

"There's something about Cannexus that just outshines other conferences for me. The quality of the keynote speakers, the variety of topics covered, the energy of the participants, virtual or in-person, is just incomparable in my eyes. I always leave more inspired, with some new nuggets of information to apply to my personal and/or professional life."

Marisa Basque, Employment Counsellor, Inclusion NB

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# **Conference Information**

**DATE** January 29-31, 2024



### **CONFERENCE ORGANIZER**

CERIC Foundation House 2 St Clair Avenue East, Suite 300 Toronto, Ontario Canada M4T 2T5 416.929.2510



### LOCATION

Virtual & Shaw Centre, Ottawa, Canada

### **About CERIC**

CERIC is a charitable organization that advances education and research in career counselling and career development. For more information about CERIC, visit <u>ceric.ca</u>.

### Vision

People in Canada have the capacity to use their skills and talents towards a more fulfilling future for all.

### **Mission**

Advancing career development in Canada.

### **Programs & Publications**

### CAREERWISE ORIENTACTION

These sites help people working in career development across Canada stay up to date on the top news and trends. Popular weekly enewsletters curate the best of the sites.

### CANADIAN | REVUE JOURNAL OF | CANADIENNE DE CAREER | DÉVELOPPEMENT DEVELOPMENT | DE CARRIÈRE

Canadian Journal of Career Development (CJCD) is Canada's only peer-reviewed academic journal of career-related academic research and best practices.

## CAREERING

*Careering* magazine is a resource by and for career development professionals in Canada, with analysis of and reflection on the latest theories, practices and resources.

### GRADUATE STUDENT ENGAGEMENT PROGRAM

### PROGRAMME DE MOBILISATION DES ÉTUDIANTS AUX CYCLES SUPÉRIEURS

CERIC encourages the engagement of Canada's full-time graduate students whose academic focus is in career development and/ or related fields through the Graduate Student Engagement Program (GSEP).

### **CERIC CONTACT**

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## What Is a Hybrid Cannexus?

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CANNEXUS24

VIRTUAL + IN-PERSON

Cannexus24 will be a hybrid conference with a live in-person portion to be held at the Shaw Centre in Ottawa, Canada and a virtual portion. Last year, our in-person conference drew nearly 1,000 delegates and our virtual conferences more than 1,000, making Cannexus the largest bilingual conference of its kind in the country.

This dual format for the 18th annual conference offers the best of both worlds. No matter how you participate, Cannexus will provide an accessible, content-rich and value-packed opportunity for Canada's career development communities to convene, share and learn.

## The Experience

Whether you are part of the in-person or virtual conference, you will be able to access:

- 100+ sessions both live and on-demand
- Presenters from across Canada and around the globe
- Recordings that are available for three months
- Networking opportunities and activities
- Engage with organizations that can help in your work
- Exhibitor Showcase (In-person only)



## **Career Development for Public Good**

Cannexus brings together those across the career and workforce development ecosystem to explore research, policy and practice. The conference will continue to reimagine the impact of career development on education, the economy and social justice.

## Why Cannexus?

Cannexus offers an unmatched opportunity to reach an audience of career development practitioners, career counsellors and related professionals from across Canada in both English and French languages.





"Cannexus23 was yet another reminder of how one event can bring people from all over the world in different services, sectors, business, both employee and client-focused together! Great people, great minds, great ideas! See you all next year!"



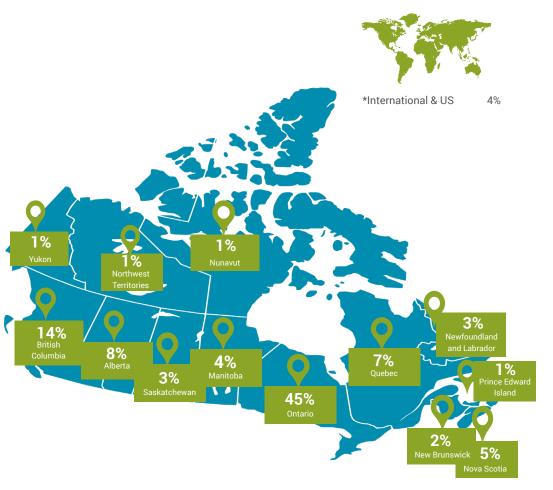
- Brad McKay, Program Supervisor, YES Employment



