

# Africa Connect Learning Sessions – Edmonton Expo Centre – June 18, 2011

(subject to change without notice)

TIME	Room 107	Room 102	Room 103	Room 107A	Room 101
11:30 – 1:00	<b>Take Us to Your Leaders (Civic &amp; Community Leaders)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mayor S. Mandel</li> <li>Councillor A. Sohi</li> <li>Linda Cochrane, General Manager, Community Services, City of Edmonton</li> </ul> Facilitator: Keli Tamaklo		<b>African Youth Connect!</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attuquaye Okai (leadership)</li> <li>Chaka Zinyemba (education)</li> <li>Tsione Demeke (health)</li> <li>Meghan Robinson (volunteerism)</li> </ul> Facilitator: Kristin Poon, Chair, City of Edmonton Youth Council		<b>On Culture and Identity: African Ways of Knowing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bitupu-Mufuta (oral literature)</li> <li>Dr. Ali Abdi (traditional educational philosophy)</li> <li>Dr. Patrick Iroegbu (traditional medical perspectives)</li> </ul> Facilitator: Dr. Phil Okeke (women's ways of knowing)
1:15 – 2:30	<b>Who You Gonna Call? (City Services)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EPS (Brad Ward - African Liaison)</li> <li>EPL (MC &amp; family progs)</li> <li>NCD – programs</li> <li>Community Facility Services – Rec Facs &amp; Attractions</li> <li>Community Grants (EIRC)</li> <li>Fire (community education)</li> </ul> Facilitator: to be announced	<b>The Power of (African) Sisterhood</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dr. Sentsetsa Pilane (Education)</li> <li>Dorah Kiliwa (Business)</li> <li>Dr. Christine Botchway</li> </ul> Facilitator: Primrose Igonor	<b>Keeping Ourselves Healthy</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dr. Ernest Khalema (social determinants of health)</li> <li>Dr. Stan Houston (infectious diseases)</li> <li>Dr. Sophie Yohani (Mental Health)</li> <li>Sue Jamison (AB Health Services, STD Clinic)</li> </ul> Facilitator: Uju Mollel *	<b>Acting Up! Living Actively in Our City</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dot Laing (Active Edmonton, City of Edmonton)</li> <li>Michelle Berg (Be Fit For Life)</li> </ul>	<b>So You Think You're an Entrepreneur?</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hawa Lula (Lula Stylish Attitude Inc.)</li> <li>Sami (Samere)–Habesha Restaurant</li> <li>Freddy Banda (Colour Blind clothing)</li> <li>Jean-Jacques Mitakaro, Business Link</li> </ul> Facilitator: Tich Tamanikwa, Edmonton Chamber of Commerce
2:45 – 4:00	<b>Civic Literacy 101 (How We Govern Ourselves)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>City Clerk's Office</li> <li>Councillor A. Sohi</li> <li>John Reilly</li> </ul> Facilitator: to be announced				