

JAM 2018

JOINT ANNUAL MEETING

The Pinnacle Harbourfront Hotel

1133 West Hastings Street, Vancouver, BC

Friday, November 16, 2018, 9:00 am to 3:30 pm

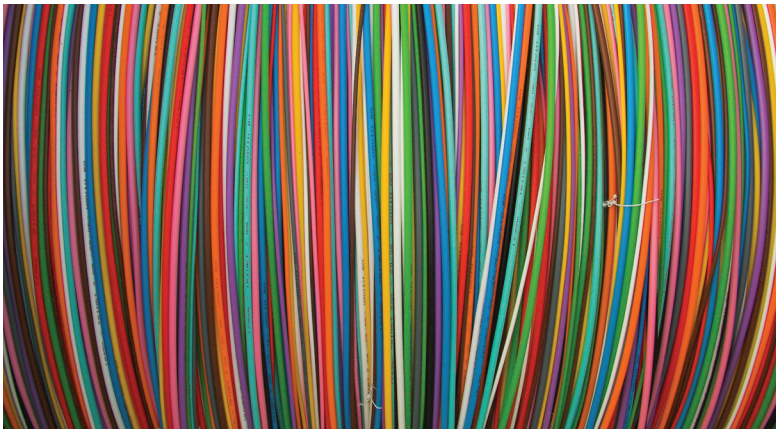


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Diversity and Flexibility in the BC Transfer System

Students come to post-secondary with different backgrounds, experiences, cultural contexts, and world views. These diverse perspectives inform and enrich how students and teachers engage with the learning environment. Understanding different assumptions and expectations regarding prior knowledge and access to educational resources is important for success.

Success can mean different things for different students. For those involved in facilitating student mobility, it means that students are supported in accessing post-secondary education, and as they move forward on their respective journeys. BCCAT works together with the BC Transfer System to improve access to pathways, enabling diverse learners to advance towards their educational goals.



PROGRAM

8:00 - 8:50 am	REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST	
8:50	Call to Order Master of Ceremonies, Darrell Bethune, College of the Rockies	
9:00-9:05	Aboriginal Welcome Elder Margaret George of the Tsleil-Waututh Nation	
9:05-9:10	Welcome from BCCAT Jim Hamilton, Council Co-Chair	
9:10-9:20	Opening Address: Hon. Melanie Mark, Ministry of Advanced Education, Skills & Training	
9:20-10:00	Keynote Address: Beyond “ESL”: Support for Both Multilingual and International Students in BC Higher Education Joel Heng Hartse, Simon Fraser University	
10:00-10:30	The BC Credit Transfer System at Work Mike Winsemann, BCCAT	
10:30 am	BREAK	
10:45-11:20	Exploring Opportunities for Changing International Transfer Credit Assessment Policies and Practices Joanne Duklas, Duklas Cornerstone Consulting	
11:20-12:00	Indigenous Student Pathways Stephanie McKeown & Adrienne Vedan, Lincoln Hallgren and Jackson Traplin, UBC-O	
12:00 pm	LUNCH AND NETWORKING	
1:00- 1:20 pm	BCCAT Transfer Awards Ceremony Jim Hamilton, Council Co-Chair, to present the awards to this year’s award winners.	
1:30- 2:30 pm	Session A Hands-on Training Workshop for ICPs/TCCs Mike Winsemann	Session B Workshop for AC Chairs and SLPs Fiona McQuarrie/Ruth Erskine
2:40- 3:00 pm	Who Knew? The Truth Behind Student Mobility Robert Adamoski/Anna Tikina	
3:00- 3:15 pm	Future Directions - Rob Fleming	
3:15 pm	Closing Remarks - Mike Winsemann	

Thanks from BCCAT!

As BCCAT approaches its 30th anniversary in 2019, the BC Transfer System is continuing to thrive through the ongoing, extensive collaboration of faculty and staff at member institutions on behalf of students. Enhanced and expanded transfer technologies, flexible learner pathways, and system-focused research over the past years have produced efficiencies for institutions and greater accessibility and mobility for students.

On behalf of the Council, its committees, and the hard-working BCCAT staff team, thank you for participating in and facilitating the collective success of the BC Transfer System.

**Robert Fleming, BCCAT Executive Director & Co-Chair
and Jim Hamilton, President, Okanagan College and BCCAT Co-Chair**

