



The T'Sou-ke Nation and the UVic Office of Indigenous Affairs Present:

# The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual First Nations Renewable Energy Symposium:

## emPOWERING First Nations

**Where:** First Peoples House, UVic campus

**When:** February 15 and 16, 2012

**Who:** First Nations community leaders, aboriginal students and youth, Renewable Energy Industry, Government and Academia

### AGENDA

<b>February 15</b> 4:00-8pm	Feast and Cultural Celebration Host and Award winning songwriter: <b>ART NAPOLEON</b> Plus LinkedIn Webinar: Energy Economic Development Strategies
<b>February 16</b> 8am	Registration
8:30am	Welcome
9am	Protecting Our Lands and the Environment Panel Climate Change Adaptations, Video Presentation, "Oil on Lubicon Land"
10am	Break
10:20am	Special Presentation: The Sun, the Wind, the Tides and the Rain: Traditional Knowledge in Sustaining First Nations' Lifeways <i>Dr. Nancy Turner</i>
10:45am	Community Project Presentations Panel Cowichan Tribes: Energy Planning, Douglas First Nation: Hydro, M'chigeeng: Wind and Solar Project
12pm	BC Hydro Power Lunch
1:30-4:30	Work Shop Sessions
4:30-5pm	Closing Remarks and Giveaway

<b>Workshop Topics:</b>	<b>Technology</b> Solar Electric Environmental Remediation Smart Hydro	<b>Smart Energy Youth</b> Traditional Foods Science Venture Experiments T'Sou-ke Smart Energy Program	<b>Geothermal Energy</b> Borealis Geopower Proposed Canoe Reach Project-Simpcw Solar Heating
<b>Project Planning</b> Funding Licensing and Permitting Community Energy Planning	<b>BC Hydro</b> BC Hydro – Standing Offer and Remote Communities Programs	<b>Fortis BC</b> Community Energy Solutions	<b>Training and Capacity Building</b>  <b>Engineering Focus Group</b>

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