

MOBILIZING FOR THE FUTURE

OUWCC - 2014 CONFERENCE

Second Call

February 20th to February 23rd, 2014

Crowne Plaza Niagara Falls

5685 Falls Avenue, Niagara Falls, Ontario L2E 6W7

REGISTRATION FEE:	PER DELEGATE
CUPE Ontario Affiliated Locals	\$215.00
Non- Affiliated Locals	\$375.00
Late Fee per delegate (after February 7 th , 2014)	\$ 50.00

HOTEL & TRAVEL

Hotel reservations are to be made directly with:

W.E. Travel - 1-888-676-7747

Room costs are \$99.00 (Traditional) or \$129 (Fallsview) - **Cut off date is January 28th, 2014**

If you require small local financial assistance, on-site child care, Simultaneous French Translation, ASL, or have any other accessibility needs, please see our website at www.cupe.on.ca or contact our office at 905-739-9739.

THESE FORMS MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED BY FEBRUARY 3RD, 2014

(If you require this notice in French, please also visit our website)

Si vous exigez que la traduction française voie le site Internet

Janice Folk-Dawson

Charlotte Monardo

OUWCC Chair

OUWCC Co-ordinator

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AGENDA

Thursday – February 20th

6:00 – 9:00pm

OPENING & WELCOME

- Aboriginal Teaching (Joanne Webb, CUPE Ontario Diversity VP)
- CUPE Ontario (Fred Hahn, CUPE Ontario President)
- OUWCC (Janice Folk-Dawson, Chair)

CREATIVE SOLUTIONS

- Mayworks Performance
- Nora Loreto (Author)

9:00 pm

WELCOME SOCIAL

Friday – February 21st

9:00am – 12:30pm

SETTING THE POLITICAL CONTEXT

- CCPA
- Workers Action Center
- Dr. Carlo Fanelli

MOBILIZING RESISTANCE TO THEIR AGENDA & DEMANDING OURS!

- Chris Dixon (Facilitator)

12:30 – 1:30pm

LUNCH

1:30 – 4:30pm

CREATING PROVINCIAL/SECTOR SOLIDARITY PACTS

9:00pm

GAMES & MOVIE SOCIAL

Saturday – February 22nd

9:00am – 12:30pm STRATEGY & CAMPAIGN PLANNING

- Chris Dixon (Facilitator)

Ouwcc Campaign Updates

- Sessional/Contract Faculty
- Food Service Workers
- Where's the funding

12:30 – 1:30pm LUNCH

1:30 – 4:30pm CAMPAIGN DEVELOPMENT WORKING GROUPS

- Health & Safety
- Anti-privatization
- Organizing
- Pensions
- Connecting with Community

Ouwcc Action Plan

7:00 – 9:00pm GLOBAL JUSTICE FORUM

Sunday – February 23rd

9:00am – 12:30pm BUSINESS

- Elections
- Campus Rep Selection
- Candace Rennick - Financial Report (CUPE Ontario & Ouwcc)
- Resolutions

NOTE: Life Style Breaks: 10:30 am & 2:45 pm

Self Directed Caucuses: Friday 12:30 – 1:30 pm & 5:00 – 9:00 pm

Saturday 12:30 – 1:30 pm & 5:00 – 9:00 pm

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<u>NAME IN FULL</u> (please print)	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>CONTACT INFORMATION</u>	<u>STAFF HIRED BY LOCAL</u>
		phone: _____ e-mail: _____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
		phone: _____ e-mail: _____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
		phone: _____ e-mail: _____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
		phone: _____ e-mail: _____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
		phone: _____ e-mail: _____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
		phone: _____ e-mail: _____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
		phone: _____ e-mail: _____	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

SIMULTANEOUS FRENCH TRANSLATION REQUIRED **ASL TRANSLATION REQUIRED**

Staff of hired locals will be charged the Affiliates Fee and be issued a staff badge.

Article 4.5 provides the number of delegates who may attend each Conference shall not be limited. No more than two (2) delegates from each Local shall be deemed to be voting delegates; these delegates will be designated by their Local Union.

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REGISTRATION FEE: AFFILIATES \$215.00 x _____ \$ _____

NON-AFFILIATES \$375.00 x _____ \$ _____

LATE FEE (after Feb 8) \$ 50.00 x _____ \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

(The surcharge of \$160.00 for non-affiliates will be applied to the first per capita tax payment if a local joins the Ontario Division within three months of the conference.)

Registration Deadline is February 8, 2014 – a late fee of \$50 per delegate will apply after this date.

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SECRETARY:	LOCAL NO.
ADDRESS:	
PHONE NUMBER	SIGNATURE:
EMAIL:	

Please make cheque payable to “CUPE ONTARIO” and forward with Registration Form to:

CUPE Regional Office
Attention: Lauree Farrell
80 Commerce Valley Drive East
Markham, ON L3T 0B2



**Local Support Application
For Attendance at
the CUPE Ontario OUWCC Conference**

Local # _____

Name of delegate attending event: _____

Contact person for the local: _____

Email Address: _____

Daytime contact number: _____

Number of members in local: _____

Is the local in the process of bargaining a first collective agreement?

YES NO

Has the local been on strike or locked out in the past year?

