

# Provincial Aboriginal Representative Workforce Council

June 2-3, 2009 TCU Place Saskatoon

## Workforce & Workplace: Strategies for Success Conference

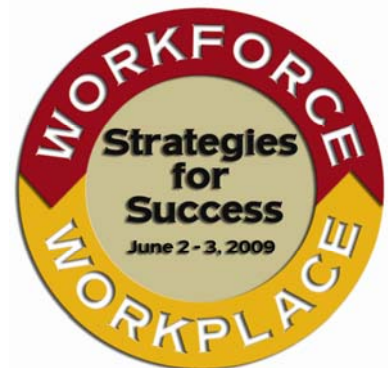
### The Saskatchewan Advantage: Get Connected

**Workforce & Workplace: Strategies for Success** is an exciting and innovative conference at TCU Place in Saskatoon, June 2-3. Get the latest trends, statistics, and labour market intelligence combined with critical tools to create strategic links to the Aboriginal workforce.

Discover how you can become an employer of choice for First Nations and Métis people who are preparing their workforce for Saskatchewan's opportunities.

Best-practice pioneers with more than a decade of experience will share strategies to help participants achieve the goal of a more representative Saskatchewan workforce.

Join 400 participants representing all sectors and become a supporter of positive change in Saskatchewan.



### Celebrating 100!

Celebrate history in the making in Saskatchewan:

On June 2 government, private sector, First Nations and Métis officials will celebrate Saskatchewan's 100th Aboriginal Employment Development partnership signing.

This important event will showcase the ways in which these innovative partnerships open doors, prepare workplaces, connect employers with the Aboriginal workforce, and turn focused strategies into a plan of action.



### Connecting with PARWC Partners, Statistics Canada, First Nations and Métis Workforce Leaders

#### Keynote Speaker



**Dr. Roger Gibbins**  
President and CEO  
Canada West Foundation

#### June 2 at 7 p.m.

Dr. Gibbins has published 21 books on western Canadian issues. His extensive knowledge of the labour market will enlighten and prepare the audience for the workforce of tomorrow.

**Day 1:** Hone in on the demand side of the labour equation. Participants will learn the latest labour market facts, trends, demographics and forecasts courtesy of a special presentation by Statistics Canada and other experts on June 2 at 9 a.m.

Innovative leaders in both the employment and training sectors will explore the opportunities and present proven strategies to prepare your workplace.

**Day 2:** Our focus shifts to the supply side of the workforce as labour trends in the private sector are examined at length.

Thunderchild, Kawacatoose, Whitecap Dakota Dunes, and Little Black Bear First Nations, as well as Métis organizations, will provide first-hand detailed information on how they're preparing our Saskatchewan workforce for the workplace of tomorrow.

The day will close with workshops offering an overview of strategic tools such as the Upskilling Project, career pathing, and an Aboriginal Labour Market Portal to name a few. **Register early to reserve your workshop space.**



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