SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Steele Community Centre Gander, NL Canada

April 26-28

The Central MinEx Mineral Industry Showcase is an initiative of the Gander and Area Chamber of Commerce, in partnership with the Town of Gander.

Central MinEX Mineral Industry Showcase





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Schedule at a Glance

WEDNESDAY, April 26, 2023

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM Prospector Training Course SCC, Meeting Room #2

2:00 PM – 6:00 PM Registration / Information Desk SCC, Garrett Hall

2:00 PM – 6:00 PM Trade Show Exhibition Set Up Trade Show Floor, SCC

6:00 PM – 9:00 PM Exhibitor and Icebreaker Opening Reception Trade Show Floor, SCC

Stay Connected

Open network Wi-Fi is available throughout the SCC. THURSDAY, April 27, 2023

8:00 AM – 5:00 PM Registration / Information Desk SCC, Garrett Hall

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Exhibit Floor Open | SCC

8:00 AM - 8:30 AM Refreshments | ACC Lobby

8:30 AM – 9:00 AM Welcome and Opening Remarks Joseph R. Smallwood ACC

9:00 AM – 10:30 AM Technical Session 1, Part I | ACC

10:30 AM - 10:45 AM Refreshment Break | SCC

10:45 AM – 12:30 PM Technical Session 1, Part II | ACC

12:30 PM – 1:30 PM Trade Show Luncheon | SCC

1:30 PM – 2:15 PM Technical Session 2 | ACC

2:15 PM – 3:15 PM Technical Session 3 | ACC

3:15 PM – 3:45 PM Refreshment Break | SCC

3:45 PM – 4:45 PM Technical Session 4 | ACC

4:30 PM – 5:30 PM Networking Reception | SCC

6:30 PM – 10:30 PM Hospitality Transportation

7:00 PM – 10:00 PM Cocktail Reception Gander International Airport

FRIDAY, April 28, 2023

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Registration / Information Desk SCC, Garrett Hall

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9:00 AM - 4:00 PM Exhibit Floor Open | SCC

8:00 AM – 8:30 AM Refreshments | SCC, Garrett Hall

8:30 AM – 9:50 AM Technical Session 5 | ACC

9:50 AM - 10:10 AM Refreshments | SCC

10:10 AM – 11:30 AM Technical Session 6 | ACC

11:30 AM – 12:00 PM Shuttle Transportation | SCC to Gander Quality Hotel & Suites

12:00 PM – 1:30 PM Keynote Luncheon with Eric Sprott Gander Quality Hotel & Suites

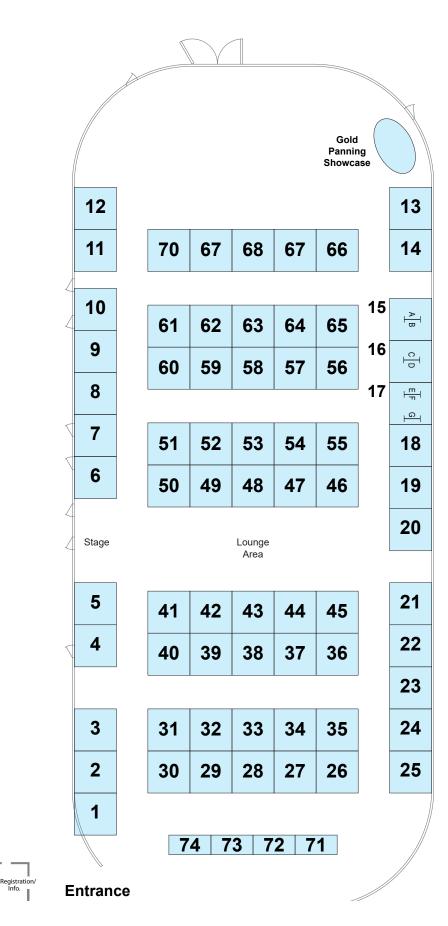
1:30 AM – 2:00 PM Shuttle Transportation | Gander Quality Hotel & Suites to SCC

2:00 PM - 3:20 PM Technical Session 7 | ACC

4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Trade Show Break Down | SCC

ACC - Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre SCC - Steele Community Centre

Exhibitors/Trade Show Floor Plan



Prospector Tent

- A Wesley Keats Neal Blackmore
- B Darrin Hicks David Hicks
- C Herb Froude Arlene Collins
- D Larry Rogers Nancy Rogers
- E Ken Barron Keith Kelloway
- F Terry Russell Art Gardner
- G Clarence Collins

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Welcome to the Central MinEx 2023 Mineral Industry Showcase

> On behalf of the organizing committee, the Gander and Area Chamber of Commerce, in partnership with the Town of Gander, welcome to the inaugural Central MinEx 2023, Mineral Industry Showcase. We would like to thank you for joining us and we are delighted to be hosting you at the Steele Community Centre, Gander, Newfoundland and Labrador. This conference and trade show will promote exciting dialogue featuring industry thought leaders, technical experts, suppliers and the local business community to exchange ideas and ignite new opportunities in the mineral exploration and development sector.