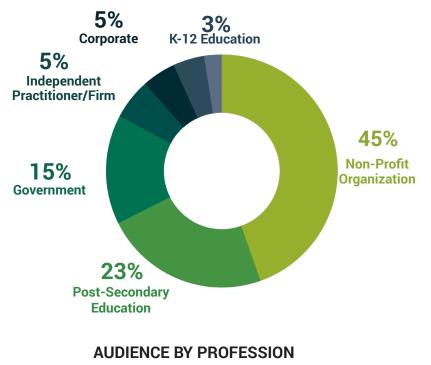
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## Who Attends Cannexus?

### AUDIENCE BY LOCATION



### AUDIENCE BY SECTOR



- Career Development Practitioners •
- Employment Advisors
- Career & Guidance Counsellors
- Career & Life Coaches
- Career Educators, Trainers & Facilitators
- Vocational Educators & Trainers
- Job Developers

- Vocational Rehabilitation Specialists
- Executive Directors, Managers & Co-ordinators
- Human Resource Professionals
- Academics & Students
- Mental Health, Social Services & Immigrant Services Workers
- Workforce Planners

Note: This is reflective of hybrid Cannexus23 attendance

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# **Partnership Opportunities**



These partnership packages are designed to allow your organization to show thought leadership and let attendees understand your organizational strengths and priorities.

- Around the World Sessions (Virtual)
- APCDA Scholarship (Virtual)
- KAIROS Blanket Exercise (In-person)
- Keynote Sessions (Hybrid)
- Live Concurrent Sessions (Virtual or In-person depending on session choice)
- Main Stage (Hybrid)
- Plenary Panel (Hybrid)
- Young Professionals Bursary (Virtual)



## Delegate Experience Partnership Opportunities

- Cannexus Eblasts (Hybrid)
- Captioning (Hybrid)
- Delegate Bag (In-person)
- Lounge (In-person)
- Mobile App (In-person)
- Namebadge/Lanyard (In-person)
- Networking Break (In-person)

- Quiet Room (In-person)
- Recharge Station (In-person)
- Simultaneous Interpretation (Hybrid)
- Student Posters Recorded Sessions (Virtual)
- Virtual Platform (Virtual)
- Wi-fı (In-person)

## **Thought Leadership Partnership Opportunities**

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Plenary Panel - NEW!	\$8,000	Keynote Sessions	\$7,500	
Hybrid	1 Available	Hybrid	3 Available	
Organize (in conjunction with CERIC) a panel session taking place in the plenary hall		Gain exposure during this high-calibre plenary session keynote, including		
on Wednesday which will be streamed into the virtual platform. Gain exposure and		the opportunity for you to deliver introductory remarks, and moderate the		
provide thought leadership to the whole Cannexus audience of over 2,000 virtual		Q&A session. Some keynote speakers will present from the virtual space		
and in-person participants. This session is fully accessible with simultaneous		and be streamed into the in-person conference, while other speakers will		
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#### Around the World Sessions \$6.000 Young Professionals Bursary \$5.000 Virtual Virtual 1 Available 1 Available Partner with CERIC on these three popular international sessions. Sessions Support emerging employment and career development will feature global speakers and take place in different time zones around the practitioners in attending the virtual portion of the Cannexus24 world. All of these sessions will happen in the virtual platform. conference. Set benefits: Set benefits: Opportunity to introduce all three sessions (3-4 mins each). Recorded Subsidize 12 you he field to attend the introduction for pre-recorded sessions, and live introduction for live sessions. virtual portion g exus Ability to moderate the Q&A for live sessions. Please note, the moderator who regie Full confer rson or 4 virtual) ations (either 2 introduces your session is responsible for presenting from a guiet and private space ogniti ence on eblasts. with good internet. CERIC does not provide a space on-site at the Shaw Centre for virtual Company e con 0 or to irtual platform speakers to present their sessions prom ater xus web and Full conference registrations (either 2 in-person or 4 virtual) r our Cannexu Reco lor al n h witte chan stagram) Company logo recognition: Prior to the conference on eblasts, promotional material and Cannexus website; Logo featured prominently on the live stream webpage. The recordings of this session will be available to in-person and Choice benefi t belov virtual attendees for three months • 10' x 'e chibit bod This tion is who sign on K Nov Recognition through all of our Cannexus social media channels (Facebook, mber who sian part tn Twitter, Instagram) will a rence on at oven registrations mentioned below in p Choice of 1 benefit below: Full conference regi or 4 virtual) atio 10' x 10' exhibit booth. This option is only available for partners who sign on by November 3, 2023. Partners who sign on after November 3 will automatically receive the Choice of 2 benefits below: full conference registrations mentioned below in place of the exhibit booth rod ble erWise or Ability to produce a Full conference registrations (either 2 in-person or 4 virtual) t related to your conference OrientAction explorit participation in the lead up to or following Cannexus. The Choice of 2 benefits below: blog must be planned in conjunction with the Editor and align with Submission Guidelines Ability to produce a featured blog in CareerWise or OrientAction exploring the content related to your conference participation in the lead up to or following Ability to send swag for delegates to choose from at the Cannexus. The blog must be planned in conjunction with the Editor and align Resource table (in-person portion) with Submission Guidelines

