

Accommodations

Ramada Conference Centre Edmonton

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3 Ways to Reserve Rooms:

1. Call Central Reservations @ 1-888-747-4114.
2. Call the Group Reservation Coordinator, Ms. Chondra Santin, (780) 453-7343.
3. Email ramadaedmontonres@silverbirchhotels.com

Group Reservation Name:

Alberta Student Leadership Conference 2012

Group Rate

\$115.00 + Tax = \$125.30 room/night

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ASLC 2012

The Art of Leadership
wherever you are.

MAY 31 - JUNE 02



Keynote Speakers

Keith Hawkins



Keith Hawkins is one of North America's top youth speakers. Keith has dedicated his life to the human race. His mission is to help make the world a better place where we understand and value all people by building meaningful relationships. His presentations are real and straight from the heart. Keynote speeches are designed around four key beliefs: relationships, empowerment, attitude and leadership. The relationships built between you and others are the most important part of becoming the person you choose to be. Empowerment starts with you knowing that nothing can stop you, except for you. Attitude is what guides your journey and directs how you take the steps along the way. Leadership starts with leading yourself and ultimately leading others. Keith will motivate students to make positive changes in their lives, their school and ultimately the world.

Ryan Porter



Make Your Own Lunch™ was created by Ryan Porter. He is dedicated to helping young people break-free from the limitations and labels placed on them by others and create the life they crave. *Make Your Own Lunch™* is about carving your own path. It's about trying new things and living the life you want. It's about living your dreams.

Keynote Speakers

Simon Jackson



Photo: J.Francis

Simon Jackson, 28, founded the Spirit Bear Youth Coalition at the age of 13 in the quest to unite the voice of young people to save British Columbia's endangered white Kermode or spirit bear. Through the Youth Coalition, Jackson helped raise international awareness about the plight of the spirit bear. Today, two-thirds of the spirit bear's last intact habitat has been set aside for protection as part of what was the largest land protection measure in North

American history, while one third remains threatened. Jackson has received a YTV Achievement Award, was selected as one of the top 25 Up and Comers by MacLean's Magazine, received the TD Scholarship for Community Leadership, and, most notably, was honored as one of Time Magazine's sixty Heroes for the Planet – one of only six young people selected from around the world.

Jackson is the full-time, volunteer Chairman and President of the Spirit Bear Youth Coalition and the Executive Producer and Spokesperson for The Spirit Bear CGI movie. Additionally, Jackson sits on the board of directors of ten organizations and social ventures, is public affairs commentator for CBC and the Huffington Post.

Ryan Porter

As a college student Ryan set out on a journey to answer the question, "What should I do with my life?" This question brought him to Tokyo, Japan where he lived and worked as an English teacher. Captivating the audience with true stories from his own experiences, Ryan has the ability to connect with teens. He is able to reach them and inspire them to create an exciting future through their own experiences.

Student Schedule

Thursday, May 31

- 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Registration, Carnival & Trade Show
3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Opening Ceremonies: Ryan Porter Keynote Presentation
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Supper @ M.E. LaZerte
6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Spirit Group Bonding
7:30 p.m. - 8:45 p.m. Breakout Sessions #1
(Art Project, Cultural Sessions, Ryan Porter workshop)
8:45 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Evening Entertainment
10:00 pm - 11:00 p.m. Depart & Settle in Hotel Rooms

Friday, June 1

- 7:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Breakfast at the Ramada (only guests registered @ hotel)
8:45 a.m. Buses Depart for M.E. LaZerte School
9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Spirit Groups
10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Morning Presentation: Simon Jackson Keynote
11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Lunch: Taste of ASLC
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Breakout Sessions #2
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Breakout Sessions #3 (ie. Simon Jackson workshop)
5:15 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Supper
6:45 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Spirit Groups
7:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Dance
10:00 pm - 11:00 p.m. Depart & Settle in Hotel Rooms

Saturday, June 2

- 8:00 a.m. Buses Depart the Ramada (All luggage on buses)
8:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. Breakfast at M.E. LaZerte School
9:15 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Spirit Group Roundtables
10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Keith Hawkins Keynote Presentation
11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Closing Ceremonies
12:00 p.m. Grab & Go lunch

Advisor Schedule

Thursday, May 31

Advisor Schedule

- 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Registration, Carnival & Trade Show
3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Opening Ceremonies: Ryan Porter Keynote
5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Supper & Hotel Check-In
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. (AASCA Executive Meeting @ the Ramada)
8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Advisor Social at the Ramada
8:45 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Return to M.E. LaZerte School
10:00 pm - 11:00 p.m. Return with students to the Ramada

Friday, June 1

- 7:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Breakfast at the Ramada (only registered guests)
8:45 a.m. Buses Depart for M.E. LaZerte School
9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Advisor Room Open
10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Simon Jackson Keynote Presentation
11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Lunch: Taste of ASLC
12:15 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. Advisor Session with Simon Jackson
1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Advisor Provincial Meeting
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Advisor Breakout Sessions
5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Supper
7:30 - 9:30 p.m. Advisor Social
10:00 pm - 11:00 p.m. Return with students to the Ramada

Saturday, June 2

- 8:00 a.m. Buses Depart the Ramada (All luggage on buses)
8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Breakfast at M.E. LaZerte School
9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m. Advisor Session with Keith Hawkins
10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Keith Hawkins Keynote Presentation
11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Closing Ceremonies
12:00 p.m. Grab & Go lunch

Whoever You Are

By Mem Fox

Young leader, whoever you are,

There are young leaders just like you all over the world.

Their skin may be different from yours, and their homes may be different from yours. Their schools may be different from yours, and their lands may be different from yours.

Their lives may be different from yours, and their words may be very different from yours. But inside, their hearts are just like yours,

Whoever they are, wherever they are, all over the world.

Their smiles are like yours, and they laugh just like you. Their hurts are like yours, and they cry like you, too.

Whoever they are, wherever they are, all over the world.

Young leader, when you are older and when you are grown, you may be different, and they may be different, wherever you are, wherever they are, in this big, wide world.

But remember this: Joys are the same, and love is the same. Pain is the same, and blood is the same. Smiles are the same, and hearts are just the same—wherever they are, wherever you are, wherever we are, all over the world.

The ART of Leadership

Wherever your are

- *Using CREATIVITY to address the needs of your school and your community*
- *Using CREATIVITY to bring people together*
- *Using CREATIVITY to learn about one another*
- *Using CREATIVITY so everyone feels they belong*
- *Using MUSIC, DANCE, CULTURAL ARTS, STORIES*
- *Using CREATIVITY to encourage health and wellness*
- *Using CREATIVITY to promote environmental stewardship*
- *Using CREATIVITY to have fun*

*Wheresoever you go,
go with all your heart.*

~Confucius

(China's most famous
teacher, philosopher, and
political theorist)

(551—479 BC)

