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<b>FRIDAY AFTERNOON (WORKSHOPS)</b>							
12:00-14:00			Workshop: Policing 101: How to Get the Law Right in Your Story - RCMP Sgt. Pat Poitevin (\$20 signup required)	Workshop: Keep Readers on the Edge of Their Seat - Matt Moore (\$20 signup required)			
14:30-16:30			Workshop: Weather That Works: Worldbuilding for the Serious Writer - Mark Robinson (\$20 signup required)	Workshop: Nailing Your Beginning - James Alan Gardner (\$20 signup required)			
16:00-18:00							

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<b>FRIDAY EVENING</b>							
17:00-19:00	Registration Opens at 5:00 pm						
19:00-19:50	The Morality of Doctor Who Villains - Jim Davies, Deirdre Kelly	So This is Your First Con - A.A. Jankiewicz, Adam Shaftoe-Durrant, Lisa Toohey, Matt Moore (m)	Alien Creation Slapdown - Jennifer Albert, Agnes Cadieux, Sylvain Neuvel, Ed Willett, Geoff Hart (m)	Unpacking the Terror in Canadian Horror Films - Sean Moreland, David Nickle, Lydia Peever		Book Launch: <i>Monsters in My Mind</i> by Ada Hoffmann	
20:00-20:50	Opening Ceremonies: Steven Erikson, Sheila Gilbert, Kim-Mei Kirtland, Derek Kunsken (m)	Absurdist British Speculative Fiction - Tim Carter, Cait Gordon, John Haas, Tanya Huff, Kari Maaren, Ira Nayman (m)	Alternate History Live Challenge - Charlotte Ashley, Anatoly Belilovsky, KT Bryski, Mike Rimar, Matthew Johnson (m)	Countdown to NaNoWriMo - Kaitlin Caul, Kim McCarthy, Angela S. Stone, Helena Verdier, Chris Kelworth (m)			
21:00-21:50	Homophobia and Monster Stories - Christian Baines, Derek Newman-Stille, Kate Story, Bob D'Errico (m)	The Fantasy Writer's Guide to Beer - KT Bryski	No, You Can't Actually Do That With a Computer - Rob Krten, Farrell McGovern, Kris Ramsey, Dan Smith, Pippa Wysong (m)	Peanut Butter and Chocolate: SF/F Mashups We Wish Existed - Cathy Hird, Sylvain Neuvel, Angela S. Stone, Christina Vasilevski, Kaitlin Caul (m)			
22:00-22:50							
23:00-23:50							

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<b>SATURDAY MORNING</b>							
09:00-10:00	Registration Opens at 9 am, Dealers Set-Up				SFWA: Supports for Writers & Routes to Membership - Curtis C. Chen, Susan Forest, Derek Künsken		
10:00-10:50	The Illusion of History - Charlotte Ashley, Cathy Hird, Fiona Patton, Gregory A. Wilson, Ranylt Richildis (m)	I'm Submitting, But Novel Publishers and Magazines Aren't Saying Yes - Jennifer Albert, Kim-Mei Kirtland, Mike Rimar, Diane Walton, Trevor Quachri (m)	Colonizing Titan - Gillian Clinton, Derek Künsken, Wolfram Lunscher, Eric Choi (m)	The Romance Tropes We Love - 'Nathan Burgoine, Jennifer Carole Lewis, Angela S. Stone, Jessica Ripley (m)	Readings: 10:00-10:15 - Kelly Robson, 10:15-10:30 - Kate Heartfield, 10:30-10:45 - Tonya Liburd	<i>RecipeArium</i> at Can*Con! - Costi Gurgu, Julie E. Czerneda	Programming Table: Consult a Copy Editor! - Richard Shealy
							Signing Sessions: 10:00-10:30 – Cait Gordon, Jamieson Wolf; 10:30-11 - Sylvain Neuvel, Alison Sinclair, Matthew Bin
11:00-11:50	Finding a Home for Your Queer Tales - 'Nathan Burgoine, Caro Frechette, Stephen Graham King, Kelsi Morris, Derek Newman-Stille (m)	Science Fiction of DAW - Gerald Brandt, Julie E. Czerneda, Sheila Gilbert, Tanya Huff, Ed Willett, Marie Bilodeau (m)	Black Gate Interviews Canadian Fantasy Author Steven Erikson	Collaborative Creating - Amal el-Mohtar, Jack Briglio, Ursula Pflug, Robin Riopelle, Hayden Trenholm, Leah Bobet (m)	An Illustrated History of Chinese SF - Derwin Mak		Agent Pitches with Kim-Mei Kirtland (sign-up in advance)
							Signing Sessions: 11:00-11:30 – Madeline Ashby, Chadwick Ginther; 11:30-12:00 - Curtis C. Chen, Yves Meynard

