



AGENDA

2021 BCGWA Annual Convention

April 16, 2021

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
8:30 am	Registration Opens	
8:50 am – 9:00 am	Meeting Housekeeping	
9:00 am – 9:10 am	Welcome and Opening Remarks	Dave Mercer, BCGWA General Manager
9:10 am – 9:30 am (20 mins)	Health and Safety Come First!	Mark MacNeil Geotech Drilling Services Ltd.
9:30 am – 10:00 am (30 mins)	Special Speaker Creating Respectful Workplaces	Adam Rollins The Neutral Zone Coaching and Consulting
10:00 am – 11:00 am (1 hour)	Mining Session The life of water at a mine Can Drillers and Pump Installers get along with Consultants?	Pattie Amison Teck Resources Ltd Michael Royle SRK Consulting
11:00 am – 11:15 am	Break and Social Time	
11:15 am – 12:15 pm (1 hour)	New and Innovative Technologies Session Remote sensing for groundwater applications A Diamondback Discussion with Epiroc	Julie McLelland Auracle Geospatial Cody Green Epiroc
12:15 pm – 12:45 pm	Lunch Break and Social Time	
12:45 pm – 1:15 pm (30 mins)	Special Speaker Build a Profitable Trades Business	Tony Malyk Certified Professional Business Coach/Author 2019 Business Coach of the Year, PBCA Canada
1:15 pm – 2:45 pm (1.5 hours)	Updates from Academia and the Ministries Mapping the Likelihood of Flowing Artesian Conditions in the Okanagan Basin and Fraser Valley Heritage Conservation Act WSA/GWPR Highlights and GWELLS demo	Diana Allen, Brynje Johnson Department of Earth Sciences Simon Fraser University TBA Leia Fougere, Amy Sloma Ministry of Environment and Climate Change Strategy
2:45 pm – 3:00 pm	Break and Social Time	
3:00 pm – 4:30 pm (1.5 hours)	Water Resources Session Hydraulic connection & stream depletion from well pumping: what contractors should know Decommissioning of a Flowing Artesian Well - Westwold, BC Surface Water - Groundwater Interaction: Lessons Learned from a Flood Control Project in Minnesota	Mike Wei HydroGeoLogic Doug Geller Western Water Associates Ltd. Chris Donnelly AECOM
4:30 pm – 5:30 pm	Closing Remarks & Happy Hour!	