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Your Comprehensive Guide to Blockchain

Ontario Bar Association

Program Chair:	Usman Sheikh, Gowling WLG
Location:	Twenty Toronto Street Conferences and Events 20 Toronto Street, 2 nd Floor, Toronto
Date:	Monday, June 18, 2018 9:00 am to 1:00 pm





Substantive Hours: This program is eligible for up to 4h 00m

Blockchain technology is making strides towards fundamentally changing the way we do business. Don't get left behind! Ensure you are up to speed on how blockchain works, as well the opportunities, potential pitfalls and key legal challenges. Get the expertise you need to advise your clients with confidence in this evolving space.

9:00am Welcome and Opening Remarks

- 9:05am Understanding What Blockchain Is Addison Cameron-Huff, President, Decentral
- 9:35am Benefits and Uses of Blockchain Hilary Carter, Director of Research, Blockchain Research Institute
- 10:05am Capital Market Challenges: Blockchain and Initial Coin Offerings Jason Saltzman, Gowling WLG Pat Chaukos, Deputy Director, Ontario Securities Commission Launchpad
- 10:30am Networking Break
- 10:45am Essential Intellectual Property Questions David Ng, Norton Rose Fulbright Canada LLP Alan Macek, DLA Piper (Canada) LLP

11:10am Key Crypto Tax Considerations Aaron Grinhaus, Grinhaus Law Firm Raffael Mazze, MP Group Kunal Parshotam, MP Group

- 11:35am What You Need to Know about Crypto Litigation Usman Sheikh, Gowling WLG
- 12:00pm Navigating Anti-Money Laundering, Know Your Client and Money Services Business Requirements Paul Saguil, AVP, Global AML, TD Bank Group Christine Duhaime, Duhaime Law
- 12:25pm Blockchain 2.0: Smart Contracts and Other Legal Issues Mark Hines, Senior Counsel, Royal Bank of Canada Deborah Reine, Senior Counsel, Royal Bank of Canada
- 12:50pm Questions and Concluding Remarks
- 1:00pm Program Concludes

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