



CFES

CANADIAN ENGINEERING LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

PRE-DELEGATE PACKAGE

University of Calgary





“Sôhkâtsiwin” is Cree for strength and power.
The woman is the traditional fancy and hoop dancer
Angela Gladue.”

10th avenue, sw | @KEVINLEDO

THE UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY IS LOCATED ON THE TRADITIONAL TERRITORIES OF THE PEOPLE OF THE TREATY 7 REGION IN SOUTHERN ALBERTA, WHICH INCLUDES THE BLACKFOOT CONFEDERACY (INCLUDING THE SIKSIKA, PIIKANI, KAINAI FIRST NATIONS), THE TSUUT’INA, AND THE STONEY NAKODA (INCLUDING THE CHINIKI, BEARSPAW, AND WESLEY FIRST NATIONS). THE CITY OF CALGARY IS ALSO HOME TO METIS NATION OF ALBERTA, REGION III.

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT



What Is CELC ?

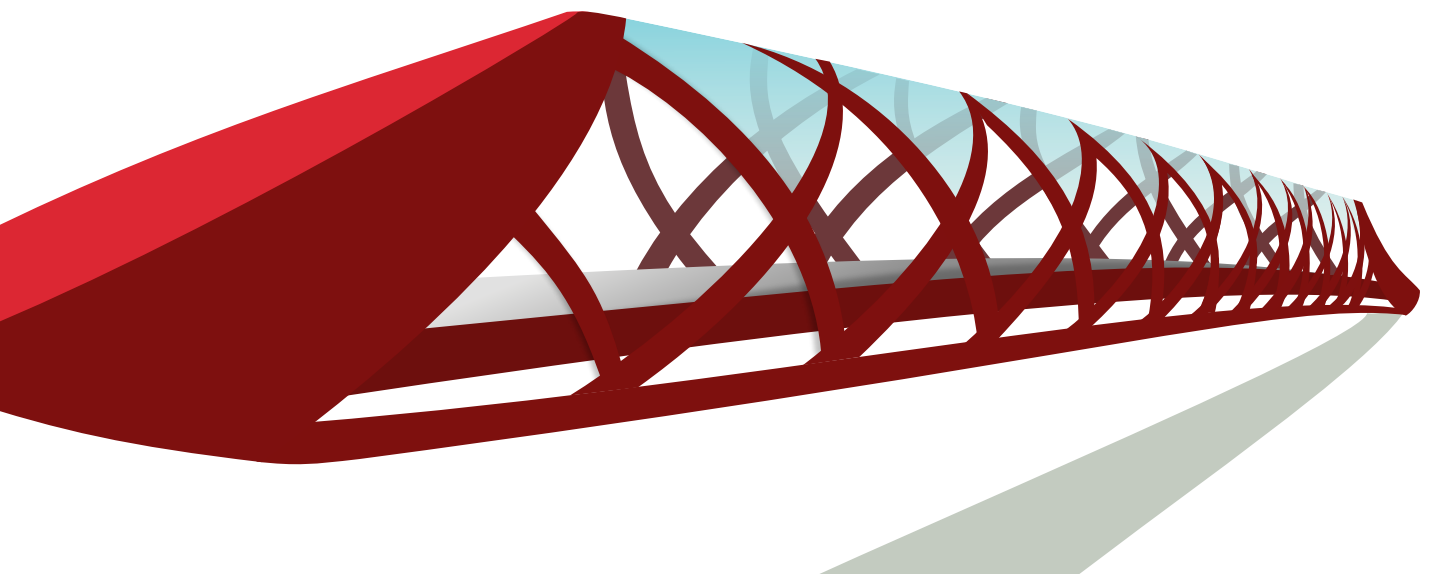
IT IS WITH GREAT PLEASURE THAT OUR ORGANIZING COMMITTEE (OC) WELCOMES YOU ON BEHALF OF THE CANADIAN FEDERATIONS OF ENGINEERING STUDENTS (CFES) TO THE CANADIAN ENGINEERING LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE (CELC) 2023!

