International Development Week (IDW) 2022

February 8-10, 2022

IDW 2022: Go for the Goals

International Development Week (IDW) is held annually during the first full week of February and aims to inform, inspire, and involve Canadians in Canada's international development efforts. Join us, for a series of virtual events that highlights a range of perspectives and issues that surround the world of international development.

Agenda:

Day 1: Creating Global Leaders in an Interconnected World

Tuesday, February 8
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m

Our local and global communities no longer look or operate the same way. Our interconnected realities generate new challenges, and they require innovative ways of thinking. This presentation will look at the value of generating a sense of leadership and global citizenship in Canadian youth, through international experiences.

Event Link: https://bit.ly/3tO3hrB

Day 2: Indigenous Realities in Response to Development Work

Wednesday, February 9
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m

Join us for a fireside chat with Crystal Manyfingers, discussing challenges and opportunities of Indigenous communities in Canada, seven years after the introduction of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

Crystal Manyfingers is a Teaching and Learning Consultant for Curriculum, Indigenization, and Decolonization at Bow Valley College. She was recognized with a Faculty Award in February 2020. She is a Blackfoot (Kainaiki) woman, from the Kainani (Blood) First Nation in southern Alberta.
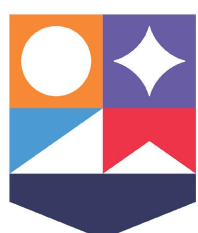
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Day 3: Diversibility: International Development

Thursday, February 10
12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m

Tahira Ebrahim joins Diversibility hosts Amy Spark, Sustainability Coordinator and Justin Hardjowirogo, Intercultural Centre Engagement Officer for a conversation about international development. What is development? How can we amplify marginalized voices that are impacted in this work? How can our own identities and realities shape development work as a personal priority?

Event Link: https://bit.ly/3IkNchc

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