The conference program will feature a Trade Show, Prospectors' Tent and Networking Events. The Technical Sessions will feature discussions with decision-makers and leaders on a variety of topics, including:

- An Update on NL's Exploration Projects and Gold Discoveries in Central Newfoundland
 - o Part I: Advanced Gold Projects
 - o Part II: Gold Discoveries and Critical Minerals Junior Explorers Update
- Government Funding and Industry Supports
- Fostering Indigenous Engagement, Community and Environmental Partnerships
- Newfoundland and Labrador Goods and Services
 Providers Showcase Panel
- Workforce Supply and Demand Panel
- Innovation and Technology as a Catalyst for Future Development in Newfoundland and Labrador Panel
- The Role of NL's Mining Sector in the Global Energy Transition

Central MinEx is committed to showcasing various aspects of the minerals industry to increase information about the overall value of the sector, from both a socioeconomic and business perspective. We thank our exhibitors and presenters for sharing their knowledge and experience, providing hands-on equipment, engaging demonstrations, interactive displays and exhibits. We encourage all participants to freely share, listen, learn and engage in making new and valuable connections.

Central MinEx 2023 would not be possible without the generous support from its sponsors and volunteers who dedicate their time to making this event a success. We thank you for your support and trust you will enjoy the conference, and the sights and sounds of the central region.



Conference Information

Organizing Committee

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Ed Moriarity	Mining Industry NL

Chamber of Commerce Information

The Gander and Area Chamber of Commerce is the largest Chamber outside the Board of Trade in St. John's and has over 300 members. It is a fantastic group being supported by the Chamber, and providing support for each other.

To take advantage of all the benefits and networking the Chamber offers, please visit ganderareachamber.ca/become-a-member/ to learn more and to complete the application process. Sessions, dates and times subject to change. Sessions are held at the Steele Community Centre and Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre, 155 Airport Boulevard, Gander, NL unless otherwise noted.

Regular delegate registration provides a **full access pass** to the Central MinEx social and networking events, including hospitality transportation. 7

DAY 1 | WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 2023

9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Prospector Training Course Prospecting for Gold in Newfoundland and Labrador with Nathaniel Noel Presented by Newfoundland and Labrador Prospectors Association (NLPA) Facilitator: Nathaniel Noel Availability: This event is free, but advance registration is required by contacting the NLPA. Steele Community Centre, Meeting Room #2
2:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Registration / Information Desk Steele Community Centre, Garrett Hall (Sports Hall of Fame)
2:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Trade Show Exhibition Set Up Trade Show Supplier Showcase and Prospector Tent Set Up Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre
5:30 PM – 9:30 PM	Hospitality Transportation Steele Community Centre to Hotels and return

6:00 PM – 9:00 PM **Exhibitor and Icebreaker Opening Reception** Included with the Regular Delegate Registration *Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre*

Exhibitor and Icebreaker Opening Reception Hospitality Transportation

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DAY 2 | THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 2023

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Registration / Information Desk Steele Community Centre, Garrett Hall (Sports Hall of Fame)
8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Refreshments Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre Lobby
8:30 AM – 9:00 AM	 Welcome and Opening Remarks Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre Moderator: Brad Eisan, Chair, Gander and Area Chamber of Commerce Opening Prayer: Chief Brendan Mitchell, Qalipu First Nation Percy Farwell, Mayor, Town of Gander
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM	Trade Show Supplier Showcase and Prospector Tent Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	 Session 1 - An Update on NL's Exploration Projects and Gold Discoveries in Central Newfoundland Part I: Advanced Gold Projects Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre Ed Moriarity, Executive Director, Mining Industry NL Keynote and Moderator: Dr. Hamish Sandeman, Mineral Deposits Geologist, Geological Survey of Newfoundland and Labrador, Dept. Industry, Energy and Technology Tim Williams, COO, Marathon Gold Corp. Greg Matheson, COO, New Found Gold Corp. Perry Blanchard, VP Environmental and Sustainability, Maritime Resources Corp. Crispin Pike, VP Discovery, Matador Mining Ltd.
10:30 AM - 10:45 AM	Refreshment Break Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre
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Broadway production of Come From Away and a Kraft Hockeyville Exhibition Game. The Steele Community Centre is committed to providing professional, high-quality service to our clients. Should you require assistance while exhibiting at the Centre during the Central MinEx Convention, please do not hesitate to speak to facility personnel. 9

