



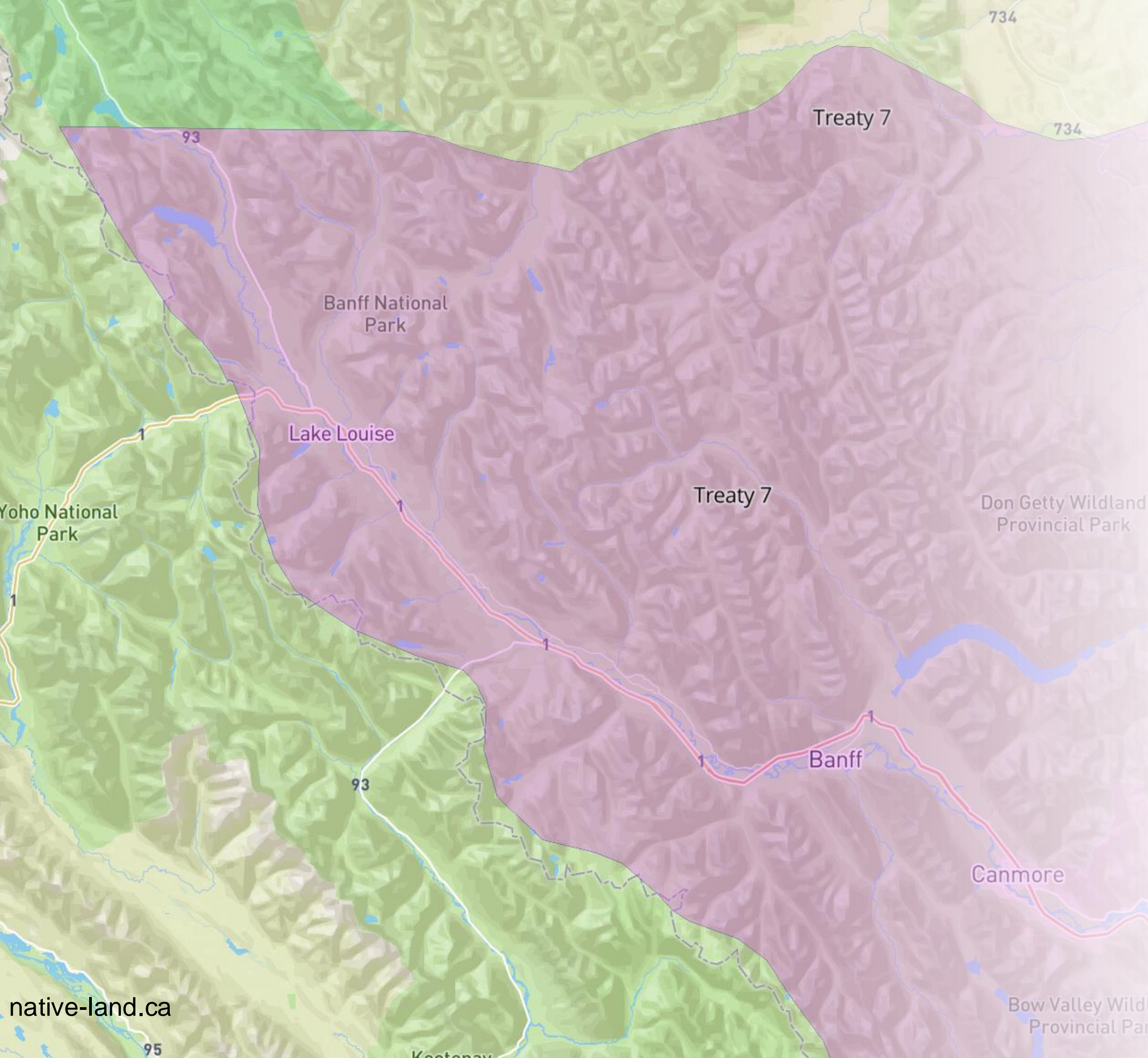
Winter Nuclear & Particle Physics Conference

WNPPC 2025

Banff, Alberta Canada

February 13 – 16 2025

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Land acknowledgment

We recognize, with deep respect and gratitude, our home on the side of Sacred Buffalo Guardian Mountain.

