

Kindergarten Summit: Framing Our Future ^[1]



The poster features a group of diverse young children at the top, each holding a letter to spell out 'KINDERGARTEN'. Below them is a blue banner with a white circle on the left containing the text 'REGISTRATION NOW OPEN'. To the right of the circle, the text 'FRAMING OUR FUTURE' is in white, followed by 'KINDERGARTEN SUMMIT' in large white letters. Below this banner is a table with three rows: 'WHAT', 'WHERE', and 'WHEN'. The 'WHAT' row lists four bullet points: 'DEFINE DECENT WORK IN THE KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM', 'IDENTIFY INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS', 'BREAK DOWN BARRIERS', and 'WORK TOGETHER TO BUILD SOLIDARITY'. The 'WHERE' row lists the location: 'GEORGE BROWN COLLEGE WATERFRONT CAMPUS 51 DOCKSIDE DRIVE TORONTO, ON M5A1B6'. The 'WHEN' row lists the date and times: 'SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2020', 'REGISTRATION 8:00AM', and 'WORKSHOPS 8:30AM-5:00PM'. Below the table is a blue section with white text: 'AECEO/OCBCC Members: \$35, General Registration: \$45', '*Continental breakfast and lunch included', 'REGISTER AT WWW.AECEO.CA/KINDERGARTEN_SUMMIT_FRAMING_OUR_FUTURE', and 'FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT info@aeceo.ca OR 1-866-932-3236 ext 27'. At the bottom are logos for AECEO, Atkinson Centre, George Brown College, School of Early Childhood, and Better Child Care.

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7 Mar 2020 - 12:00am

Event Website: [Summit website](#) ^[2]

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Region: Ontario ^[4]

Details

Framing our Future: Kindergarten Summit ^[2]

Building from the four foundations of Decent Work from the Ontario Early Childhood Sector Decent Work Charter, we seek to explore together opportunities to address the challenges that exist in the Kindergarten Program. Participants will engage in multiple workshops that each involve facilitated dialogue to inform a shared vision of how we frame a future of Decent Work in the Kindergarten Program - what do we need to get there and how can we work together?

"As leaders in our communities we will champion practices that promote and sustain decent work, and will join with our community partners, sector networks, associations, policymakers and funders to generate collective actions that expand decent working conditions."

Ontario Early Childhood Sector Decent Work Charter

Workshops

- All Are Welcome Here. Danielle Matthew, RECE

- Conflict Resolution. May Joliffe, RECE, Principal, Rockwood Consulting
- Exploring the connection between mentoring and quality of practice. Anne Hepditch, RECE, Manager, Quality & Capacity Building Children's Services Division; City of Toronto & Dr. Elaine Winick, RECE, Professor, School of Early Childhood, George Brown College.
- Inclusivity: What it means to Early Childhood Educators Working in Kindergarten Programs. Ashley Shirley, RECE & Jane Henriques, RECE
- Key Components of Effective Teacher-ECE Collaboration. Dr. Sandy Youmans, Adjunct Professor, Queens University
- The Kindergarten Partnership: From Vision to Action. Natalie Crisante, OCT, Early Years K-3 Student Achievement Consultant, HWCDSB & Maria Agro, RECE, Field Placement Specialist and Part Time Faculty, Mohawk College
- The Kindergarten Program: A Shared Partnership. Marie Poss ECE Coordinator, Fanshawe College & Lorraine Purgret, ECE Coordinator, Fanshawe College
- Use your Words; Advocate, Respond and Represent. Liv Iatridis, RECE & Kara Long, RECE
- Positive Professionalism. Diego Olmedo, RECE, ETFO Local President, TCDSB; Professor, Seneca College
- Public sector expansion of early childhood education: The role of public jobs to promote decent work. Emis Akbari, Atkinson Centre for Society and Child Development, Professor and Coordinator, School of Early Childhood, George Brown College.
- Focus Group: Assessment and Collaboration in Today's Kindergarten Classrooms. Dr. Christine Romain-Tappin, PhD Candidate, Queen's University and Full-Time Faculty, Loyalist College. View the recruitment poster here.

Registration: 8:00 am

Opening speaker and introduction: 8:30 am

Continental Breakfast and Lunch included

The Kindergarten Summit is an initiative of the Professional Pay and Decent Work project. We are grateful to the Atkinson Foundation for their continued support.

Many thanks to the AECEO's project partners, the Ontario Coalition for Better Child Care and The Atkinson Centre for Society and Child Development and our event partner, George Brown College's School of Early Childhood.

Child minding can be made available on a limited basis. Please contact info@aeceo.ca [3] to enquire.

Flyer for posting may be downloaded [HERE](#) [5].

Cost

\$45.00 - General registration

\$35.00 - AECEO/ OCBCC member registration

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