

## 1-Day Executive Event in Toronto

Dear Colleagues,

As a senior executive who is keenly interested in the future of employment and higher education, you are invited to attend the Toronto 2020 Regional Talent Roundtable hosted by the Future Talent Council.

The Roundtable will conduct strategic discussions and workshops aiming to advance Canada's talent development ecosystem.

Future Talent Council is a membership organization uniting strategic leaders from the world's largest employers, leading universities and government officials from around the world.

- ✓ **Invitation-Only** Uniting Canada's Talent Leaders
- ✓ **Cross-Industry** Collaboration & Networking
- ✓ **Action-Oriented** Program & Post-Event Report

Daniel Kjellsson  
Managing Director, Future Talent Council



### **i ATTENDANCE**

To register for this Regional Talent Roundtable, please visit [futuretalentcouncil.org/toronto](http://futuretalentcouncil.org/toronto) and confirm your participation.

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**Arrival:** York University, Keele campus,  
4700 Keele St, Toronto, ON M3J 1P3



### Program, Jan 23

9am	<b>Registration and Breakfast</b>
9:30am	<b>Welcome &amp; Opening Remarks</b>
10am	<b>Facilitated Introductions</b>
10.30am	<b>Canada's Talent Development Ecosystem: Good WIL Hunting</b> Canada needs talent with practical experience and future-relevant skills to remain competitive. Meeting this need will require a robust talent development ecosystem with expanded work-integrated learning (WIL) opportunities.
11.15am	<b>Coffee Break</b>
11.30am	<b>Meet the Talent</b> Student panelists share experiences and outcomes from the WIL opportunities in which they have participated.
12.30pm	<b>Lunch</b>
1.30pm	<b>Business &amp; Education Collaboration: Make Opportunities Accessible to All</b> In roundtable discussions participants will explore strategies to increase the number of WIL opportunities, accessibility, and diversity of work placement opportunities available to talent across Canada.
2.30pm	<b>Sharing Success Stories &amp; Lessons Learned</b> Roundtable discussions about the role of WIL in future talent development. Participants will share lessons learned and success stories about the role of internships, co-ops, field studies, and other forms of experiential learning in attracting, developing and retaining talent.
3.30pm	<b>Closing Remarks</b>

### Partners

"We're looking forward to taking part in critical conversations about Canada's skills challenges alongside postsecondary, public, and industry leaders. We'll be meeting on one of Canada's most diverse campuses to discuss how we can best prepare Canadian talent for the future of work."

**Valerie Walker**  
Business/Higher Education Roundtable



**Matthew McKean**  
The Conference Board of Canada

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### Previous participants

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University of Queensland  
IBM  
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