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FALL 2023 CONFERENCE

NOVEMBER 22 - 23, 2023 | DARTMOUTH, NOVA SCOTIA

CONFERENCE AGENDA - DAY 1		
TIME	NOVEMBER 22, 2023	PRESENTER
8:00 - 8:45 am	Registration and Hot Breakfast	
9:00 - 9:15 am	Opening Prayer Welcome, Board Introductions, Review of Agenda	Annie Johnson, AFOA Atlantic Vice-Chair; Debbie Christmas, AFOA Atlantic Chair
9:15 - 10:00 am	VUCA Preparing Your Team During Volatile, Uncertain, Complex, and Ambiguous Times	CARVO Group - Detry Carragher - President, Senior Consultant
10:00 - 10:30 am	NUTRITION BREAK	
10:30 - 11:15 am	PENSION PLANS What services you should expect from your plan provider	RBC - Mike Taylor, Group Consultant, Group Advantage & Michelle Creed, VP Group Advantage Atlantic
11:15 - 12:00 am	ROAD MAP PRESENTATION Strategic Opportunities	FNFMB Grant Christoff, General Counsel & Director Strategic Opportunities; Delanie Bulldog, Indigenous Relations Manager
12:00 - 1:00 pm	LUNCH PROVIDED	
1:00 - 2:00 pm	CYBER SECURITY AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE What First Nations should know about protecting their data	MNP – Eugene Ng – Partner Cyber Security
2:00 - 2:30 pm	NUTRITION BREAK	
2:30 - 3:15 pm	NAVIGATING THE JOURNEY OF A TRUST Considerations from start to finish	TE Wealth – Jack Jamieson – Vice President
3:15 - 4:00 pm	WILLS AND ESTATES	ISC - Tracy Sweet - Manager Individual Affairs
4:00 - 4:45 pm	AGM	





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CONFERENCE AGENDA - DAY 2

TIME	NOVEMBER 23, 2023	PRESENTER
8:15 - 9:00 am	Registration and Hot Breakfast	
9:00 - 9:15 am	Welcome, Review of Agenda	Debbie Christmas, AFOA Atlantic Chair
9:15 - 9:45 am	NEW FISCAL RELATIONSHIP 10-year grant	ISC - Michelle Parsons - Manager, NFR Grant Implementation, New Fiscal Relationship Secretariat
9:45 - 10:30 am	WHISTEBLOWER PROGRAM Realizing the value to implementing a Whistleblower program	Grant Thornton - Leah White, Partner - Risk Services; Grant Thornton
10:30 - 11:00 am	NUTRITION BREAK	
11:00 - 11:45 am	AFOA CANADA	Terry Goodtrack, CEO, AFOA Canada
11:45 - 12:00 am	Closing remarks, evaluations	Debbie Christmas, AFOA Atlantic Chair
12:00 - 1:00 pm	LUNCH BREAK	



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