# CARIBBEAN CANADA EMERGING LEADERS DIALOGUES (CCELD)

MARCH 24 - 30, 2019

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# EXECUTIVE PROGRAM KINGSTON, JAMAICA

he Duke of Edinburgh's Emerging Leaders' Dialogues Canada (ELD) has developed a highly regarded leadership program that focuses on real world experiences, creates dialogue and builds the emotional and intellectual capacity of leaders. Caribbean-Canada Emerging Leaders Dialogues (CCELD) provides an opportunity for professionals from both Canada and the Caribbean to examine the relationship between industry and community across multiple sectors in a real life setting, and to be challenged on your assumptions and preconceived notions of what it takes to be a leader.

The 2019 CCELD program will engage 60 emerging leaders from 15 Commonwealth countries with our academic partners the University of West Indies and the Institute for the Study of International Development, McGill University. Three program themes have been selected in consultation with alumni and Caribbean sector representatives that are vital to the Region's economy:

Green and Blue Economies • Technology and Innovation • Culture and Tourism

Through CCELD's unique learning experience, you will develop key competencies in:

- » Cultural intelligence
- » Complex problem solving
- » Ethical decision-making
- » Collaborative negotiation
- » Inclusion & diversity
- » Promotion of innovation
- » Conflict management

The 5 educational modules, delivered by leading academics and practitioners will show how flourishing national and regional economies are rooted in structures of sustainability that include responsible and ethical governance, technical innovation, cultural intelligence, and collaboration.

During the 3 days of experiential dialogues, you will hear from diverse entrepreneurs and executives of business enterprises, labour unions, government departments as well as civil society organizations. As these sectors face complex economic, social and environmental issues, there are also emerging opportunities for innovation. You will also take part in dialogues within team groups that will challenge your leadership assumptions and provide insights applicable to positional, career, and organization opportunities.

## Impact on participants

**DEEPEN** your understanding of cross-sector organizational leadership practices;

**ACQUIRE** innovative skills to implement sustainable development techniques within your own organizations;

practices to your organizations, colleagues and peers throughout your industries;

**FOSTER** increased economic opportunities and partnerships between Caribbean and Canadian leaders and organizations; and

**BECOME** part of a global intergenerational leaders alumni network spanning business, government, labour and civil society.

### **SCHEDULE**

#### **SUNDAY MARCH 24**

REGISTRATION

ORIENTATION: INTRODUCTION AND ACTIVE LEADERSHIP

**DINNER & KEYNOTE ADDRESS** 

#### **MONDAY MARCH 25**

**MODULE 1** Fundamental principles for a Green Economy: from theory to practice

MODULE 2 21st century: local harnessing of current and future challenges and opportunities

#### **TUESDAY MARCH 26**

**MODULE 3** Innovation, social transformation and the future of work

**MODULE 4** Greening the Blue Economy

MODULE 5 Creating Sustainable and viable culture-based tourism in the Caribbean

#### WEDNESDAY MARCH 27, THURSDAY MARCH 28, FRIDAY MARCH 29 — EXPERIENTIAL DIALOGUES

Gain experiential knowledge of best leadership practices from in the field dialogues with diverse entrepreneurs and executives, learning about leadership strategies and management of sectoral organizational issues; and dialogue within team groups to challenge your leadership assumptions and gain insights applicable to positional, career, and organizational opportunities.

#### **SATURDAY MARCH 30**

**PRESENTATIONS** 

CERTIFICATE CEREMONY

CLOSING CEREMONY

ELD Canada has given me a wider view of the global political economy and how we all fit into it. As a professional Accountant and a Trade Unionist I was able to see how financial analysis and workers' rights could be blended to shape my approach to dealing with national and regional issues and has placed me on a path to interact with leaders of governments in many countries and with international development partners. I am now the President of the Jamaica Civil Service Association, the largest public sector union in Jamaica; a Vice President of the National Trade Union Center, The Jamaica Confederation of Trade Unions; and sit on several boards inside and outside of the public sector.

— O'Neil W. Grant, CCELD 2011, President, Jamaica Civil Service Association



#### **APPLICATION DETAILS**

**COST:** \$2,500 USD

Includes: Meals, program sessions, study tour travel, course materials and accommodation.

Not included: Travel to/from Kingston, Jamaica

#### **LOCATION AND ACCOMMODATION:**

The Jamaica Pegasus Hotel, Kingston, Jamaica

TO APPLY / MORE INFORMATION: www.eldcanada.org/cceld-participant-application.html

## PROGRAM ADMINISTRATORS

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## EMERGING LEADERS' DIALOGUES CANADA

ELD Canada in collaboration with leading academic institutions offers unique and impactful programs annually in Canada and the Commonwealth, centred on themes such as leadership growth, ethics and good governance, and sustainable development. These programs extend connections between Canada and Commonwealth countries by developing social and economic ties and good governance practices.

ELD Canada's intensive in-field, experiential programs develop peer-to-peer critical leadership competencies, including collaboration, integration, and critical thinking. Emerging leaders gain experience and understanding of the processes under which multiple sectors operate and apply that experience to the betterment of their organizations, communities and countries as they advance as leaders. By working together, these sectors can connect the necessary knowledge, investment, technologies and resources to address issues which can often be overlooked by a single-sector approach.

Led by the President, HRH The Princess Royal, Princess Anne, Emerging Leaders' Dialogues is a not for profit organization with over 5,000 alumni around the world. ELD Canada Inc. is a registered Canadian charitable organization and a Commonwealth Accredited Civil Society Organization led by a Board of seasoned professionals.

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