In the spirit of respect and truth, we honour and acknowledge the Banff area, known as “Minihrpa” (translated in Stoney Nakoda as “the waterfalls”) and the Treaty 7 territory and oral practices of the Îyârhe Nakoda (Stoney Nakoda) – comprised of the Bearspaw, Chiniki, and Goodstoney Nations – as well as the Tsuut’ina First Nation and the Blackfoot Confederacy comprised of the Siksika, Piikani, and Kainai.

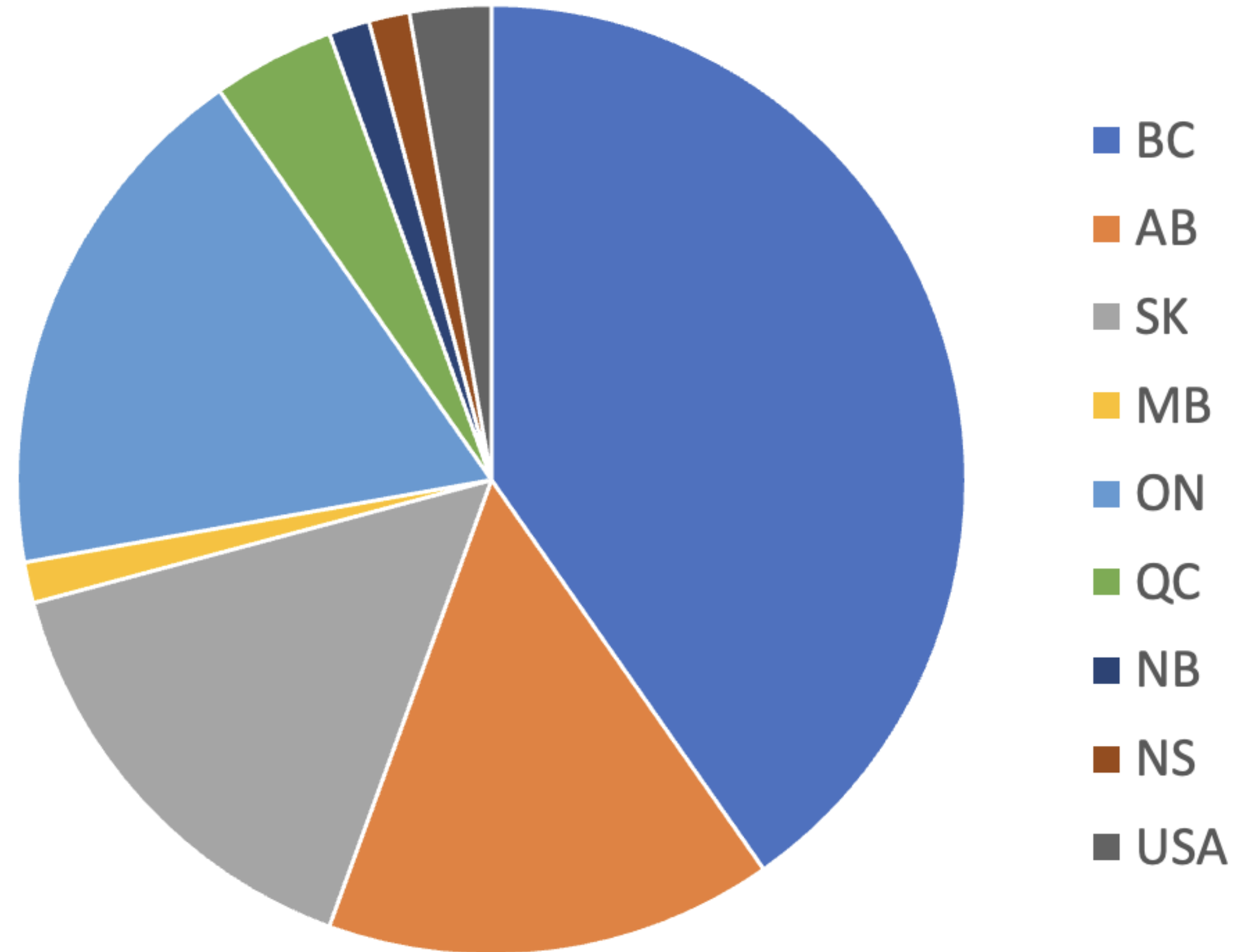
We acknowledge that this territory is home to the Shuswap Nations, Ktunaxa Nations, and Metis Nation of Alberta, Rockyview District 4. We acknowledge all Nations who live, work, and play here, help us steward this land, and honour and celebrate this place.