CELC 2023 IS THE LARGEST CONFERENCE HELD BY THE CFES, BRINGING TOGETHER STUDENT LEADERS – FORMER, PRESENT AND FUTURE, TOGETHER TO SHARE IDEAS, LEARN NEW SKILLS, AND DEVELOP THE ENGINEERING LEADERS OF TOMORROW.

THIS YEAR, THE UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY IS PLEASED TO HOST CELC 2023, INVITING THE BEST AND BRIGHTEST OF THE CFES TO ONE OF THE FIRST IN-PERSON CONFERENCES WE'VE HAD SINCE 2020. JOIN US FOR THE WEEK IN THE STAMPEDE CITY AS WE CELEBRATE THE ENGINEERING TRADITIONS FOSTERED BY THE CFES AND REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, AND MEET THE OTHER LEADERS DEDICATED TO REPRESENTATION AND GROWTH FROM ACROSS THE COUNTRY.

SINCERELY,

*The 2023 Canadian Engineering
Leadership Conference Organizing Team*

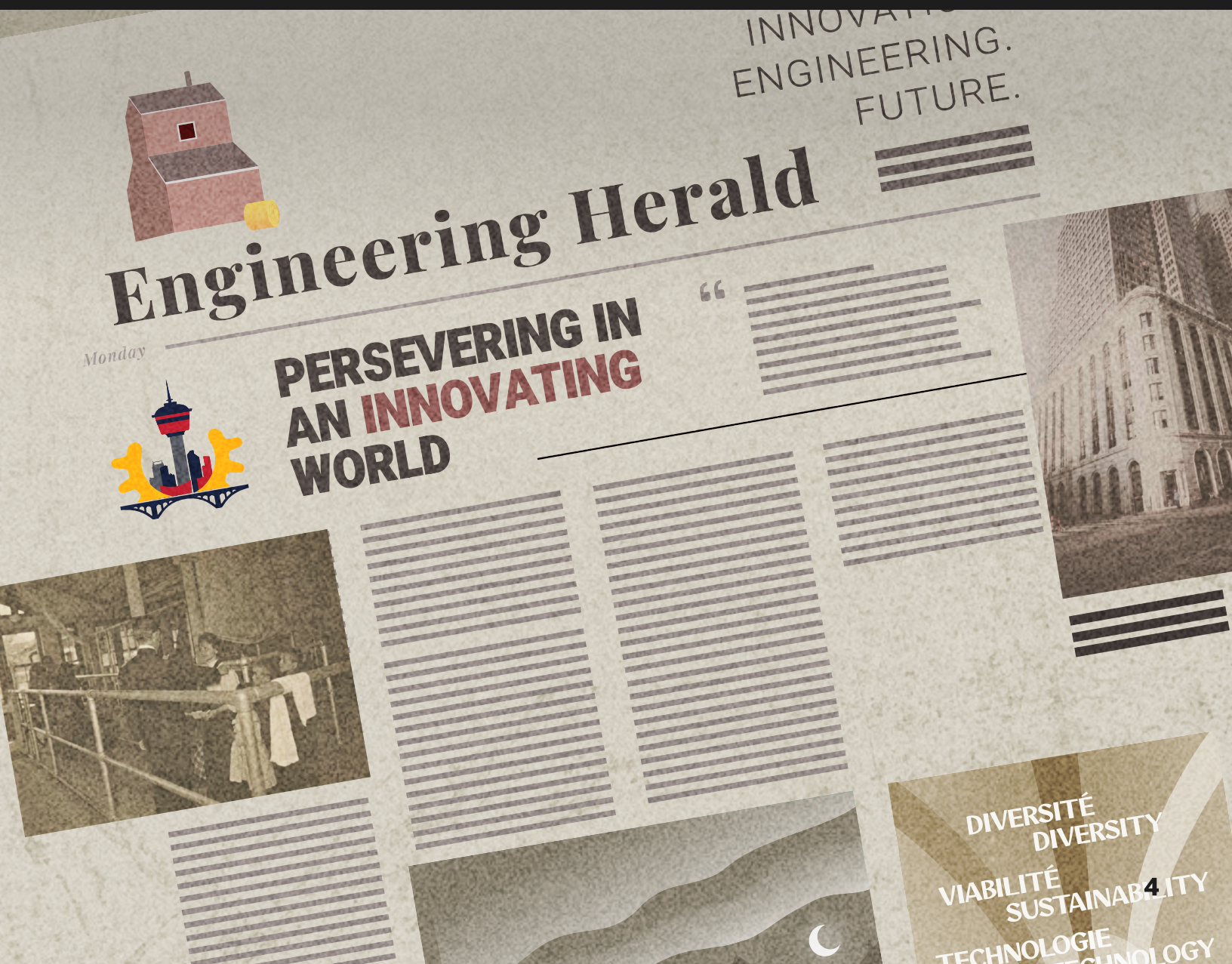


CONFERENCE THEME

THIS YEAR, WE THOUGHT NOTHING FIT BETTER FOR THE THEME OF THE CONFERENCE THAN “**PERSEVERING IN AN INNOVATING WORLD**”. WE LIVE IN CHANGING TIMES, AND TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATIONS ARE BEING STIMULATED THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. AS ENGINEERS, *WHAT IS OUR ROLE IN THAT INNOVATION? HOW CAN WE POSITION OURSELVES, AND OUR CONTEMPORARIES TO BEST READY THEMSELVES FOR THESE CHANGING TIMES?*

THE LAST TIME THE CITY OF CALGARY WAS IN THE SPOTLIGHT WAS DURING THE 1988 WINTER OLYMPIC GAMES. SINCE THEN, THE TIMES HAVE CHANGED ECONOMICALLY, CULTURALLY, AND ENVIRONMENTALLY. TO MARK THIS GROWTH, WE BROUGHT TOGETHER 2 KEY ELEMENTS: THE RICH COLOURS OF THE 1980S, AND THE 21ST CENTURY THEMES OF THE ENGINEERING WORLD. THOSE ARE:

DIVERSITY, SUSTAINABILITY, AND TECHNOLOGY.





“For people who are living with the adversity of poverty, and the challenges of trauma, this image was conceived back in 1995 as a symbol of hope.”

7th avenue | @DOUGYYC

SUSTAINABILITY

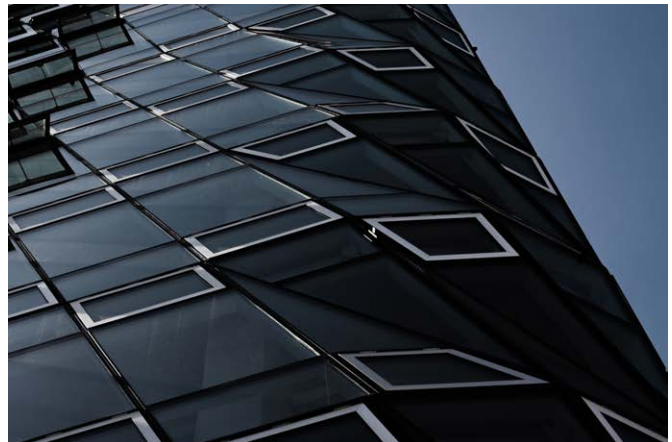
A QUARTER OF OUR SESSIONS ARE ALLOCATED TO SUSTAINABILITY LEADERSHIP. DELEGATES WILL EXPLORE HOW CALGARY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS HAVE INNOVATED THEIR PRACTICES TO FURTHER THEIR COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES AND INITIATIVES.

