

# **AGENDA**

## **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26**

4 p.m. – 8 p.m. Registration (Alta Vista Room)

7 p.m. – 10 p.m. Welcome reception for CFA delegates

Hosted by Spirits Canada – 81 Metcalfe Street, Ottawa

### **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27**

8 a.m. – 4 p.m. Registration (Victoria Ballroom)

### Policy Workshops Pre-registration required

8:30 a.m. – 9:50 a.m. Right to Repair and Big Data (Victoria Ballroom)

8:35 a.m. – 9:10 a.m. PANEL – AGRICULTURAL DATA SHARING & PRIVACY

• Jo-Anne Relf-Eckstein - Researcher, Centre for the Study of Science and Innovation Policy,

Johnson-Shoyama Graduate School Public Policy, University of Saskatchewan

• Michael Nepveux – Economist, American Farm Bureau

9:10 a.m. – 9:45 a.m. **PANEL – RIGHT TO REPAIR** 

• Eric Wareham – Vice-President, Western Equipment Dealers Association

• Gay Gordon-Byrne - Executive Director, The Repair Association

10 a.m. – 12 p.m. Seed Value Creation Discussion & AAFC/CFIA Consultation (Victoria Ballroom)

10:05 a.m. – 10:50 a.m. PANEL – PLANT BREEDING IN CANADA

• Dr. Krista Thomas – Director of Plant Innovation, Canada Grains Council

• Dr. Helen Booker – Associate Professor, University of Saskatchewan

• Todd Hyra – Western Business Manager, SeCan

10:50 a.m. – 11:55 p.m. PANEL – AAFC/CFIA VALUE CREATION CONSULTATION

• Anthony Parker – Commissioner, CFIA Plant Breeders' Rights Office

• Carla St. Croix - Director, Innovation and Growth Policy, AAFC

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Plenary Sessions	For all attendees (Victoria Ballroom)
12 p.m. – 1 p.m.	Luncheon Keynote
	Hon. Lawrence MacAulay Minister of Agriculture and Agri-Food
	Hon. Bernadette Jordan (TBC) Minister of Rural Economic Development
1 p.m. – 1:10 p.m.	AGM Opening Remarks Ron Bonnett, CFA President
1:10 p.m. – 1:40 p.m.	CFA Elections – Election of CFA President
1:40 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	<ul> <li>CFA Business</li> <li>Meeting Arrangements and Procedures</li> <li>Adoption of the Agenda</li> <li>Approval of 2018 Annual General Meeting Minutes</li> <li>2018 Financial Report – Christa Casey, CPA, CA, Welch, LLP</li> <li>Auditor's Appointment</li> </ul>
2:15 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	Resolutions

# **WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27** (Plenary sessions continued)

3:15 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	Health Break
3:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.	PANEL – CARBON PRICING: IMPACTS AND OPPORTUNITIES
	<ul> <li>Keith Currie, President, Ontario Federation of Agriculture (Moderator)</li> <li>Candace Vinke, Sustainable Development Director, Viresco Solutions</li> <li>Carbon Pollution Pricing Bureau, Environment and Climate Change Canada (TBC)</li> <li>MP Wayne Stetski, Vice-Chair, House of Commons Standing Committee on Environment &amp; Sustainable Development</li> </ul>
4:45 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.	CFA Elections – Election of 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice-President
6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	CFA President's Reception (Summit Room, Marriott Hotel)

# **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28**

THORISDAY, TEDROART	
7 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	Corporate Leaders Breakfast with CFA Executive (By invitation – Rideau Room)
8 a.m. – 4 p.m.	Registration
Plenary Sessions	For all attendees (Victoria Ballroom)
8:45 a.m. – 9 a.m.	Remarks from New Democratic Party Agricultural Critic  • Alistair MacGregor, MP for Cowichan-Malahat-Langford (BC)
9 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Remarks from Conservative Party Agricultural Critic  • Luc Berthold, MP for Mégantic-L'Érable (Québec)
9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Resolutions (continued)
10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Health Break

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	PANEL – FUTURE OF CANADIAN FARMING: Macroeconomics, Export Opportunity, Sustainability
	<ul> <li>Lee Moats, Pulse Producer and Member of the Agri-Food Economic Strategy Table (Moderator)</li> <li>Howard Mains, Association of Equipment Manufacturers</li> <li>Frédéric Seppey, Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada (TBC)</li> <li>Len Kahn &amp; Andreas Duess, Nourish Food Marketing</li> </ul>
11:30 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.	CFA Elections – Election of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice-President
11:50 a.m. – 12:50 p.m.	<ul> <li>Luncheon — CFA Partners Update</li> <li>Carla Ventin, Senior Vice President, Government Affairs, Food &amp; Consumer Products of Canada</li> <li>Garth Whyte, President and CEO, Fertilizer Canada</li> </ul>
12:50 p.m. – 1:20 p.m.	Future of Farming – Farm Credit Canada  • Marty Seymour, Director, Industry and Stakeholder Relations
1:20 p.m. – 2:05 p.m.	Producing Prosperity and Federal Election Campaign • Peter Seemann, Grassroots Public Affairs
2:05 p.m. – 2:20 p.m.	Brigid Rivoire Mental Health Award
2:20 p.m. – 3:05 p.m.	Resolutions (continued)
3:05 p.m. – 3:20 p.m.	Health Break
3:20 p.m. – 3:40 p.m.	Agriculture in the Classroom Canada  • Christa Wright, Operations Manager
3:40 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Approval of Amended By-Laws
4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	President's Closing Remarks

March 1 – First 2019 CFA Board Meeting will take place in Victoria Ballroom from 8 a.m. – 1 p.m.

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# **CFA 2019 BOARD MEETINGS:**

April 8-11	Board of Directors Meeting, CFA Offices, 21 Florence Street
April 9	CFA Lobby Day
July 15-17	Summer Board Meeting & FPT Roundtable, Québec, QC
October 28-30	Board of Directors Meeting, CFA Offices, 21 Florence Street

# **OTHER EVENTS:**

March 10-16	Canadian Agricultural Safety Week
May 20-23	WFO General Assembly, Luxembourg
September 18-20	NA/EU Farm Leaders Meeting, Copenhagen, Denmark