



2023 Provincial Summit

Building a Solutions Focused Economy

Call for Presentations

Saskatchewan's 2023 Economic Development Summit is being held October 11-12, 2023 at the Saskatoon Inn in Saskatoon. Hosted by the **Saskatchewan Economic Development Alliance (SEDA)** and its partners, the Summit will attract approximately 200 leaders from across the province.

This year we look for speakers with relevant topics that will be of interest to our audience. Whether you are associated with academia, government, a non-profit or the private sector, we invite you to submit your presentation proposal for consideration.

If you would like to be considered as a speaker for the 2023 Provincial Summit, please provide the information requested on the following page no later than **April 1, 2023**. Please note that we will be evaluating submissions as they are received, so all spaces may be filled prior to that date.

Building a Solutions Focused Economy aims to highlight current and emerging catalysts fundamentally reshaping our economy and society. How can we integrate and leverage these opportunities (and address challenges) to set us on a path of generational prosperity.

Lasting solutions are neither quick nor easy and cannot be undertaken in isolation. The road to 2030 will be dynamic and we must start now by making the decisions that will have a real impact on our economy, environment, and community.

Conference sessions will address topics that have direct impact on Saskatchewan communities and nations and will provide the audience with the practical information and tools to support socio-economic prosperity locally and provincially.

Priority will be given to the following session tracks:

- Leading with Purpose
- Investment readiness and opportunities identification
- Rural-Urban-Indigenous Nexus
- Experience, Collaboration and Circular Economies
- Economic Reconciliation Initiatives & Best Practices
- How Digitalization can support our desired future
- Social Innovation
- How can we make our communities more resilient?

Submission Requirements

Each session should be around 30-40 minutes in duration with live Q & A after.

Please note:

- We will not be paying speakers.
- We do not entertain presentations focused solely on selling products or services.
- A complimentary Summit registration will be offered to those selected to present.

Please submit the following information in a word document addressed to Tiffany Wolf at coordinator@seda.ca by April 1, 2023.

Contact Information

Name, Organization, Address, email and phone number

Presentation Details

- Presentation Title
- Presentation Abstract (maximum of 250 words)
- Name(s) of Presenters and bios (maximum 250 words)
- What do you hope attendees will learn from your presentation (max 250 words)
- Session format (e.g.: presentation; panel; workshop, fireside chat)
- Have you spoken at a SEDA event within the last three years
- Are you a member of SEDA or is your organization a Summit Sponsor?

Submission Deadline: April 1, 2023