CELC 2023 AIMS TO BRING IN EXPERTS FROM THE LOCAL INDUSTRY TO TALK ABOUT HOW THEIR ORGANIZATIONS HAVE TACKLED SUSTAINABILITY CHALLENGES AND SET AN EXAMPLE ON CREATING A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE.



Tech- nology

CELCC 2023 AIMS TO HIGHLIGHT AND SHOWCASE HOW TECHNOLOGY HAS CHANGED THE INDUSTRY IN THE LAST DECADE. DELEGATES WILL GET THE OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN HOW LOCAL CALGARY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS HAVE USED TECHNOLOGY TO SOLVE THE EVERYDAY PROBLEMS THAT THEIR ORGANIZATIONS FACE. THE OC AIMS TO INNOVATE ON PREVIOUS CONFERENCES, FULLY INCORPORATE TECHNOLOGY, AND SHOW ATTENDEES HOW WE CAN TRANSFORM AND “LEVEL-UP” THE CONFERENCE EXPERIENCE WITH TECH. WITH NEW EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES COMING IN EVERY DAY, WE CAN EASILY BE INTIMIDATED BY THIS NEW DIGITAL ECO-SPACE. THROUGH OUR SESSIONS, WE AIM TO SHOWCASE SOME OF THE EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES THAT OUR PARTNERS HAVE INCORPORATED INTO THEIR ORGANIZATIONS AND SHOW HOW LEADERS ARE USING TECHNOLOGY FOR GOOD TO DRIVE INNOVATION AND POSITIVE CHANGE.



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university court, nw | UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY



DIVERSITY

FOURTEEN SESSIONS AND WORKSHOPS ON DIVERSITY LEADERSHIP WILL BE INTRODUCED IN OUR CONFERENCE PROGRAM. DELEGATES WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN ABOUT ENGAGING TOPICS SUCH AS “CHALLENGING THE STATUS QUO,” “PERSEVERING LEADERS IN DIVERSITY,” AND “DECONSTRUCTING THE EDI ACRONYM.”

CELC 2023 STRIVES TO CREATE A DIVERSE AND INCLUSIVE ENVIRONMENT. THESE INITIATIVES INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO: A COMPLETELY ENGLISH-FRENCH BILINGUAL CONFERENCE, VENUES SETUP WITH GENDER-NEUTRAL BATHROOMS AND WHEELCHAIR-ACCESSIBLE SPACES, AND BRANDING THAT ACCOMMODATES SEVEN TYPES OF COLOUR BLINDNESS DISORDERS.



“Upstream is a piece dedicated to all people who have walked steady against the current.”

17th avenue | DORAS CREATIVE



CELC

SCHEDULE

	Jan 2	Jan 3	Jan 4	Jan 5	Jan 6	Jan 7	Jan 8
Morning		Breakfast					Departures
		Opening Ceremony	Sessions	Career Fair	Sessions	Sessions	
Afternoon	Arrivals	Sessions	Sessions	Sessions	Sessions	Case Comp	
		Sessions					
		Case Comp	Case Comp	Case Comp	Case Comp		
Evening	Social Event	Social Event	Social Event	Social Event	Banquet	Closing Events	

DETAILED SCHEDULE WILL BE RELEASED IN THE DELEGATE PACKAGE



CELC STREAMS

THE CANADIAN ENGINEERING LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE IS DIVIDED INTO **4 STREAMS** WITH PARALLEL PROGRAMMING. A DELEGATE WILL CHOOSE A STREAM TO ATTEND THROUGHOUT THE 6 DAYS. NOTE THAT EACH STREAM WILL HAVE COMPONENTS OF THE BANDS OF CELC 2023: **DIVERSITY, SUSTAINABILITY, & TECHNOLOGY.**

THEME

ALL SESSIONS IN THE THEME STREAM ARE FOCUSED ON EXPLORING WHAT PERSEVERING IN AN INNOVATIVE WORLD LOOKS LIKE, HOW IT CAN BE ACHIEVED, AS WELL AS HOW TO EMBRACE IT. DELEGATES WILL HAVE ACCESS TO WORKSHOPS, LECTURE-STYLED SESSIONS, ROUND-TABLE DISCUSSIONS, PANELS, AND OTHER INTERACTIVE ACTIVITIES WHERE THEY CAN EXPLORE HOW INNOVATION DRIVES THE ENGINEERS OF TOMORROW.

