

## ***Beyond the Runway***

*Kelowna, BC - May 29 - 31, 2019*

Working Agenda – Subject to change without notice

<b>Wednesday May 29, 2019</b>	
07:00 – 18:00	Registration
18:30 – 20:00	Conference Welcome Reception & Exhibit Hall Grand Opening
<b>Thursday, May 30, 2019</b>	
08:00 – 18:00	Registration
07:15 – 08:00	Networking Breakfast in Exhibit Hall
08:00 – 08:30	<p><b>Welcome to Airports Canada 2019</b></p> <p><b>Westbank First Nation Traditional Welcome Ceremony</b></p> <p><b>Introductions:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Daniel-Robert Gooch</b>, President, Canadian Airports Council</li> <li>• <b>Kevin M. Burke</b>, President &amp; CEO, ACI-NA</li> </ul> <p><b>Welcome to Kelowna:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Sam Samaddar</b>, CAC Chair and Airport Director of Kelowna International Airport</li> <li>• <b>Charlie Hodge</b>, Councillor, City of Kelowna</li> </ul>
08:30 – 10:00	<p><b>Session #1 Airports and Drones: Managing the Unexpected</b></p> <p>In addition to recreational and military use, drones are rapidly being tested and deployed for a wide range of commercial applications, including safety and security projects and ultimately the transportation of goods and even people. But while there is a lot of work ahead for everybody in the aviation sector to safely integrate legitimate drone technologies into our aviation systems, negligent or nefarious use of drones present an entirely new, and unexpected challenge for industry and governments to anticipate and mitigate. This session will look at the broad implications of drone incursions, and determine what the appropriate government and industry responses should be to prepare for and prevent drone activity before it becomes a physical threat.</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Kevin Brosseau</b>, ADM, Safety and Security, Transport Canada</li> <li>• <b>Howard Eng</b>, President and CEO, Greater Toronto Airports Authority</li> <li>• <b>Angela Gittens</b>, Director General, ACI International</li> <li>• <b>Neil R. Wilson</b>, President and CEO, Nav Canada</li> </ul> <p>Moderated by: <b>Mark Laroche</b> President and CEO, Ottawa International Airport</p>
10:00 – 10:30	Refreshment Break in Exhibit Hall
10:30 – 11:30	<p><b><i>Session # 2: Working for Travellers, Working for Communities</i></b></p> <p>Airports are proud members of their communities – working with business and tourism leaders, community and Indigenous groups and people who may have special needs – to offer a respectful and efficient travel experience that contributes to economic opportunity, jobs and quality of life. This panel will feature examples and best practices of how airports are working with – and for – their communities and travellers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Gene Cabral</b>, Executive Vice President, Billy Bishop Airport</li> <li>• <b>Myron Keehn</b>, Vice President of Commercial Development, Edmonton International Airport</li> <li>• <b>Mary Point</b>, Manager, Indigenous Relations Vancouver Airport Authority</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderated by: Michael Hayward</b>, Vice President Marketing and Guest Experience, Calgary International Airport</p>
11:30 – 12:30	<p><b><i>Session # 3: Building a new and better CATSA</i></b></p> <p>Transforming CATSA into a new, not-for-profit entity may be the biggest – and most important – aviation policy shift of the last decade. This is our opportunity to create an innovative, cost-effective and responsive organization – and it’s critical that we get it right.</p> <p>The session will offer insight into the process and what Canada’s airports are doing to help shape the new organization to meet the needs of travellers now and in the future.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Steve Hankinson</b>, Vice President, Planning and Innovation, Vancouver International Airport</li> <li>• <b>Lawrence Hanson</b>, ADM, Policy, Transport Canada</li> <li>• <b>Mark Laroche</b> President and CEO, Ottawa International Airport</li> <li>• <b>Ferio Pugliese</b>, Senior Vice President, Air Canada Express and Government Relations</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderated by: Phillip Elchitz</b>, Senior Manager, Airport Operations, Kelowna International Airport</p>

12:30 – 13:30	Lunch in the Exhibit Hall
13:30 – 13:45	<p><b>Edge4Vets presentation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Tom Murphy</b>, Director Human Resiliency Institute at Fordham University</li> <li>• <b>Kirstan Jewell</b>, Vice President, Human Resources &amp; Organizational Effectiveness, Edmonton International Airport</li> </ul>
13:45 – 15:00	<p><b>Session # 4: The Next Big Thing in Transport and Aviation Policy</b></p> <p>Regardless of the outcome of the next election, there will be a new government in Ottawa in the fall, a fresh opportunity to review transport policy and the needs of a growing aviation sector. Join this panel, which features both public and private sector points of view to discuss the evolution of our sector in a global context.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Lawrence Hanson</b>, ADM, Policy, Transport Canada</li> <li>• <b>Kerr Lammie</b>, Director, Airbiz</li> <li>• <b>Candace McGraw</b>, CEO, Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport. Chair, ACI-NA</li> <li>• <b>Kim Stangeby</b>, Vice President and Chief Strategy Officer GTAA</li> </ul> <p>Moderated by: <b>RJ Steenstra</b>, President &amp; CEO, Fort McMurray Airport Authority</p>
15:00 – 15:30	Refreshment Break in Exhibit Hall
15:30 – 16:30	<p><b>Session # 5: The Industry in Numbers</b></p> <p>New data released in 2017 shows that Canada’s airports economic footprint has grown – generating \$48 billion in economic output and employing 194,000 Canadians directly -- and that public support for our airports, with a few caveats, remains high. We invite you to join our distinguished and highly respected speakers who will lead a lively and informative discussion on what these impressive numbers mean, and how we can use them to lever positive political action and support.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dr. Mike Tretheway</b>, Chief Economist, InterVistas Consulting</li> <li>• <b>Lanny Cardow</b>. Vice President, Digital, National Public Relations</li> </ul> <p>Moderated by: <b>Daniel-Robert Gooch</b>, President, Canadian Airports Council</p>
16:30	<p><b>Opening Day Wrap-Up</b>  <b>Daniel-Robert Gooch</b>, President, Canadian Airports Council</p>
18:30—21:30	<b>Gala Reception and Dinner</b>

