



Canadian Association for Surface Finishing

CASF Conference 2019

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“Risk, Resilience and Sustainability”

Wednesday November 13th, 2019

Hilton Garden Inn Toronto, Vaughan – 3201 Highway 7 West, Vaughan, Ontario

Registration: 7:30 – 8:30am

CONFERENCE AGENDA:

8:00 – 8:30	Exhibitor Viewing
8:30 – 8:45	Conference welcome and introductions <i>Robert Smith, CASF President and Michael Kuntz, CASF Immediate Past-President</i>
8:45 – 9:15	Up in smoke – The continued impact of cannabis legalization on employers <i>Lisa Bolton, Employment and Labour Lawyer – Sherrard Kuzz LLP</i>
9:15 – 9:45	Balancing environment and the economy: How manufacturers can reduce their environmental footprint <i>Alex Greco, Director of Manufacturing Policy – Canadian Manufacturers and Exporters</i>
9:45 – 10:15	Break and Exhibitor Viewing
10:15 – 10:45	Extreme weather & climate change: Not adapting is not an option <i>Natalia Moudrak, Director of Climate Resilience, Intact Centre on Climate Adaptation</i>
10:45 – 11:15	Using emergency management to drive compliance, lower risk, and identify opportunities to invest and profit <i>Mark Jasper, Senior Specialist – GHD</i>
11:15 – 12:00	Environmental liabilities and how to avoid them <i>Barry Weintraub, Partner – Rueters LLP</i>
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch and Exhibitor Viewing
1:00 – 2:00	SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER: Economic, financial and commodity markets outlook <i>Earl Sweet, Managing Director and Head, Economic Risk – BMO Capital Markets</i>
2:00 – 2:30	What surface finishers need to know about PFAS <i>Matthew Schroeder, Senior Environmental Engineer – Dragun Corporation</i>
2:30– 3:00	Break and Exhibitor Viewing
3:00 – 3:20	Chromium electroplating, chromium anodizing and reverse etching regulations: Existing requirements and moving forward <i>Environment and Climate Change Canada</i>
3:20 – 4:00	National Association for Surface Finishing update and Canadian-American policy <i>Christian Richter, President – The Policy Group, Washington D.C./ Director NASF</i>
4:00 – 4:20	CASF update and Canadian environmental/regulatory outlook <i>CASF executive and Stephanie McCallum – KEI/CASF</i>
4:20 – 4:30	Final conference thoughts <i>Robert Smith, CASF President</i>