LEADERSHIP

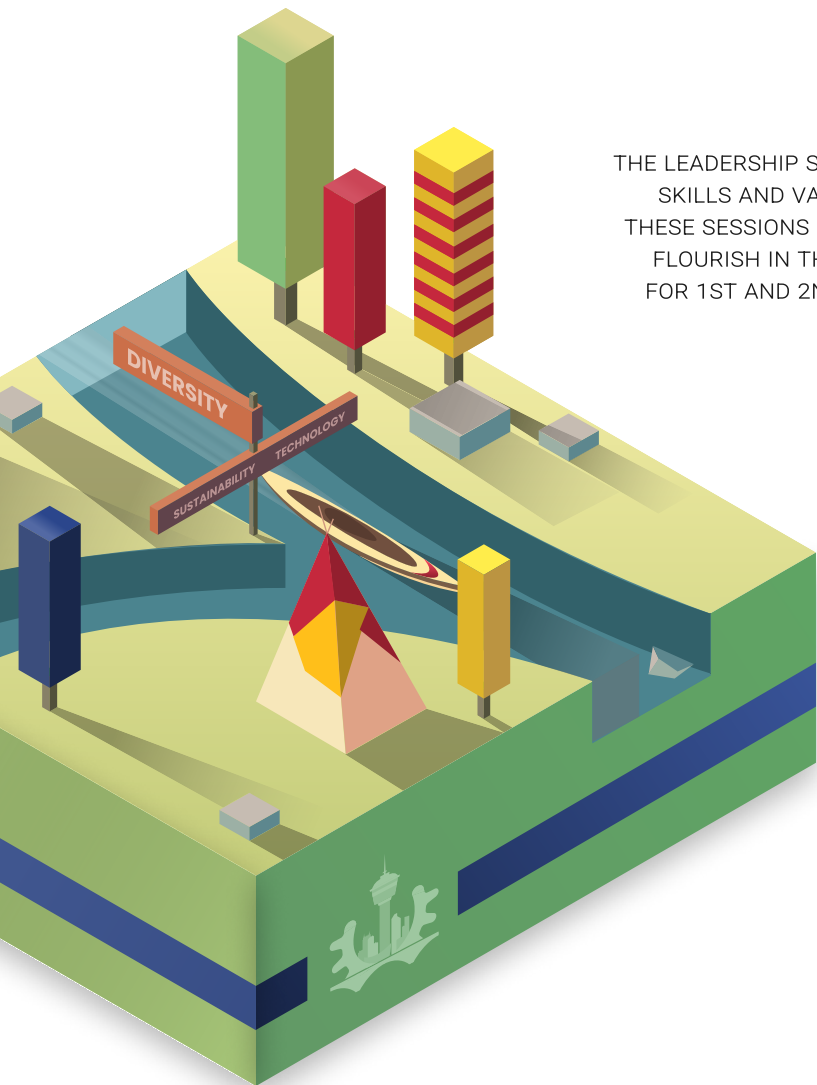
THE LEADERSHIP STREAM IS FOCUSED ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF LEADERSHIP SKILLS AND VALUES; SPECIFICALLY FOR THOSE THAT ARE “NEW” LEADERS. THESE SESSIONS WILL SHOW DELEGATES HOW TO DEVELOP AS LEADERS AND FLOURISH IN THEIR LEADERSHIP ENDEAVOURS. THIS STREAM IS TARGETED FOR 1ST AND 2ND YEAR ENGINEERING STUDENTS, BUT ALL DELEGATES ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND.

