

TRUSTEE CONFERENCE REPORT

Please attach to your Professional Development/Conference Expense Reimbursement Form. Thank you.

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Date Submitted: January 27, 2019

Name of Conference: Public Education Symposium 2019

Sponsoring Organization: OPSBA (and ACEPO)

Theme (If any): Stronger Together

Conference Dates: January 24 – 26, 2019

Location: Sheraton Centre Toronto

Workshops/Seminars/Presentations/Keynote Speeches Attended:

Welcoming Remarks

Keynote Speech from Don Drummond

Managing Polarization in Public Consultations

Parliamentary Procedures

Trust with Respectful Oversight: Effective Board/Admin Relationships

Opening Ceremonies

Speech from Michael “Pinball” Clemons

How OPSBA Supports Trustees and School Boards

Collective Agreements are Expiring: What’s Next?

Trustees and Their Boards: The Legal Framework

Dinner and Awards

Central West Regional Caucus

Panel Discussion: Current Issues and Hot Topics in Education

Closing Remarks