# 2017 CONFERENCE: November 2 - 4 2017
# Canadian Worker Co-op Federation, and CoopZone
# Gatineau, Quebec

## Radical Roots/ Radical Routes of Worker Co-operation/ Nous avons le pouvoir. Vivons l'évolution coopérative!

The world needs workplace democracy now more than ever; it needs people and planet before profits. Come to our Conference to help us map out these radical routes, to build this new and better world through worker co-operation!

**Highlights:**

Keynote Speakers:
Friday, November 3
Senators Lucie Moncion and Murray Sinclair

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**Thursday, November 2: Choice of two day-long Intensive Sessions:**

- **Worker Co-op Management Intensive** includes (1) Financial Management of a worker co-operative by Russ Christianson, Co-op Developer, and (2) Human Resources in a worker co-operative by Isabel Faubert Mailloux, Executive Director, Quebec Worker Co-op Réseau.

- **Co-op Developer Intensive** includes a presentation about some dynamic new ways to develop co-ops, a workshop on important Québec models (CUMA and CUMO) and a presentation of some new co-ops. There will also be a presentation and discussion of the new CoopZone Strategic Plan which seeks to take the CoopZone Network to a new level and other topics.

***Radical Roots to Radical Routes*** will be the focus of a forum topic on Friday, November 3. Speakers Mo Manklang, Communications Director, USFWC and Omar Yaqub, a worker owner with Alif Partners in Edmonton will share their vision of growing the movement including in diversity and inclusivity.

Mo Manklang

There are **six different workshops** on November 3rd and 4th, all designed to provide participants with relevant information to apply to their co-op. These include: Business Strategy Interactive Style, Government Relations, Recruiting and Orientation for New Members, Open Forum Space, and Free Consulting Time. CWCF will also present its proposed Strategic Plan for member input. There will be simultaneous interpretation.

**Don`t miss this great opportunity to network and learn how to build this new world!**

**For more information visit our website here: http://canadianworker.coop/2017-cwcf-cz-conference/**
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**Early bird deadline: Sept. 30, 2017**