



PCVA Fifth Annual Meeting and Conference
Monday, November 14 - Thursday, November 17, 2022
Coast Coal Harbour Vancouver Hotel by APA
Vancouver, BC

2022 PCVA Conference Agenda – Vancouver (PST)
All conference activities will be held in the Coal Harbour A Ballroom

Monday, November 14

- 5:00 – **Registration** opens
- 6:00 – 9:00 – **Welcome Reception** for all registered delegates and invited guests

Tuesday, November 15

- 8:00 - 9:00 **Breakfast and Registration** – *Sponsored by WAJAX*
- 9:00 **Opening Remarks** – *Kurt Huck, PCVA*
- 9:15 – 9:30 **Association Activities, 2022** – *Kurt Huck, PCVA*
- 9:30 – 11:00 – **Tourism Industry Updates** - including facilitated Q & A
 - o *Beth Potter, CEO, Tourism Industry Association of Canada*
 - o *Walt Judas, CEO, Tourism Industry Association of BC*
- 11:00 – 11:15 – Refreshment Break
- 11:15 – 12:30 – **Solutions for Human Resources** - *Philip Mondor, President and CEO, Tourism HR Canada*
- 12:30 – 1:30 – Lunch – *Sponsored by Starboard Suite*
- 1:30 – 3:00 – **What to do Post Accident: What Happens Next?**
 - o *Kurt Huck, PCVA*
 - o *Rui Fernandes, Gardiner Roberts LLP*
 - o *Mike Delaney, RIO Insurance*
- 3:00 – 3:15 – **Refreshment Break**
- 3:15 – 4:15 – **Preparing for Transition: What Every Operator Needs to Know** - *Trish Higgins, CEO, Cap'n Fish's Cruises & Founding Partner, Chenmark*
- **BREAK**
- 6:00 – 10:00 – **The Pacific Yacht Charter Dinner Cruise**
- 10:00 – **Day 1 Concludes**



Wednesday, November 16

- 8:00 - 9:00 - **Breakfast** – *Sponsored by Gardiner Roberts LLP*
- 9:00 – **Opening Remarks** – *Kurt Huck, PCVA*
- 9:15 – 10:15 – **Commercial Vessel Operators in the PCVA** - *Mike Steckhan, Inland Marine Technologies Ltd.*
- 10:15 – 10:30 – Refreshment Break
- 10:30 – 11:30 – **Invaluable Industry Partnerships** - *John M Wilson, President & Chief Executive, and Samantha Wilson-Newton, Brand Manager, The Wilson Group of Companies*
- 11:30 – 12:30 – **Recession Proofing Business** - *Greg Kells, Sunbelt Business Brokers*
- 12:30 – 1:30 – Lunch – *Sponsored by BYD-Naval Architects*
- 1:30 – 2:30 – **Electrification of inland waterways: case studies from propulsion to house load supply and charging** - *Jonathan Kruse, Manager Project Sales, Torqeedo & Robert Taillefer, President, Ottawa Boat Cruise*
- 2:30 – 2:45 – Refreshment Break
- 2:45 – 3:30 – **Fatigue Management and Safety Management Systems** - *Ken Potter, Transportation Safety Board of Canada*
- 3:30 – 4:00 – **Annual General Meeting, Election and Town Hall (Voting Members)**
- 4:00 – **Day 2 Concludes**
- **Evening on own**

Thursday, November 17

- 8:00 – 9:00 - **Breakfast**
- 9:00 – **Opening remarks** – *Kurt Huck, PCVA*
- 9:15 – 10:00 – **WAJAX Propulsion, Products and Services** - *Duncan Finalyson, WAJAX*
- 10:00 – 10:15 – Refreshment Break
- 10:15 – 11:00 – **Transport Canada Update**
- 11:00 – 12:00 – **Association Initiatives 2023 and Conference Wrap-Up** - *Moderated by Kurt Huck, PCVA*
- 12:00 – **Day 3 and Conference Concludes**