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Monday, June 16, 2025

Exhibitors Registration & Booth Set-up

🕒 June 16, 1:00 PM – 5:00 PM

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Inuvik Town Tour

🕒 June 16, 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM

📍 Around Inuvik

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Tuesday, June 17, 2025

Breakfast

🕒 June 17, 7:30 AM – 8:30 AM

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Day 1 Welcome – Sovereignty and Security in the Arctic

🕒 June 17, 8:30 AM – 8:45 AM

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A Leadership Vision on Arctic Security

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Networking Break

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Keynote – Arctic Security and Sustainable Development in a Changing World

🕒 June 17, 10:30 AM – 11:15 AM

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Jennifer Spence

Director, Arctic Initiative Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs Harvard Kennedy School

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Arctic Security and Sovereignty Planning

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Margaret Dawn Anderson

Senator – Northwest Territories, Senate – Canada

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Canadian Institute for Arctic Security

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Andrew Smith

Canadian Institute for Arctic Security

Arctic Monitoring and Security, A shared Responsibility

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Jesse Aubin

Detachment Commander, RCMP-GRC



Jeremy MacDonald

Superintendent of Security for Arctic Region, Canadian Coast Guards



Maurice Lecours

Wildfire Knowledge Exchange Advisor, Natural Resources Canada



Vince Payne

VP, Business Development, C-CORE

Session Chair



Ken Coates

Chair, Yukon Arctic Security Advisory Council

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Drone demonstration

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Celtie Ferguson

GIS Technician, Aurora Research Institute

Artificial Intelligence Demonstration

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Robert Privett

Chief Executive Officer, Webhorse Technologies

Food Security in the North

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Peter Clarkson

Mayor, Town of Inuvik

Welcome BBQ

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Wednesday, June 18, 2025

Breakfast

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Day 2 – Critical Infrastructure for Arctic Security

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What Role will the Arctic play in the future Energy Security

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Heather Exner-Pirot

Director of Energy, Natural Resources and Environment, Macdonald-Laurier Institute

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Energy Security in a Changing Arctic

🕒 June 18, 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM

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Alexander Love

Chief Projects and Engineering Officer, NT Energy



Andrew MacMillan

Senior Research Professional, Northern Energy Innovation, Yukon University



Ian Flood

Director, Energy North Operations, Northwest Territories Power Corporation



Michael Muller

Vice President, Planning, Environment and Health and Safety, Yukon Energy



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Communication and Satellites for Secure Arctic

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Deanna Cornfield
NLGP
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Hema Nadarajah
Program Manager, Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada
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Maurice Lecours
Wildfire Knowledge Exchange Advisor, Natural Resources Canada
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Tom Zubko
Manager, Canadian Satellite Ground Station Inuvik (CSGS), New North Networks
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Vince Payne
VP, Business Development, C-CORE

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Cyber Security on the Arctic Frontlines

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Dan Couillard
Director General, Partnerships and Risk Mitigation, Canadian Centre for Cyber Security (CCCS)
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Jarrett Davis
Director General, Cyber Operations Mission Center, Canadian Security Intelligence Service (CSIS)
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Robert Privett
Chief Executive Officer, Webhorse Technologies

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Inuvik Space Infrastructure Tour: A Behind-the-Scenes Look at Satellite Operations

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Jiri Raska

Inuvik Satellite Station Manager, Natural Resources Canada

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Tom Zubko

Manager, Canadian Satellite Ground Station Inuvik (CSGS), New North Networks

Cyber Security Demonstration

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Speakers



Robert Privett

Chief Executive Officer, Webhorse Technologies

Procurement Workshop with Procurement Assistance Canada

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Speakers

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Kris Ruiter

Regional Manager, Procurement Assistance Canada – Western Region



Sarah-Lacey McMillan

Policy Advisor, Procurement Assistance Canada (PAC)

Evening Meal, Cultural Showcase

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Breakfast

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Day 3 – Sustainable Communities for a Secure Arctic

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Keynote Sustainable Communities for A Secure Arctic

🕒 June 19, 8:45 AM – 9:15 AM

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Caroline Wawzonek

Minister Finance, Minister Responsible for Strategic Infrastructure, Energy and Supply Chains, Government of the Northwest Territories

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Connecting Arctic Communities – Airports, Highways and Water ways

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Joëlle Roy

Director Sales & Community Relations, Canadian North

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Tracy St-Denis

Assistant Deputy Minister, Department of Infrastructure, Government of the NWT

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Affordable Energy Efficient Arctic Housing

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Gage Preece
Operations Manager, Earthrise Building Services
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Mike Anderson
Design Lead, Partner, Passive Design Solutions
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Stella Chen
Architect AIBC, kobayashi+zedda architects ltd.
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Marc Trudeau
P.Eng., Architect, AM
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Niki Elliott
General Manager, MEI

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Permafrost monitoring and Coastal Erosion

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Charles Klengenber
Projects Coordinator, Hamlet of Tuktoyaktuk
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Jennifer Humphri
Permafrost Specialist, Ai

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Arctic Market

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📍 Welcome Centre Boardwalk

Workshops and tours

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Energy Efficient Housing Workshop

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Gage Preece

Operations Manager, Earthrise Building Services



Marc Trudeau

P.Eng., Architect, AME Group – Eco Canada



Mike Anderson

Design Lead, Partner, Passive Design Solutions



Niki Elliott

General Manager, METCAN Building Solutions



Pooja Sharma

Manager, Professional Services & Products, ECO Canada



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Architect AIBC, kobayashi+zedda architects ltd.

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Explore Inuvik with Parks Canada: Guided Nature Walk

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📍 Around Inuvik

Finale Meal & Comedy Showcase

🕒 June 19, 6:00 PM – 11:59 PM

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