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OCTOBER 7&8 2015



Keynote Speaker

Michelle Painchaud

"Creating a High-Performance
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- \$70 - Wed.** - Conference ONLY
- \$70 - Thurs.** - Conference ONLY
- \$30 - Students (with ID)** - Full registration

NOTE: all prices shown above include tax (hst).

THE GATHERING

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7th, 6:30 pm

Edgewaters Restaurant & Terrace
6345 Niagara Parkway, Niagara Falls



Enjoy great food and great fun while taking in the panoramic view of both the American and Horseshoe Falls. Celebrate as Greenhouse Canada honours the recipients of their 2015 "Top 10 under 40" award. Laugh together with your clients, colleagues and friends as comedian and host Denis Grignon entertains with his unique brand of humour.

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CONFERENCE BUS TOUR



TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6th

Offering a unique opportunity to tour Ontario's premier vegetable and flower growing operations in the company of OMAFRA specialists, the CGC bus tour travels to the Leamington area in 2015. Valuable insight and ideas combined with good fun. Visit our website for itinerary.

\$145+hst - per person (local option)

\$290+hst - per person (with hotel)

Advance purchase only.

Buses leave from the Marriott Gateway-on-the-Falls hotel. Pre-registration is required. Tours usually sell out — don't delay, register today!

HAPPY HOUR

Wednesday at 4 pm on the trade show floor.

Relax and enjoy the famous CGC Happy Hour. This event offers a natural extension of networking for speakers, exhibitors and attendees. Wine, beer and non-alcoholic beverages are available for purchase. Savour fresh Ontario produce in Chef Shaun Goswell's creations.

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SCHEDULE | WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7th (Morning Sessions)

BALLROOM A

WORKSHOP I



9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

“What’s That!?!” Insect ID Basics

*Olga Piedrahita, Niagara College (ret'd)
Assisted by Jheanelle Roebbelen, Niagara College*

BALLROOM B

ASK THE EXPERT



8:45 AM - 10:15 PM

Drop-In Session

Informal and collaborative. Bring your pictures, samples and questions. Get your answers! Vegetable and flower specialists on hand.

*Sara Jandricic, OMAFRA, Vineland
Cara McCreary, OMAFRA, Harrow
Wayne Brown, OMAFRA, (ret'd)
Viliam Zvalo, Vineland (World Crops), ON*

9:00 AM

Identifying Your Pest Problem: Tips & Tricks

*Sara Jandricic, OMAFRA, Vineland
Cara McCreary, OMAFRA, Harrow*

PRODUCTION I



10:30 AM

Control of Plant Height & Branching in Ornamentals

Ep Heuvelink, Wageningen University, The Netherlands

Five Keys to Success Rooting Vegetative Cuttings

Roger Styer, Styer's Horticultural Consulting Inc., Gilroy, CA

BALLROOM C

PEST MANAGEMENT – Managing Disruptions in Your BioProgram



9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

When Biocontrol Doesn't Work: Infiltrators, intruders and invaders

Michael Brownbridge, Vineland

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When Biocontrol Doesn't Work: Quality assurance of biocontrol agents

Rose Buitenhuis, Vineland

When Biocontrol Doesn't Work: Good guys & pesticides

Suzanne Wainwright, BugLady Consulting, Slatington, PA

BALLROOM D

VEGETABLES I – Production Efficiencies “Lighting”



9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Lighting in Ontario Greenhouse Vegetables Pilot Study Report

*Niki Bennett, Ontario Greenhouse Vegetable Growers
Shalin Khosla, OMAFRA, Harrow*

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Lighting Strategies to Improve Production Efficiencies

Xiuming Hao, Agriculture & Agri-Food Canada, Harrow, ON

Experiences with Artificial lighting in Commercial Greenhouse Vegetable Production

Eric Doef, Doef Greenhouses Ltd. Lacombe, AB

KEYNOTE ADDRESS



11:45 AM



“Creating a High-Performing Organization”

*Michelle Painchaud,
Painchaud Performance Group, Winnipeg, MB*

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PROGRAM | WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7th (Afternoon Sessions)

BALLROOM A

MIND YOUR BUSINESS I

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Labour & Production Management Systems – A Panel Discussion

Find out how these programs can benefit your bottom line by identifying problem areas and improving labour efficiencies. Already operating a system? Ensure you are maximising its potential.