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12:00-12:50	Economics of Traditional Publishing - Marie Bilodeau, Gerald Brandt, Mark Leslie Lefebvre, Derek Künsken (m)	Laksa Media Presents: Making of an Anthology	How to Interact with a Bookstore - Charlotte Ashley, 'Nathan Burgoine, Benoit Chartier, Leah Bobet (m)	Ancient Grimoires, Occult Texts and Dusty Tomes - Erik Buchanen, Lesley Donaldson, Evan May, Michelle Sagara, Peter Halasz (m)	Readings: 12:00-12:15 - Timothy Gwyn, 12:15-12:30 - Su J. Sokol, 12:30-12:45 - Ryan McFadden		Signing Sessions: 12:00-12:30 - Fiona Patton, Jerome Stueart; 12:30-13:00 - Charles de Lint, Ursula Pflug
13:00-13:50	Politics in Canadian SF - Presentation by Prof. Allan Weiss	Advice to Aspiring Writers on the Craft - Charles de Lint, Tanya Huff, Kelly Robson, Hayden Trenholm, Eric Choi (m)	Readings: Trevor Quachri Presents His <i>Analog Authors</i> - Andrew Barton, Susan Forest, Derek Künsken, Rich Larson, Trevor Quachri	Adaptation: Turning Your Novel into a Script, and Vice-versa - Robert J. Sawyer	Readings: 13:00-13:15 - Chadwick Ginther, 13:15-13:30 - Leah Bobet, 13:30-13:45 - Curtis C. Chen	Kaffeeklatsch w/ Editor GoH Sheila Gilbert (sign-up at registration)	Renaissance Press Pitch Sessions (sign-up at registration)
							Signing Sessions: 13:00 - Julie E. Czerneda, Violette Malan; 13:30 - Ed Willett, Gerald Brandt
14:00-14:50	They're More Like Guidelines: Rules of Magic - Amal el-Mohtar, James Alan Gardner, Kari Sperring, Gregory A. Wilson, Violette Malan (m)	Acquiring and Representing Novels - Sheila Gilbert, Kim-Mei Kirtland, Hayden Trenholm	The End is the Beginning - Jay Odjick, Waubgeshig Rice	Art of the Mosaic - Jonathan Crowe, Claude Lalumière, Jerome Stueart, Liz Westbrook-Trenholm (m)	Readings: 14:00-14:15 - Gerald Brandt, 14:15-14:30 - Alison Sinclair, 14:30-14:45 Fiona Patton	Schmooze with Scientists - Anatoly Belilovsky, Andrew Blaber, Agnes Cadieux, Eric Choi, Gillian Clinton	Blue Pencil Café w/ Alexandra Renwick, Mark Shainblum, Diane Walton (sign-up at registration)
							Signing Sessions: 14:00 - Steven Erikson, Robert J. Sawyer, S.M. Carriere, Eric Desmarais; 14:30 - Tanya Huff, Michelle Sagara