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#### **APCDA Scholarship** Main Stage - NEW! \$5,000 \$5.000 Hvbrid Multiple Available Virtual 1 Available Subsidize 15 scholarships for Asia Pacific Career Development Association Introduce the session and moderate the Q&A for these popular concurrent (APCDA) members to attend the virtual portion of the 2024 hybrid sessions taking place in Canada Hall 1&2. These sessions will be Cannexus conference. streamed from the Shaw Centre into the virtual platform with simultaneous interpretation into French and English captioning and will engage both Set benefits: audiences. Subsidize 15 professionals from non-high income countries to participate Set benefits: in the virtual portion Opportunity to introduce the session (3-4 mins) and moderate the Q&A Full conference registrations (either 2 in-person or 4 virtual) Company logo recognition: Prior to the conference on eblasts, Full conference registrations (either 2 in-person or 4 virtual) promotional material, Cannexus website and virtual platform Company logo recognition: Prior to the conference on eblasts. promotional material and Cannexus website; Logo featured prominently Choice of 1 benefit below:

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- Full conference registrations (either 2 in-person or 4 virtual)

### Choice of 2 benefits below:

- Recognition through all of our Cannexus social media channels (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram)
- Ability to produce a featured blog in CareerWise or OrientAction exploring the content related to your conference participation in the lead up to or following Cannexus. The blog must be planned in conjunction with the Editor and align with Submission Guidelines
- Ability to send swag for delegates to choose from at the Resource table (in-person portion)
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- on the live stream webpage. The recordings of this session will be available to in-person and virtual attendees for three months
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## Indigenous Blanket Exercise

\$5,000 1 Available

Show delegates your commitment to reconciliation by subsidizing this very popular session that builds awareness and understanding of our shared history as Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples in Canada

### Set benefits:

- Opportunity to present the land acknowledgement and welcome the session leaders by offering tobacco
- Full conference registrations (2 in-person or 4 virtual)
- Company logo recognition: Prior to the conference on eblasts, promotional material and Cannexus website
- Exclusive signage during the in-person sessions
- Recognition through all of our Cannexus social media channels (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram)

### Choice of 1 benefit below:

- Full conference registrations (either 2 in-person or 4 virtual)
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- · Web ad on the Cannexus website for one month
- Ability to send swag for delegates to choose from at the Resource table (in-person portion)

Live Concurrent Session	
(*Virtual or In-person depending on session choice)	

