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Now in its 34th year, the annual Directors' Forum is a unique professional development, educational and networking opportunity for new, young and returning directors, that is organized by system directors.

October 11 – 13, 2018  
Courtyard by Marriott, Downtown Toronto

**Directors'**  
**Forum**

## What to Expect...

A full day-and-a half conference that includes seven plenary and two breakout sessions. All topics have been carefully selected to be timely and relevant to the needs of system directors and based on last year's delegate feedback, to provide great value at a great price!

A welcome cocktail reception on Thursday, October 11 and the fifth annual Banquet & Fund-raiser, hosted by the Co-operative Development Foundation of Canada, on Friday, October 12. All proceeds from this event will support their efforts to alleviate global poverty through sustainable, co-operative development.

Directors who are new to the board and/or under forty are strongly encouraged to attend. The networking and learning experience they will gain will provide a strong foundation for their role, and enhance their ability to make significant contributions to your organization.

## Program Highlights...

- Directors' Forum Annual General Meeting
- Co-ops and Credit Unions Collaborating for Success
- Update on Director Liabilities and Pitfalls
- Central 1 Update
- Cybersecurity – Not Just an IT Issue
- Open Forum Discussion
- Board Compensation and Dealing with Difficult Board Members – a breakout session designed for Board Chairs and Vice-Chairs
- Things you Should Know but Were Afraid to Ask – a brand new breakout session designed for both new directors and young directors under 40
- Culture...a Game Changer? – a 3.5 hour sessions (valued at \$359 and included in the registration fee) with Cusource® education, the professional development arm of the Canadian Credit Union Association. All participants will receive a half-day CE credit under CUDA.
- Highlights & Takeaways with Alisdair Smith

Registration...is open online from April 1 to October 5.

In order to maintain the accessibility of this event to as many directors as possible, the registration fees have not increased for this year. REGISTER online before June 30th to take advantage of the Early Bird rate of \$685 + HST! Fees include all conference activities and meals, with the exception of the CDF Banquet, which is an additional \$115 per delegate.

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