



Culture Grows Here Conference Agenda

Wednesday, May 24, 2017, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Saint-Marie among the Hurons, Midland, ON

Ontario Public Art Roundtable - In conjunction with Culture Grows Here Conference

1:00 pm - 1:15 pm Welcome and Introductions

1:15 pm - 1:45 pm Part A – Group discussion

- Reviewing public art program goals and issues – how to address issues and achieve goals

1:45 pm -2:45 pm Part B – Brainstorming breakout sessions

Rotate between sessions, each is 30 minutes long

1. Canada 150 projects – how to engage community, work with limited budget, speak to Truth and Reconciliation Report's directions
2. Funding – successes, opportunities and challenges
3. How to demonstrate value through social, financial and economic development impacts
4. Ways to successfully work with Council, other departments, committees, developers, local artists and the community as a whole
5. Acquisition options and models (e.g. Juried RFP, invited shortlist, curator-led, artist/design team, targeted calls, ongoing callouts, temporary) and ensuring a diverse and high-quality range of submissions

2:45 pm -3:00 pm Break

3:00 pm - 3:30 pm Part C – Goal setting and wish list for future roundtables

- Items to discuss in ongoing communications or at next roundtable
- Question and answer session

3:30 pm - 4:00 pm Part D – Group Discussion regarding Ontario Public Art Network

- Goals for the network and tools to maintain ongoing conversations and increase information sharing – updates on action since last meeting and plans for moving forward
- Sharing actions or approaches to take back to work or bring back to the group

4:00 pm – 4:30 pm Break for attendees

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4:30 pm – 5:30 pm Interpretive tour of Sainte-Marie among the Hurons

5:30 pm – 6:15 pm Networking and appetizers

6:30 pm – 8:30 pm Dinner and Keynote speaker Hap Wilson, Restaurant Sainte-Marie