



Rural Business...  
a Winning Bet!

22nd Annual Conference - "Rural Business... a Winning Bet!"  
Ontario Association of Community Futures Development Corporations  
Casino Rama, Orillia, Ontario - September 14 to 16, 2015

**DELEGATE & GUEST REGISTRATION FORM**

This registration form is provided as a convenient way to gather registration information from your staff and/or Volunteers. This information must then be entered into the online registration at [www.oacfdc.com/conference](http://www.oacfdc.com/conference).  
**\*\*\*Only online registrations will be accepted\*\*\***

**Delegate Information:**

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<b>Prefix</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>
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**Organization**

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**Job Title / Position**

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<b>Address</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Province</b>	<b>Postal Code</b>
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<b>Phone (daytime)</b>	<b>Cell</b>	<b>Fax (daytime)</b>
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**Email (where invoice will be sent)**

**Special requirements**

Please identify any food allergies or accessibility requirements. \_\_\_\_\_

**Please tell us about yourself**

- 1) In order to help facilitate networking, please check all that apply:  
 Board    Staff    Government    Other \_\_\_\_\_
  
- 2) Will you require simultaneous French interpretation during the conference?  
 Yes    No

**Guest Information:**

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<b>Prefix</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>
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**Special requirements for guest**

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## REGISTRATION FEES

All Pricing Subject to HST

NOTE: Early Bird Deadline is 11:59 p.m. Friday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Full Registration (includes 6 meals)*	Members	Non-Members
<b>Early Bird</b> – payment <u>must be received</u> within 14 days of invoice	<input type="checkbox"/> \$540	<input type="checkbox"/> \$640
<b>Regular (after July 10th)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$640	<input type="checkbox"/> \$740
* Includes keynotes, workshops and plenary sessions on Sept. 15 & 16 and the following 6 meals: Sept. 14 – Opening Reception and Dinner Sept. 15 – Breakfast, Lunch, Awards Reception and Dinner, 2 refreshment breaks Sept. 16 – Breakfast, Lunch, 2 refreshment breaks		
<b>Pre-Conference <u>Optional</u> Board Training</b>		
<b>CFLI Module #3: Legal Responsibilities of Boards</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> \$75

Guest Meal Options - Casino Rama Orillia	Per Guest
<b>Meal Package</b> - includes 4 refreshment breaks and 6 meals, as noted above • <i>Meals will take place with the delegates (see agenda for times/locations)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> \$280
<b>Awards Banquet Only</b> – includes reception, awards ceremony, dinner and entertainment on September 15 <sup>th</sup> .	<input type="checkbox"/> \$70
<b>No Meals Required</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## EARLY BIRD

Register early and save \$100 per delegate! Early Bird Deadline is 11:59 p.m. – Friday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015

Payments not received by OACFDC **within 14 days of invoice** will be re-invoiced at the late registration rate.

## PAYMENT

You have the option to pay by cheque or credit card through PayPal. Form of payment cannot be changed once your registration has been completed.

Once the online registration is received, an invoice will be sent to the email address provided in your registration. If paying by cheque, please make cheque payable to:

OACFDC Conference  
300 S. Edgeware Rd.  
St. Thomas, ON N5P 4L1

## CANCELLATION POLICY

Only written notification will be accepted for changes and/or cancellations to [conference@oacfdc.com](mailto:conference@oacfdc.com).

Name substitutions are permitted at \$25 per change. Cancellations are subject to administration fees and HST as follows:

- \$75 per person – on or before July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2015
- \$125 per person – on or before July 31<sup>st</sup>, 2015
- **Non-Refundable – as of August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015**

Note: Refunds will be issued by cheque **after** the conference.

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## WORKSHOPS

Please select ONE workshop per time slot. You are welcome to change your selection at the event, if space is available.



### **PRE CONFERENCE SPECIAL SESSION** Monday, September 14, 2015 – 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**As a response to positive feedback we received, we are adding a Board Training Session prior to our regular conference workshop sessions. There is a cost of \$75 to attend this session which covers the cost of the book as well as subsidizing the presenter costs.** *There is also a 2nd Board CFLI Training Module being offered during the regular workshop sessions which is included with your conference registration fees.*

**CFLI Workshop– Module 3: Legal Responsibilities of Boards Limit 25 people- Jason Denbow, Executive Director, Community Futures Manitoba**

<b>SESSION 1 Tuesday, Sept. 15, 2015 - 2:30pm to 4:00pm</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> CFDC's Involvement in the Ontario Business Retention & Expansion Program- Stephen Morris & Martin Kuzma
<input type="checkbox"/> Understanding the Numbers: What Loan Portfolio Performance tells us about our Clients, Communities and Regions- Kathryn Wood
<input type="checkbox"/> Building Your Yellow Brick Road: Immigrant Entrepreneurs share Options for Accessing Capital- Dr. Sarah Wayland & Carol L. Tyler
<input type="checkbox"/> Creating a Focused & Engaged Non-profit Board (without boring meetings!) - David Hartley
<input type="checkbox"/> FRENCH WORKSHOP: Ignite Possibilities with Internships- Anne Brûlé
<input type="checkbox"/> MOBILE WORKSHOP: An Inside look at Economic Development in a progressive First Nation Community – hosted by Dan Shilling <i>Limit 40 2:15pm-5:00pm</i>

<b>SESSION 2 Wednesday, Sept. 16, 2015 8:30am to 10:00am</b>	<b>SESSION 3 Wednesday, Sept. 16, 2015 10:30am to 12:00pm</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> MOBILE WORKSHOP: <u>8:30 AM-11:30AM</u> Ontario's Lake Country Tour, featuring Event Tourism - Jennifer Whitley <i>(by choosing this session, there will be no Session 3 chosen)</i> Limit 40	<input type="checkbox"/> Let's Get Physical: Downtown Revitalization Through Enhancement of Bricks and Mortar Businesses - Jim Mountain & Cara Finn
<input type="checkbox"/> CFDC Settlement Attraction and Growth: A Unique Regional Initiative – Kevin Stevens	<input type="checkbox"/> Business Model Canvas vs. Business Plan- Why not Both?- Paul Foster
<input type="checkbox"/> White Belt LEAN Certification for CFDCs - Trish O'Connor & Wendy Curtis	<input type="checkbox"/> New approaches to Effective Communications; Getting your story heard – Wendy Kauffman & Michelle Petch
<input type="checkbox"/> Technology Start-up Competitions and Equity Financing: Models for CF Investment Funds - John Hayden	<input type="checkbox"/> CFLI Workshop <b>Part Two</b> – Module 11: Organizational Assessment- Jason Denbow <i>(must have taken Part 1 in Session 2)</i> Limit 25
<input type="checkbox"/> CFLI Workshop <b>Part One</b> – Module 11: Organizational Assessment- Jason Denbow <i>(Must take Part 2 in Session 3)</i> Limit 25	<input type="checkbox"/> FRENCH WORKSHOP: Connecting Ontario's SME's - François Charron
<input type="checkbox"/> FRENCH WORKSHOP: The added value of the French language in the global business environment- Annie Girard & Denise Deschamps	