



Progress Summit BC September 22 & 23



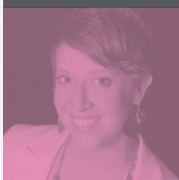
THURSDAY PROGRAM

Thursday, September 22
Goldcorp Stage at the BMO Theatre Centre
203 – 162 West 1st Avenue, Vancouver, BC

7:00 PM

Doors open

7:30 PM – 9:00 PM
(reception to follow)



FROM TOP:
Carol Anne Hilton
Vi Nguyen
Jack Saddler
Paul Taylor
Ivan Coyote
Jocelyn Macdougall

FROM WHERE I STAND: THINKING BIG ABOUT BC

with greetings from Vancouver Mayor Gregor Robertson

FIVE DYNAMIC SPEAKERS SHARE THEIR BIG IDEAS ON HOW TO TRANSFORM BC

Carol Anne Hilton

CEO, Transformation | **Indigenomics**

Vi Nguyen

Director, Grants & Community Initiatives,
Vancouver Foundation | **Refugee & immigrant voices**

Jack Saddler

Professor, Faculty of Forestry,
University of British Columbia | **Forestry reinvented**

Paul Taylor

Executive Director,
Gordon Neighbourhood House | **Food justice**

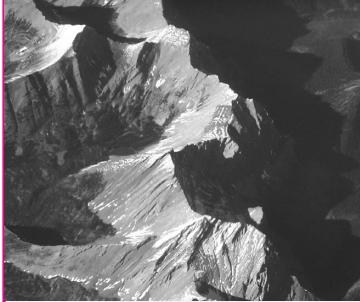
Ivan Coyote

Author/Storyteller | **Trans rights and inclusion**

MC: Jocelyn Macdougall

Community organizer, former Development Director,
PuSh Festival





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Ed Broadbent
Tamara Vrooman
Prem Gill
Taleeb Noormohamed
Iglika Ivanova
Ross Beaty



FRIDAY PROGRAM

Friday, September 23

Morris J. Wosk Centre for Dialogue, Asia Pacific Hall, SFU
580 W Hastings St, Vancouver, BC

7:30 AM – 8:45 AM

REGISTRATION

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM

COFFEE

9:00 AM – 9:30 AM

SUMMIT OPENING

- First Nations Territorial greeting
- Opening remarks from **Ed Broadbent**, *Broadbent Institute Chair*

9:30 AM – 9:45 AM

THE COOPERATIVE ECONOMY AS A MODEL FOR BC

Q&A with **Tamara Vrooman** examining Vancity's work creating a progressive, forward-looking cooperative economy in BC and how that model can be expanded and advanced in the decades ahead.

Tamara Vrooman, *President & Chief Executive Officer, Vancity*, in conversation with **Janet Austin**, *CEO, YWCA Metro Vancouver*, and *former Chair, Greater Vancouver Board of Trade*

9:45 AM – 10:45 AM

Response panel

WHAT SHOULD BC'S ECONOMY LOOK LIKE IN 2030?

- **Tamara Vrooman**, *President & CEO, Vancity*
- **Prem Gill**, *Chief Executive Officer, Creative BC*, and *Vice-Chair, board of directors, National Screen Institute*
- **Taleeb Noormohamed**, *Chief Growth Officer, Farfetch*
- **Iglika Ivanova**, *Senior Economist and Public Interest Researcher, BC Office, Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives*
- **Ross Beaty**, *Executive Chairman, Alterra Power Corp*

10:45 AM – 11:00 AM

COFFEE BREAK


11:00 AM – 11:15 AM

(RE)BUILDING CITIZENRY: INDIGENOUS LEGAL RESOURCES

A progressive BC must respect Indigenous law and practice and involve rebuilding Indigenous citizenries.

Speaker: **Val Napoleon**, *Law Foundation Professor of Aboriginal Justice and Governance, University of Victoria*

11:15 AM – 12:30 PM

THE BC WE WANT TO BUILD

Leaders from six different sectors share focused visions for a better BC and explore common challenges and opportunities to build power and make change together.

