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## **AAAC CONFERENCE & ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

April 9 - 10, 2024

Alt Hotel, 185 Slater Street, Ottawa - Rose Fuchsia Room

## Tuesday, April 9, 2024 (1<sup>st</sup> Full Day)

9:00 am – 9:30 am **Continental Breakfast** 9:30 am – 9:35 am Welcome & Land Acknowledgement 9:35 am – 10:30 am Meet & Greet + Introductions Members are invited to list questions and burning issues they would like to be addressed later in the event. 10:30 am – 10:45 am Morning Break 10:45 am - 12:00 pm Implementing the Calls to Action from the Truth and **Reconciliation Commission** Speakers: Deborah Wolfe, Stewart Madon, and Participants **Session Description:** Accrediting agencies are at different stages in their journeys to implement the Calls to Action from the Truth and Reconciliation Commission. The session will provide examples from several organizations and members are invited to share what their agencies are doing. If you would like to participate, please let us know in advance. (pwaite@aaac.ca) 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm Lunch Buffet Al and the Implications for Assessment Reform 1:00 pm – 2:45 pm Speaker: Dr. Alec Couros Moderator: Anna-Marie Nielsen Session Description: This session will review the current context of AI and the implications this has for the need for assessment reform and other challenges. It will also cover the opportunities AI presents for automating workload (but not thinking).



- 2:45 pm 3:00 pm Networking Break
- 3:00 pm 5:00 pmBreakout Sessions on Hot Topics (prioritized earlier in the day)<br/>3:00 pm to 3:45 pm First Round<br/>3:45 pm to 4:30 pm Second Round<br/>4:30 pm to 5:00 pm Reporting back from the tables, general<br/>discussion, and any next steps.
- 6:00 pm Group Dinner at Raphael Peruvian Cuisine, 200 Elgin Street Please indicate your interest on the registration form.

## Wednesday, April 10, 2024 (2<sup>nd</sup> Half Day)

8:15 am – 9:00 am	Continental Breakfast
9:00 am – 9:45 am	Annual General Meeting
9:45 am – 10:00 am	Refreshment Break
10:00 am – 11:30 am	Topic: Cybersecurity Risk Management Tips for Accrediting Agencies
	Speakers: Andrew Spencer, Account Executive, ProLink Insurance Mikel Pearce, General Counsel, Breach Coach Relationship Manager, CyberClan
	<b>Session Description:</b> This session will discuss the main online exposures for Accrediting Agencies, cybersecurity risk management tips and cyber insurance protection to serve as your safety net.
11:30 am – 12:00 pm	Burning Issues – What is keeping you up at night? Bring & Brag – Something new and interesting to share?
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Lunch Buffet