

AGENDA

IFI Business Opportunities Seminar – Energy and Environment in East Asia and Pacific	
8:00 a.m.	Registration Opens
8:00 a.m. (1 hour)	Networking Breakfast
9:00 a.m. (10 min)	<p>Welcome from Calgary Economic Development Shona Reilly – Director of Trade</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Share CED initiatives (5 min) • Q&A (5 min)
9:10 a.m. (10 min)	<p>Welcome from the Government of Alberta Dennis Schultz</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Share GOA updates (5 min) • Q&A (5 min)
9:20 a.m. (50 min)	<p>Trade Commissioner Service: How to pursue business with the IFIs</p> <p>Carmen Sparrow (5 min)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome and general update from the Trade Commissioner Service. • Highlight the next section of the program. • Meet our IFI Trade Commissioners, Leah Johnston who specializes in the IFI relationship with the World Bank and Kayla Slobodnik who specializes in the IFI relationship Asian Development Bank. • Learn how to pursue IFI business opportunities. • Invite Leah Johnston to the podium. <p>Leah Johnston (15 min)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General overview of the World Bank. • Strategic direction of the IFIs.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Success story. • Call to action on how to utilize information. • Invite Kayla Slobodnik to the podium. <p>Kayla Slobodnik (15 min)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General overview of the Asian Development Bank. • Strategic direction of the IFIs. • Success story. • Call to action on how to utilize information. • Invite audience to direct questions to you, Leah and Carmen. <p>Q&A (15 min)</p> <p>Kayla Slobodnik, Leah Johnston, Carmen Sparrow</p>
10:10 a.m. (15 min)	Break
10:25 a.m. (20 min)	<p>Asian Development Bank</p> <p>Natasha M. Mooney, Senior External Relations Officer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General ADB Information • Strategy 2030 and MDB Evolution • Direction of the ADB • Q&A
10:45 a.m. (1 hour)	<p>Procurement at the Asian Development Bank</p> <p>Martin Ayson, Procurement Specialist</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General overview (45 min) • Q&A (15 min)

11:45 a.m. (45 min)	Networking lunch
12:30 p.m. (1 hour)	Meet the Banks: The World Bank's Energy Portfolio in East Asia and the Pacific Yuge Ma, Senior Energy Specialist <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlight opportunities related to the World Bank energy sector (45 min) • Q&A (15 min)
1:30 p.m. (1 hour)	Meet the Banks: The World Bank's Environment and Climate Portfolio in East Asia and the Pacific Pawan Patil, Senior Environmental Economist <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlight opportunities related to the World Bank environment sector (45 min) • Q&A (15 min)
Break	
2:30 p.m. (1 hour)	Meet the Banks: The Asian Development Bank's Environment Portfolio Ms. Siti (Sanny) Hasanah, Senior Urban Development Specialist <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Highlight opportunities related to the ADB environment sector (45 min) • Q&A (15 min)
3:45 p.m. (1 hour)	Canadian success stories with the IFI market Panel Discussion (45 min) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moderator – TBD • Kayla Slobodnik to confirm speaker • Shantel Jordison, Director, Americas, Alinea • Miles Scott-Brown, President, The Ciera Group • Manitoba Hydro

	Q&A (15 min)
4:45 p.m.	Seminar concludes
5:00 to 7:00 p.m. (2 hour)	Networking reception

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8:30am – 11:30pm	B2B meetings in CED Office + 34 th Floor
11:30 – 12:15pm	Lunch – Fifth Ave Place, 34 th Floor Lounge. Provided by CED
12:15pm	Depart CED Office for Teknobuilt 5m Drive
12:35pm	Teknobuilt Tour Office: First Alberta Place, 777 8 Ave SW Suite 2300, Calgary, AB T2P 1H7 Contact: Yogesh, yogesh@teknobuilt.com Alternative Contacts: Abhishek, abhishek@teknobuilt.com Tetiana, tetianab@teknobuilt.com

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1:50pm	<p>Depart Teknobuilt for SAIT</p> <p>10m Drive</p>
2:15pm	<p>Tour at SAIT Address: SAIT – EXACT DROP OFF TBD</p> <p>Contact: Courtney, Courtney.Edwards@sait.ca</p>
3:30pm	<p>Depart SAIT for Carbon Upcycling</p> <p>30-35m Drive</p>
4:15pm	<p>Tour of Carbon Upcycling Address: Carbon Upcycling Technologies, 6280 76 Ave SE #20, Calgary, AB T2C 5N5</p> <p>Contact: Madison, madison.savilow@carbonupcycling.com</p> <p>Alternative Contacts Juliane, Juliane.kniebel@carbonupcycling.com Rhea, rhea.slater@carbonupcycling.com Dante, dante.luu@carbonupcycling.com</p>
5:00pm	<p>Shuttle back to Calgary Economic Development office</p> <p>EOD</p>

