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Conference Program




Alberta Gambling Research Institute's 16th Annual Conference

April 6 - 8, 2017

The Banff Centre, Banff, Alberta

Max Bell Building

This program is approved by the Canadian Problem Gambling Certification Board

Thursday, April 6	
6:00 – 8:00 pm	Registration – Max Bell Foyer
7:00 – 9:00 pm	<p>Welcome Reception – Max Bell Foyer</p> <p>Sponsored by</p>  <p>Choices Albertans can trust.</p>

Friday, April 7		
7:00 – 9:00 am	Breakfast – Vistas Dining Room	
7:00 – 9:00 am	Registration – Max Bell Foyer	
8:30 – 9:00 am	Welcome / Conference Opening Remarks – Max Bell Auditorium - Mr. Jim Olver, Director of Guest Services, The Banff Centre - Dr. Seamus O’Shea, AGRI Board Chair - Ms. Michelle Hynes-Dawson, Director of Corporate Responsibility & Reputation, AGLC - Dr. Garry Smith, AGRI Conference Chair	
Morning Theme: Gambling Regulatory Considerations – Max Bell Auditorium		<i>Moderator: Rob Williams</i>
9:00 – 9:40 am	Session 1: Gaming Regulation around the World: Best Practices for Ethical and Socially Responsible Regulation	Mr. André Wilsenach, International Center for Gaming Regulation, University of Nevada - Las Vegas
9:40 – 10:20 am	Session 2: Beyond the Code: The Ordinary Ethics of Good Gambling	Prof. Rebecca Cassidy, Anthropology Department, Goldsmiths, University of London
10:20 – 10:35 am	Nutrition Break – Max Bell Foyer	
10:35 – 11:15 am	Session 3: Electronic Gaming Machine Expenditure and Problem Gambling: Investigating the Relationships for Individuals, Gambling Venues, and Jurisdictions	Mr. Francis Markham, Fenner School of Environment and Society, Australian National University
11:15 – 11:55 am	Session 4: Policing the Pits: Studying Corporate Gaming Violations from a Criminological Perspective	Dr. Melissa Rorie, Department of Criminal Justice, University of Nevada - Las Vegas
11:55 am – 1:15 pm	Lunch – Vistas Dining Room	
Afternoon Theme: Responsible Gambling Issues – Max Bell Auditorium		<i>Moderator: David Hodgins</i>
1:15 – 1:55 pm	Session 5: Loyalty Programs: The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly Consequences for Responsible Gambling	Dr. Michael Wohl, Department of Psychology, Carleton University
1:55 – 2:35 pm	Session 6: The Importance of “Framing” - Gamble Responsibly! Interrogating a decade of Reno Model framing of “Responsible Gambling” through use of corporate political activity (CPA) analysis	Prof. Linda Hancock, Chair in Public Policy, Deakin University
2:35 – 2:50 pm	Nutrition Break – Max Bell Foyer	
2:50 – 3:30 pm	Session 7: Toward a Duty of Care for Commercial Casinos	Mr. Rob Simpson, Sagewood Resources Inc
3:30 – 5:30 pm	Poster Presentations – Max Bell Rooms 251, 252, 253, and Elder T. C. Bear Room	
6:00 – 7:30 pm	Tour at Whyte Museum – sign-up at registration (delegates on own for dinner)	

Saturday, April 8		
7:00 – 9:00 am	Breakfast – Vistas Dining Room	
8:00 am – 2:50 pm	Posters on display – Max Bell Rooms 251, 252, 253, and Elder T. C. Bear Room	
Morning Theme: What to Do About EGMs – Max Bell Auditorium		<i>Moderator: Garry Smith</i>
8:30 – 9:10 am	Session 8: EGMs – Hazards, Potency and Harm Reduction	Dr. Kevin Harrigan and Dr. Dan Brown, Gambling Research Lab, University of Waterloo
9:10 – 9:50 am	Session 9: EGMs – Can They Be Operated and Regulated in Ethical and Less Harmful Ways?	Prof. Max Abbott, Faculty of Health and Environmental Sciences, Auckland University of Technology
9:50 – 10:05 am	Nutrition Break – Max Bell Foyer	
Concurrent Sessions – Alberta Researcher Sessions		
	Public Policy	Psych/Bio
	<i>Moderator: Rob Simpson</i> Max Bell Auditorium	<i>Moderator: Michael Wohl</i> Max Bell Room 159 (previously 150)
10:05 – 10:35 am	Session 10a: The Negative Impact of Large Lottery Wins on Neighbors: New Evidence of Keeping Up with the Joneses - Dr. Barry Scholnick, School of Business, University of Alberta	Session 11a: The Effect of Regular Naltrexone Dosing on Disordered Gamblers: An Examination of Neural Activation, Gambling Urges, and Gambling Behaviour - Dr. Darren Christensen, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Lethbridge
10:35 – 11:05 am	Session 10b: Academic Disciplinarity and the Ethics of Gambling Research - Dr. Fiona Nicoll, Department of Political Science, University of Alberta	Session 11b: Problem Gambling Symptomatology and Alcohol Misuse among Adolescents: A Parallel-process Latent Growth Curve Model - Dr. Seema Mutti-Packer, Department of Psychology, University of Calgary
11:05 – 11:35 am	Session 10c: La Plus Ça Change? Canada's 100-Year-Old Law on Bankrupt Gamblers - Dr. Anna Lund, Faculty of Law, University of Alberta	Session 11c: Common and Distinguishing Mental Health and Addictive Features between Problem Gambling, Problem Video Game Playing, and Dual Problem Gambling/Problem Video Game Playing - Dr. James Sanders, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Lethbridge
11:35 am – 12:05 pm	Session 10d: Gambling and Problem Gambling among Canadian Urban Aboriginals - Dr. Yale Belanger, Department of Political Science, University of Lethbridge	Session 11d: The Influence of Image Content, Colour, and Type of Gambling Activity on Attentional Bias toward Gambling Stimuli - Dr. Daniel McGrath, Department of Psychology, University of Calgary
12:05 – 1:15 pm	Lunch – Vistas Dining Room	

Saturday, April 8 (cont'd)

Afternoon Theme: New Directions in Gambling Studies Research – Max Bell Auditorium		<i>Moderator: Fiona Nicoll</i>
1:15 – 1:55 pm	Session 12: The Contemporary Challenges of Gambling in Digital Play	Dr. Mark R. Johnson, Digital Creativity Labs, University of York
1:55 – 2:35 pm	Session 13: Online Gambling and Crime: Myths and Realities	Dr. James Banks, Department of Law and Criminology, Sheffield Hallam University
2:35 - 2:50 pm	Nutrition Break – Max Bell Foyer	
2:50 – 3:30 pm	Session 14: The Utility of Gambling for Entertainment	Prof. Matthew Rockloff, Experimental Gambling Research Laboratory, CQUniversity
3:30 – 3:45 pm	Poster Award Presentation Closing Remarks	Mr. Gabriel Yanicki (2016 Poster Award Winner) Dr. Garry Smith