



GLOBAL PURSUITS, LOCAL ENDEAVOURS

# BCCIE SUMMER SEMINAR 2012

DELTA OKANAGAN RESORT & CONFERENCE CENTRE, KELOWNA, BC JUNE 24-27



## CALL FOR SESSION PROPOSALS

The BC Council for International Education (BCCIE) is pleased to announce a call for session proposals for the BCCIE Summer Seminar 2012. This year's conference theme is **Global Pursuits, Local Endeavours**.

As international educators, how do we integrate the international dimensions of our work with the overall strategic priorities of our districts and institutions? How do we ensure that the benefits of international education are shared by all student communities? What strategies can we put in place to build support in our cities and communities for the pursuit of internationalization? What models of collaboration exist for using local networks and partnerships to be more strategic in our internationalization and international recruitment efforts? While we encourage proposals from across the field of the international education, we're particularly interested in sessions that addressed the connection between international activity and strong local engagement.

As Western Canada's largest international education conference, BCCIE anticipates attracting up to 300 professionals from Canada's K-12, post-secondary, and language sectors. In addition to a full range of concurrent sessions, the Seminar agenda is packed with special events such as the National Dialogue on International Education, Thought Leader dialogues on international marketing and international student services, plenary addresses, a range of networking events, the BCCIE International Awards Banquet, a mentoring event for those new to the field, and a number of pre-conference workshops.

In total, the Seminar can accommodate up to 24 concurrent sessions. The selection committee will look for sessions that address the needs of stakeholders across the K-12, post-secondary and language communities and will also balance the needs of emerging practitioners and those at the leadership level. Most session slots are seventy-five minutes.

Session proposals will be accepted until end of day **March 31, 2012**. Interested session chairs should complete the attached Session Proposal Form in full and provide as much detail as possible. The full list of concurrent sessions will be announced in March, 2012. Please note that session chairs and session speakers are responsible for their own transportation, accommodation, and conference registration costs.

Please contact [seminar@bccie.bc.ca](mailto:seminar@bccie.bc.ca) with any questions.



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## SESSION PROPOSAL FORM

**Session Title**

**Session Chair Contact Name**

**Email**

**Telephone**

**Session Chair Contact Title**

**Institution/District**

**Additional Panellist 1**

**Name**

**Email**

**Title**

**Institution/District**

**Additional Panellist 2**

**Name**

**Email**

**Title**

**Institution/District**

**Additional Panellists 3**

**Name**

**Email**

**Title**

**Institution/District**

**Primary Audience 1: Stakeholder Community**  
(Select All That Apply)

- K-12
- Language
- Post Secondary

**Primary Audience 2: Professional Stream**  
(Select All That Apply)

- Academic Teaching and Research
- Customized Programming
- International Student Mobility
- International Student Services/Advising
- Language Teaching & Training
- Leadership
- Marketing, Recruitment & Admissions

**Primary Audience 3: Level of experience**

- New to International Education
- Intermediate/Mid-career
- Leadership

**Deadline for receipt is March 31, 2012**

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**Session Title**

**Session Description (Max. 150 words):**

**Format of Session**

Presentation

Workshop

Roundtable

**Audio Visual Needs:**

Please note that BCCIE will provide a projector and laptop for all sessions. We will do our best to accommodate additional requests.

**Other Needs/Questions:**