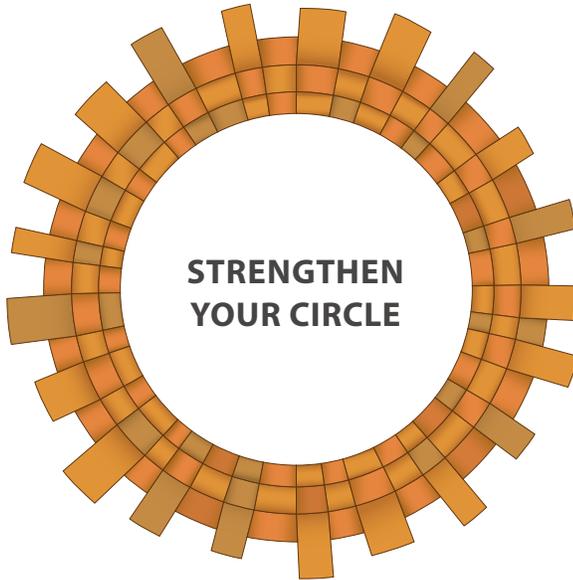




# CALLED TO ACTION COLLABORATIVE



## BUILDING AND TRANSFORMING RELATIONSHIPS WITH INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

REVIEWS • TRAINING • PLANNING • FACILITATION

*We offer a unique blend of customized cultural safety training, service review, reconciliation action planning and implementation that is tailored to support your organization to build, improve and transform its relationships with Indigenous peoples and organizations.*

### WHY DO THIS WORK?

The services we offer are unique. Through this programming you will be able to:

- Improve relationships and outcomes when working with Indigenous organizations and communities
- Make your workplace more collaborative and culturally safe for employees and clients
- More fully understand your legal responsibilities with regards to Indigenous rights
- Make your programs and services more culturally relevant and anti-racist
- Enact the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC) Calls to Action and the principles of the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples (UNDRIP)

### ABOUT OUR TEAM

The Called to Action Collaborative is a team of Indigenous and non-Indigenous educators and facilitators working in partnership to advance Indigenous rights and reconciliation. We are guided by the wisdom of Indigenous Elders who are part of our team. As a group, we hold expertise in training, curriculum development, planning, community engagement, project management, and cultural protocols. We are passionate, engaged, knowledgeable, and flexible to meet your needs.

### OUR APPROACH

Our work is grounded in Indigenous worldviews and approaches to learning. If you are looking to build new relationships with Indigenous people, relationships based on reciprocity and openness, we can help you to forge the way ahead. We provide tailored services to enable government, non-profits and private sector organizations to enact reconciliation and to promote decolonization when working with Indigenous peoples.

## Core Components of Our Approach:

**Personalized:** Our programming is tailored to your needs.

**Culturally-Grounded:** We blend cultural experience, working in partnerships with Indigenous Elders, with delivery of content to create a learning experience that has social, emotional and intellectual impacts.

**Action-Oriented:** We combine training, review and planning to create a holistic and fulsome approach that will enable the change you desire.

**Transformational:** Indigenous education is focused on personal development and relationships, and likewise our programs will change participants' perspectives and way of being in the world. This is a deep-dive into learning that impacts the whole person, and therefore the effects will be long-lasting and meaningful.

**Cultural Safety:** We start from a place of support—free of judgement or blame. We aim to lift up our participants, challenge dominant assumptions and ways of being, and help heal the wounds caused by colonization by bringing Indigenous and non-Indigenous people together in a safe environment to do meaningful work.

Our goal is to support your organization to fully realize a positive, effective, trusting and reciprocal relationship with Indigenous partners.

## OUR EXPERIENCE

Our experience includes working with a wide range of organizations, including carrying out community engagement projects, facilitation and research. A sample of our recent, relevant work includes:

- Customized workshops for BC government public servants to support implementing the TRC Calls to Action and UNDRIP (*BC Public Service Agency; Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations; Emergency Management BC*)
- Customized employee training, program review and action plan, and development of a Learning Framework to ensure culturally-responsive service delivery (*BC Ministry of Advanced Education, Skills and Training*)
- Land-based experiential training program to help fundraisers understand the organization's approach to supporting Indigenous land stewardship and to increase cultural awareness (*The Nature Conservancy*)



- Developing online learning resources to support Indigenization at BC post-secondary institutions (*BCcampus, Royal Roads University and University of Victoria*)
- Strategic and Operational planning for Ts'ewulhtun Health Centre (Cowichan Tribes), First People's Cultural Council, Unified Aboriginal Youth Collective, and the Aboriginal Health Strategic Plan (*Vancouver Island Health Authority*)

## TOPICS INCLUDE:

- UNDRIP and TRC Calls to Action -

- Creation of Reconciliation Plans -

- Indigenous Rights -

- History and Legacy of Colonization -

- Indigenous Worldviews -

- Indigenous Research Methodologies -

- Protocol and Engagement -

- Circle Process -

- Anti-Oppression and Being an Ally -

- Decolonization -

Want to learn more about our services or discuss a project idea?  
Contact us. We'd love to hear from you!