



**Tuesday, October 24, 2023**

**Welcome Reception | Kent Room**

*Join us for h'orderves, refreshments and an evening of networking!*

6:00pm to 8:00pm

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**Day 1: Wednesday, October 25, 2023**

**Breakfast Reception | Westmorland Ballroom**

8:00am

Sponsored by: Belledune Port Authority

**Welcome Address**

9:00am

- Jim Ward, General Manager, North Shore Mi'kmaq Tribal Council

**Welcome Song**

9:05am

- Sipu Boys Drum Group, Metepenagiag Mi'kmaq Nation

**Opening Prayer**

9:10am

- Elder Gordon Labillois, Ugpi'ganjig First Nation

**Opening Remarks**

9:15am

- Chief Terry Richardson, Pabineau First Nation
- Joanna Bernard, Interim National Chief, Assembly of First Nations

**What to Expect: Welcome to the 2nd Annual Indigenous-Led Energy Symposium**

9:25am

- Kevin Woods, Director of Energy Services, North Shore Mi'kmaq Tribal Council

**On the Horizon: The Future Energy Landscape of New Brunswick**

9:30am

- Darren Clark, Senior System Planning Engineer, NB Power
- Ryan Mitchell, President and Chief Executive Officer, Saint John Energy
- Michelle Robichaud, President, Atlantica Centre for Energy

**Tradeshow & Nutritional Break | Kent Room**

10:30am

Sponsored by: Moltex Energy and ARC Clean Technology

**Advanced Small Modular Reactors: Technology Readiness and Deployment Timelines**

11:00am

- Rose Robinson, Director, Advanced Reactor Development Team, NB Power
- Rory O'Sullivan, Chief Executive Officer, Moltex Energy
- Jill Doucett, Vice President, Corporate Affairs and Human Resources, ARC Clean Technology

**Moderated by:** Sal Porier, Madawaska Maliseet First Nation



**Day 1: Wednesday, October 25, 2023**

<b>Lunch   Westmorland Ballroom</b>	12:00pm
<b>Keynote Address</b>	12:45pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bill Gallagher: Economic Reconciliation and the Rise of Indigenous Empowerment</li> </ul>	
<b>Welcome Back</b>	1:45pm
<b>Plenary Presentation</b>	
<b>Energy Development: Decision Making that Considers Outcomes for Now and for Seven Generations to Come</b>	1:50pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jennifer Cleversey Moffitt, Chief Administrative Officer &amp; General Counsel, Belledune Port Authority</li> </ul>	
<b>Tradeshow &amp; Nutritional Break   Kent Room</b>	2:30pm
Sponsored by: Sunny Corner Enterprises and Electricity Human Resources Canada	
<b>Fireside Chat</b>	
<b>Indigenous Youth: The Next Generation of Energy Leaders</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taylor Simon, Economic Development Intern, North Shore Mi'kmaq Tribal Council</li> <li>• Kelsey Bernard, Recruiter, NB Power</li> <li>• Ryan Louis, Environmental Monitor, Mi'gmawe'l Tplu'taqnn Inc. (MTI)</li> <li>• Dylan MacLennan, L'nu Energy</li> </ul>	3:00pm
<b>Moderated by:</b> Candace Narvie, Councillor, Ugpi'ganjig First Nation	
<b>Day 1 Wrap-up &amp; Closing Remarks</b>	4:00pm

**Reception and Gala Dinner | 5:30pm**

Dinner Keynote Addresses from:  
**Chief Terry Richardson, Pabineau First Nation**  
**Brad Coady, Vice President of Business Development and Strategic Partnerships, NB Power**  
**the Honorable Mike Holland, New Brunswick Minister of Natural Resources and Energy Development**

**Networking and Social Event | 8:30pm**

The Old Triangle Irish Alehouse, 751 Main Street, Moncton, NB



**Day 2: Thursday, October 26, 2023**

**Breakfast Reception | Westmorland Ballroom**

8:00am

Sponsored by: The Organization of Canadian Nuclear Industries

**Day 2 Opening Address**

9:00am

- Kevin Woods, Director of Energy Services, North Shore Mi'kmaq Tribal Council

**Plenary Presentation**

**New Nuclear in Canada: Building Partnerships at the National and Local Level to meet Community Needs**

9:05am

- Carl Marcotte, Senior Vice-President, Marketing & Business Development, Candu Energy Inc., AtkinsRéalis

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Workshop A: Ballroom</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Uplifting the Indigenous Labor Force</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Terri-Lynn Woods</b> – Organization of Canadian Nuclear Industries</li> <li>• <b>Mack Long</b> – Electricity Human Resources Canada</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderated by:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Paula Ward</b> – North Shore Mi'kmaq Tribal Council (NSMTC)</li> <li>• <b>Penny Polchies</b> – CANDO</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Workshop B: Acadian Room</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Growing the Indigenous Energy Sector Supply Chain</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hemant Kumar</b> – Opportunities New Brunswick</li> <li>• <b>Dr. André Pelletier</b> – Organization of Canadian Nuclear Industries</li> <li>• <b>Bill Schenkels</b> – Sunny Corner Enterprises Inc.</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderated by:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Ed Genova</b> – NB Power</li> <li>• <b>Ryan Dunbar</b> – SOAR Professional Services</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;">9:30am</p>
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**Tradeshow & Nutritional Break | Kent Room**

10:20am

Sponsored by: AtkinsRéalis



**Day 2: Thursday, October 26, 2023**

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<b>Lunch   Westmorland Ballroom</b>	12:00pm
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<b>Keynote Address</b>	12:30pm
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Guy Lonechild, Chief Executive Officer, First Nations Power Authority</li> </ul>	

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<b>Welcome Back</b>	1:00pm
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<b>Funding Program Landscape Update from Government Partners</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Natural Resources Canada</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Nishu Gulati   New Brunswick Regional Energy and Resources Table</li> <li>○ Miguel LeVasseur   Smart Renewables and Electrification Pathways Program</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Indigenous Services Canada</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Gayla Weeks   Atlantic Clean Energy Initiative</li> <li>○ Erin Robar   Community Opportunity Readiness Program</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Luke Bulmer   ACOA Programs and Services</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	1:05pm
<b>Moderated by:</b> John Clouthier, Madawaska Maliseet First Nation	

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<b>2nd Annual Indigenous-Led Energy Symposium: Closing Remarks and the Trail Ahead</b>	2:15pm
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