



ECEBC 2023 Conference – “Power of Story”

The Early Childhood Educators of British Columbia (ECEBC) invites you to submit proposals for workshops to be part of our upcoming annual conference, taking place May 11 - 13, 2023, in Richmond, Vancouver, British Columbia.

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Workshop sessions should:

- Full day workshop or 2-hour block (must run for the entire time block)
- Be designed for an adult audience and allow for interaction and questions
- minimum of 25 delegates
- Include ideas, strategies or approaches to support delegates in critically reflecting on, sharing and extending their learning once they return to their communities.
- Be aligned or in dialogue with the vision and intentions of the conference

Conference delegates include licensed early childhood educators (ECEs), administrators, school age and family child care providers, students, ECEs from First Nations, Inuit and Metis communities, instructors, research and policy analysts, and advocates

Topics to choose from but are not limited to:

- Ethics, Advocacy and Leadership
- Experimental in Pedagogies and Curriculum
- Pedagogical Narration and Living Inquiry
- Justice, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion
- Indigenous Knowledges
- Action on Truth and Reconciliation
- Innovative Ways of Collaborating with Students

REMUNERATION

Remuneration is given to the **lead** presenter submitting the proposal and includes the following:

- \$200 for each two-hour session
- Up to a maximum of \$30 towards the costs of photocopying and printing materials. Claims for reimbursement must be supported with receipts. Alternatively, presenters may have their materials printed at the ECEBC office and delivered to the conference site. Please email sonia@ecebc.ca for details.
- Morning coffee and lunch on the day of presentation.
- Discounted conference registration rate is available on the **day of presentation**.
- **NOTE:** Travel, accommodation and parking are the sole responsibility of the presenter.

Workshop proposals will be reviewed and selected based on relevance of session topic for the professional development of ECEs, creativity of approach, expertise of presenters, and responsiveness to the conference vision: “Power of Story”.

Proposals selected will demonstrate an understanding of inclusion, diversity (i.e. cultural, racial, religious, class, age, and developed abilities), and ethical practices Described by the ECEBC Code of Ethics.

We ask that presenters do not:

- Sell or endorse any products or materials without prior approval by the conference organizers
- Distribute any personal evaluations (ECEBC will provide workshop evaluation forms and share the results with presenters after the conference).

If you find yourself unable to attend at the time your session is scheduled, it is your responsibility to:

- Find an alternate presenter to lead the workshop as it was submitted.
- Notify the conference coordinator of such a change as soon as possible.

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS

Please complete this form in full and return it by **October 17, 2022** by e-mail to sonia@ecebc.ca

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| 1. Name and professional title | |
| 2. Contact information | Phone: Email: |
| 3. Short bio (Between 1 and 3 sentences) | |
| 4. Title of Workshop | |
| 5. Brief workshop description (include benefits to participants, and format). Please keep the workshop description to one paragraph. | |
| 6. Maximum number of participants | <input type="checkbox"/> 25 <input type="checkbox"/> 45 <input type="checkbox"/> 70 <input type="checkbox"/> 100+ |
| 7. Intended target audience | Comment any specific audience intentions: |
| 8. Preferred presentation day and Time (we will try to accommodate all requests) | <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday morning <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday afternoon <input type="checkbox"/> Friday morning <input type="checkbox"/> Friday afternoon <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday morning <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday afternoon |
| 9. Equipment required | <input type="checkbox"/> Flipchart <input type="checkbox"/> LCD projector <input type="checkbox"/> Other; _____ <i>Note: Presenters are encouraged to bring their own laptops, if Mac computer any adapters to connect to HDMI or LCD.</i> |
| 10. Preferred room set-up (please note that conference organizers will provide the set-up that is most suitable to conference needs): | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Theatre <input type="checkbox"/> Circle or semi-circle with chairs <input type="checkbox"/> Classroom <input type="checkbox"/> Rounds | |

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| 11. Please indicate if you will be staying for lunch. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, I will be attending lunch. <input type="checkbox"/> No, I will not be attending lunch. If you have any allergies, please provide details: |
| 13. Please add any other comments |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I understand that my presentation may be webcast and/or recorded. Successful presenters will be provided with a release form to complete. |

If you have any questions or require any further information, please contact Conference Coordinator Sonia Tavares at sonia@ecebc.ca