

BJI Special Events Workshop

Tuesday November 9, 2021

12:00pm - 1:30pm

(Pre-Registration Required)

Cultural Safety When Building Research Partnerships with Indigenous Communities

Join us for this Workshop hosted by BJI's
Get Everyone Started – Indigenous Training Initiative (GET'S-IT) Program



Alex McComber

Alex McComber is Kanien'kehá:ka bear clan from Kahnawake Territory near Montreal, Quebec. He is a health promotion consultant, a strategic planning facilitator, a co-investigator on numerous health promotion research projects, and an Assistant Professor of Participatory Research at McGill (PRAM), Family Medicine, McGill University, Montreal, QC. He is a respected leader, life-long learner, and mentor to many across the nation and beyond.

During this workshop, Alex will share information and stories about the meaning and impact of cultural safety in academia and research relationships. His expert lens will provide insight on important aspect to consider when forging collaborative research partnerships with Indigenous Peoples and communities. Participants will be encouraged to reflect and share during facilitated breakout sessions focused on how individuals can Take Action, creating culturally safe space for interactions within their personal context and beyond.

Learning Resources (pre-reading):

- The Four R's - Respect, Relevance, Reciprocity, Responsibility: <https://www.afn.ca/uploads/files/education2/the4rs.pdf>
- Towards Braiding: <https://www.uwo.ca/research/docs/Indigenous%20considerations.pdf>
- First Nations Information Governance Centre – The First Nations Principles of OCAP®: <https://fnigc.ca/ocap-training/>
- BJI GET'S-IT Indigenous Initiative: <https://boneandjoint.uwo.ca/research/GETS-IT/index.html>

Register in advance for this meeting:

<https://westernuniversity.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJUIfu2sqTovGtAKIQWxuWfRbZCvYXiw-zNO>

This workshop is open to the University Community.
Please feel free to share this invitation with colleagues or members of your lab/department.

Those interested in suggesting new workshop areas have an opportunity to so online at:
http://boneandjoint.uwo.ca/how_to