

From April 2 to 9, 2011, Canada joins 40 countries worldwide in celebration of Adult Learners' Week. This week is a worldwide event that celebrates the achievements of adult learners and promotes the importance of lifelong learning. Therefore, Grant MacEwan University and HRIA are pleased to collaborate and join in this year's celebration by organizing the following FREE activity to support the power and the importance of lifelong learning.

**Date:**

Thursday, April 7, 2011

**Time:**

Registration/Refreshments:

5:30 – 6:00 PM

Presentation: 6:00 – 7:30 PM

**Location:**

Grant MacEwan University

City Centre Campus

10700 – 104 Avenue

Edmonton, Alberta

Room: 5-142

CN Conference Theatre

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## The Power of Networking

**Summary:**

One of the casualties of the information age is the belief that Internet applications can replace the value of face-to-face contact.

While they complement the art of networking very nicely, this change in our social behavior has permeated our networking culture and moved the art of networking into a routine pattern of online behavior. As we mature through our career cycle, we reach a point in time in which routine becomes our norm. While a period of routine can actually be a time of reflection, when we experience an extended period of routine we begin to inhibit the process of growth. The art of networking can be a very powerful distinguisher during this time in the process of elevating ourselves to the next level.

**Presenter:** Louise Chalupiak, B.Ed, M.Ed, CHRP, PMP

Louise Chalupiak is a senior consultant and facilitator with more than 25 years of progressive business experience.

Louise has written and delivered numerous levels of curriculum for leadership, human resources and project management training and is currently working with both the University of Calgary and the University of Regina. In addition, she has published work in the field of business leadership and continues to research and publish for various Alberta publications. She has a strong belief in life-long learning and continues to participate in project management field work.

**Note:** *This session is open to the general public.*

*HRIA members will earn 1.5 CHRP renewal points.*

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