



2024 Ottawa Wood Solutions Conference Schedule

Horaire du Salon Solutions en bois à Ottawa

Thursday, February 1, 2024 | Jeudi 1 février 2024
Shaw Centre, 55 Colonel By Drive, Ottawa, Ontario

8:00 am to 8:30 am Registration/Inscription + Morning refreshments/Rafrachissements + Exhibit Hall/Salle d'exposition

Salon Gatineau Salon

8:30 am to 9:00 am

Welcome, Introduction, Ontario Update
Steven Street, Executive Director, WoodWorks Ontario
Land Acknowledgement, Greetings from the CWC
Rick Jeffery, President and CEO, Canadian Wood Council
Con-Ed Certificates, Housekeeping Items
Sarah Hicks, Communications Manager, Canadian Wood Council

9:00 am to 9:30 am

Pro-Housing, Pro-Transit, Pro-People
Naama Blonder, B.Arch, OAA, RPP, MCIP
Architect, Urban Designer, Urban Planner, Smart Density

9:30 am to 10:30 am

Mass Timber Overbuild: A Very Positive Case for Mass Timber Construction
David Barber P.Eng (BC), CPEng (Aust)
Principal, Arup

10:30-11:00 am Coffee Break/Pause café + Exhibit Hall/Salle d'exposition

Gatineau Salon

Room 201

Room 203

11:00 am to 12:00 pm

Two Eyed Seeing: Centennial College A Block Expansion Project
Eladia Smoke, OAA, OAO, LEED@AP, FRAIC, M.Arch., B.Env.Des., Founder and Principal Architect, Smoke Architecture

Pressure Treated Wood Specifications and Standards
Craig Wilson, BScF, Vice President Technical Services, Timber Specialties Ltd.
Scott Henry, WoodSci Consulting

Advancing Sustainability in Building Codes and Standards
Natasha Jeremic, MASC, PEng, LEED GA, Manager Codes and Standards – Sustainability, Canadian Wood Council

12:00 pm to 1:00 pm Lunch/Dîner + Exhibit Hall/Salle d'exposition

1:00 pm to 2:00 pm

Outdoor Timber Structures - Past, Present and Future
Dr. Dan Tingley Ph.D., P.Eng. (Canada) MIE Aust, CPEng, RPEQ, Senior Engineer, Wood Research and Development

Elevate, Innovate, Acoustically Integrate: An Architects Guide to Dry Topping in Wood Structures
Cristian Wallace, US Territory Manager, AcoustiTECH

2:15 pm to 3:15 pm

Mass Timber at CNL
Donald Chong, OAA, MRAIC, B.Arch, Design Principal, Associate Vice President, HDR
Susan Crosswell, OAA, MRAICP, Project Delivery Principal, HDR

An overview of the Ottawa Mass Timber Demonstration Fire Test Project
Marc Alam, Ph.D., E.I.T., Senior Manager, Codes and Standards – Fire & Acoustics, Canadian Wood Council

Mid-Rise Engineering Considerations for Engineered Wood Products
Jeff Olson, P.Eng., P.E., Technical Services Manager, Bosie Cascade

3:15 pm to 3:45 pm Coffee Break + Exhibit Hall | Pause café + Salle d'exposition

3:45 pm to 4:45 pm

Advancing Mass Timber Sustainability Through Enclosure Design
Paul Carter B.Arch.Sc., C.E.T., CPHD
Associate – Building Envelope Specialist, Entuitive

Optimizing Outcomes: Leveraging Design Assist for Excellence
Melissa Kindratsky P.Eng., LEED AP BD+C, Head of Engineering, Kalesnikoff

4:45 pm - 6:00 pm Networking Reception in the Exhibit Hall | Réception de réseautage dans la Salle d'exposition

A NOTE ABOUT PROFESSIONAL CONTINUING EDUCATION CERTIFICATES: Wood Solutions Conference Presentations meet the Continuing Professional Development requirements of the Canadian Institute of Quantity Surveyors (CIQS), Structured Learning requirements of the Ontario Association of Architects (OAA), Continuing Education Unit requirements of the Engineering Institute of Canada (EIC), and offer technical knowledge that members of the Professional Engineers of Ontario (PEO) may consider for their continuing professional development (CPD) needs (at their discretion). Courses may also qualify for other professional development credits; please contact your professional association regarding course eligibility. Personalized electronic participation certificates will be sent to the email address associated with your registration within 2 weeks of the conference.