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<b>SATURDAY AFTERNOON CONT'D</b>							
15:00-15:50	What Makes Romantic Chemistry Between Characters? - Julie E. Czerneda, Jennifer Carole Lewis, Jamieson Wolf, Kelly Robson (m)	How I Created the Malazan Series - Steven Erikson	Laksa Media Presents: The Stories Behind the Stories	Writing Games: It's Big Literature Now - Geoff Gander, Kate Heartfield, M. Elizabeth Marshall, KT Bryski (m)	Readings: 15:00-15:15 - Tanya Huff, 15:15-15:30 - Violette Malan, 15:30-15:45 - Kari Maaren		One-on-one Consultations with Mark Leslie Lefebvre (sign-up at registration)  Signing Sessions: 15:00 - Leah Bobet, Nathan Burgoine, 49 <sup>th</sup> Parallels authors; 15:30 - David Nickle, Claude Lalumière, 49 <sup>th</sup> Parallels authors
16:00-16:50	The Role and Job of an Agent - Kim-Mei Kirtland	Mental Health, Neurodiversity and Creativity - Dominic Bercier, Caro Frechette, Talia Johnson, Sean Moreland, Bob D'Errico (m)	The Many Angles of Scriptwriting - Jack Briglio, Tanya Huff, Jay Odjick, Lynn Tarzwell, Costi Gurgu (m)	Farewell to Sira and Morgan - Julie Czerneda, Sheila Gilbert	Readings: 16:00-16:25 - Robert J. Sawyer, 16:25-16:50 - Eric Choi	Book Launch: <i>The Multiverse is a Nice Place to Visit, But I Wouldn't Want to Live There</i> by Ira Nayman	
17:00-17:50	<i>On Spec Magazine: 25 Years of Canadian SFF</i> - Leah Bobet, Brandon Crilly, Susan Forest, Chadwick Ginther, Diane Walton, Hayden Trenholm (m)	Trek Out with Steven Erikson and Robert J. Sawyer	Beyond the Flesh: Is Our Future Virtual? - JF Dubeau, Jason Harley, Rob Krten, Wolfram Lunscher, Pippa Wysong (m)	Claude and Dave: The Conversation - Claude Lalumière, David Nickle	Readings: 17:00-17:15 - Suzanne Church, 17:15-17:30 - Rebecca Diem, 17:30-17:45 - Gregory A. Wilson		One-on-one Consultations with Mark Leslie Lefebvre (sign-up at registration)

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18:00-18:50	Benefits and Challenges to #ownvoices Writing - Elizabeth Hirst, Ada Hoffmann, Talia Johnson, Tonya Liburd, Waubgeshig Rice, Dominik Parisien (m)	Subjugation or Collaboration? A.I. in Education Today and in the Future - Presentation by Prof. Jason Harley	Stories of the Northmen - Chadwick Ginther, Kris Ramsey, Una Verdandi, Kate Heartfield (m)	PodCastle Live! - Jennifer Albert, Charlotte Ashley	Readings: 18:00-18:15 – Stephen Graham King, 18:15-18:30 - Jennifer Carole Lewis, 18:30-18:45 - Jessica Ripley	Kaffeeklatsch w/ Agent GoH Kim-Mei Kirtland (sign-up at registration)	Programming Table: Consult a Copy Editor! - Richard Shealy
19:00-19:50	Queer Comics - Amal el-Mohtar, Bob D'Errico, Caro Frechette, Sean Moreland, Derek Newman-Stille (m)	Charles de Lint Talks About <i>The Wind in His Heart</i> - Charles de Lint, MaryAnn Harris	I'd Rather Have Beer with a Villain - James Alan Gardner, Nicole Lavigne, Adam Shaftoe-Durrant (m), Una Verdandi, Sylvain Neuvel	Play Reading: <i>DINKS</i> by Hayden Trenholm - Agnes Cadieux, Brandon Crilly, Matt Moore, Alexandra Renwick, Hayden Trenholm, Liz Westbrook-Trenholm	Readings: 19:00-19:15 - KT Bryski, 19:15-19:30 - David Nickle, 19:30-19:45 - Kate Story		
20:00-20:50	Mark Swims With Whale Sharks and Burns Steaks in a Volcano: Sneak TV Preview - Mark Robinson	LRT Maintenance Schedule Consultation #112*	King of the Dead: Retrospective on George Romero - Sean Moreland, Jay Odjick, Ranylt Richildis, Matt Moore (m)	Asexual Identities - Andrew Barton, S.M. Carriere, Dianna Gunn, Kelsi Morris, KT Bryski (m)	Readings: 20:00-20:15 - Mark Shainblum	Book Party: <i>Brave New Girls 2</i> - A.A. Jankiewicz, Lisa Toohey	
21:00-22:00		Spooning with Spoonies - 'Nathan Burgoine, Caro Frechette, Cait Gordon, Talia Johnson, Jamieson Wolf, Derek Newman-Stille (m)	Spam Meet - Anatoly Belilovsky, S.M. Carriere, Eric Desmarais, Raeanne Roy, Rebecca Simkin (m)	Animal Fantasy - Suzanne Church, Jim Davies, Kate Story, Lisa Toohey, Jerome Stueart (m)		Bundoran Press Party - Launch for <i>49th Parallels</i> (with readings) 21:00-midnight	

