



AGRISKILLS ROUNDTABLE

Educators Collaborate to Strengthen the AgriWorkforce



Monday, March 26, 2018 – 8:30am-3:30pm

**(7:30am – 8:30am Breakfast)*

Simultaneous Interpretation Event

Macdonald Campus, McGill University, St. Anne-de-Bellevue, Quebec

8:30-8:45 am	Welcome and Introductions	Dr. Anja Geitmann , Dean Faculty of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences McGill University, Macdonald Campus Portia MacDonald-Dewhirst , CAHRC Peter Enright , McGill University, Macdonald Campus
8:45-9:15 am	Building Resiliency in Students ✓ <i>Group Discussion</i>	Dr. Lina Di Genova , Associate Director, Assessment, Learning and Evaluation, McGill University
9:15-10:15 am	Tools to Support Educators – AgriJobs & AgriSkills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The National Agricultural Occupational Framework • AgriHR Management Curriculum, Educator Tools & Training etc. • Overview of AGRICarrière’s Training Programs ✓ <i>Group Discussion</i>	Jade Reeve , Manager AgriJobs Tracy Biernacki-Dusza , Manager AgriSkills, Maureen Geddes , University of Guelph, Ridgetown Campus, Pascal Thériault , McGill University, Macdonald Campus Genevieve Lemonde , Directrice générale, AGRICarières
10:15-10:30 am	BREAK	
10:30-11:30 am	How to Engage Non-Ag Background Students to Pursue a Program/Career in Agriculture? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Secondary Perspective • Post-Secondary Perspective ✓ <i>Group Discussion</i>	Becky Parker , AgScape Geoff Brown , Lakeland College
11:45-1:00 pm	LUNCH	
1:15-2:00 pm	How do We Need to Adapt Our Teaching to Our Students?	Student Panel Caitlin MacDougal , McGill University, Macdonald Campus

2:00-3:00 pm	What's on the Horizon? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technology Advances Affecting Students now and in the Future ✓ <i>Group Discussion</i> • New Production Areas: How are Schools Responding to New Demands for Training? ✓ <i>Group Discussion</i> 	Michele Rogalsky & Janice Goldsborough , University of Manitoba Irene Moore , University of Guelph, Ridgetown Campus
3:00-3:15 pm	Closing Comments	Irene Moore , President, Canadian Association of Diploma in Agriculture Programs (CADAP)
3:15-3:30 pm	Wrap Up	