

# 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Gala & Conference

November 6 & 7, 2013

*Energizing Youth Business*

*Celebrating Cree Entrepreneurs*

## Program - November 6 - 7, 2013

### November 6, 2013

- 7:00** Exhibition Booth Set-up
- 8:00** Registration of Participants
- 9:00** Ice Breaker – MC - Carlo Lombard
- 9:30** Opening Word - Eric House, President, EEG/CFDC Inc.
- 10:00** Networking / Exhibition Booth Visits / Health Break
- 10:30** Business Training & Workshops:
  - Workshop 1: My Network is my Network**  
Carlo Lombard,  
Progressive Shift
  - Workshop 2: How to Manage/Build a Business Incubator**  
Thomas O'Connell, NACCA
- 12:00** Lunch Break
- 1:00** Exhibition Booth Visits
- 1:30** Presentation - Pascal Porlier, Lawyer
- 2:30** Health Break / Networking
- 2:45** Business Training & Workshops:
  - Workshop 1: How to Approach a Lender**  
Jonathan C. Gagnon,  
Desjardins Representative
  - Workshop 2: The Secret of Not Selling Yourself Short**  
Carlo Lombard,  
Progressive Shift
- 4:00** End of day 1

### November 7, 2013: Panel Day

- 9:00** Introduction - Opening word by Former President of EEG/CFDC Inc., Sidney Orr
- 9:30** Panel 1: Youth in Business:
  - **Mandy Gull** (Owner, Kapatakun Consulting, Waswanipi)
  - **Jordan Bear**  
Eeyou Business Solutions
  - **Hugo Bosum**, Owner, HMA Tires & Accessories
- 10:30** Health Break / Networking
- 10:45** Panel 2: Lending/Grant Organizations:
  - **SOCCA - Annie Gareau**, Account Manager
  - **SDBJ - Jean-Sebastien Gagnon**, Economic Development Counselor
  - **EEG/CFDC Inc. - David Neeposh**, Director General
  - **CHRD - Abel Trapper**
- 11:45** Plenary
- 12:00** End of Conference / Workshops

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- 4:00-5:00** Registration
- 5:00** Cocktail / Networking
- 5:30** Doors Open
- 6:00** Gala Supper