



25 Years of Building Mining Justice

June 7, 2024 | 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM with reception to follow
 NCC River House | 501 Sir-George-Étienne-Cartier Pkwy, Ottawa, ON K1M 2K7

CONFERENCE AGENDA

10:30 AM	Elder opening by Monique Manatch
10:45 AM	Welcome and overview by Jamie Kneen, Canada Program Co-Lead with MiningWatch
10:55 AM	Small group discussions: How has MiningWatch shaped your actions for mining justice? Where should we go from here?
12:00 PM	LUNCH
1:00 PM	<p>Panel: “25 years strengthening a global movement for mining justice”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Catherine Coumans, Asia-Pacific Coordinator for MiningWatch ● Jamie Kneen, Canada Program Co-Lead for MiningWatch ● Jaybee Garganera, National Coordinator of Alyansa Tigil Mina in the Philippines (via Zoom) ● Sayok'la Kindness-Williams, Indigenous Caucus Coordinator for the Western Mining Action Network (WMAN) ● Loretta Williams, Southern Dakelh Nation Alliance and Co-Founder of First Nations Women Advocating for Responsible Mining (FNWARM) <p>Moderated by Ugo Lapointe, member of Firelight Group and former MiningWatch staff member</p>
2:30 PM	Break
2:50 PM	Reflection by Joan Kuyek, founding National Coordinator of MiningWatch Canada, on network building and community power

3:00 PM	<p>Panel: “Community-focused strategies to confront mining injustice”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Josefina Tunki, former President of the Shuar Arutam People in Ecuador (via video) ● Damaris Sanchez Samudio, Co-founder of Panamá Vale Más Sin Minería (via video) ● Oscar Estupiñan, Co-founder of the Comité Santurbán in Colombia (via video) ● Viviana Herrera, Latin America Program Coordinator for MiningWatch ● Steeve Mathias, Lead Negotiator for the Long Point First Nation Council <p>Moderated by Donna Ashamock, Co-Chair of the MiningWatch Board of Directors</p>
4:30 PM	Closing reflection with Loretta Williams of Southern Dakelh Nation Alliance and Rodrigue Turgeon, Canada Program Co-Lead for MiningWatch
4:50 PM	Elder closing by Monique Manatch
5:00 - 6:30 PM	Reception