\$1,500 *Multiple available* 

### Introduce a speaker in one of the in-person or live virtual sessions!

Note: this excludes Keynotes, Around the World, Main Stage sessions

### Set benefits:

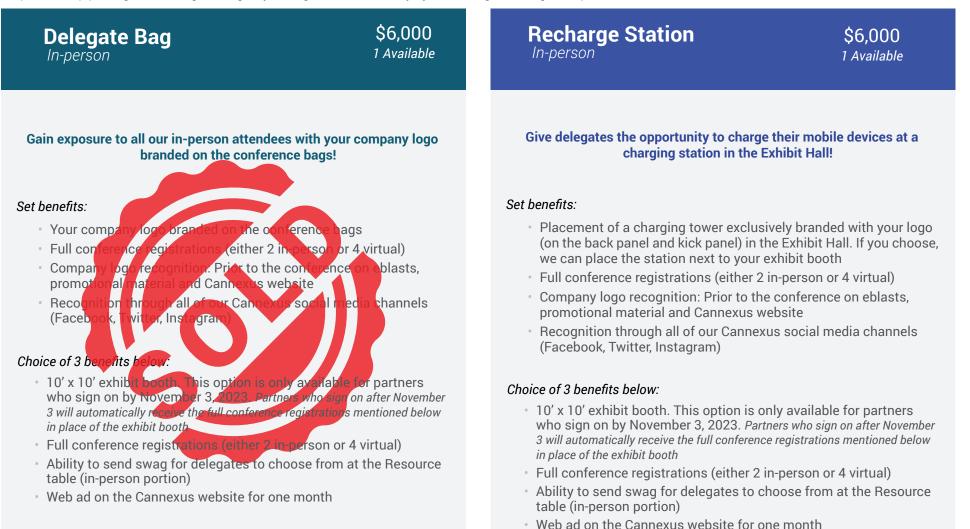
- Opportunity to introduce the session and moderate the Q&A, in-person or virtual, depending on session choice
- 2 full conference registrations (either 2 in-person or 4 virtual)
- Company logo recognition: Prior to the conference on eblasts, promotional material and Cannexus website; Logo featured prominently on the live stream webpage (if virtual). The recordings of this session will be available to attendees for three months
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## **Delegate Experience Partnership Opportunities**



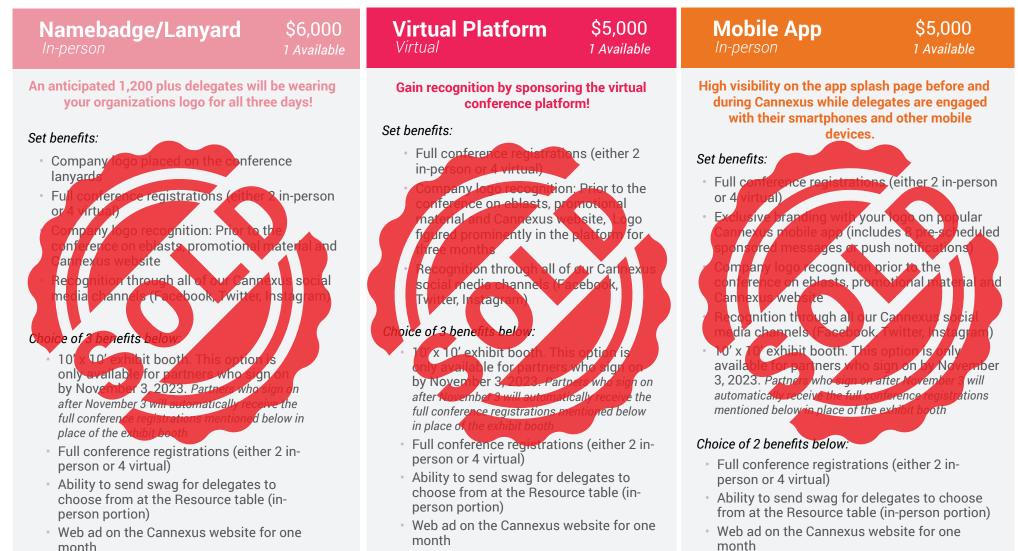


# **Delegate Experience Partnership Opportunities** These partnership packages are designed to give your organization visibility by enhancing the delegate experience.