Welcome to Banff

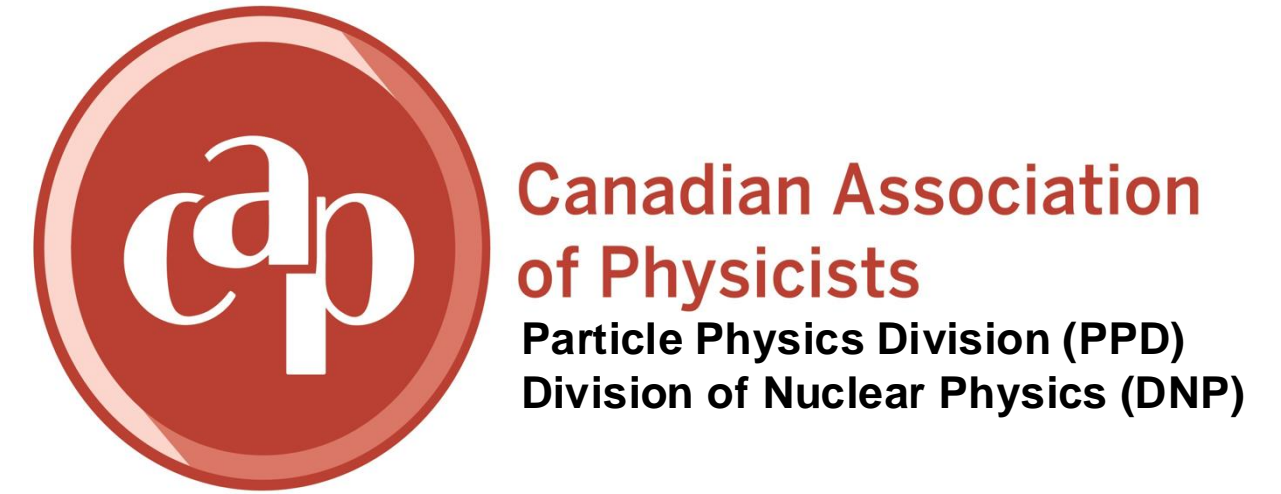
- 47 student participants
- 24 regular (including postdoc) participants
- 4 companions

A warm welcome to all participants!

WNPPC Participation 2025

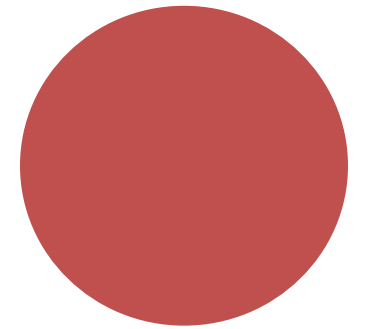


Many thanks to our sponsors!



Code of Conduct

- *“In line with our core values of Equity and Inclusion, we are committed to providing a safe and inclusive environment that fosters the exchange of scientific ideas, encourages open and respectful dialogue, and is free of harassment and discrimination. We respect each other, take care of each other, and support the success of all.*
- *We do not tolerate discrimination, harassment, or bullying. Conference participants have a right to belong and a responsibility to treat one another with respect. Acts of discrimination, harassment, or bullying will result in immediate action, and notification of appropriate authorities, if necessary. This includes, but is not limited to: sexual harassment, intimidation, threatening behaviour, sustained disruption, use of offensive or demeaning language including unwelcome or offensive jokes, unwanted photography, screenshots or recording without consent, engaging in biased, demeaning, or hostile commentary based on individual characteristics such as age, race, ethnicity, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, marital status, nationality, political affiliation, ability status, educational background, or any other characteristic protected by law.”*



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- If you have any concerns, or have experienced or observed any behaviour that violates this code of conduct, please feel encouraged to contact the conference Ombudsperson / Conference Chairs via email or direct message

The Ombudspersons for WNPPC2025 are:

- Corina Andreoiu (corina_andreoiu@sfu.ca)
- Annika Lennarz (lennarz@triumf.ca)

The WNPPC Conference Organizer is

- Jana Thomson (wnppc@triumf.ca)



All complaints will be treated with the utmost seriousness and discretion!



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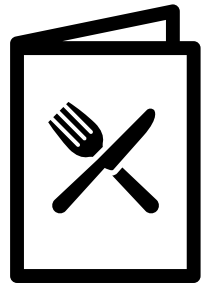
-Be kind.



