

# **THE FUTURE OF FIRST NATIONS, INUIT, AND MÉTIS BROADCASTING: CONVERSATION & CONVERGENCE (./)**

## **Edmonton, Alberta**

**WHERE: TELUS CENTER,  
UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA**

**ROOM 134**

**11104 87 AVENUE NW**

**WHEN: APRIL 21ST, 2017**

**FROM 9:00AM TO 4:00PM**

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- **Audio Archive:**

# PROGRAM

- 9:00 - 9:30 - Registration and Coffee
- 9:30 - 10:00 - Opening Ceremony by Reuben Quinn and Organizing Team Address
- 10:00 - 11:30 - **“World-Building in the Dystopian Now: Imagining and Podcasting Indigenous Futures”** presentations and panel discussion with podcasters Chelsea Vowel and Molly Swain from Métis In Space & Lauren Crazybull from This is Blackfoot Territory
- 11:30 - 12:00 - Review of conversations in Winnipeg & Iqaluit
- 12:00 - 1:00 - Lunch (*concurrent with slideshow & audio listening to the archive*)
- 1:00 - 1:30 - **“Revitalizing Indian Story-telling in the Media”** Presentaton by Jodi Stonehouse - host of Acimowin on CJSR 88.5 FM
- 1:30 - 2:15 - Discussion on CRTC Process and Policy
  - How would you like the CRTC consultation process to be


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This year - the second in the Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission's Three Year Plan (2016-2019) - the CRTC plans to review the Native Broadcasting Policy (CRTC 1990-89). The gatherings entitled "The Future of First Nations, Inuit and Métis Broadcasting" aim to bring practitioners, policy makers and academics together as allies to prepare a context for respectful and meaningful consultation. The idea is to create or identify the terms of reference for the CRTC deliberations to ensure that any policy changes support the development goals that Indigenous media activists, broadcasters, and community members themselves identify. This gathering seeks to share decision making power with the people, and to assert Indigenous rights to media democracy for as long as the waters flow.

**REGIONAL EVENT DETAILS FOR: Alberta**  
**WHERE:** Edmonton, Telus Center, Room 134,  
University of Alberta, 11104 87 Ave NW  
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from 9:00am until 4:00pm  
**HOW:** Register for free online at  
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- conducted for reviewing the Native Broadcasting Policy?
  - How should the review process itself be changed?
  - What should the Native Broadcasting Policy entail?
  - What are the elements to include or exclude?
  - What changes would be required to the Broadcasting Act to ensure the policy is upheld?
  - **See Native Radio Policy - CRTC Public Notice 1990-89** (<http://crtc.gc.ca/eng/archive/1990/PB90-89.htm>)
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- 2:15 - 2:30 - Break
  - 2:30 - 4:00 - **"Why we will never be treated as equals?"** Presentation by Les Carpenter, Native Communications Society (NCS) of the NWT and **"Engaging the CRTC"** panel discussion with Les Carpenter (NCS-NWT), Rob McMahon (uAlberta), and Michael Lithgow (Athabasca U)

**We wish to acknowledge that the land on which we plan to gather is Treaty 6 territory and a traditional meeting ground and home for many Indigenous Peoples, including the Cree, Blackfoot, Métis, Nakota Sioux, Iroquois, Dene, Ojibway/Saulteaux/Anishinaabe, and Inuit.**

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