<b>Quiet Room</b> In-person	<b>\$6,000</b> 1 Available	<b>Lounge</b> In-person	<b>\$6,000</b> 1 Available	
We recognize that large conferences can be overwhelming at times. On Monday and Tuesday, sponsor a quiet place for conference attendees to get away from the hustle and bustle.		Give delegates a place to relax and refresh in this high visibility lounge in the Parliamentary Foyer.		
Set benefits:		Set benefits:	Saft Jounge in the Parliamentary	
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<b>Wi-Fi</b> In-person	<b>\$4,000</b> 1 Available	Cannexus E-blast	<b>\$3,500</b> 1 Available	Networking Break	<b>\$2,500</b> 5 Available
<ul> <li>Subsidize this highly visible and high Cannexus!</li> <li>Set benefits: <ul> <li>Branding with your logo on the wifile</li> <li>Ability to have input in the wifi network (maximum 24 characters) with CER</li> <li>Full conference registrations (either virtual)</li> <li>Company logo recognition: Prior to eblasts, promotional material and OC</li> <li>Exclusive logo recognition on any we throughout the event</li> <li>Recognition through all of our Canne channels (Facebook, Twitter, Instage)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Div x 10' exhibit booth. This option is partners who sign on after November 3 will automa full conference registrations (either virtual)</li> <li>Full conference registrations (either virtual)</li> <li>Ability to send swag for delegates the Resource table (in-person portion)</li> </ul>	ogin splash screen vork and password IC's approval 2 in-person or 4 the conference on annexus website i-fi signage exus social media ram) s only available for 3, 2023. <i>Partners</i> <i>ntically receive the</i> <i>elow in place of the</i> 2 in-person or 4 o choose from at on)	Over 15,000 subscribers in monthly Cannexus e-based of the second sec	vebsite for	<ul> <li>Provide refreshments to ener while they network with co- make new connect</li> <li>Set benefits: <ul> <li>Prominent placement of yoe exclusive signage during the break</li> <li>Full conference registration person or 4 virtual)</li> <li>Company logo recognition: conference on eblasts, pror and Cannexus website</li> <li>Recognition through all of or social media channels (Fac Instagram)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Choice of 1 benefit below: <ul> <li>Full conference registration person or 4 virtual)</li> <li>Ability to send swag for del choose from at the Resource person portion)</li> <li>Web ad on the Cannexus we month</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	bolleagues and tions. bur logo on the networking this (either 2 in- Prior to the motional material our Cannexus bebook, Twitter, this (either 2 in- legates to ce table (in-

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Simultaneous\$2,000Interpretationa dayHybrid1 Available	Student PostersRecorded\$2,000Presentations1 AvailableHybrid	Captioning\$1,500 a dayHybrid3 Available	
Show delegates your organization's commitment to French accessibility by subsidizing translation taking in Canada Hall 1&2. All these sessions will be streamed from the Shaw Centre into the virtual conference platform.	Master's and PhD students in career development showcase their research through 5-minute on-demand poster sessions. Support the next generation of researchers!	Show delegates your organization's commitment to accessibility by subsidizing the English captioning taking in Canada Hall 1&2. All these sessions will be streamed from the Shaw Centre into the virtual conference platform.	
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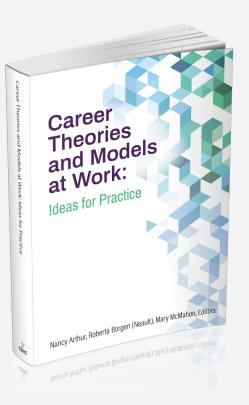
Career Theories and Models in Practice: Knowledge Champions

**\$5,000** 10 Available

You are invited to join an exclusive group of Knowledge Champions whose support will make possible the publication of a "companion" book to the popular *Career Theories and Models at Work: Ideas for Practice*, This new book to be called *Career Theories and Models in Practice* will provide career development practitioners with theory-informed principles for everyday application.

- You will get your logo, organization/program description and weblink both in the book and on CERIC's website
- Thanks to your support, 1,000 career practitioners will each receive a complimentary copy when they gather in Ottawa at the 2024 Cannexus, Canada's Career Development Conference

Read the <u>full Knowledge Champion details</u> and contact Sharon Ferriss, <u>sharon@ceric.ca</u> to learn more.



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