CRRBC 2020 EAST

Tuesday, May 19, 2020

5:00pm - Registration

9:00pm

- 7:00pm Welcome Reception
- 9:00pm We invite you to mingle with conference delegates, enjoy some finger foods and refreshments from the bar.

Wednesday, May 20, 2020

- 7:00am Registration and Breakfast
- 8:30am
- 8:45am Conference Introductions
- 9:00am
- 9:00am -Keynote Why Addressing the Rural Digital Divide Matters More than9:45amEver

Explore the rural digital divide and how investment in broadband is a key factor in addressing economic development, rural outmigration and community well-being.

- 9:45am Oh Canada! A Federal Broadband Overview
- 10:15am A snapshot of Canada's national broadband landscape highlighting the roles of ISED and the CRTC in addressing a part of the rural digital divide.
- 10:15am Break
- 10:45am
- 10:45am –
 11:15am
 Our Neighbour's Perspective on Rural Broadband
 The latest rural broadband developments in regulatory, funding and rural projects from the United States.
- 11:15am 11:45am
 Remote Rural Broadband Systems in Canada
 Exploring the history and development of Remote Rural Broadband Systems policy in Canada and the path ahead (topic TBD).
- noon Lunch 1:15pm