

CURAC 2019 Conference Program
University of Guelph, Guelph, ON
May 22-24, 2019

Wednesday May 22, 2019

7:00 pm	to	9:00 pm	Conference Registration and Reception The Art Gallery of Guelph
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Thursday May 23, 2019

Session 1: Opening and Round Tables			
8:00 am	to	9:00 am	CONFERENCE REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
9:00 am	to	9:15 am	Welcome
9:15 am	to	10:15 am	CURAC/ARUCC Priorities and Activities – (topics and format TBD)
10:15 am	to	10:45 am	BREAK
10:45 am	to	12:00 pm	Roundtables on desired CURAC focus (topics and format TBD)
12:00 pm	to	1:00 pm	LUNCH

Session 2			
1:00 pm	to	1:45 pm	Agri-Foods for Human Health Alison Duncan Professor, Human Health and Nutritional Sciences, University of Guelph
1:45 pm	to	2:30 pm	Have your retirement plans gone to the dogs? Perhaps they should!* Kris Gies, OVC Pet Trust, Outreach Coordinator & Peggy Pritchard, Coordinator, Campus Therapy Dog Program * therapy dog visits will be offered during the coffee break
2:30 pm	to	3:00 pm	BREAK

3:00 pm	to	3:45 pm	Can we use bugs as drugs? Emma Allen-Vercoe Professor, Dept. of Molecular and Cellular Biology, University of Guelph
3:45 pm	to	5:00 pm	CURAC/ARUCC Annual General Meeting (AGM)

Thursday EVENING May 2, 2019

5:45 pm	to	9:30 pm	CURAC Awards Banquet Welcome and CURAC Awards “Ten Years After”: not the band you were thinking.... Doug Larson, Professor Emeritus, Integrative Biology, University of Guelph Nathan Larson, Agriculture and Food Laboratory, Laboratory Services, University of Guelph
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Friday May 24, 2019

Session 3			
8:00 am	to	9:00 am	REGISTRATION AND CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST
9:00 am	to	9:45 am	Feeding the Future – Climate Change, Population Growth and Technology Evan Fraser Professor and Director, Arrell Food Institute, University of Guelph
9:45 am	to	10:30 am	Sexuality and Aging: the Final Frontier Tuuli Kukkonen Assistant Professor, Dept. of Family Relations and Human Nutrition
10:30 am	to	10:45 am	BREAK
10:45 am	to	12:00 pm	Aging Well and Age-Friendly Communities Panelists: Lynne Briggs, City of Guelph; Manon Germain, Pi Network;

			Maryanne Wilford, Guelph-Wellington Seniors Association; others to be announced
12:00 pm	to	1:00 pm	LUNCH

Session 4			
1:00 pm	to	2:00 pm	Collecting the Past for the Future Kathryn Harvey, Head, Archival and Special Collections, Library
2:00 pm	to	2:30 pm	Be the Best You Can Be Dave Scott-Thomas Head Coach, Cross Country, University of Guelph
2:30 pm	to	3:00 pm	BREAK
3:00 pm	to	3:30 pm	Conference Feedback & Closing Remarks