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10:45 AM - 12:30 PM	Session 1 – An Update on NL's Exploration Projects and Gold Discoveries in Central Newfoundland
	Part II: Gold Discoveries and Critical Minerals Junior Explorers Update
	Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre
	• Moderator: Alexandra Squires, Research Geologist, New Found Gold Corp.
	 Roger Moss, President and CEO, Labrador Gold Corp.
	 Patrick Laracy, CEO, Vulcan Minerals Inc.
	 Tim Froude, President and CEO, Sokoman Minerals Corp.
	 Jeff Swinoga, CEO, Exploits Discovery Corp.
	 Stephen Stares, President and CEO, Benton Resources Inc.
	 Mark Scott, President and CEO, Gander Gold Corp.
	 Bob Patey, Senior Geologist, Canstar Resources Inc.
12:30 PM – 1:30 PM	Trade Show Supplier Luncheon
	Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre
1:30 PM – 2:15 PM	Session 2 – Government Funding and Industry Supports
	Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre
	• Moderator: Hannah de Young, Manager of Homeowners Journey, TD Bank
	 Peter Howell, Client Engagement Advisor, National Research Council Canada
	 Brad Way, Manager, Mineral Incentive Program, Dept. of Industry, Energy and Technology
	 Lacee Abbott, Senior Innovation Advisor, Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada
2:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Public Hours
	Trade Show Supplier Showcase and Prospector Tent
	Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre
2:15 PM - 3:15 PM	Session 3 – Fostering Indigenous Engagement, Community and Environmental Partnerships
	Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre
	Moderator: Chad Butler, VP Business Development, Growler Energy
	Chief Brendan Mitchell, Qalipu First Nation
	• James Powell, VP Regulatory and Government Affairs, Marathon Gold Corp.
	 Stanley Oliver, Manager of Indigenous Relations, Indigenous Skilled Trades Office, Trades NL
	 David Johnson, Director Indigenous and Community Projects, Hatch



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3:15 PM - 3:45 PM	Refreshment Break Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre
3:45 PM - 4:45 PM	Session 4 – Newfoundland and Labrador Goods and Services Providers Showcase Panel
	Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre
	Moderator: Jennifer Bessell, CEO, NLOWE
	 Brad Eisan, Managing Partner, Landmark Surveys and Engineering Ltd. Garrett Watton, Mayor, Town of Appleton
	 Barry Warren, President, Dooleys Trucking
	 Scott Allen, President, AllRock Consulting Ltd.
	 Nicole Keats, Owner, Newfoundland Tea Co.
	 Christina Blanchard, Project Engineer, Hi-Point Industries
4:30 PM – 5:30 PM	Networking Reception Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre
6:30 PM – 10:30 PM	Hospitality Transportation Hotels to Gander International Airport and return
7:00 PM – 10:00 PM	Cocktail Reception with Local Entertainment Included with the Regular Delegate Registration Gander International Airport

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DAY 3 | FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 2023

8:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Registration / Information Desk Steele Community Centre, Garrett Hall (Sports Hall of Fame)
8:00 AM - 8:30 AM	Refreshments Steele Community Centre, Garrett Hall (Sports Hall of Fame)
8:30 AM – 9:50 AM	Session 5 – Workforce Supply and Demand Panel
	Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre
	 Keynote and Moderator: Sharon McLennon, Director, NL Workforce Innovation Centre (NLWIC)
	 Anne Marie Waterman, VP Human Resources, Marathon Gold Corp. Janessa Cole, HR Project Partners
	Susanne Dawe, Stakeholder Engagement Coordinator, NL Workforce Innovation Centre
	 Audrey Wade, Manager, Career Development, Women in Resource Development Corporation (WRDC)
9:00 AM – 4:00 PM	Trade Show Supplier Showcase and Prospector Tent Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM	Public Hours
	Trade Show Supplier Showcase and Prospector Tent Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre
9:50 AM – 10:10 AM	Refreshments Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre
10:10 AM - 11:30 AM	Session 6 – Innovation and Technology as a Catalyst for Future Development in Newfoundland and Labrador Panel
	Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre
	 Moderator: Janelle Skeard, Mining Network Development Officer, College of the North Atlantic
	 Dr. Gary Thompson, Director of Industry Innovation and the College Innovation Network, College of the North Atlantic
	 Florian Villaumé, CEO, techNL
	Allan Cramm, VP Innovation, Novamera Inc.
11:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Shuttle Transportation
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12:00 PM – 1:30 PM	Luncheon with Keynote Speaker Included with the Regular Delegate Registration Welcome and Opening Remarks Brad Eisan, Chair, Gander and Area Chamber of Commerce		
	Welcome Message The Honourable Andrew Parsons Minister of Industry, Energy and Technology		
	Introduction of Keynote Speaker The Honourable Andrew Furey Premier of Newfoundland and Labrador		
	Keynote Luncheon with Eric Sprott Newfoundland: Opportunities in Precious Metals by Eric Sprott Gander Quality Hotel & Suites		
	Eric Sprott is a renowned and respected leader in the investment community and one of the world's premiere gold and silver investors with over 50 years of experience in the investment industry.		
1:30 PM – 2:00 PM	Shuttle Transportation Gander Quality Hotel & Suites to Steele Community Centre		
	Luncheon with Keynote Speaker Sponsored Hospitality Transportation by		
2:00 PM – 3:20 PM	Session 7 – The Role of NL's Mining Sector in the Global Energy Transition Joseph R. Smallwood Arts and Culture Centre		
	Moderator: Amanda McCallum, President, Ignite Education Inc.		
	 Walter Parsons, VP Transmission and Business Development, Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro 		
	 Ashley Pike, Research Manager, Growler Energy 		
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Trade Show Break Down		
	Trade Show Supplier Showcase and Prospector Tent Break Down Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre		



