



# BC SENIORS LIVING ASSOCIATION

~The Voice for Independent and Assisted Living in BC~

One to One: BCSLA Newsletter ~ June 21, 2019

## 2019 BCSLA CONFERENCE AND TRADESHOW "INNOVATION IN HEALTHY AGING"



2019 BCSLA Conference and Tradeshow will be held in Whistler, BC from September 22 to 24 . This year's speakers are **innovative, influential** and **renowned** who will be sure to inspire our attendees.

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### Our speakers scheduled for the conference:



**Stephen Johnston**  
Co-Founder for Aging2.0

Our Keynote will be delivering on the topic of *"Age-Tech: The Next Chapter. What happens when exponential technology meets unprecedented global aging?"*

**Colin Milner**  
Founder and CEO for International Council on Active Aging

Our Monday morning, General Session



Speaker will be delivering on the topic of "*Wellness: the great disruptor.*"



**Matt Jespersion**  
**Chief Customer Officer for Sherpa**

Our Monday afternoon General Session Speaker will be delivering on the topic of "*Drive Occupancy & Culture with Prospect-Centered Selling.*"



**Chris Mohrman**  
**President for Markentum**

Our Monday afternoon General Session Speaker will be delivering on the topic of "*Innovating Integration.*"



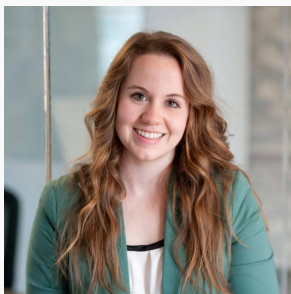
**Dr. JP Pawliw-Fry**  
**Renowned Leadership Speaker & Author**

Our Monday afternoon General Session Speaker will be delivering on how to challenge and think differently about human behavior and leadership, and how to manage the pressure that is overtaking so many organizations and individuals today.



**Dr. Andrew Sixsmith**  
**Joint Scientific Director of AGE-WELL Network of Centres of Excellence, Director of the Science and Technology for Aging Research Institute at Simon Fraser University and a professor in the Department of Gerontology at SFU.**

Our Tuesday morning General Session Speaker will be delivering on the topic of "*Responding to the Challenge of Aging.*"



**Elizabeth Audette-Bourdeau**  
CEO and Co-Founder, Welbi

Welbi is a recreation platform revolutionizing senior living communities. Welbi's assessment tools and real-time analytics help recreation teams gain a deep and holistic understanding of their residents. Combined with their powerful planning tools, their solution allows teams to effectively deliver and evaluate their programming which leads to a more engaged community. Welbi also identifies changes in residents' wellness and habits, allowing staff to do quicker follow-ups and reduce risk of isolation. Lastly, Welbi's Family Portal allows families to feel more connected and up-to-date with their loved ones. Their solution provides the most valuable insights in the most user-friendly platform on the market.



**Michael Cullen**  
CEO and Co-Founder, Novalte

What is Novalte? Novalte is an assistive technology company that has built a new type of assistive device -- called Emitto -- for individuals that require help with daily tasks. Emitto is a fully accessible, IoT device that enables people living with a disability and who experience decreased mobility to perform their daily tasks independently, such as operating personal electronics, opening closing blinds, activating lights, as well as Novalte's own proprietary devices such as our WiFi hospital bed controller, door opener and media hub. In addition to Novalte's unique peripheral devices for the physically disabled and aging populations, the major advantage of Emitto over other assistive technology is Novalte's ability to remote fault-find and service the product over the internet.

**To view the speakers profile, please click on the link below**

[Speakers Profile](#)

### **Tuesday Afternoon - Vancouver Chapter Aging2.0**

Are you interested in accelerating innovation in your local community? Aging2.0 Vancouver Chapter invites you to be a part of reframing the future of aging. Drawing upon his brilliant global perspective and a cache of innovative knowledge from around the world, co-founder of

www.Aging2.com Stephen Johnson, will set the stage for how technology must play a greater role in our aging population. Come and hear about the latest initiatives in Age-Friendly Communities, Wellness & Health. Hear and see what insightful local start-ups and innovators are doing as they share their solutions for older adults. Join us as we reach across sectors to move the dial and challenge business and community leaders to accelerate change using innovative & technology.

## Agenda

**1:30PM - 3:00PM:** Age-Friendly Communities; Panel discussion with elected officials, municipal administrators and industry experts to share knowledge and experience in Age-Friendly Initiatives. Hear success stories, the role of different stakeholders and your call to action to build AF communities. Round off this session by hearing from start-ups and innovators, locally and globally, as they 'Fly-By's' and share their work creating and supporting AF communities.

**3:00PM -3:30PM:** Demonstration Break; see, hear and participate with presenters and start-ups as they demo their innovations during a refreshment break.

**3:30-5:00:** Global Innovation Showcase: Join Aging2.com as we give aging-

focused innovators around the world an opportunity to pitch their product or service and gain international exposure. BCLSA conference attendees and stakeholders will have an opportunity to be involved in judging and piloting the winning product or service. You don't want to miss this exciting event!

**5:00-5:15pm:** Wrap-up & Global innovation Showcase winner announced

**For additional information on the conference, please contact us at [info@bcsla.ca](mailto:info@bcsla.ca)**