Presenters:

- **Michael Tippett**, *CEO and founder, Wantoo* | **High-tech sector and the new economy**
- **Ken Boon**, *President of Peace Valley Landowner Association* | **Beyond Site C: alternative economic pathways for rural development**
- **Dr. Farah Shroff**, *First Vice President, BC Confederation of Parent Advisory Councils, and Vice Chair, Vancouver District Parents' Advisory Committee* | **Public education**
- **Josha McNabb**, *Regional Director, British Columbia, Pembina Institute* | **Climate and clean technology policy**
- **Seth Klein**, *Director, BC Office, Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives* | **Tax fairness and inequality**
- **Irene Lanzinger**, *President, BC Federation of Labour* | **Poverty reduction and good jobs**

Moderator: **Tzepporah Berman**, *Adjunct Professor, York University Faculty of Environmental Studies, Broadbent Institute Leadership Fellow*

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12:30 PM – 1:30 PM

LUNCH (Optional lunch time session starting at 12:55 in Room 420 offered by OpenMedia founder Steve Anderson, USING ADVANCED ONLINE TOOLS TO BROADEN AND DEEPEN SUPPORTER ENGAGEMENT IN YOUR CAMPAIGN)

**1:30 PM – 2:45 PM****RETRIEVING AFFORDABILITY: PROGRESSIVE POLICY SOLUTIONS FOR BC'S HOUSING CRISIS**

Is it too late to ensure future generations of British Columbians can live and thrive in their cities? Amidst controversy over the BC government's missteps and inaction, panelists put forward their practical, proven and progressive public policy fixes for BC's housing affordability crisis.

Panelists:

- **Jackie Wong**, *writer, editor, journalist*
 - **Margot Young**, *Professor, Allard School of Law, University of British Columbia*
 - **Heather Tremain**, *CEO, Options for Homes*
- Moderator:** **David Beers**, *Founding Editor, The Tyee*

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David Beers

2:45 PM – 3:00 PM**COFFEE BREAK****3:00 PM – 3:10 PM****FROM ACTIVIST TO POLITICIAN: HOW WE CAN MAKE TRANSFORMATIVE CHANGE WHEN WE ELECT PROGRESSIVES TO OFFICE**

A special video address by **Pramila Jayapal**, *Washington State Legislator, and candidate for US Congress, Washington's 7th District.*




3:10 PM – 4:40 PM

CAMPAIGN MAPPING

Campaigners from across BC share how and where they are organizing in advance of the 2017 election and how they are building power to win on their issues.

Campaigners:

Ban Big Money — **Mary Leighton**, *provincial organizer, Dogwood Initiative*

Living Wage — **Deanna Ogle**, *campaign organizer, Living Wage for Families Campaign*

Protecting Place: No Pipelines, No Tankers — **Jasmine Thomas**, *Yinka-Dene Alliance member, and*
Valine Crist, *Haida Gwaii, researcher and activist*

Write the Future — **Kris Archie**, *manager, Fostering Change, Vancouver Foundation*

Fair Fees — **Scott Nunn**, *head organizer, BC ACORN*

Moderator: **Peter Wrinch**, *director, politics and advocacy, Nationbuilder*

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4:40 PM – 4:55 PM

ENGAGING THE ELECTORATE

The new MLA in Manitoba shares lessons from his experience on the campaign trail—and beyond—about engaging new, different and unlikely voters in the political process.

Wab Kinew, *Member of the Legislative Assembly of Manitoba (Fort Rouge) and NDP critic for education, advanced learning and training, housing and community development*

4:55 PM – 5:00 PM
CLOSING

Mira Oreck, *Director of Engagement, Broadbent Institute*

Rick Smith, *Executive Director, Broadbent Institute*


5:00 PM – 7:00 PM
CLOSING RECEPTION