Meals & Coffee



- **Coffee & snacks** are included in your conference registration fee



- **Pre-purchased meals:** meal tickets can be found in the registration package and will be collected at the Vistas Dining Room



- **Bagged lunches:** Tickets for pre-purchased lunch bags will be collected at the Vistas Dining Room

- **Bagged lunches** for attendees with food restrictions (GF, V, allergies, ...) will be identified and put to the side

- If you have not pre-purchased Vistas Dining Room meals, you may purchase as a walk-in (depends on availability)

- Food options and opening times are limited at the Banff Centre:

- Maclab: <https://www.banffcentre.ca/maclab-bistro>

- Vistas: <https://www.banffcentre.ca/vistas-dining-room>



Social Events

***Don't miss out on our social events!
Welcome Reception & Banquet Dinner are perfect opportunities to
engage with your peers!***

Welcome Reception - included in your registration

Description: snack food & beverages

Room: **KC 305**

Date: Thursday, February 13

Time: 21:15 - 22:45

Banquet Dinner - included in your registration

Room: **KC101**

Description: seated dinner in KC101

Date: Saturday, February 15

Time: 19:45 - 21:45



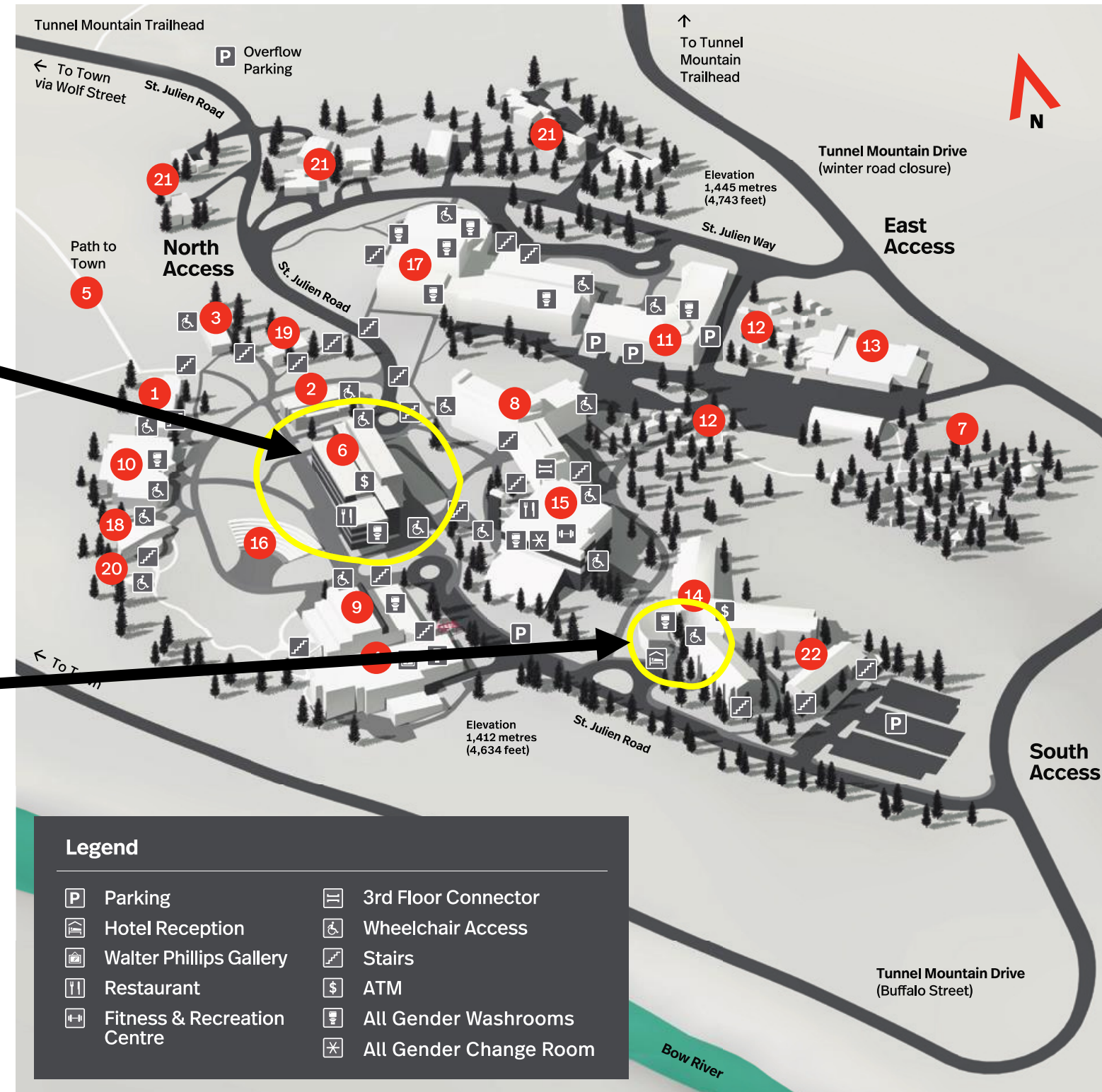
Banff Centre

BANFF
CENTRE FOR ARTS AND CREATIVITY

Welcome. Bienvenue.
Taan-shi. Dâ âûch yahine.
Oki. Gwanistli naniya.

