

OSSGA Operations, Health & Safety Seminar

January 24–25, 2024

Marriott Toronto Airport Hotel
901 Dixon Road, Toronto

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AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2024

7:00am – 8:30am	Registration and Continental Breakfast with Exhibitors
8:30am – 8:45am	Welcome to the Operations, Health & Safety Seminar
8:45am – 9:15am	Welcome from Ministry of Labour, Immigration, Training and Skills – <i>Chief Prevention Officer, Dr. Joel Moody</i>
9:15am – 9:30am	OSSGA – Things to Watch for in 2024, <i>Michael McSweeney, OSSGA</i>
9:30am – 10:00am	Carbon Management: The road to carbon neutrality, <i>Brittany Bonapace and Manuel Garzon, Walker Aggregates and Construction</i>
10:00am – 11:00am	Coffee Break and Exhibitor Networking
11:00am – 11:30am	A View From the Head and All Parts Between (A Belt Story), <i>Steve Curich, Viacore Solutions</i>
11:30am – 12:00pm	How to Attract and Retain the Next Generation of Employees, <i>Mark Nesbitt, Nesbitt Training</i>
12:00pm – 12:30pm	Dust Suppression in Aggregate and Open Pit Mining, <i>Martin Anderton, Frontline Machinery Ltd. and Brian Sulley, RWDI</i>
12:30pm – 1:15pm	Reception and Networking with Exhibitors
1:15pm – 2:30pm	Awards Luncheon
2:30pm – 3:00pm	Dessert with Exhibitors
3:00pm – 3:30pm	Breakout Sessions
	1. Neighbours Can Be Your Best Advocates – Find Out How, <i>Cindy McCarthy, The Miller Group</i>
	2. Total Worker Health and Critical Risk Management, <i>Nancy Wilk, WSP</i>
	3. 4 Tips for Safe & Efficient Screen Change Outs, <i>Ian Edwards, MAJOR</i>
3:40pm – 4:15pm	Breakout Sessions Repeated
5:30pm – 6:30pm	Reception and Networking with Exhibitors
6:30pm – 9:00pm	Dinner and Casino Night

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 2024

7:15am – 8:30am	Registration and Breakfast with Exhibitors
8:30am – 9:00am	3 Tips to Increase Screening Efficiency, <i>Ian Edwards, MAJOR</i>
9:00am – 9:20am	Rubber Truck Bed Liners – A Health and Safety Case Study, <i>Greg Elliott and Chris Cable, GRT Rubber</i>
9:20am – 9:40am	Empower Her Build: A Blueprint in Progress for Women's Safety in Construction, <i>Leslie Dibling, Construction Professional</i>
9:40am – 10:00am	Increasing Safety around Vehicles and Equipment with AI, Radar and Safety Cameras, <i>Dave Winfield, Provix</i>
10:00am – 11:00am	Coffee Break with Exhibitors including Passport Program and Draw for \$1,000
11:00am – 11:30am	Controlling The Flow of Explosive Energy, <i>Norm Patterson, Orica Canada Inc.</i>
11:30am – 12:00pm	Managing Contractor Safety on Your Site, <i>Brian Ferguson, Walker Aggregates and Construction</i>
12:00pm – 12:45pm	Keynote Speaker Cheryl Pounder, Canadian Olympian
12:45pm – 1:30pm	Lunch on the Go – Stay to network or take it for the road!

THURSDAY KEYNOTE

CHERYL POUNDER, CANADIAN OLYMPIAN

It's always about the journey. That's the message women's hockey champion Cheryl Pounder seeks to instill in every audience she speaks to.

Cheryl played on six of Canada's World Championship Hockey Teams, where she was named an All-Star Defenseman in 2005. Her greatest career accomplishments are her two Olympic gold medals from the Salt Lake City and Torino Olympic Games, and being crowned the International Ice Hockey Foundation World Champion six times.

Currently, Cheryl is a hockey analyst for TSN. She was also the colour commentator for the coverage of the women's hockey tournament at the 2014 and 2018 Winter Olympics for both TSN and CBC.



CHERYL POUNDER



WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER AND CASINO!

Back by popular demand, we invite attendees to join us for a fun night of games and prizes on Wednesday. Join your colleagues for a delicious buffet dinner, then test your luck at the blackjack, roulette, and poker tables. Don't worry, it's not real cash, we will give you \$10,000 to gamble with for the night, and at the end of the evening, you will exchange your "cash" for tickets into a draw that includes major prizes - gift cards, gaming consoles, tablets and more.

BE AN EXHIBITOR, SPACE IS VERY LIMITED! BOOK NOW

There is no better opportunity to meet new clients, network with industry leaders, and re-connect with existing customers than at the OSSGA Operations, Health & Safety Seminar!

Space is limited. Booth fees include a 10'x8' space, carpet, one electrical outlet, a skirted table, and 2 chairs. Also included is 1 (one) full registration pass to meetings, meals, entertainment, and the exhibit floor. You will also receive 3 (three) booth staff passes with access only to the show floor. If you would like to add a "meals option" for the three booth staff, you can do so for \$475 each. Neither the full attendee or booth staff passes can be shared.

EXHIBITOR PASSPORT HOUR

Returning this year is one hour dedicated for attendees to visit exhibitors and participate in a passport program. Attendees will receive a passport with all participating exhibitor logos and they must visit each company to collect a stamp. At the end of the hour, passports go into a draw for a chance to win prizes.

All exhibitors are invited to participate at no fee, however, you must provide a \$100 retail store gift card for the draw. Add your company name to the passport by clicking on the passport option when booking your booth.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Let this seminar be your branding opportunity. Items sell out quickly, so please confirm your sponsorship today.

Contact Julie Harrington for more information

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EVENT LOCATION

Marriott Toronto Airport Hotel

901 Dixon Road, Toronto, ON M9W 1J5

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HOTEL RESERVATIONS

The Marriott Toronto Airport Hotel is our host hotel for this event offering a special rate of \$181. Book NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 1 to qualify for the special rate, space is limited. (Rates available two days prior/post of the event).

[Click here to book your room.](#)

REGISTER

Online registration is now available. Register yourself and your team today. Register by December 1, 2023 to take advantage of the \$895 Early Bird Member Rate! As of December 2, 2023, the member delegate rate will be \$995. The Non-member Early Bird Rate is \$1125 by December 1, 2023 or \$1225 afterwards. Tax extra, and space is limited.

[Click here to register and sponsor.](#)

EXHIBIT – Space is limited!

Booth includes: 10'x8' carpeted booth space, with one electrical outlet, one 6' skirted table and one chair. The Early Bird Rate is \$2,750 until December 1 (\$2,950 thereafter) and includes one full registration and three booth only passes. Available to OSSGA members only and you can only have one booth per company.

[Click here to book a booth.](#)

DRESS CODE

The seminar is a business meeting. Presentation sessions are business casual. Dinner and Casino on Wednesday night are casual attire. Jeans are welcome.



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CALLING ALL ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

Get your commercial playing on one of the plasma screens for all the attendees to see. This is your opportunity to showcase a 30 second video during the main session and on the plasma screens at registration and in the trade show. There is a limit of 6 time slots available and each company can have a maximum of one spot. The cost is \$500. Videos are to be produced by you but will be reviewed and approved by OSSGA before they are showcased. Register online for your spot. You must have at least 2 people registered for the seminar in order to participate. First come, first served. Visit the exhibitor link to register.

HOSPITALITY SUITES

Looking for the finishing touch?
Why not host a Hospitality Suite?

Please contact Julie Harrington, Director, Training and Events, to book a room at jharrington@ossga.com