



## 7<sup>th</sup> CECD International Conference on “Creativity and Aging”

# Conference Program

(Program is subject to change)

### Pre-conference Workshops

Thursday, September 8, 2016

**Morning Workshop: 9:00 – 12:00**

**Gary Glazner:** Celebrating Creativity in Elder Care (CECD 6 LUs)

**Morning Workshop: 9:00 – 12:00**

**Dalia Gottlieb-Tanaka:** The Creative-Expressive Abilities Assessment tool (CEAA) for People Living with Dementia (CECD 6 LUs)

**Afternoon Workshop: 1:00 – 4:00**

**Jim Arnold:** THE POWER OF MUSIC: Hands-on Music Recreation Activities (CECD 6 LUs)

**Afternoon Workshop: 1:00 – 4:00**

**Leeanne Stringer:** Artistic Greeting Cards – Past Inspiration Been Renewed (CECD 6 LUs)

**Full Day Workshop: 9:00 – 4:00**

**Anne Brisson:** Sculpting With Paper – An Art Doll (CECD 12 LUs)

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## 2-Day Conference, September 9 & 10, 2016

### DAY 1 - Friday, September 9, 2016

8:00 - 8:30 Registration and Breakfast

8:30 - 8:40 Welcome and Opening of the Conference

*Keynotes*

8:40 – 8:55 **Isobel Mackenzie, Seniors Advocate, Government of British Columbia**

8:55 - 9:10 **Mila Harter: Self-reflection on Creativity and Aging**

9:10 - 9:45 *Presentation*

**Joni Vajda:** Sharing Information on One of the Best Senior Centres in Canada, West Vancouver Seniors Activity Centre, Including Their Outreach Programs for Seniors Living with Dementia (CECD 1 LU)

- 9:50 – 10:25 *Presentation*  
**Gary Glazner: Dancing with Poetry** (CECD 1 LU)
- 10:25 – 10:40 Coffee Break (15 min)
- Presentation*  
 10:45 - 11:00 **Maribeth Friesen: Manager, Regional Services (B.C. Interior)**  
 Alzheimer Society of B.C.
- 11:05 – 11:40 *Concurrent Presentations*  
**Anne Brisson: Using Time as a Creative Tool** (CECD 1 LU)  
**Isobel Mackenzie, Seniors Advocate, Government of British Columbia**
- 11:45 - 12:20 *Presentation*  
**Dalia Gottlieb-Tanaka: The At This Age Group in Vernon, BC – A story of a Successful Program for Aging Adults** (CECD 1 LU)
- 12:20 -1:20 Lunch (Buffet in Emerald Room – 1 hr)
- 1:25 – 3:25 *Workshop*  
**Judith-Kate Friedman: Songwriting Across the Cognitive Landscape: What Music, Arts, Improvisation and Neuroscience have to teach us about Healing, Cultural Well-being, Restoration, and Transformation** (CECD 4 LUs)
- 3:30 – 4:00 **Discussion with the audience** (all participants)
- 7:00 **My Mother’s Story and Songs play** at the Schubert Centre, Emerald Room

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## DAY 2 - Saturday, September 10, 2016

- 8:00 - 8:30 Breakfast
- 8:30 - 8:45 Welcome
- Presentation*  
 9:00 - 9:45 **Terrie Babuik and Allison Miller: I Came for Her and Stayed for Me** (CECD 1 LU)
- 9:50 - 10:25 *Concurrent Presentations*  
**Mary Jane Knecht: Enriching Quality of Life Through Arts Engagement for Persons Living with Dementia and Their Care Partners** (CECD 1 LU)  
**Jodi Besler: Seniors Story Day: A Community Intergenerational Life Review Project**
- 10:30 - 10:45 Coffee Break (15 min)
- 10:50 - 11:25 *Concurrent Presentations*  
**Dalia Gottlieb-Tanaka: Introductory to the Creative Expressive Abilities Assessment (CEAA) Tool. Designed for people living with Dementia** (CECD 1 LU)

**Alison Cada:** Creative Arts, Dementia and Nursing Students - Building Connections, Confidence and Empathy

11:30 - 12:30 Lunch (Buffet in Emerald Room – 1 hr)

12:35 - 1:10 *Video Presentation*

**Julie Gross McAdam:** But, I can't draw a straight line! Creative ways to facilitate an art activity with people living with dementia *(CECD 1 LU)*

1:05 - 2:05 **Free Public Lecture.** Opportunity for the public to ask and mingle with our invited presenters. Judith-Kate Friedman will open and close the session

2:10 - 3:00 **Closing Comments**

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**End of Conference**