

Ontario Agencies Supporting Individuals with Special Needs



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CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS



AN INVITATION TO PRESENT



CONFERENCE 2015 May 6 - 8 Richmond Hill, Ontario

To submit presentations please send the following information with completed response form — *attached*:

CONTACT INFORMATION

Provide full contact information including phone number and email address of the individual who is submitting the proposal.

PRESENTER INFORMATION

A brief bio on all presenters (one paragraph each)

PRESENTATION INFORMATION

A title and a brief description of your presentation.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Identify if your session will be relevant to:

- All audience members or a combination of the following;
- Human Resources
- Executive Directors
- Board Members
- Program Directors
- Funding/Finance

INCLUSION TO PRESENTER

Speaker profile (bio) will be included in event registration and marketing materials.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE

All submissions are due by: October 8, 2014

OASIS (Ontario Agencies Supporting Individuals with Special Needs) will be holding their 18th Conference and Annual General Meeting, which will be held May 6 – 8, 2015, at the beautiful Sheraton Parkway North Hotel located in Richmond Hill, Ontario. Situated at a most convenient point for the 350 plus conference delegates arriving from all directions, the hotel is only minutes from local attractions such as Canada's Wonderland and the Ontario Science Centre, and a short drive to downtown Toronto.



The Faith & Culture Inclusion Network (FCIN) is your host of this year's OASIS conference. FCIN is composed of people from faith based agencies across Canada supporting individuals with developmental disabilities. They are committed to engaging faith and cultural organizations, families, government, and community leaders

towards accessibility and innovation by promoting inclusion for people with developmental disabilities in all walks of life.

FCIN is committed to engaging the most relevant, interesting and informative presenters for OASIS 2015 as well as exciting and exhilarating entertainers. The goal is to educate, inspire and stimulate the "movers and shakers" of agencies across Canada who work towards making that important difference in the lives of the individuals that they support.

We invite you to submit your proposal for sharing your valuable expertise with your colleagues by following the submission process outlined here. Presenters will have a choice of a 40 minute session or a 90 minute session with a 10 minute break. Sessions should include a brief question and answer period.

Note: Allotted time subject to change based on demand and final schedule.



CONTENT RECOMMENDATIONS

The following topics are a guide to the types of topics you may consider. This list is not exhaustive, but reflects the themes of the conference or areas of interest to OASIS members. Overlap is possible.

- Respect and diversity
- Health and wellness
- Community inclusion equity and access
- Faith and culture
- Ethics
- Employment and education
 opportunities
- Self-advocacy
- Innovative service approaches
 - Shared services
 - Entrepreneurship
 - Social enterprise
 - Passport funding
 - Fee for service options
- Legislation
- Partnerships
- Communication / social media
- Change management
- Succession planning
- Technology
- Ergonomics
- Aging

Proposals on other topics of interest will also be considered.

SESSION PROPOSALS

PLEASE COMPLETE ALL FIELDS: Form 1 of 2

Session Title - 15 words maximum

Presentation Description - 250 words maximum

Preferred Length of Presentation

40 minutes

90 minutes

Human Resources

Senior Managers

Target Audience - Check all that apply

All Audience Members

Executive Directors

Board Members

Funding / Finance

Other

Permissions – If your presentation is selected, do we have your permission to:

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YES NO

Reproduce any hand-outs (.pdf files) to be distributed to conference registrants?

Include session description,

in all printed and electronic

conference materials?

speaker photos, speaker bios

Video or Audio tape the presentation?



QUESTIONS and SUBMISSION OF PRESENTATION

Should you have any questions, and/ or to submit your presentation ideas, please forward to:

OASIS 2015 Contact:

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SUBMISSION DEADLINE

SUBMIT completed forms by:

October 8, 2014

All submission will be reviewed and selected by the Planning Committee.

Selected presenters will be notified by December 12, 2014.

PRESENTER INFORMATION

PLEASE COMPLETE ALL FIELDS: Form 2 of 2

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