyatt Regency Vancouver | Vancouver, BC, Canada

The teen & adult program, as well as the rest of the conference, is free for individuals with FASD. They are welcome to attend any session they wish during the conference and may leave sessions at any time they wish to do so. They are also welcome to sit where they want for the duration of the conference, but there will be a couple of reserved tables at the back corner of the room during plenary sessions.

### Adult Leadership Committee

- Myles Himmelreich
- CJ Lutke
- Katrina Griffin
- Emily Hargrove
- Justin Mitchell
- Anique Lutke

Please click [HERE](#) to register online. You will need to include the following information:

- your name (first and last)
- Where you live (city, province and country)
- your phone number
- your age
- the email that you use

If you have any questions, please email: [sarah.ipce@ubc.ca](mailto:sarah.ipce@ubc.ca):

**Please check in at the registration desk when you arrive.**

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

### ROOM

While there is no separate program planned for individuals with FASD on this day, adults and adolescents from out-of-town are invited to meet the Adults with FASD Leadership Committee at 10:30 am & 2:45 pm.

Adult table  
Room TBC

## THURSDAY, APRIL 23

### TIME

### ROOM

8:30 - 10:00 am  
for everyone

**Welcome and Opening Remarks**  
Adult Leadership Committee

Ballroom

### Nothing About Us Without Us

Maggie McHugh (Maggie May)  
A mini keynote about living with FASD: Life as I Live it

Ballroom

**Plenary: Preliminary Results from FASD Changemakers Lay of the Land Survey #2: What Really Matters? Life as We Live It**  
Adult Leadership Committee

Ballroom

10:00 am - 10:30 am

**Break: Meet and Greet the Leadership Committee**

Adult table  
Back of the  
ballroom

10:30 am - 12:00 pm  
for teens and adults

**This is Me Finding My Voice**  
Midori Harth, CJ Weber, Adrien Victor, Joseph Munn

TBC

12:00 pm

**Lunch (Provided) for Individuals with FASD**  
Hosted by: Adult Leadership Committee

TBC

1:15 pm - 2:45 pm  
for teens and adults

**"Improv" - A Fun Way to Learn About FASD Hands-on**  
Myles Himmelreich & Katrina Griffin

Myles and Katrina co-facilitate an ongoing mentorship group for those with FASD. In this session, you will get to participate in one of the activities from that group.

TBC

2:45 pm - 3:15 pm

**Break**

3:15 pm - 3:30 pm  
for everyone

**Nothing About Us Without Us**  
Midori Harth  
Mini Keynote on The Health Issues for Adults: What Can We Expect, What do I Need to Know?

Ballroom

3:30 pm - 5:15 pm  
for teens and adults

**Update on People With FASD Can Be Researchers - Guidelines & Skills**  
Dorothy Reid, Michelle Stewart

TBC

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## FRIDAY, APRIL 24

ROOM

8:30 am - 10:15am <i>for everyone</i>	<b>Presentation of the CanFASD Sterling Clarren Award</b>	Ballroom
	<b>Nothing About Us Without Us</b> Justin Mitchell A mini keynote on "Housing - the Absence of Which is the Absence of Everything"	Ballroom
<i>for teens and adults</i>	<b>Your Future...What do You Want?</b> CanFASD Family Advisory Committee	TBC
10:15 am - 10:45 pm	<b>Break</b>	
10:45 am - 12:15 pm <i>for everyone</i>	<b>Conversation, Connections, Changes: Placing Adolescents Voices in the Centre of Policy Change</b> Sarah Levine & Myles Himmelreich	Ballroom
12:15 pm - 1:30 pm	<b>Lunch (on your own)</b>	
1:30 pm <i>for teens and adults</i>	<b>The New Adult Health Study: An Update on Our Preliminary Findings</b> Joanne Weinberg & Claire Coles	TBC
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm	<b>Break</b>	
3:30 pm <i>for everyone</i>	<b>Nothing About Us Without Us</b> Joseph Munn A mini keynote on Life with FASD in the Rest of the World	Ballroom
3:45 pm <i>for teens and adults</i>	<b>Coffee House</b> <i>Hosted by: Adult Leadership Committee</i>	
5:15 pm <i>for teens and adults</i>	<b>Pizza - followed by rehearsal for the closing ceremonies</b>	meet in Room TBC

## SATURDAY, APRIL 25

8:30 am - 9:40 am <i>for everyone</i>	<b>Nothing About Us Without Us</b> Ed Hendry A Mini Keynote About Epigenetics in FASD - What I Want to Know; What I Need to Know	Ballroom
<i>for teens and adults</i>	<b>Is There an App for That?</b> Workshop to help develop smartphone apps for people with FASD <b>Christie Petrenko</b>	TBC
9:40 am - 10:10 am	<b>Break</b>	
10:10 am - 11:40 pm <i>for teens and adults</i>	<b>Ask Me Anything About FASD</b> <i>Hosted by: Adult Leadership Committee</i> OR <b>Picture this...:FASD Through Animation</b> Jessica Rutherford	TBC
11:40 am <i>for teens and adults</i>	<b>Lunch (Provided)</b> <b>Meet for the closing ceremony preparation</b>	TBC
12:40 am <i>for everyone</i>	<b>Nothing About Us Without Us</b> Adrien Victor A Mini Keynote on What Human Rights Means to Us with FASD	Ballroom
	<b>Plenary: FASD - A Rights Perspective Versus Best Interest</b> Peter Choate & Terri Pelton	Ballroom
1:45 pm	<b>Starfish Award Presentations &amp; Closing Ceremony: Here Comes the Future</b> <i>Planned and hosted by Adults with FASD. All those with FASD can take part in the closing.</i>	Ballroom
7:30 pm <i>for teens and adults</i>	<b>Casual End of Conference Gathering for Individuals with FASD</b> No dinner served	Room TBD in the hotel

## SUNDAY, APRIL 26

9:00 am	<b>Goodbye Brunch (Pay-on-your-own)</b> Family members are welcome.	Mosaic <i>The hotel restaurant</i>
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