



IPMEN 2023 Conference Program

Wednesday July 19th

Field Trip – Venue Fisherman’s Wharf – Victoria BC

9.30 am to 1.00 pm – Facilitator: **Pieter Romer**

- Bus pick-up at UVic: 8.15 am
- Arrive at Fisherman’s Wharf (delegates pre-order lunch): 9.00 am
- TEK themed cruise: 9.30 am to 1.00 pm
- Lunch – delegates purchase own at Fisherman’s Wharf: 1.00 pm to 2.00 pm
- Bus pick-up at Fisherman’s Wharf: 2.00 pm

Afternoon Workshops: Venue – ONC

3.00 pm to 5.00 pm – Facilitators: **Mike Spranger** and **Harry Breidahl**

Daphne Austin (Canada): 3.00 pm to 4.00 pm

Format: one-hour workshop

Presentation Title: Empowering Ocean Champions Through Climate Action Pedagogies

Presentation Description: Today’s youth are vulnerable to feeling eco-anxiety due to the impacts of the climate crisis. Educators are expected to help youth address this despite the lack of reliable resources. Through climate action pedagogies, the synergy of meaningful TEK learning, and up to date and reliable ocean science can empower your students to become Ocean Champions. So, join Ocean Wise for a workshop filled with activities and discussions to learn about how you can integrate these climate action pedagogies in your course curriculum and gain access to our education resources.

Presenter Bio: With a Bachelor of Marine Biology from Dalhousie University, Jess dedicates her career to protecting the ocean through education, research, and politics. In 2022, Jess joined Ocean Wise, a non-profit organization whose mission is to empower communities and individuals to take action to protect and restore our world’s ocean, as the coordinator of partnerships and education resources. Since then, she has been focused on developing resources that support teachers on bringing meaningful and impactful climate change education into their classroom through a variety of education resources and professional development workshops.

Other Presenter Names: Jessica Khoury - Ocean Wise Online Learning Specialists

IPMEN Planning Forum: 4.00 pm to 5.00 pm

IPMEN 2023 Conference Dinner: Venue – UVic First Peoples House

- Pre-dinner drinks at the [UVic Grad House](#): 6.00 pm to 7.00 pm
- Dinner at First Peoples House: 7.00 pm to whenever