



## FINAL CALL NOTICE!

### TRADES CONFERENCE 2024

Registration starts at 3pm on January 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024.  
Conference ends at noon on February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024.

### SHERATON PARKAY HOTEL

600 Highway 7 East, Richmond Hill, ON

#### Hotel Guest Room Fee: \$179.00

Hotel room rate is subject to tax and fee per room.

Guest room reservations are to be made through W.E Union Travel by January 3, 2024.

Phone: 1(888) 676-7747 [Mention **Trades Conference** when booking your room(s)]

Guestroom booking link: [www.weuniontravel.ca](http://www.weuniontravel.ca)

#### Registration Fee:

\*On-line registration will be closed 5 business days prior to the conference

Affiliates:	\$275 by December 29, 2023, after cut-off date \$325
Non-Affiliates:	\$435 by December 29, 2023, after cut-off date \$485

If you require French translation, ASL interpretation, childcare services, or any other accessibility accommodations, please submit your request by filing out the access request form by December 29, 2023.  
(The link to the access request form can be found in your confirmation email.)

[Link to register: https://cupe.on.ca/event-registration-trades-conference-2024/](https://cupe.on.ca/event-registration-trades-conference-2024/)

(Password: trades2024)

**\*No refunds or cancellations will be available after January 19, 2024**



# DRAFT AGENDA

## Monday January 29

3:00-6:30p.m.	Registration
6:00-9:00 p.m.	Opening Session Indigenous Land Acknowledgement Equality Statement Declaration of People of African Descent Fred Hahn – CUPE Ontario President Welcome from York District Council Approval of Agenda Chairs Report Retiree Network message

## Tuesday Jan 30

8-9am	Registration
9-10am	Trades Mapping and Compensation (Darren Pacione, PSAC and Jason DeFraga, CUPE)
10-10:15am	Break
10:15-11am	MPP Wayne Gates - Government Update
11-12pm	Skilled Trades Ontario/Gov't Strategic direction.
12-1:30pm	Lunch
1:30pm-1:45pm	AROAP
1:45pm-2:45pm	Panel discussion (Ticha Albino, Alec Farquar, OFL officer assigned to trades)
2:45-3:00pm	Break
3:00- 4:00pm	Panel discussion (Ticha Albino, Alec Farquar, OFL officer assigned to trades)
6-9pm	Meet and Greet – Cash Bar

## Wednesday Jan 31

9:00-10:00am	Angela MacEwan - Inflation
10:15-10:30am	Break
10:30-12pm	Contracting out/Privatization
12-1:30pm	Lunch
1:30-3:00	Breakout (Anti-Harassment and Bystander Training - 3hrs)
3:00-3:15pm	Break
3:15-4:45pm	Breakout (Anti-Harassment and Bystander Training – 3 hrs)

## Thursday, Feb 1

9-10 am	Secretary Treasurer Yolanda McClean (Venai) CUPE Ontario Campaign as per Action Plan and Resolution (Venai)
10:00am-11pm	Action Plan
11am-12pm	Close