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10:00-10:50	Snakes and Ladders of Self-Publishing - Nicole Burton, Rebecca Diem, Glynn Stewart, Linda Poitevin (m)	Ow! Acidy! Hot! Ow! What's Weather Like on Venus? - Derek Künsken, Mark Robinson, Alison Sinclair	The Influence of the Two Campbells - Andrew Barton, Kate Heartfield, Claude Lalumière, Violette Malan, Trevor Quachri (m)	Optimizing Sales and Maximizing Revenue w/ Kobo - Mark Leslie Lefebvre	Renaissance Press Readings - S.M. Carriere, Kaitlin Caul, Eric Desmarais, John Haas, Derek Newman-Stille, Jamieson Wolf		DAW Pitch Sessions with Sheila Gilbert (sign-up in advance)
11:00-11:50	The Writing Life: Past, Present, and Future - Robert J. Sawyer	The Magic and Power of Epic Fantasy - Steven Erikson, Sheila Gilbert, Violette Malan, Fiona Patton, Michelle Sagara, Kim-Mei Kirtland (m)	You Should've Read This in 2017 - Amal el-Mohtar, Jonathan Crowe, Su J. Sokol, Peter Halasz (m)	Claude Lalumière Presents <i>Venera Dreams: A Weird Entertainment</i>	Readings: 11:00-11:15 - Matt Moore, 11:15-11:30 - Hayden Trenholm, 11:30-11:45 - Anatoly Belilovsky	Kaffeeklatsch w/ <i>On Spec</i> Editor Diane Walton (sign-up at registration)	
12:00-12:50	Street Stories in Modern Africa - Presentation by Prof. Nduka Otiono	Arrowdreams 20th Anniversary Panel - Paula Johanson, Mark Shainblum, Jean-Louis Trudel, Allan Weiss, Eric Choi (m)	Anatomy of bribe: What every writer needs to know about bribery and corruption - Presentation by Sgt. Pat Poitevin	Should Can*Con Make a Bid for World Fantasy? - Marie Bilodeau, Derek Künsken	Readings: 12:00-12:15 - Elizabeth Hirst, 12:15-12:30 - Karen Dales, 12:30-12:45 - Stephen B. Pearl		Blue Pencil Café w/ Linda Poitevin, Ed Willett, Gregory A. Wilson (sign-up at registration)

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13:00-13:50	Open Chat with Julie E. Czerneda and Charles de Lint	Would First Contact Go Horribly Wrong? - Gillian Clinton, Jean-Louis Trudel, Alison Sinclair, Geoff Hart (m)	The Books We Don't Admit to Reading - Violette Malan, Ryan McFadden, Ranylt Richildis, Peter Halasz (m)	Myths You Maybe Haven't Heard Of - Jay Odjick, Nduka Otono, Trevor Quachri, Alexandra Renwick, Derek Newman-Stille (m)	Readings: 13:00-13:15 - Jim Davies, 13:15-13:30 - Cait Gordon, 13:30-13:45 Lesley Donaldson	Kaffeeklatsch w/ Author GoH Steven Erikson (sign-up at registration)	Agent Pitches with Kim-Mei Kirtland (sign-up in advance)  Programming Table: Interested in Being on Programming Next Year? - Brandon Crilly, Evan May
14:00-14:50	Trapped in the Wrong Tropes: Representing Transgender Lives in Fiction - Caro Frechette, Talia Johnson, Fiona Patton, Linda Poitevin (m)	Wands Up! The Power of SFF and Activism - Rebecca Diem, Su J. Sokol, Christina Vasilevski, Violette Malan (m)	Leveling Up Your Writing with Formal Courses - Curtis C. Chen, Suzanne Church, Timothy Gwyn, Leah MacLean-Evans, Kelly Robson (m)	2017 Scientific Discoveries Thunderdome - Eric Choi, Jim Davies, Alison Sinclair, Pippa Wysong, Matt Moore (m)	Readings: 14:00-14:15 -Mike Rimar, 14:15-14:30 - Michelle Sagara, 14:30-14:45 - Matthew Bin		
15:00-15:30			The End - Time for Thank yous and Feedback - please stay and help us clean up! :-)				