



2018-19 INAUGURAL SENATE FORUM

CANNABIS CONUNDRUM: INSIGHTS AND PERSPECTIVES

Join us for our inaugural senate forum:
December 4 4-6 pm
High Up Above Room
Holiday Inn Express and Suites East-University

Please RSVP by November 30, 2018 at university.secretary@usask.ca

Refreshments available. Parking is available at both the Holiday Inn parkade and the university stadium parkade.

AGENDA

- 4 pm Greetings:** Chancellor Roy Romanow and President Peter Stoicheff
- 4:05 Introductions:** Kishor Wasan, Moderator
Dean, College of Pharmacy and Nutrition and member of the senate forum planning committee
- 4:10 Jerome Konecni**, Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy
Speaking on policy implementation
Jerome Konecni is an award-winning innovator whose 40-year career includes executive roles in the private, public and NGO sectors. He spent the last five years as CEO of Innovation Saskatchewan. He is currently an executive-in-residence at Johnson Shoyama and CEO of a start-up company commercializing university research.
- 4:30 Discussion**
- 4:45 Mark Carter**, College of Law
Speaking on constitutional and legal issues
Professor Mark Carter teaches and researches in the areas of constitutional law, legal theory and criminal law at the University of Saskatchewan College of Law, Saskatoon. Before returning home to Saskatoon Professor Carter taught at Simon Fraser University's School of Criminology.
- 5:05 Discussion**
- 5:20 Michael Szafron**, School of Public Health
Speaking on public perceptions on public health
Dr. Szafron is an associate professor in the School of Public Health. One of his areas of expertise is quantitative public health with applications in nutrition, access to health care, healthy aging, and policy and prevention. A majority of his cannabis-related work has focused on public education, debunking common myths and misconceptions regarding cannabis usage.
- 5:40 Discussion**

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