



## Empowering Exchanges

at the University of Windsor

# Want to learn more about Indigenous Philosophy at the University of Windsor?

## We're looking for you!

Empowering Exchanges (Summer 2019) is a weeklong workshop aimed at providing female and female identifying Indigenous high school students (grades 9-11) from the local Windsor-Essex School District with the opportunity to learn about Indigenous Philosophy. The workshop will draw from the discipline of drama to introduce students to topics regarding identity, feminism, and empowerment. Throughout the week, students will work alongside faculty and graduate students to develop original creative works, while developing a support network at the university. Empowering Exchanges seeks to build a respectful relationship between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples by attending to the perspectives of Indigenous youth. A culminating event of the workshop will be an open sharing of the projects developed over the week.

**August 26-30 (10 am -4 pm)**

**at the University of Windsor**

**Performance Friday August 30 6:30 pm**



Dr. Andrea Sullivan-Clarke is an Assistant Professor in the Philosophy Department at the University of Windsor. A President's Indigenous Peoples Scholar, Andrea is a member of the wind clan of the Muskogee Nation of Oklahoma. She teaches courses in Indigenous Philosophy and her research focuses on the social dimension of knowledge creation. She has published papers on analogical reasoning and being an ally to Indigenous communities.



Alice Nelson is an Assistant Professor in the Drama in Education and Community Program in the School of Dramatic Art at the University of Windsor. She is a Playwright, Director, Theatre Educator, Puppeteer, Improvisor and Mask Maker. She holds an MFA in Ensemble Based Physical Theatre from Dell'Arte Physical Theatre School in California. She has toured solo shows (*Elephant*, *Ms. Sugarcoat*, *Animal Farm Treatment*) across Canada and co-created productions regarding social and political issues.



Elizabeth Ismail holds a B.A. Honours in Philosophy and Psychology, an M.Ed. in Educational Technology with a focus on Adult Learning, and has recently begun an interdisciplinary Ph.D. in Argumentation Studies with a focus on Critical Thinking Education. Her true passions lie in teaching and learning, but even more in building relationships and resiliency. For fun, she loves to rollerblade and to learn about astronomy.

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