



WHAT WILL THIS WORKSHOP INVOLVE?

Indigenous people experience disparate mental health outcomes when compared to non-Indigenous people. At the same time, most Indigenous people experience disparate access to psychological services that are culturally- and contextually-appropriate.

Drawing from research, grey literature, and clinical experience, this workshop will present models for clinical conceptualization, and approaches to assessment and treatment planning in an attempt to provide clinical care for Indigenous people that understands historic and contemporary experiences of the colonial imposition.

COST

IWK Psychologists– no charge (manager's approval is required to attend)

Students- \$ 100

Early bird rates (prior to June 16*):

- APNS members- \$175
- All other professionals: \$200

* After June 16, please add \$25

REFUND POLICY

A refund- minus a \$30 administrative fee- will be given for cancellations received in writing before 9:00 am on June 21. No refunds will be given for cancellations received after that time, although delegate substitution will be permitted.

PLEASE REGISTER BY JUNE 16 TO RECEIVE THE EARLY BIRD RATE

To register, or for further information, please contact:

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CULTURALLY INFORMED PRACTICE WITH INDIGENOUS YOUTH

The Dr. G. Wayne MacDonald Professional Lecture Series

Presented by IWK Psychology & the Association of Psychologists of Nova Scotia

Dr. Christopher Mushquash
HBSoc., M.A., Ph.D., C.Psych.

Monday, June 26, 2023

9 am-4:30 pm

Cineplex Auditorium

IWK Health





About Dr. Mushquash

Dr. Christopher Mushquash is a Canada Research Chair in Indigenous Mental Health and Addiction, and Professor in the Department of Psychology at Lakehead University and the Division of Human Sciences at the Northern Ontario School of Medicine University.

Dr. Mushquash is the Director of the Centre for Rural and Northern Health Research at Lakehead University. He is also Vice President Research at the Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre and Chief Scientist at the Thunder Bay Regional Health Research Institute.

Dr. Musquash is currently the vice-chair of the Institute Advisory Board for the Canadian Institutes of Health Research, Institute of Indigenous Peoples' Health. He also serves as a board member for the Ontario Psychological Association, the Canada Foundation for Innovation, and the George Jeffrey Children's Centre.

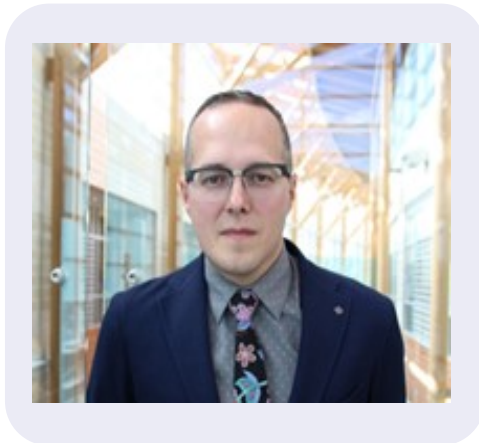
Dr. Mushquash is Ojibway and a member of Pays Plat First Nation.



In addition to his academic appointments, Dr. Mushquash is a registered clinical psychologist providing assessment, intervention, and consultation services for First Nations children, adolescents, and adults at Dilico Anishinabek Family Care.

Selected Awards:

- Canada Gairdner Momentum Award, for research excellence within the area of indigenous mental health and substance use (2023)
- Champion of Mental Health Award, Canadian Alliance on Mental Illness and Mental Health (2020)
- Inducted in the Royal Society of Canada's College of New Scholars, Artists and Scientists (2017)



REGISTRATION

Name: _____

Position: _____ Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

(email will be used to confirm registration whenever possible)

APNS Member (\$175 before June 16; \$200 after June 16) Non-APNS Member (\$200 before June 16; \$225 after June 16) Student (\$100)

Credit Card Number _____ Expiration Date: ____/____/____

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