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Lewis Cardinal provides Indigenous world views on sustainability

Edmonton—The Office of Sustainability at MacEwan University is pleased to welcome noted communicator and educator Lewis Cardinal to discuss Indigenous world views on sustainability.

“Sustainability in the eyes and mind of an Indigenous person is not a new concept,” says Cardinal. “The notion of sustainability goes beyond the proper management and production of natural resources or the inclusion of alternative energy and food sources into our society. It’s also about how we implement and practice sustainability in our relationships with one another,” added Cardinal.

“Lewis Cardinal provides a powerful, Indigenous perspective where, through story-telling, he paints a picture of the complex interconnections between ecological integrity, cultural preservation, economic vitality, and social equity,” said Kalen Pilkington, head of Sustainability, MacEwan University.

When: January 14, Thursday
Where: CN Conference Theatre 5-142 (Building 5, Room 142), City Centre Campus
Time: 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

The Office of Sustainability aims to connect, engage, and inspire MacEwan University’s campus and the community through sustainability leadership. Utilizing a systems-thinking methodology, we strive to create a balanced approach to the environmental, economic, social, cultural, and well-being dimensions of sustainability.

Founded in 1971, MacEwan University inspires its students with a powerful combination of academic excellence and personal learning experiences. Offering more than 65 programs including undergraduate degrees, applied degrees, diplomas, certificates, continuing education and corporate training, the university provides a transformative education in a creative, collaborative and supportive learning environment where creativity and innovation thrive. Located in Edmonton, Alberta Canada, MacEwan University offers a unique student experience that opens up diverse pathways for achievement and growth.

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