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9:30 AM	<b>Coffee/Mingling</b> Crabtree Foyer	22
9:45 AM	Welcome and Introductions	Oct
	Crabtree M14	
10:00 AM	<b>Ron Buckle Presents: Keynote Speaker – Riaz Raihan</b> <sup>Crabtree M14</sup>	
11:00 AM	Concurrent Workshops #1 :	
	Intro to Infographics Crabtree M3	
	21st Century Communication	
	Crabtree M10	
	<b>People Skills</b> Crabtree 202	
12:00 PM	<b>Lunch</b> Windsor Grand Hall	
12:30 PM	<b>Alumni Panel</b> Windsor Grand Hall	
1:15 PM	Concurrent Workshop #2 :	
	<b>Personal Branding</b> Crabtree 202	
	<b>Financial Literacy</b> Crabtree 223	
	Cross-Cultural Competency Session 1 Crabtree M10	
2:15 PM	<b>Snack Break</b> Crabtree Foyer	
2:30 PM	Concurrent Workshops # 3 :	
	<b>Digital Literacy</b> Crabtree M2	
	Cross-Cultural Competency Session 2	
	Crabtree M10	
3:30 PM	Gathering. Debrief. Crabtree M14	
4:30 PM	End of day – Thank you!	

# KEYNOTE ADDRESS



### RON BUCKLE SPEAKER SERIES ON LEADERSHIP & MENTORSHIP

# GUEST SPEAKER RIAZ RAIHAN PRESIDENT, ALIDA CXM

RIAZ RAIHAN IS PRESIDENT AT ALIDA CXM, a global enterprise software company headquartered in Canada. Riaz's team builds world-class customer experience management (CXM) products for Alida's customers, including Microsoft, Facebook, Nestle, Conde Nast, Autodesk, Sunlife Financial, Starbucks and other Fortune 500 corporations worldwide. Riaz has over 24 years of technology and executive leadership experience in the United States and Canada.

Join us for the Ron Buckle Speaker Series on Leadership and Mentorship!

#### SATURDAY, OCT. 22 | 10 A.M.

#### CRABTREE M14





# ELEVATE CONFERENCE 2022



#### **INTRO TO INFOGRAPHICS**

ELIZABETH STREGGER Data and Digital Services Librarian at Mount Allison University



Infographics are everywhere, from social media to conference posters. Come to this session to learn best practices for design and data visualization, practice critiquing infographics, and find out about tools you can use to make your own.



#### 21ST CENTURY COMMUNICATIONS WORKSHOP

ALEXANDRA CHAPMAN Freelance Marketing Consultant

Join Alexandra Chapman, (22') a recent Mount Allison Graduate to discuss personal branding and how to take control of your professional portfolio. As you move through your degree, it becomes more intimidating to figure out who you are in the business world, developing a personal brand can help build the confidence you need. Join Alexandra to talk about the first steps in creating a personal brand!



#### **PEOPLE SKILLS WORKSHOP**

#### ADAM PEABODY

Founder of Future of You Company

This interactive workshop will include tips on effective teamwork, conflict resolution, stakeholder management, and more. students will leave with the skills to help you build more meaningful connections.

202

Crabtree M10





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FINANCIAL LITERACY NICOLAS GAGNON, HEATHER FILLMORE, DONNA WELLS Royal Bank of Canada

Crabtre 223

In this session, we will be joined by RBC team members for an informal conversation on financial literacy. By the end of this session, students have a stronger understanding of how to manage real-life financial scenarios, things to consider when looking to buy a house, investing and budgeting.



#### PERSONAL BRANDING WORKSHOP NATALIE DAVIDSON

#### **Co-Founder of Marrow Marketing**

In this session, we were joined by branding expert, Natalie who will be leading a workshop where she teaches her model: The Integrated Brand. Each participant will have the opportunity to self-evaluate their own brand to identify areas for improvement and will leave with clarity around exactly what to do next when it comes to building a personal brand that becomes part of a lasting relationship with everyone it touches.



#### **DIGITAL LITERACY**

#### CRISTOBAL VASQUEZ

Enterprise Account Executive with Udemy

Join this session to learn about the ongoing process of digital transformation, how it continues to shape the future of work, and what strategies can students implement to take advantage of its disruption as they enter the workforce. By the end of this session, students will have a better understanding of how to maximize, not only their value as a professional but their skills as a conscientious members of their home and community. Crabtre 202

M10





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#### CROSS-CULTURAL COMPETENCY

DANAI BÉLANGER

International Student Advisor at Memorial University of Newfoundland and Labrador



#### <u>Session 1:</u> Through the Looking Glass -Understanding and Dismantling Unconscious Bias

This workshop is designed to help you understand th term "unconscious bias", why it's harmful, and what you can do examine your own biases. Participants will understand about and how their own biases can affect those around them and develop an understanding of how unconscious bias can create disparity in the work place. The session will reference Canada's Human Rights Code and labour standards - all through a post- colonial lens.

# <u>Session 2:</u> It Begins with Me: Championing an Inclusive Workplace

Our workplaces can sometimes be a reflection of society. As a new professional, it will be important for you to understand social and cultural dynamics in order to adapt to and contribute to your work environment. These include (but are not limited to) race/ethnicity, sexuality, gender identity, religion, ability and more. This session is designed to help you identify your positionality in society and empower you to advocate for a more inclusive environment. We will discuss this by referencing Canada's Human Rights Code and labour standards - all through a post-colonial lens.

> Windsor Grand Hall



#### **ALUMNI PANEL**

Each alumni has a diverse background and array of knowledge that has led them to be experts in their respective fields. This young alumni panel is excited to talk with students all about life after Mount Allison and discuss the world of work postpandemic. Joining us will be:

<u>Annie Camp</u> - Marketing Coordinator at Senators Sports & Entertainment <u>Lia Massoeures</u> - Research Coordinator for the Soillse Prostate Cancer Quality of Life Research Lab <u>Kindy Houinato</u> - Group Underwriter at

Medavie Blue Cross

<u>Jon Ferguson</u> - Public Health Agency of Canada - Centre for Emergency Response



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