



2019 PVMA Spring Conference

Shaping the Future; People, Performance & Prosperity

Date: February 26-28, 2019

Location: River Cree Resort and Casino, 300 East Lapotac Blvd, Enoch, AB (West side of Edmonton)

Agenda: **Tuesday February 26, 2019**

1:00-4:00 PM Speakers

4:00-5:30 PM AGM

5:30-9:00 PM Meet & Greet

Wednesday February 27, 2019

8:00 AM – 4:30 PM Speakers

5:30 PM – 9:30 PM Banquet & silent auction

Thursday February 28, 2019

8:00 AM – 1:00 PM Speakers

CEC & CEU Credits will be applied for

Key Note Speakers

Randall H. Miller



Randall H. Miller has been the Director of Research and Development at CNUC since May 2017. His responsibilities at CNUC include maintaining and cultivating knowledge of UVM practices, regulations, trends, budgets, utility assets, arboriculture, ecology, technology and other subject areas. Randall performs formal industry surveys to obtain information on UVM programs across North America. Prior to joining CNUC, he worked at PacifiCorp for more than 23-years, including nearly six years as an area forester and 18 years as system forester. He retired from the company as the director of vegetation management. As PacifiCorp's VM director, Randall developed comprehensive specifications based on industry practices, and managed over 60 thousand miles of overhead distribution and transmission lines for the utility. He also served on ACRT's Board of Directors from 2009-2015.

Joseph M. Lentz



1978 Kutztown University – Environmental Science

1984 – 1990 Asplundh Chemical Supervisor

Provided technical services and sales of herbicides, adjuvants, and application equipment to Asplundh field personnel. Promoted the safe and effective use of herbicides to the utility industry throughout the United States.

Responsible for setting up vegetation management programs.

1990-2001 Arborchem Products (Sales Manager)

2002- present Arborchem Products (Vice President)

Responsible for technical service and sales to the right-of-way vegetation management industry.

Written numerous articles on vegetation management for various trade publications.

2008 recipient of the Utility Arborist Association Education Award

John Goodfellow



Mr. Goodfellow has 40 years of experience in the utility industry; having held positions of responsibility for vegetation management, T&D operations, maintenance, engineering, and construction at three electric & gas utilities.

Mr. Goodfellow is recognized as a leading authority on utility vegetation management and reliability. He currently manages an active portfolio of vegetation management related research projects focusing on electrical characteristics of tree-conductor contacts, tree biomechanics, and Integrated Vegetation Management (IVM) practices.

John worked to create the “Right of Way Steward” accreditation program focusing on Integrated Vegetation Management (IVM) and serves as Chair of the Technical Advisory Committee of ROWSC

Mr. Goodfellow received a Bachelor of Science in Environmental Resources Management from SUNY College of Environmental Science & Forestry, and a Bachelor of Science in Forestry from Syracuse University.

Banquet Speaker

Brenda Robinson - *Celebrating the Intergenerational Challenge “Differences are Not Difficulties”*



Brenda is a speaker, trainer, writer and consultant. She is the founder and president of The Robcan Group. Her Bachelor of Arts was earned at Brandon University and her Masters of Education at Simon Fraser University. She has been addressing groups for over thirty years about communications, humour, laughter, positive working skills and wellness in general. Her workshops and presentations are in high demand. She has authored four books and created an Audio CD set to help people to develop these skills.

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Member Early	\$440.00		
Member Late	\$490.00		
Non-Member Early	\$640.00		
Non-Member Late	\$690.00		
One Day	\$340.00		
Extra Banquet Ticket	\$65.00		
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1. Registration includes Meet & Greet, meals, admission and banquet ticket.
2. Extra Banquet tickets can be purchased on first come first serve basis.
3. Payment Options: Credit Card or Cheque.
4. No refunds or cancellations after **January 22, 2019**
5. All cancellations will be charged a \$100 administration fee
6. Early Bird pricing available before **January 22, 2019**
7. Room reservations: Call 1-844-425-2733 and reference the PVMA or follow this link <https://reservations.travelclick.com/104191?groupID=2144192>
January 25, 2019 is the deadline to take advantage of conference room rates
8. Registration also available online by visiting www.pvma.ca

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