ENGSOC

THE ENGSOC STREAM WILL FOCUS ON HOW BOTH INDIVIDUALS AND GROUPS CAN STRIVE TOWARDS CLUB/SOCIETY DEVELOPMENT AND GROWTH. THESE SESSIONS WILL BE FOCUSED ON CLUB/SOCIETY GOVERNANCE, INVOLVEMENT, AND SUPPORT.

GOVERNANCE

THE GOVERNANCE STREAM IS ATTENDED BY VP EXTERNALS (OR EQUIVALENT POSITIONS) FROM EACH ATTENDING SOCIETY. SESSIONS WILL DISCUSS POLICY CHANGES WITHIN THE CFES, A GENERAL ASSEMBLY, MANDATES, INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS, AND GENERAL ENGINEERING GOVERNANCE DISCUSSIONS.



CASE

COMPETITION

THIS YEAR, CELC WILL ALSO FEATURE A CASE COMPETITION THROUGHOUT THE CONFERENCE. DELEGATES WILL HAVE SCHEDULED TIME TO DEVELOP THEIR IDEAS AND A PRESENTATION EACH AFTERNOON. DELEGATES WILL SHOWCASE THEIR SOLUTION TO THE GIVEN CASE COMPETITION PROBLEM AT THE END OF THE CONFERENCE TO A PANEL OF INDUSTRY EXPERTS.

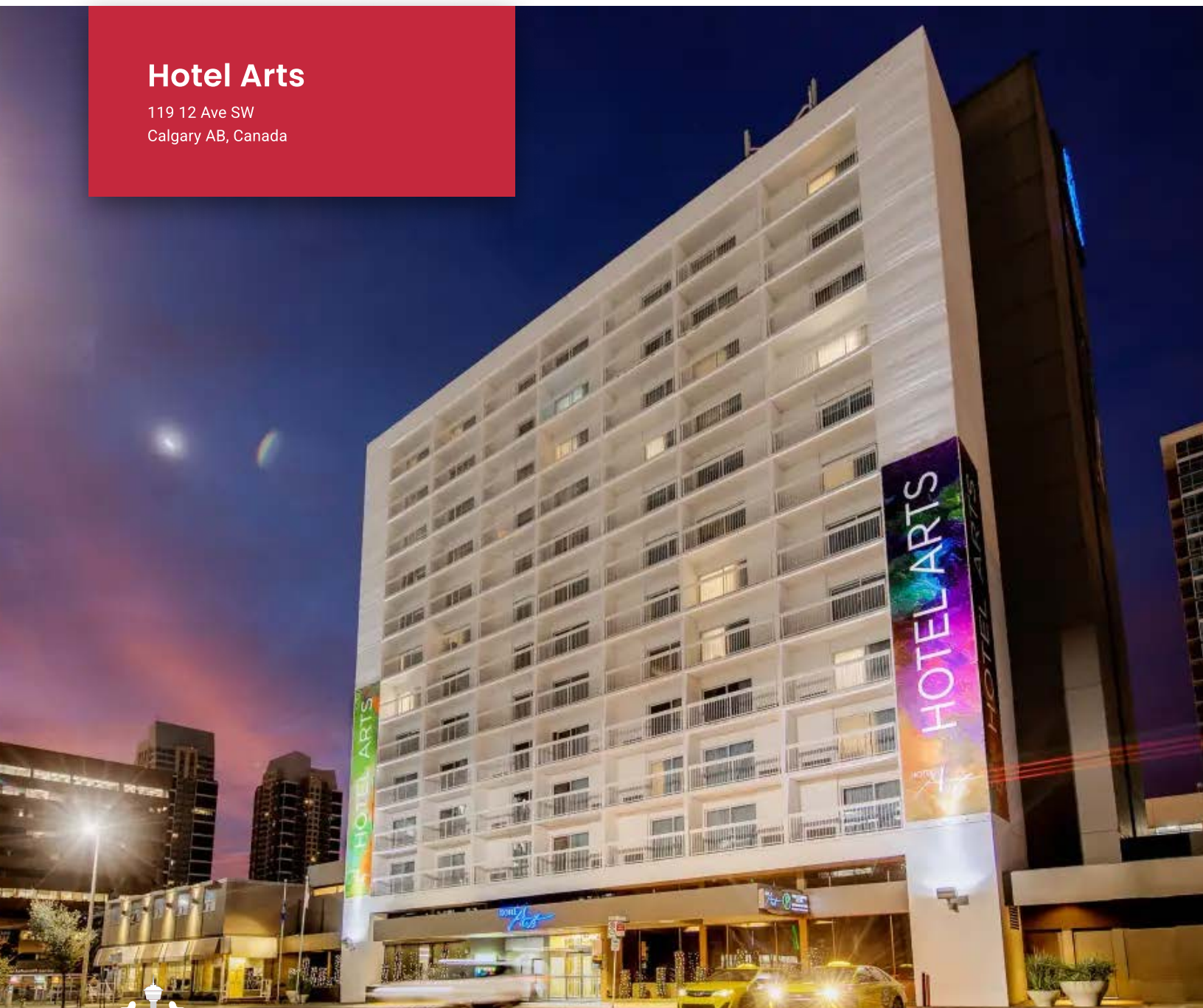
THIS CASE COMPETITION WILL ALLOW DELEGATES TO APPLY WHAT THEY'VE LEARNED DURING THE SESSION AND IS MEANT TO PROVIDE AN AVENUE TO SHOWCASE CREATIVITY AND INNOVATIVE THINKING, ALONG WITH A FOCUS ON COMMUNICATION AND TEAMWORK.



