

# FIELD LAW



## Post-Secondary Summit

Join us for our second annual summit to focus and collaborate on legal issues facing Alberta's post-secondary institutions.

### WELCOME RECEPTION

**Wednesday, November 29, 2017**  
6:00 PM - 8:30 PM

**Field Law Calgary Office**  
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Calgary AB

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

Board of Governors Members  
Senior Management  
Institutional Secretaries  
In-House Legal Counsel  
Administrators  
Labour Relations and Human Resources Practitioners

### CONFERENCE

**Thursday, November 30, 2017**  
9:00 AM - 4:30 PM  
Registration opens at 8:15 AM

**Sheraton Suites Eau Claire**  
Wildrose Ballroom  
255 Barclay Parade SW  
Calgary AB

### REGISTRATION DEADLINE

Thursday, November 23, 2017

### COST

\$200.00 per person + GST

### ACCEPTED PAYMENT METHODS

Visa, Mastercard and  
American Express

### Questions?

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# CONFERENCE AGENDA

- 8:15 AM REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**
- 9:00 AM WELCOME PLENARY REMARKS**  
L. Frank Molnar, QC - Field Law
- 9:15 AM Post-Secondary Academic Bargaining - Labour Relations Board Implementation of Bill 7**  
Chair: Jacqueline Lacasse - University of Calgary  
Panelists: William Johnson, QC - Chair, Alberta Labour Relations Board  
Kevin Feth, QC - Field Law
- Post-secondary labour relations moving under the *Labour Relations Code*
  - Essential services update
  - Designation appeals
- 10:30 AM COFFEE BREAK**
- 10:45 AM Sabotage and Intrigue - The University of Manitoba Faculty Association Strike**  
Speaker: Gregory Juliano - Associate Vice-President (Human Resources), University of Manitoba
- Lessons learned from the Faculty Association strike
  - Government involvement in labour negotiations
- 11:15 AM Bargaining Under the Alberta Labour Relations Code**  
Speaker: L. Frank Molnar, QC - Field Law
- Bargaining timelines and requirements
  - Process and strategies for strike and lock-out
- 11:45 AM KEYNOTE LUNCH SPEAKER - "The 21<sup>st</sup> Century Legislative Office"**  
Merwan N. Saher, Auditor General of Alberta
- 1:00 PM Governance Framework**  
Chair: Greg Harding, QC - Field Law  
Panelists: Robert Driesen - Assistant Auditor General of Alberta  
Carol Ryder - Board Chair, Alberta College of Art and Design  
Elizabeth Watson, QC - President and CEO, WATSON Inc.
- Is governance different at post-secondary institutions?
  - Governance fundamentals and best practices for new and experienced board members
  - Governance accountability initiatives
- 2:30 PM COFFEE BREAK**
- 2:45 PM Cyber-Security - The Ransomware Attack on the University of Calgary**  
Chair: Kelly Nicholson - Field Law  
Panelists: Linda Dalgetty - Vice President (Finance & Services), University of Calgary  
Justin Fong - Partner (Cyber Risk Services), Deloitte
- Lessons learned from the ransomware attack and proactive strategies
  - Cyber-security risks and tactics to address those risks
- 3:45 PM Emerging Law: Access Copyright v. York University**  
Speaker: Tom O'Reilly - Field Law
- Review and impact of recent Federal Court decision
  - How to deal with fair dealing
- 4:15 PM CLOSING REMARKS**  
Laura Jo Gunter - Bow Valley College

## ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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Field Law is a western and northern regional law firm with offices in Calgary and Edmonton, Alberta and Yellowknife, Northwest Territories.

For over 80 years, Field Law has been a leader in education law and currently provides comprehensive legal services to Alberta post-secondary institutions.

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