



AGENDA – PANEL SESSION A

April 20, 2021, 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. ET

Avoiding Disaster – The Case for Building a Stronger Future by Including Diversity in Decision Making

- 9:30 a.m. Session A webcast will go live for participants to login
- 10:00 a.m. Opening Address by Chair of Conference Planning – **Mark Priddle, P.Geo.**
Welcome Remarks by Panel Session A Co-chairs
Kristin Hanson, P.Geo. and **Mary-Anne Hildebrandt, P.Geo.**
Introduction of 1st speaker
- 10:05 a.m. Speak Up! Diversity of Thought and Innovation are Stifled by Confirmation Bias and Group Think
Shastri Ramnath, P.Geo., CEO & President of Exiro Minerals Corp., Co-founder Orix Geoscience
- 10:25 a.m. Introduction of 2nd Speaker
- 10:30 a.m. Purpose Over Profit? How Long-term Value is Supported by Diversity and Inclusion
Siri Genik, Principal and Founder of Bridge, Former Vice Chair of Board of Directors, Women in Mining Canada
- 10:50 a.m. 10-minute break – please stay connected online.**
- 11:00 a.m. Introduction of 3rd Speaker
- 11:05 a.m. Where are All the Women? The Facts of a Leaky Pipeline
Maureen Jensen, P. Geo., Past Chair of Ontario Securities Commission, Past President of PGO
- 11:25 a.m. Introduction of 4th Speaker
- 11:30 a.m. Tools You Can Use to Help Build a More Sustainable Future
Felix Lee, P.Geo., President and CEO of Willeson Metals, 37th President of PDAC
- 11:50 a.m. Q & A Session – Co-chairs and Speakers
- 12:30 p.m. Closing remarks by Panel Session Co-chairs
Kristin Hanson, P.Geo. and **Mary-Anne Hildebrandt, P.Geo.**