○ All talks & all events will take place at the Kinnear Centre

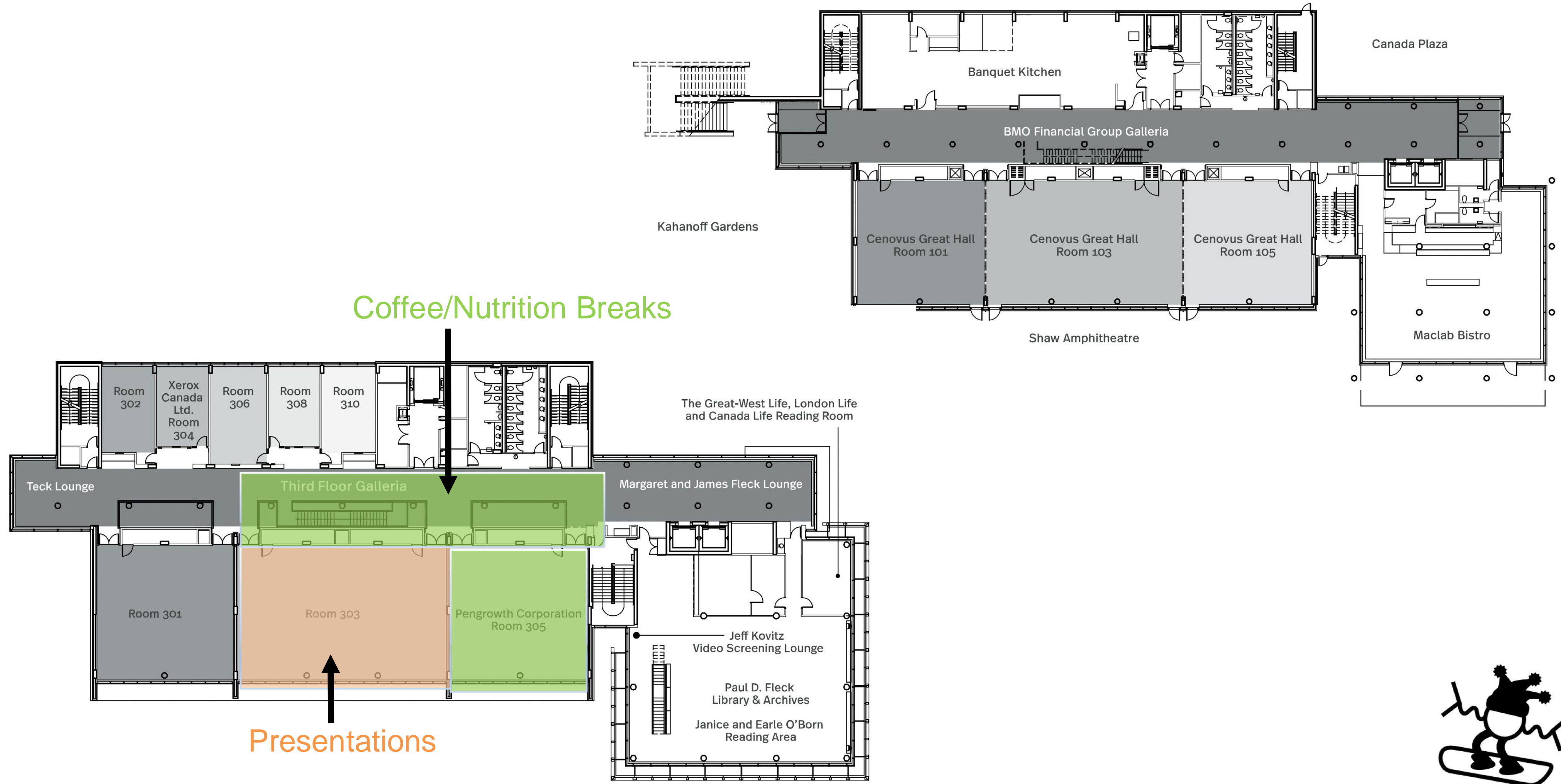
○ Hotel Reception



- 1 **Corbett Hall**
- 2 **Donald Cameron Centre**
Administration Offices
- 3 **Farrally Hall**
- 4 **Glyde Hall**
Walter Phillips Gallery
- 5 **Ken Madsen Path to Town**
- 6 **Kinnear Centre for Creativity & Innovation**
Maclab Bistro
Meeting Rooms & Banquets
Paul D. Fleck Library & Archives
- 7 **Leighton Artist Studios**
- 8 **Lloyd Hall**
- 9 **Jeanne & Peter Lougheed Building**
- 10 **Max Bell Building**
- 11 **Music Building**
Bentley Chamber Music Studio
Rolston Recital Hall
- 12 **Music Huts**
- 13 **Physical Facilities Building**
Print Shop
Shipping & Receiving
- 14 **Professional Development Centre**
Hotel Reception
- 15 **Sally Borden Building**
Fitness & Recreation Centre
Participant Resources
Three Ravens Restaurant
Vistas Dining Room
- 16 **Shaw Amphitheatre**
- 17 **Theatre Complex**
Box Office
Jenny Belzberg Theatre
Laszlo Funtek Teaching Wing
Margaret Greenham Theatre
- 18 **TransCanada PipeLines Pavilion**
Banff International Research Station
- 19 **Vinci Hall**
- 20 **Yurt**
- 21 **Staff Housing**
- 22 **Staff Housing**
Becker Hall



Floor Plan – Kinnear Centre



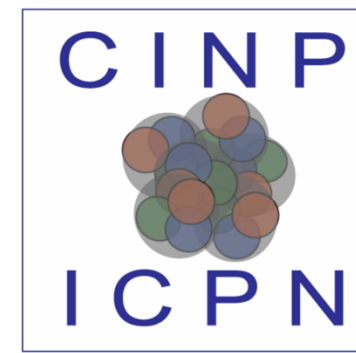
Please upload your talks in time

- Please upload your talks on indico ahead of time!
- Talks for **morning sessions** should be uploaded the **night before**
- Talks for **evening sessions** need to be uploaded **before dinner**
- See guideline for speakers on indico!

Thank you!



Student Awards



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Thanks to CINP and IPP for their support of best student presentation prizes!

Talks will be judged on:

- **Oral** - How well did the presenter present their ideas?
