

Accessibility Conference Attendee's Presentation Wish List

Conference participants have provided us with the following suggestions for future workshops and presentations that they would like to attend. Those interested in submitting a Conference presentation proposal are welcome to address any of these topics but they are also not limited to them.

Web Accessibility

- Mobile accessibility, Inclusive Design, accessibility of user generated content, web apps for the hearing impaired, accessible ARIA applications, website testing...

Assistive Technology (AT) and Alternative Formats

- Copyright and alternative formats, the Marrakesh Treaty, creating accessible STEM materials, accessibility developments in the educational publishing sector, AT for mobile devices, hands-on AT demonstrations, recent developments in AT, addressing AT abandonment, AT and learning strategies, improving postsecondary student access to AT, new Learning Tools in Microsoft Office 365...

Postsecondary Disability Accommodation

- Dealing with disclosure, accommodating students with mental health issues and ASD, dealing with the challenge of rising caseloads, negotiating complex accommodations, postsecondary transition issues, best practices for examination centres and notetaking support, impact of new Ontario Human Rights Tribunal policy on accessible education for students with disabilities...

Workplace and Institutional Accessibility

- Contradictions between regulatory obligations, client needs and accessibility, how to promote workplace accessibility, role of Accessibility Advisory Committees (AACs) within municipalities, moving beyond minimum AODA compliance, effective employee accessibility training and support resources...

Education

- Accessibility barriers faced by students with disabilities, accessible classroom practices, accessibility and the digital humanities and virtual learning spaces, engaging with faculty on information and communication issues, increasing the participation of students with disabilities in STEM courses, accessibility and open access publishing...

Document and Media Accessibility

- Document and media accessibility tutorials, new developments in video captioning and description, PDF accessibility checker and editing tools, emerging accessible document formats, e-book accessibility, plain language, creating accessible print media and signage...

Understanding Accessibility Barriers

- First-hand descriptions of the daily obstacles encountered by persons with visual, auditory, cognitive or motor disabilities, how Braille, screen readers and assistive devices are used by people with visual impairments ...