YES NO

Method of travel: Air Train Drive

Please enclose the following (*does not apply to newly organized locals bargaining a first collective agreement*):

1. Approved recent trustees report
2. Copy of current bank statement

PLEASE RETURN BY FEBRUARY 3RD

Candace Rennick, Secretary-Treasurer
CUPE Ontario
80 Commerce Valley Dr. E., Suite 1
Markham, ON L3T 0B2



GUIDELINES FOR LOCAL ASSISTANCE TO SECTOR CONFERENCES

CRITERIA

In order to be considered for local assistance the local must fall into one of the 4 categories:

1. Small local from the sector of less than 100 members
2. A Northern local located north of the French River or more than 500 kms from the location of the event
3. A newly organized local union currently negotiating their first collective agreement
4. A local which has been on strike or locked out within the previous year leading up to conference.

In order for a local to be considered for local assistance the following must apply:

1. With the exception of locals negotiating a first collective agreement, the local must be up to date with its CUPE Ontario Per Capita Payments
2. For purposes of this requirement - up to date shall be not more than 3 months in arrears at the time of the conference subsidy being awarded
3. The local must demonstrate an inability to pay

DEMONSTRATING INABILITY TO PAY

A local's inability to pay will be determined based on cash assets in excess of 10x the amount to send one delegate to the conference in question. For example, if it is determined that the cost to send one delegate is \$1,000.00 the local must have less than \$10,000 available to them in cash. The following process will be applied:

1. Once an application form is received, the Secretary-Treasurer will determine the cost of the local's participation based on their delegates' current day reality (location, wages, accommodation, registration fees).
2. The local will be required to demonstrate an inability to pay by submitting to the Secretary-Treasurer a recent and approved local trustees report. The local will also be required to send a copy of their bank statement which will identify cash assets.
3. Office furniture and equipments as well as property will not be considered for purposes of determining assets.
4. Special circumstances, like a pending arbitration or strike averting campaign will be considered when determining the local's inability to pay.

APPLICATION

In order to be considered for assistance to attend an event an application must be filled out and sent back to the Secretary-Treasurer by the deadline specified on the assistance form. Such form and guidelines shall be mailed with the conference call notice.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Local assistance shall be built into the conference budget using conference revenue. Assistance shall be limited to the following:

1. Assistance will normally be limited to one member per local. Assistance will not be available if the local is otherwise sending a delegate.
2. The registration fee to attend the event shall be waived and such delegate will be entitled to all rights and privileges in accordance with the sector by-laws.
3. Return travel shall be provided in the case of air or train travel and reimbursement of mileage in the case of automobile travel. The decision should be based on the most economical and reasonable method of travel.
4. Where possible and where a conference has any unused complimentary rooms, accommodation may be provided as well.

NEWLY ORGANIZED LOCALS

Some additional support may be provided in recognition of newly organized locals who have no collective agreement and no union dues being collected. Such support to be considered at the time of conference budget planning.



OUIWCC CONFERENCE ACCESS REQUEST FORM

(Please fill out this form for each delegate)

Local No. _____

(Please print or type)

Name of Delegate: _____

Address: _____

Postal Code

Telephone: (home) _____

(office) _____

Email: _____

Please check service(s) required (All services will be provided by CUPE Ontario):

Guide/Personal Assistance

I will provide my own

One is required

	Hotel	Event
ASL Interpretation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Wheelchair / scooter access	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Assistance at check in/Registration	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Assistance in case of evacuation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Alternative Communication

French Translation

Real Time Captioning

Alternative Media
Large Print (Font Size _____)

I Need Materials in advance

(in order to accommodate a disability)

Electronically

Serious allergy alert (Please specify) _____

Will you require any other accommodations at the event? (Please specify)

Will you require any other accommodation at the hotel (such as TTY, visual alarm, etc.) (Please specify)

Other services? (Please specify)

Please complete and return by **FEBRUARY 3RD TO:**

CUPE Ontario Access Request
80 Commerce Valley Dr. E., Suite 1
Markham, Ontario L3T 0B2
905-739-9739 or FAX: 905-739-9740



CUPE ONTARIO On-Site Child Care Registration

Any delegate intending to bring their child(ren) to a conference, please complete a **separate form for each child to be registered**. (Additional copies may be photocopied).

NAME OF FUNCTION	DATES

CHILD'S NAME	Age	Medical Problems, Allergies or Special Care

CONSENT

I, _____ (parent/guardian) hereby give permission for my child registered above to participate in various recreational and leisure activities offered by the trained staff of the On-Site Child Care during the period of the above-named conference.

RELEASE OF RESPONSIBILITY

I, _____ (parent/guardian) hereby release CUPE Ontario from any and all claims for damages to the safety or health of my child registered above, howsoever caused, while participating in any activities of the On-Site Child Care during the period of the above-named conference.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Address : _____

_____ Postal Code _____

Phone (home) _____ (work) _____ Local No. _____

Signature of Witness: _____ Date: _____

Name of Witness: _____

(please print)

Please complete and return the above form

BY FEBRUARY 3RD to:

On-Site Child Care Registration

CUPE Ontario, 80 Commerce Valley Dr. E., Suite 1, Markham, ON L3T 0B2

Phone: 905-739-9739 Fax: 905-739-9740