HOTEL INFORMATION

Hotel Arts

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Calgary AB, Canada



ROOMING ACCOMMODATIONS

THE ROOMING ACCOMMODATIONS WILL BE FOUR (4) DELEGATES PER ROOM. EACH ROOM CONTAINS TWO (2) QUEEN-SIZE BEDS. THEREFORE, DELEGATES WILL BE SHARING A BED. THE DELEGATE REGISTRATION FORM WILL CONTAIN SURVEY QUESTIONS ABOUT ROOMING PREFERENCES. THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE WILL ATTEMPT TO ACCOMMODATE THESE REQUESTS WHEN CREATING ROOMING LISTS, HOWEVER IT IS NOT GUARANTEED. DELEGATES SHOULD KEEP IN MIND THAT THEY MAY BE ROOMING WITH PEOPLE THEY HAVE NEVER MET BEFORE.

A DELEGATE MAY REQUEST THEIR OWN ROOM, HOWEVER THE INDIVIDUAL WILL BE FULLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COST. THESE ROOMS ARE SUBJECT TO THE HOTEL'S AVAILABILITY. THIS OPTION WILL BE INDICATED IN THE DELEGATE REGISTRATION FORM.

PLEASE ENSURE YOU FULLY UNDERSTAND AND ARE COMFORTABLE WITH THE ROOMING ARRANGEMENTS BEFORE REGISTERING FOR CELC.

★ IMPORTANT NOTE ★

DELEGATES ARRIVING BEFORE JAN 2ND MAY BOOK ROOMS AT HOTEL ARTS WITH A REDUCED RATE. CONTACT HOSPITALITY@CELC.CFES.CA FOR SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS.



INCLUSIVITY AT CELC

INCLUSIVITY IS A TOP PRIORITY AT CELC 2023. OUR ORGANIZING TEAM WILL ATTEMPT TO MAKE EACH ACCOMMODATION POSSIBLE. AT THE TIME OF DELEGATE REGISTRATION, YOU WILL BE ABLE TO INDICATE CUSTOM REQUESTS. IF THERE ARE IMPORTANT ACCOMMODATIONS THAT YOU THINK YOUR DELEGATE WILL NEED, LET US KNOW AHEAD OF TIME SO WE CAN BETTER PREPARE.

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