*Priva North America
Hortimax
Hoogendoorn*

BALLROOM B

PRODUCTION II

2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

What's New in Impatiens: Breeding, growing & selling

Jim Kennedy, Ball Horticultural Co., Chicago, IL

Five Keys to Success Growing Plugs from Seed

Roger Styer, Styer's Horticultural Consulting Inc., Gilroy, CA

BALLROOM B

INTERNATIONAL MARKETS

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Border Patrol: Planning and managing your floriculture exports

Andrew Morse, Flowers Canada (Ontario) Inc., Guelph, ON

BALLROOM C

RESEARCH UPDATES

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

The Hidden Powers of Predatory Mites for Thrips Control

Sarah Jandricic, OMAFRA, Vineland

A Dip in Time: Preventative treatments for whitefly on poinsettia

Taro Saito, Vineland Research and Innovation Centre, ON

The Smell of Victory: Using thrips lures in IPM

Angela Brommit, Vineland Research and Innovation Centre, ON

Thripipedia – A new online tool to help beat thrips

Rose Buitenhuis, Vineland Research and Innovation Centre, ON

Double Duty: Impact of bio-inoculants on root diseases and pests in hydroponic production

Travis Cranmer, Vineland Research and Innovation Centre, ON

Optimal LED Supplemental Lighting Level for Greenhouse Cut Snapdragon Production

Youbin Zheng, University of Guelph, ON

Developing Traits for Canadian Greenhouse Vegetables

David Liscombe, Vineland Research and Innovation Centre, ON

Breeding Greenhouse Tomatoes for Ontario Environments

Valerio Primomo, Vineland Research and Innovation Centre, ON

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VEGETABLES II - PRODUCTION EFFICIENCIES "Water Use Optimization"

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Water Efficient Zero-Emission Glasshouse

Andrew Lee, The Grodan Group, UK

Production Efficiency in Greenhouse Vegetables

Ep Heuvelink, Wageningen UR, The Netherlands

Using Plant Sap Analysis System to Optimize Nutrient Use Efficiency

Lorne King, Plant Products, Leamington, ON

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PROGRAM | THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8th *(Morning Sessions)*

BALLROOM A

WORKSHOP



9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

NUTRITION PART 1 – The basics of ppm, mmol, meq, EC & pH
Pre-registration required.

Theo Blom, University of Guelph (ret'd)
Albert Grimm, Jeffery's Greenhouses, St. Catharines, ON

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MIND YOUR BUSINESS II “Human Capital”



9:30 AM - 10:30 AM

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Don't Deprioritize – Energize!

Michelle Painchaud, Painchaud Performance Group,
Winnipeg, ON

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GARDEN CENTRES I



9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

When Science Doesn't Matter – The consumer drives the agenda

John Scott, Vineland Research and Innovation Centre, ON

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Greenhouse Groove – How to Throw a Party that Pays

Karen van Duyvendyk, Dutch Growers Home & Garden,
Regina, SK

Perennial Inputs: Issues & Solutions

Paul Pilon, Perennial Solutions Consulting, Jenison, MI

BALLROOM D

VEGETABLES III



9:30 AM - 11:00 AM

WORKSHOP IV – Production Efficiencies

A round-table discussion on light and water use.

Ep Heuvelink, Wageningen University, The Netherlands
Andrew Lee, Grodan Inc., UK
Xiuming Hao, AAFC Harrow, ON

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PROGRAM | THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8th (Afternoon Sessions)

BALLROOM A

WORKSHOP



2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

NUTRITION PART 2 – How to Prepare Nutrient Solutions using Elemental Fertilizers

Advance Preparation required; smart phone or laptop to be brought to workshop.
Pre-registration required as seating is limited to 20 people.

BALLROOM B

MIND YOUR BUSINESS III “Energy Management”



2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Power Trip

Understand the electrical situation in Ontario specific to the greenhouse industry. How and where can savings be achieved? Will combined heat and power work for you?

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Hot New Plants

Gary Lewis, Phoenix Perennials, Richmond, BC

Tips for Growing Perennials for Specific Sales Windows

Paul Pilon, Perennial Solutions Consulting, Jenison, MI

BALLROOM D

MEDICINAL CROPS



2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Commonly asked questions about growing Medical Cannabis

Sean Westerveld, OMAFRA, Simcoe

Medical Cannabis – A Growers Perspective

Cole Cacciavillani, Aphria Inc., Leamington, ON

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