

# **Speaker Guidelines**

Thank you very much for agreeing to be a speaker for BCCPA's Annual Conference 2017. To ensure that your session and/or panel runs smoothly, we have provided some general guidelines here.

## **Before the Conference**

- Register for the conference.
- Please ensure to <u>book your hotel</u> with our preferred rates well in advance, as rooms at the Fairmont Chateau Whistler fill up quickly.
- All presentation materials, including slide decks, videos, and other electronic presentation materials, must be submitted to the BCCPA by May 1, 2017. They should be emailed to <a href="mailto:lara@bccare.ca">lara@bccare.ca</a>.
  Alternatively, large files may be shared by Dropbox or WeTransfer.

## On the day of your Session and/or Panel

- Please register at the registration desk on the day you arrive, in the Frontenac Foyer to receive your Speaker Credentials and Delegate Bag.
- If you are in a panel, please feel free to refer to the Program Guide (provided onsite) to review the biographies of your fellow speakers.
- Please arrive at your session/panel at least 10 minutes before it is scheduled to begin.
- Please try to keep your presentation to the allotted time, and allow at least 5-10 minutes for a Q&A session with the audience.
- Please remind the delegates to access supporting documents and PowerPoint slides through our conference app.
- Each room will be fully equipped with a projector, screen, microphone, and speakers for audio. We recommend that you use our conference laptop for your presentation to reduce the risk of technical difficulties.
- Please bring all presentation materials on a USB drive as a back up. This will help avoid delays due to technical difficulties.

### **After the Conference**

Workshop materials will be made available to conference delegates both through our conference app and through our post-conference Resources webpage.

#### **Additional Resources:**

- Fairmont Chateau Floor Plan
- Map to the Fairmont Chateau