



Women in Engineering Summit 2024 Program

Online attendees can choose which session to attend throughout the day

Toronto (EDT)		Toronto in person	Edmonton in-person (Track 1)	Edmonton in-person (Track 2)	Edmonton	
9:45	10:15	Registration / Networking / Continental Breakfast			7:45	8:15
10:15	10:30	Welcome / Land Acknowledgment / Thank you to sponsors / Introduce keynote speaker			8:15	8:30
10:30	11:30	Keynote speech - The Ripple Effect of Professional Womxn Networks <i>Stephanie Thompson</i>			8:30	9:30
11:30	12:15	Disrupting systems that block the path toward diversity and inclusion <i>Sonia Kang</i>	Knowing and demonstrating your VALUE while caregiving for a relative in the demanding Corporate World <i>Kinia Romanowska</i>	Inclusive Leadership for Systemic Change <i>Ari Copeland</i>	9:30	10:15
12:15	12:45	Lunch Break (Toronto) / Network Break (Edmonton / Online)			10:15	10:45
12:45	13:30	Courageous leadership and communication habits <i>Alvin Pilobello</i>	The Journey back to Engineering - Panel <i>Moderator: Kinia Romanowska</i>	Autonomy in the way professionals work - Dismantling the dichotomy around AWA's <i>Erin Davies</i>	10:45	11:30
13:30	14:00	Lunch Break (Edmonton / Online) / Network Break (Toronto)			11:30	12:00
14:00	15:15	Panel Discussion 30 by 30 and the Impact on Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Belonging (EDIB)			12:00	13:15
15:15	16:00	Sponsors Virtual Lounge with snacks			13:15	14:00
16:00	16:45	Trans and Non-Binary perspectives on the gender narrative in engineering <i>Allie Kennington and Michelle Liu</i>	Using Micro Affirmations to Overcome Microaggressions <i>APEGA</i>	(Online) From WHY ME to WHAT CAN I LEARN FROM THIS - Turn setbacks into opportunities <i>Zulema Ruiz and Sherry Lachine</i>	14:00	14:45
16:45	17:30	Know your rights when you have exhausted conversation, training and good faith <i>Pending</i>	How to say NO to assignments that will Hinder your career advancement <i>Claudia Gomez-Villeneuve</i>	(Online) Are you falling short selling your #1 commodity? Know how to articulate your accomplishments <i>Clementine Crooks</i>	14:45	15:30
17:30	17:45	Farewell / Closing remarks			15:30	15:45
17:45	18:30	Networking (optional)			15:45	16:30