

# OPEN DATA LEARNING SUMMIT

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September 21st, 2012 UBC Robson Square, Vancouver

8:00am	Registration
9:00am to 11:00am	<p><b>Conference Kickoff (Theatre/Room C300)</b></p> <p>Introduction: Jacqueline van Dyk, Director of Libraries and Literacy</p> <p>Welcome Address: Elizabeth Denham, Information and Privacy Commissioner for B.C.</p> <p><b>Keynote: David Eaves, open data activist and blogger at eaves.ca</b></p>
11:00am to 11:15am	Coffee and Fruit Break (Foyer)
11:15am to 12:30pm	<p><b>Open Data 101 (Theatre/Room C300)</b></p> <p>New to open data? Join this open data literacy session, which includes an introduction on its origins, terminology and a tour of how it is used and who is using it.</p> <p>Herb Lainchbury, Open Data Strategy &amp; Technology Consultant, OpenDataBC  <i>Convener: Charles Eckman, University Librarian and Dean of Library Services SFU</i></p> <p><b>Love Open Data? Making the Connection (Room C215)</b></p> <p>Excited about open data and the prospects of its use in your library or community? How do you get others on board in developing strategies for sharing your data and supporting and facilitating its use? What are the tools? What hooks can you use? How do you talk effectively about open data to those new to the concept?</p> <p>Ross Collicutt, Applications Analyst, City of Nanaimo          Loren Mullane, Community Evangelist and Web Lead, Data BC          Darrin Fast, City of Vancouver  <i>Moderator: Jessica Asch, Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner</i></p> <p><b>Journey to Open Data (Room C225)</b></p> <p>BC is the first province in Canada to implement an open data program. This session will provide a view into what brought the program to life, share lessons they've learned, and chart a course for the future.</p> <p>David Wrate, Director of Citizen Engagement for the Province of BC  <i>Moderator: Carla Graebner, Liaison Librarian: Economics, Government, Data Curator, SFU</i></p>
	<p><b>Concurrent Sessions</b></p>

12:30pm to 1:15pm	Lunch Break (Foyer)
1:15pm to 2:45pm	<p><b>What the Hack Is it?!? (Room C215)</b></p> <p>What are hackathons? What elements are needed to put on a successful hackathon? What are they good for? Who can participate in them?</p> <p>Liam Arthurs, Education Officer, Ministry of Education  Steven Chan, BC Libraries Cooperative  Mark Jordan, Head of Library Systems, W.A.C. Bennett Library, Simon Fraser University  <i>Convener: Ben Hyman, Managing Director, BC Libraries Cooperative</i></p>
Concurrent Sessions	<p><b>Best Practices in Open Data (Room C225)</b></p> <p>What are best practices in open data and who can help design them? Learn from the perspective of an open data user, information manager, archivist and access and privacy enthusiast.</p> <p>Jessica Asch, Policy Analyst, Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner  Sue Bigelow, Digital Conservator, City of Vancouver Archives  Herb Lainchbury, Open Data Strategy &amp; Technology Consultant, OpenDataBC  Loren Mullane, Community Evangelist and Web Lead, Data BC  <i>Moderator: Eve Gaudet, Director of Open Government, Ministry of Education</i></p>
	<p><b>Storytelling with Open Data (Theatre/Room C300)</b></p> <p>How can open data be used to tell compelling stories? Hear from journalists, new users, and open data experts on their experiences and thoughts on open data storytelling.</p> <p>Rhiannon Copin, Journalist and Programmer  Chad Skelton, Reporter for the <i>Vancouver Sun</i>  Danielle Westbrook, recent graduate, SLAIS/UBC  David Wrate, Director of Citizen Engagement for the Province of BC  Haig Arnan, creative director of LiFT Studios and Assistant Professor, Emily Carr University of Art + Design  <i>Moderator: Sandra Singh, Chief Librarian, Vancouver Public Library</i></p>
2:45 pm to 3:00 pm	Coffee Break (Foyer)
3:00pm to 4:30pm	<p><b>Leading Open Data (Room C300)</b></p> <p>What role do librarians and information managers play in leading open data? Why is this important? What data could and should libraries be releasing? Join the discussion!</p> <p>Brian Campbell, Retired Systems and Technical Services Director, VPL  Ross Collicutt, Applications Analyst, City of Nanaimo  Eve Gaudet, Director of Open Government, Ministry of Education  Anne Olsen, Manager, Vancouver Public Library  <i>Moderator: Tara Robertson, Accessibility Librarian, CILS</i></p>
4:30 pm	Conference Adjourns

\*Room sizes vary so please arrive in time to find a seat in the session you would like to attend.

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