



Cornell Tribal Economic Development Action Summit

Agenda

Saturday, February 28, 2015

8:00 am to 8:30 am	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:30 am to 8:45 am	Traditional Haudenosaunee Opening
8:45 am to 9:00 am	Opening Remarks:
9:00 am to 10:45 am	<p>Panel: Tribal and Government Perspectives, <i>Competitive Advantages, Opportunities, and Challenges for American Indians and First Nations</i></p> <p><u>Panelists:</u></p> <p>Sharice Davids, CLS '10 <i>Owner, Hoka! Coffee Company</i> <i>Deputy Director, Thunder Valley Community Development Corporation</i></p> <p>David Johnson, CLS '87 <i>Acting Chief, Division of Capital Investment, Office of Indian Energy and Economic Development, U.S. Department of the Interior</i></p> <p>David Kimelberg, CLS '98 <i>CEO, Seneca Holdings</i></p> <p>Dale White, CLS '79 <i>General Counsel, Tarbell Management Group</i></p> <p>Paul Williams</p> <p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p>Jolene Rickard <i>Associate Professor, Director of the American Indian Program, Cornell University</i></p>
10:45 am to 11:00 am	Break

	<p>Panel: Legal and Financial Perspectives, <i>Competitive Advantages, Opportunities, and Challenges For American Indian Tribes</i></p> <p><u>Panelists:</u></p> <p>Jeffrey Carey, <i>Managing Director, Bank of America Merrill Lynch, Native American Banking</i></p> <p>Steven Paul McSloy <i>Partner, Dentons Native American Law and Policy Practice</i></p> <p>Heather V. Sibbison <i>Chair, Dentons Native American Law and Policy Practice</i></p> <p>Wenona T. Singel <i>Associate Professor of Law and Associate Director of the Indigenous Law & Policy Center, Michigan State University College of Law</i></p> <p>John Tahsuda, CLS '93 <i>Principal, Navigator's Global LLC</i></p> <p><u>Moderator:</u></p> <p>Gerald Torres <i>Jane M.G. Foster Professor of Law, Cornell University Law School</i></p>
11:00 am to 12:30 pm	
	Lunch
12:30 pm to 1:45 pm	<p>Keynote Address:</p> <p>Jonodev Osceola Chaudhuri, CLS '99 <i>Acting Chairman, National Indian Gaming Commission</i></p>
1:45 pm to 2:30 pm	Breakout Group Discussions
2:30 pm to 3:00 pm	Actionable Idea Discussion: All Participants
3:00 pm to 3:15 pm	Traditional Haudenosaunee Closing
3:15 pm to 4:00 pm	Networking Reception