



Women of Power

Rise for Fairness

2015 Women's Conference

Sisters will celebrate International Women's Day together on March 7th. We will travel together to the International Women's Day rally and march in Toronto. Travel arrangements for home should be made for late afternoon on March 7th to allow for us to have a presence together at the march.

**Wednesday, March 4 (7pm) to
Saturday, March 7 (late afternoon)
Toronto Sheraton Centre
123 Queen St. W.
Toronto, Ontario M5H 2M9**

REGISTRATION FEE:	Affiliates	\$215.00
	Non-Affiliates	\$375.00
Late Fee per delegate after February 15:		\$ 50.00



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"Women of Power – Rise for Fairness"
March 4-7, 2015
Toronto Sheraton Centre



Conference Agenda

Agenda will be on the CUPE Ontario early in the new year.

Childcare

If there is sufficient demand, we will provide on-site childcare for Sisters attending the Conference. Requests for on-site childcare must be received no later than **Tuesday, February 10TH** and delegates will be advised of the decision as quickly as possible.

Election Process

In accordance with the Constitution of CUPE Ontario, the 2014-2016 Women's Committee will be elected at this Conference.

Delegates must be from affiliated Locals in order to be eligible to vote and/or to stand for a position in this election. Those interested in standing for a position must have their Local's support to do so.

Five positions will be filled by caucus elections – Racialized Women, Aboriginal Women, LBT Women, Women with Disabilities and Young Women. These caucuses will be held on **Thursday, March 5th and Friday, March 6th** at different times during the day. Delegates must self-identify as a member of a particular caucus in order to participate in these elections.

Registration Fees

\$215.00 for affiliated Local Unions; \$375.00 for non-affiliated Local Unions. The surcharge of \$160.00 for non-affiliates can be applied to the first per capita payment if a local joins the Ontario Division within three months. The \$50.00 late fee per delegate applies after February 15th.

Hotel Accommodations

A block of rooms has been set aside at the **Toronto Sheraton Centre**, 123 Queen St W. We suggest that you reserve your rooms immediately by calling **W.E. Travel at 1-888-676-7747**. Please identify that you are booking for the **CUPE Ontario Women's Conference** to ensure you receive our special standard room rate of \$189.00/night plus tax for single/double occupancy. Hotel accommodations must be made no later than **February 10th, 2015**.

If you require 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 10, 2015.

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