



**ONTARIO ASSOCIATION FOR  
IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

## **2007 Conference and AGM**







SECOND ANNOUNCEMENT

**Topic: Duty to Consult: From Theory to Practice  
Aboriginal Consultation  
in Environmental Assessment**

**Dates: November 6 & 7, 2007**

**Location: Royal Botanical Gardens, Burlington Ontario**

### **At the end of this conference you will have:**

-  an understanding of who the Aboriginal communities are in Ontario and why they have an interest in environmental assessments;
-  an understanding of the legal reasons for consulting with Aboriginals and the expectations of provincial and federal agencies;
-  heard from the Aboriginal community about their experience with Environmental Assessments;
-  been provided with case studies to show practitioners different ways of approaching Aboriginal Consultation;
-  shared information about your experiences with aboriginal consultation;
-  developed a role for OAIA in continuing the dialogue of improving EA & consultation practices associated with the Aboriginal community.

**Registration and sponsorship forms are available at : [www.oaia.on.ca](http://www.oaia.on.ca)**

## Who will be interested in this conference?



Private and public sector proponents of municipal, provincial and federal environmental assessments;



Municipal, provincial and federal government agencies who work with environmental assessments and Aboriginal communities;



Aboriginal organizations who are involved in environmental assessments;



Consultants, lawyers and planners who manage environmental assessments and consultation processes;



Students who are interested in the topic and networking with professionals in the field.

The Conference is aspiring to be environment-friendly and culturally aware, introducing diverse communities to one another for their mutual benefit and that of the environment.

A registration form is attached. Register early as space is limited.

More information and further details available at [www.oaia.on.ca](http://www.oaia.on.ca)

## Accomodation

OAIA has booked 30 rooms at each of the following two hotels in Burlington. You must book them at least a month in advance for Monday, November 5th and/or Tuesday November 6th: Please book these separately from the registration for the conference.

**Burlington On The Lake Travelodge Hotel**  
\$ 115 including full continental breakfast  
2020 Lakeshore Rd.,  
Burlington,  
Ontario,  
Canada,  
L7R 4G8  
(905) 681-0762

**Admiral Inn Burlington**  
\$ 72.95 plus tax  
3500 Billings Court,  
Burlington,  
Ontario,  
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