- **Motivation/Significance** - What was the significance of the presenter's research?
- **Discussion/Conclusions** - Does the presenter draw logical conclusions from the results obtained?
- **Visual** - Were their slides designed in a clear and attractive manner?
- **Response to Questions** - Are they able to frame their talk within the bigger picture?



Group Photo

Capture the moment!

Don't miss the group photo — let's create memories together!

- **When?** – Saturday morning, 9:45 am
- **Where?** – To be determined!
- We also encourage everyone to take pictures during the conference and of your adventures.
- We can share them with everyone at the end of the conference



The great outdoors...

- Afternoons are free to explore the Rockies with your peers!
- Ski resorts: Norquay (or tubing) & Sunshine village
- Cross country skiing
- Hike Johnson canyon
- Sulfur mountain hike/gondola
- Hot springs
- And much more!
- **Go explore!**



Questions?

- Please contact the local organizing committee via wnppc@triumf.ca
- Or any member directly
- All important information on times and locations can be found on <https://indico.triumf.ca/event/605/overview>

The WNPPC 2025 organizing committee:

Corina Andreoiu (SFU, Co-Chair 2025)

Erica Caden (SNOLAB and McGill, past Co-Chair)

Thomas Brunner (McGill, past Co-Chair)

Alain Bellerive (Carleton University)

Tim Friesen (University of Calgary)

Gwen Grinyer (University of Regina)

Annika Lennarz (TRIUMF - permanent member, Co-Chair 2025)

Tony Noble (Queen's University – permanent member)

Heather Russell (University of Victoria)

Jana Thomson (TRIUMF, Conferences Facilitator)



**Enjoy the
conference!**



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