



# 16<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL LEGISLATORS FORUM (ILF)

Wednesday, June 22 - Friday, June 24, 2016

University of North Dakota Center for Innovation

Ina Mae Rude Entrepreneur Center

4200 James Ray Drive

Grand Forks, ND 58203

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## Agenda

*PLEASE NOTE: All times are local – CDT*

### Wednesday, June 22

#### **ILF Steering Committee Meeting - UND Hilton Garden Inn (Ray Boardroom)**

**10:30am – 11:30am** 2016 ILF Steering Committee Meeting

#### **Pre-Forum Event - UND Aerospace and Unmanned Aerial Systems**

**12:45pm – 1:00pm** Meet in the UND Hilton Garden Inn Lobby

**1:00pm – 4:00pm** Chuck Pineo, UND Aerospace Foundation

**4:00pm** Return to UND Hilton Garden Inn

#### **Opening Reception - North Dakota Museum of Art (261 Centennial Drive, Grand Forks, ND)**

**5:10pm – 5:20pm** Meet in the UND Hilton Garden Inn Lobby for Shuttle to North Dakota Museum of Art

**5:30pm – 7:30pm** Opening Reception

**7:30pm** Shuttle returns to UND Hilton Garden Inn

#### **An Evening in Grand Forks**

*Following the reception, delegates and others will be on their own for dining and an opportunity to “check out the night life” in Grand Forks, ND. The Chamber of Commerce will provide an informational package with suggestions and discount coupons.*

## Thursday, June 23

### Breakfast - UND Hilton Garden Inn (Dahl Banquet Room)

6:30am – 7:45am Breakfast

### Opening - UND Center for Innovation (James C. Ray Idea Lab)

8:00am – 9:00am **Opening - 2016 International Legislators Forum**  
Welcome – North Dakota ILF Steering Committee Hosts

- Senator **Larry Luick** (ND)
- Representative **Lois Delmore** (ND)

Introductions  
Meeting Process and Ground Rules  
Agenda and Materials Review (All Digital - bring your laptop or tablet)

### Aquatic Invasive Species - UND Center for Innovation (James C. Ray Idea Lab)

All presentations will be followed by facilitated discussion.

9:00am – 10:30am **Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) 101**

- **Heidi Wolf**  
*Minnesota Department of Natural Resources AIS Supervisor*
- **Jeff Long**  
*Manitoba Sustainable Development - Manager, Wildlife and Fisheries Branch*
- **Jessica Howell**  
*North Dakota Department of Game and Fish Aquatic Nuisance Coordinator*

10:30am – 10:45am **Break**

10:45am – 12:15pm **Aquatic Invasive Species Across the Jurisdictions**

- **Heidi Wolf**  
*Minnesota Department of Natural Resources AIS Supervisor*
- **Jeff Long**  
*Manitoba Sustainable Development - Manager, Wildlife and Fisheries Branch*
- **Jessica Howell**  
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### Luncheon – UND Hilton Garden Inn (Dahl Banquet Room)

12:30pm – 1:30pm **Luncheon Presentation**  
**Genetically Modified Organisms (GMO): Facts versus Fiction**

- Professor **Anita Brule-Babel**  
*University of Manitoba*

**Human Trafficking – UND Center for Innovation** (James C. Ray Idea Lab)

All presentations will be followed by facilitated discussion.

**1:45pm – 3:15pm**

**Human Trafficking 101**

- **Kim Larson**  
*Youthworks Human Trafficking Navigator, Fargo*
- **Nathalie Levman**  
*Counsel, Criminal Law Policy Section, Justice Canada*
- **David Greening**  
*Executive Director, Crown Law Analysis & Development Branch, Civil Law Division, Manitoba Justice*

**3:15 pm**

**Break**

**3:30pm – 5:00pm**

**Efforts to Combat Human Trafficking**

- **Kim Larson**  
*Youthworks Human Trafficking Navigator, Fargo*
- **Nathalie Levman**  
*Counsel, Criminal Law Policy Section, Justice Canada*
- **David Greening**  
*Executive Director, Crown Law Analysis & Development Branch, Civil Law Division, Manitoba Justice*

**5:00pm**

**Close for Day**

**Reception and Banquet – UND Gorecki Alumni Center** (Gransberg Community Room)

**5:45pm**

Reception and Banquet Opens (2016 Group Photo)

**6:00pm**

Welcome

- **Dr. Thomas M. DiLorenzo**  
*Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs, UND*

**6:15pm**

Dinner

**7:15pm**

Remarks

- **Jamshed Merchant**  
*Consul General of Canada, Minneapolis MN*
- **Christopher J. Gunning**  
*United States Consulate, Winnipeg MB*

Steering Committee Recognitions

- Senator **Ron Sorvaag** (ND)
- Minister of Justice **Gord Mackintosh** (MB)

## Friday, June 24

### **Legislators Only Breakfast – UND Hilton Garden Inn** ([Buchli Meeting Room](#))

**7:30am – 9:00am** Legislators (ONLY) Working Breakfast

### **Presenter, Guest and Sponsor Breakfast – UND Hilton Garden Inn** ([Dahl Banquet Room](#))

**7:30am – 9:00am**

### **Genetically Modified Organisms (GMO) Implications**

*All presentation will be followed by facilitated discussion.*

**9:15am**

#### **GMO Legislative Implications Panel**

- **Senator Joe Miller**  
*North Dakota Legislature*
- **MLA Cliff Graydon**  
*Manitoba Legislative Assembly*
- **Nancy Wulfekuhle**  
*Producer, North Dakota and Minnesota*

**10:45am**

**Break**

### **From the Floor - UND Center for Innovation**

**11:00am**

**Delegate Recommendations and Conclusions**

### **Adjourn - UND Center for Innovation**

**12:30pm**

**Closing Comments, Evaluations and Box Lunches** (provided)

- 2016 Evaluation Forms
- 2017 International Legislators Forum - Hosted by Manitoba
- 2016/2017 Steering Committee Meeting – September 10, 2016

**1:00pm**

**2016 International Legislators Forum Adjourns – SAFE TRAVELS!!**

- Be sure to pick up your box lunches!!

### **Media Conference - UND Center for Innovation** ([James C. Ray Idea Lab](#))

**1:30pm**

**Media Conference**

A delegate from each of the jurisdictions will provide a statement to participating media and respond to questions.