Friday, May 31, 2019	
07:00 – 11:00	Registration
07:30 – 08:15	Networking Breakfast in Exhibit Hall
08:15 – 08:45	<p><b>Session #6 Keynote</b></p> <p><b>U.S. Consul General Katherine Dhanani</b>  <b>Introduced by: Craig Richmond</b>, President &amp; CEO, Vancouver Airport Authority</p> <p>Thanks to critical initiatives such as Pre-Clearance and NEXUS and the ongoing cooperation of U.S. and Canadian departments and agencies, our air border remains open and safe even as transborder traffic increased last year by nearly 6% to almost 32 million passengers. With \$630 billion in cross border trade generated annually, both countries must work to keep our air border safe but open, which is why ACI-NA/CAC is a Platinum sponsor of the Beyond Preclearance Coalition, a group of bi-national organizations with a vested interest in advancing the efficiency and security of the Canada–US border.</p> <p>Please join our Friday keynote speaker, the U.S. Consul General in Vancouver, Katherine Dhanani, as she discusses ways Canada and the U.S. can reach even greater levels of cooperation and create new opportunities for increased trade and tourism.</p>
08:45 – 09:45	<p><b>Session #7: A World of Opportunity: the Airline Perspective</b></p> <p>The successes of Canada’s airports and its major air carriers are closely related, with tremendous growth in air travel bringing Canada new air routes, increased capacity on existing routes and one of the most competitive environments so far this century for Canadian consumers of air travel. In this session, senior executives at Canada’s two largest international air carriers will each talk about their commercial strategies in domestic and international markets and then participate in an armchair discussion on the state of Canada’s commercial air transport sector.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Charles Duncan</b>, Executive Vice President and Chief Strategy Office, WestJet</li> <li>• <b>Ferio Pugliese</b>, Senior Vice President, Air Canada Express and Government Relations</li> </ul> <p>Moderated by: <b>Philippe Rainville</b>. President and CEO Aéroports de Montréal</p>
09:45 – 10:15	Refreshment Break in Exhibit Hall
10:15 – 11:15	<b>Session #8: Beyond Preclearance: Strengthening North America’s Gateways</b>

	<p>The challenge of building a safe yet open border grows greater every year. Yet, ease of access between Canada and the United States remains one of the most critical elements in ensuring both countries' economic stability, as well as with our trade in the world. With literally hundreds of thousands of jobs that rely on good access at stake, the airport communities from both sides of the border are stepping up to find solutions to some of the greatest border challenges facing our countries today.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Greg Owen</b>, Associate Director, Government Agency Programs, GTAA</li> <li>• <b>Denis R. Vinette</b> Vice-President of Travellers Branch. CBSA</li> <li>• <b>Solomon Wong</b>, President &amp; CEO InterVistas Consulting</li> </ul> <p>Moderated by: <b>Vince Dancho</b>, Vice President Operations Winnipeg Airports Authority</p>
11:15 – 12:00	<p><b><i>Session #9: Air Service and Infrastructure: Canada's Regional Aviation Challenges</i></b></p> <p>From high-speed internet to accessing critical services, Canada's rural population expects a similar level of access as Canadians living in major centres. But not everyone can – or wants to – live in a big city. This panel will address the challenges - and costs - of providing air service and infrastructure to Canada's regions, and the potentially much larger cost to our country if we do not.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Robert Kokonis</b>, President &amp; Managing Director, AirTrav Inc., Affiliate, ICF Aviation</li> <li>• <b>Monette Pasher</b>, Executive Director, Atlantic Canada Airports Association</li> <li>• <b>Richard (Rick) Tucker</b>, Executive Director, Hunstville International Airport (Alabama)</li> <li>• <b>Chris Wood</b>, Airport Manager, Region of Waterloo International Airport</li> </ul> <p><b>Moderated by: Chris Phelan</b>, Vice President, Government and Industry Affairs, CAC</p>
12:00	<p><b>Closing Remarks</b>  <b>Daniel-Robert Gooch</b>, President, Canadian Airports Council</p>
12:00	<p><b>Vino Volo offsite event – boxed lunch</b></p>