

Tribal Governance Symposium

LAND ~ WATER ~ LIFE

MONDAY, November 20th, 2017

8 am	Shared Breakfast
9 am	Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Wilson Justin, Alts'setnay, Headwaters People Chistochina, Copper River, Nabesna, Chisana, White River and Sanford River</i>• <i>Evon Peter, Gwich'in, UAF Vice Chancellor of Rural, Community, and Native Education</i>
9:30 am	Team Welcome and Dialogue Agreements
9:45 am	Keynote with Question and Answer <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Che Wilson Ngāti Rangī, Chief Negotiator</i>
10:45 am	Catalyzing Conversation: Tribal Governance with Dialogue <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Host: Liz La quen náay Kat Saas Medicine Crow, Haida/Tlingit, President/CEO, First Alaskans Institute</i>• <i>Shannon Hardy, Gwich'in, Tribal Court Judge, Gwichyaa Zhee Gwich'in Tribal Government</i>• <i>Che Wilson Ngāti Rangī, Chief Negotiator</i>• <i>Richard Chalyee Éesh Peterson, Tlingit/Kaagwaantaan Clan, President, Central Council Tlingit and Haida Indian Tribes of Alaska</i>
12 pm	Shared Lunch with Storytelling <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ <i>Paul Williams Jr., Gwich'in, Language and Cultural Bearer</i>
1 pm	Catalyzing Conversation: Indigenous Stewardship with Dialogue <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Host: Carrie Stevens, Faculty, Tribal Management, UAF</i>• <i>Crystal Leonetti, Yup'ik, Alaska Native Affairs Specialist, US Fish and Wildlife Service</i>• <i>Brooke Wright, Koyukon, Chair, Yukon River Inter Tribal Fish Commission</i>• <i>Qaiyaan Harcharek, Iñupiaq, Subsistence Research Coordinator, North Slope Borough Department of Wildlife Management</i>• <i>Delbert Pungowiyi, St. Lawrence Island Siberian Yupik, President, Native Village of Savoonga</i>
4 pm	Sharing Our Key Learning
4:30 pm	Elder Closing <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Bob Sam, Tlingit, Elder</i>
6:30 pm	Sharing Reception

Sharing Reception ~ 6:30 to 8:30 pm

TIES THAT BIND: Sharing our foods, our stories, our songs, our cultures.

We welcome you to gather and share at the Morris Thompson Culture and Visitor Center. Moose Soup, Fry Bread, Berries. Salmon Spread. Story telling. Singing. Drumming. Cultural exhibits.

TUESDAY, November 21st, 2017

- 8 am** **Shared Breakfast**
- 9 am Welcome
- Dan White, UAF Chancellor
 - Fred Phillip President, Yup'ik, Native Village of Kwigillingok
- 9:30 am Keynote with Question and Answer
- AlexAnna Salmon, Yup'ik/Aleut, President, Igiugig Tribal Village Council
 - Christina Salmon, Yup'ik/Aleut, Manager, Iliaska Environmental LLC
- 10:30 am **Catalyzing Conversation: Advocacy & Advancement of Our Ways of Life with Dialogue**
- Host: Jessica Black, Gwich'in, Faculty, Tribal Management/Department of Alaska Native Studies and Rural Development, UAF
 - Vernae Angnaboogok, Iñupiaq, Cultural Sustainability Advisor, Inuit Circumpolar Council Alaska
 - Carolina Behe, Seri (Indigenous Peoples of Mexico), Indigenous Knowledge/Science Advisor, Inuit Circumpolar Council Alaska
 - Ben Stevens, Dinyeet Hut'anna, Hunting & Fishing Taskforce Director, Tanana Chiefs Conference
 - Evon Peter, Gwich'in, UAF Vice Chancellor of Rural, Community, and Native Education
- 12 pm** **Shared Lunch with Storytelling**
- Luke Titus, Koyukon, Elder
- 1 pm **Catalyzing Conversation: Being Good Relatives with Dialogue**
- Host: Andrea Akall'eq Sanders, Yup'ik, Alaska Native Policy Center Director, First Alaskans Institute
 - Melissa Borton, Alutiiq, Tribal Administrator, Native Village of Afognak
 - Michelle Anderson, Udzisyu (Caribou), President, Ahtna, Inc.
 - Karen Linnell, Naltsiine (Sky)/Was'ineidi (Eagle Brown Bear), Executive Director, Ahtna Intertribal Resource Commission
 - Loren Peterson, Yup'ik, President/CEO, Azachorok, Inc. and Azachorok Contract Services, LLC
- 4 pm Sharing Our Key Learning
- 4:30 pm Elder Closing
- Paul Williams, Sr., Gwich'in, Traditional Chief of Beaver

WEDNESDAY, November 22nd, 2017

- 8 am** **Shared Breakfast**
- 9:00 am Elder Opening
- Anna Frank, Koyukon, Elder
- 9:15 am Work Session & Dialogue: Bridge Building, Our Path Forward
- 11 am Elder Closing
- Wilson Justin, Alts'setnay, Headwaters People Chistochina, Copper River, Nabesna, Chisana, White River and Sanford River