

# INDIGENOUS TWO SPIRITED PEOPLE: HISTORICAL and CURRENT DUALITY OF MARGINALIZATION

November 12, 2018

## PROGRAM CHAIR

**Janice LaForme**, Barrister and Solicitor

**Steven Lewis**, Capital One Bank (Canada Branch)

## AGENDA

- 5:15 p.m. Registration
- 5:30 p.m. Welcome and Opening Remarks  
**Steven Lewis**, Program Chair
- 5:35 p.m. **Our Shared Past**  
**Professor Tuma Young**, Unama'ki College, Cape Breton University
- Traditional concepts of gender and sexuality
  - Application of Indigenous law on two spirited people
  - Impact of colonialism and de-colonization
- 6:25 p.m. Networking Break
- 6:35 p.m. **Our Present Status**  
**Douglas Elliot**, Barrister and Solicitor, Cambridge LLP
- Shared legal history of Indigenous two spirited and LGBTQ2S+ individuals
  - Current legal and social realities and the Just Society Report
- 7:05 p.m. **Where We are Headed**  
**The Honourable Gloria J. Epstein**, Ontario Court of Appeal (retired)
- Toronto Police Services Board - Missing Persons Investigations Review
  - Genesis of the Review
  - Terms of reference and moving forward
- 7:20 p.m. Questions for Speakers
- 7:30 p.m. Closing Remarks  
**Janice LaForme**, Program Chair
- 7:30 p.m. Reception
- 8:30 p.m. Program Concludes



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