

# MEDICINE WHEEL FACILITATOR PROGRAM



**WHEN:** DECEMBER 7,8,9,10,11, 2015

**WHERE:** Rivendell Retreat Centre, Bowen Island, a short ferry ride from Horseshoe Bay.

**COST:** \$900.00 INCLUDES ACCOMMODATIONS

- Apply the Medicine Wheel philosophy in your work & life.
- Understand and be able to identify indigenous world views and philosophies.
- Have a basic awareness of the traditional sacred ways of Indigenous Peoples.
- Understand the relationship between land and culture, and collective and personal identity.
- Understand the relationship between ritual, gender and cultural identity.
- Appreciate the contributions of indigenous cultures to humanity.
- Understand the Truth and Reconciliation Commissions 94 recommendations: Calls to Action
- Facilitate the Medicine Wheel concept respectfully and with confidence in small or large audiences.

Call or register online at **416-806-4659** Limited seats

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40 Credits can be applied to certification with  
Indigenous Certification Board of Canada  
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## What will I learn?

- Traditional Welcoming Ceremony
- Symbols of the Sacred Circle
- 4 Directions
- 4 Stages of life
- 4 personalities
- 4 Races of human family
- 4 Seasons
- 4 Aspects of nature
- 4 Sacred Medicines
- 4 Elements
- Concept of connectedness
- Concept of vision
- Concept of learning
- What is a spirit plate?
- What is an Elder?
- Working with Indigenous Elders

## What will I experience?

- Talking circles
- Smudging
- Sacred Pipe ceremony
- Drumming
- Singing traditional songs
- Potluck
- Spirit plate
- Elders wisdom

## Who should take this training?

- Wellness workers
- Counsellors
- Frontline workers
- Social workers
- Health workers
- Educators
- Child & Family Services workers
- Public Servants
- Newcomers to Canada