

APPLICATION TO CO-CREATE A PROGRAM SESSION AT INVENTURES 2025

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 16TH, 2025 @ 11:59PM MT

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Are You In?

Apply to co-create a session at Inventures 2025, Alberta's premier innovation conference, and share your insights with a global audience of industry leaders, investors, and innovators.

Join us in Calgary for three dynamic days exploring advancements in technology, sustainability, and the future, presenting alongside renowned experts and driving impactful conversations.

Don't miss out! Apply by February 16, 2025, at 11:59 pm MST.

Why Inventures 2025?

- **Reach a Captivated Audience** - Inventures attracts over 4,000 attendees from around the world, giving you unparalleled exposure for your ideas.
- **Connect with Industry Influencers** - Network with investors, executives, and pioneers who are shaping the future of innovation in Alberta and beyond.
- **Inspire Change** - Showcase groundbreaking solutions and inspire action towards a more sustainable, tech-driven future.

Ready to share your insights at Inventures 2025?

Click below to apply to co-create a session! Include a brief overview of your proposed topic, its relevance, and the speakers you believe can deliver this message to inspire and connect. Please note: All sessions will be 60 minutes; if your session requires a different timeslot, please include this separately at the end with the requested amount of time and rationale.

For questions or further assistance, contact inventurespeakers@albertainnovates.ca.

By submitting this form, I consent to receive electronic communications from both Alberta Innovates and GLOBE Series team members. Session applications will undergo an evaluation and successful applicants will be notified by the Inventures Program Team. Submission of a session application does not guarantee a spot in the program.

Contact Information

1. Contact Information*

Organization Name: _____

Contact First Name: _____

Contact Last Name: _____

Contact Job Title/Position: _____

Contact Email Address: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Organization Website: _____

2. Partner Organization Contact Information*

Collaborating with diverse stakeholders is critical for creating innovative and effective solutions on a national and international scale. Inventures provides a unique opportunity to connect with entrepreneurs, thought leaders, startups, and investors. Program sessions that are created through collaboration with partner organizations are highly encouraged and priority may be given to sessions that partner, where applicable, with their provincial/territorial government, with international organizations, and/or with under-represented partners.

How many partner organizations are part of this program session:

☐ 0 ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐

Partner Contact Information (To be completed for each partner)

Organization Name: _____

Contact First Name: _____

Contact Last Name: _____

Contact Job Title/Position: _____

Contact Email Address: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Organization Website: _____

Program Session Proposal

3. Which Inventures 2025 track(s) does your program session best align with?

Select as many as applicable.*

- ☐ Track 1: Build from Strength: Advance the technologies shaping the fundamental building blocks of our economy
- ☐ Track 2: Explore the Next Frontier: Uncover the breakthrough solutions and moonshots creating new industries and opportunities
- ☐ Track 3: Imagine a Better Future: Discover the innovative ways exponential thinking is making our communities safer, healthier, more
- ☐ Track 4: Unleash Creativity: Find out what happens when innovation and creativity collide to transform how we work, play, and live
- ☐ Track 5: Turn Risk into Reward: Match your entrepreneurial drive with the tools and supports you need to go from idea to opportunity, start-up to scale - up, or seed to commercial

4. Program Session Format (select one)*

Please do not feel limited to the below options. Inventures is all about innovation and as such, innovative program session formats are welcome. Please note: All sessions will be 60 minutes.

- ☐ Fireside Chat – one-on-one interview
- ☐ Spark Talk – short and quick presentations on a specific subject that engages the audience and leads to networking
- ☐ Roundtable – facilitated group discussion
- ☐ Workshop or Case Study – facilitated working session often including breakouts
- ☐ Masterclass – a session led by an expert(s) for highly knowledgeable participants
- ☐ Demonstration, Exhibit or Showcase – demonstration or exhibition of a technology, process, or solution
- ☐ Networking Opportunity – designed to facilitate connections and relationship-building
- ☐ Visual Presentation or Screening program session – e.g., movie, documentary, etc.
- ☐ Private Program session – a program session for invited guests only
- ☐ Panel Discussion – moderator or facilitator in conversation with two to four speakers
- ☐ Other (specify)

5. Please provide an overview of the topic including your unique perspective and takeaways for conference attendees (500-1000 words).*

Speaker Details

6. **Total number of speakers or facilitators involved in your proposed program session** (Select one).
Please note, only 4 speakers can be on the stage at once.

Number of speakers:*

☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 or more

7. **Speaker Contact Info** (filled for each speaker)

	Name:	Title & Organization	Expertise:	Links:
Speaker 1				
Speaker 2				
Speaker 3				
Speaker 4				
Speaker 5				

Matchmaking: Consent to Information Sharing

8. To encourage collaboration amongst partners and support a diverse events program, the Event Management Team may recommend one or more proposals are merged (AKA matchmade) into another. To facilitate this process, please confirm below if you consent to the following information being shared with other Event Leads: *

- Organization Name
- Session description
- Session contact information

☐ I consent to Inventures and GLOBE Series sharing the above information from my proposal with potential partnerships should opportunities for matchmaking arise.

☐ I do not consent to Inventures and GLOBE Series sharing the above information from my proposal with potential partnerships should opportunities for matchmaking arise.

Final Thoughts

9. Are there any additional comments or information you would like to share to support your application?

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