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Roll up your sleeves and try your hand at gold panning with prospectors Al Keats, Peter Dimmell and more. Gold panning sediment is from the Queensway North Project.

Trade Show Floor Booth 13b, Steele Community Centre





Central MinEx EXPLORATION CHALLENGE

School Schedule				Public Hours	REGISTIVE DECOMPANY
Day	Time	School	Town		
Thursday April 27	12:00 - 2:00 PM 12:00 - 2:00 PM	Lakewood Academy Lakeside Academy Leo Burke Academy St. Anne's High School	Appleton Buchans Bishops Falls Conne River	2:00 - 4:00 PM	unter a second
Friday April 28	9:30 - 11:00 AM	St. Paul's Intermediate	Gander	9:00 - 11:00 AM	



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Carving Demonstration with Clyde Drew

Clyde Drew is a Mi'kmaq artist originally from the town of Conne River and currently resides in St. Alban's, Newfoundland and Labrador. His hauntingly intricate three-dimensional art captures the Mi'kmaq culture, tradition and history. A self-taught carver, Clyde began working with wood, chain saw and chisel in his mid 30s, before switching to moose, caribou antlers and whalebone. Songs and stories from his childhood have greatly influenced his work's focus, beautifully bringing together the world of spirits and natural forms. His carvings sell internationally and are on display in galleries across Canada.

Trade Show Floor Booth 21, Steele Community Centre





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Networking and Social Events at a Glance

DAY 1 | WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

6:00 PM – 9:00 PM | Exhibitor and Icebreaker Opening Reception

Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre

Menu

Appetizers + Bar Services Meatballs, Scallops, Wings, Cod Nuggets, Veggie Tray, Deli Style Meat and Cheese Tray.

DAY 2 | THURSDAY, April 27

12:30 PM – 1:30 PM | Trade Show Supplier Luncheon Trade Show Floor, Steele Community Centre

Menu

Grab and Go Style Lunch Lunch will be served at the Cafeteria, 2nd Floor, Steele Community Centre Soup, Wraps, Fruit Tray, Tea, Coffee, Water.

7:00 PM – 10:00 PM | Cocktail Reception with Local Entertainment Gander International Airport

Menu

Crudité Platters Fresh veggies with

a selection of house crafted sauces. Cheese Boards

Assorted cheeses with grapes, honey, roasted nuts, crackers, including puff pastry wrapped baked bries.

Charcuterie Boards

Dried and cured meats with crostini, fruit spreads and vegetable tapenades. Meat selection to include in-house cured and smoked beef hams, German kasseler, beef pastrami and assorted in-house prepared sausages, bresaola, cold smoked duck prosciutto and Spanish lolo curado. Fruit Platters Cake and Cookie Platters Mixed brownie and slab cake bars

Exhibitor and Icebreaker Opening Reception Trade Show Supplier Luncheon Hospitality Transportation

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DAY 3 | FRIDAY, April 28

12:00 PM – 1:30 PM | Luncheon with Keynote Speaker Gander Quality Hotel & Suites

Menu

Entree

Stuffed Chicken Breast with Roasted Potatoes. Chicken supreme breast with drummy attached stuffed with traditional orange and savory dressing topped with a Grand Marnier orange sauce wrapped in bacon. Dessert Strawberry Short Cake or Chocolate Cake. Coffee and Tea.

Hospitality Transportation Schedule

DAY 1 | WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

5:30 PM – 9:30 PM SCC to Hotels and return

DAY 2 | THURSDAY, APRIL 27

6:30 PM – 10:30 PM Hotels to Gander International Airport and return

DAY 3 | FRIDAY, APRIL 28

11:30 AM - 12:00 PMSCC to Gander Quality Hotel & Suites1:30 PM - 2:00 PMGander Quality Hotel & Suites to SCC

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