



INSPIRING KEYNOTES

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INNOVATIVE CHANGES

NETWORKING EVENTS

ANNUAL CONFERENCE CONFÉRENCE ANNUELLE

CANADIAN CRANE RENTAL ASSOCIATION

ASSOCIATION CANADIENNE DE LOCATION DE GRUES

Innovative changes are propelling the industry to new heights. As our world evolves, so do we. Gain insights from industry leaders who have tested, tried, and succeeded, and are eager to share their knowledge. From inspiring keynote speakers and industry panels to suppliers' spotlights and the outstanding Canadian Lift of the Year Competition, this program is designed for you!

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EVENTS@CCRA-ACLG.CA



**Monday / Lundi
June 1, 2026**

**9 a.m. / 9h
Registration Open
Bureau des inscriptions ouvre
Commonwealth Foyer – 1st Floor**

**8 p.m. / 8h
Spreader Bar
Maritime & Bedford Salons**

**Tuesday /Mardi
June 2, 2026**

**7 :00 a.m. / 7h
Registration Open / Bureau des inscriptions ouvre
Commonwealth Foyer – 1st Floor**

**7 – 9 a.m. / 7h-9h
Breakfast - Golf & Tour - Petit-déjeuner
Atlantic Ballroom / Salon Atlantic**

**7:45 a.m. / 7h45
Golf departure / Départ pour le golf**

**9 a.m. / 9h
Tour departure / Départ pour le tour**

**4 – 8 p.m. / 16h-20h
Free Time/Temps libre**

**8 p.m. / 20h
Spreader Bar
Maritimes & Bedford Salons**

Wednesday / Mercredi

June 3, 2026

7 - 9 a.m. / 7h-9h

Breakfast / Petit déjeuner & Photo

7:45 a.m. / 7h45 First timers' Meet the Board (Maritimes Salon)

9 a.m. / 9h

Opening Remarks / Mot d'ouverture

Opening Keynote: Tarq Hadhad "Peace by Chocolate"

10:15 a.m. / 10h15

Networking Break / Pause-café et réseautage

10:30 a.m. / 10h30

Asset Life Cycle Management: How Technology Improves Return and Reduces Risk

Moderator: Victor Murty

Panelists: Rob Blois, Rebecca Dacres, Jack Curran, Jennifer King, Kyle Nape

11:30 a.m. / 11h30

Bridge Formula Research Update

Mohammed Elgammal, Lead Researcher, Faculty of Engineering, U of A

12:00 p.m. / 12h

Networking Lunch / Dîner réseautage

Photo booth – Longevity Awards

1 p.m. / 13h **How New Emissions Policies Are Reshaping The Industry**

Moderator: Mike Lavoie

Panelists: Jerry O'Neil, Maurice Connelly, Sébastien Girard-Pagé, Deon Strickland

2:00 p.m. / 14h **Provincial Association Updates**

Guillaume Gagnon, Association des propriétaires de grues du Québec

CRAO, Crane Rental Association of Ontario

Clinton Connell, BC Association of Crane Safety

2 :15 p.m./ 14h15

Networking Break / Pause-café et réseautage

2:30 p.m. / 14h30

Canadian Lift of the Year Presentations

Under 20T / Moins de 20T

Photo Booth – Longevity Awards

3:00 p.m. / 15h00

Canadian Lift of the Year Presentations

Over 20T / Plus de 20T

6:30 p.m. / 18h30

Alexander Keith's Brewery

Networking Evening Event / Soirée de réseautage

Evening at the Alexander Keith's Brewery

Thursday / Jeudi

June 4, 2026

7 - 9 a.m. / 7h-9h

Breakfast/ Petit déjeuner & Photo

9 a.m. / 9h

Opening Keynote: To be announced

9:30 a.m. / 9h30 **Crane Leaders' Forum**

Moderator: Ryan Long

Panelists: Randy Moir, Erin McCabe, Ryan Beers

10:15 a.m. / 10h15

Networking Break / Pause-café et réseautage

10:30 a.m. / 10h30

Annual General Meeting / Assemblée générale annuelle

Committee Reports / Rapport des comités

Election - Directors / Élections - Administrateurs

11:45 a.m. / 11h45 **On the Horizon**

Claire Bélanger-Parker

12:00p.m. / 12h

Networking Lunch / Dîner réseautage

1:00 p.m. / 13h00 **Learning the Ropes: Rethinking Interactive Training for Safety-Critical Work**

Jalaja Shanmugalingam, P.Eng

1:30 p.m. / 13h30 **Rise Above Risk**

Rick Sikora, Cranemasters

2 :00 p.m. / 14h00

Networking Break / Pause-café réseautage

2:15 p.m. / 14h15 **Safety Awards Presentation / Présentation des Prix Sécurité**

2:30 p.m. / 14h30 **Lifting Leadership Panel**

Moderator: Jen Mutas

Panelists: Justin Brown, Rick Sikora, Jalaja Shanmugalingam, Trenton Grover

3:30 p.m. / 15h30 **Ropes for Riggers**

Dean McDonald

3:45 p.m. / 15h45 **Closing Remarks**

Ryan Long, Chair of the Board

6 p.m. / 18h **Cocktail / Reception**

6 :45 pm / 18h45

Closing Banquet / Banquet de fermeture

Awards Ceremony – Canadian Lift of the Year Awards / Cérémonie des remises des prix

The Atlantic Ballroom