



**WEBINAR EVENT**  
**Introducing the Province of Manitoba's  
 Critical Minerals Initiatives**  
**Wednesday, January 12, 2022**

Time (EST)	Program
12:30 p.m.	<p><b>Welcome Remarks</b></p> <p>Consul General, <a href="#">Bryan Koontz</a>, U.S. Consulate General, Winnipeg and Deputy Premier for Manitoba, <a href="#">Kelven Goertzen</a></p>
12:40 p.m.	<p><b>Greetings from Indigenous Community Representatives</b></p> <p>President David Chartrand, <a href="#">Manitoba Métis Federation</a>          Grand Chief Garrison Settee, <a href="#">Manitoba Keewatinowi Okimakanak</a></p>
1:10 p.m.	<p><b>An Update on Manitoba's Critical Minerals Initiatives</b></p> <p>Hon. <a href="#">Ralph Eichler</a>, Agriculture and Resource Development</p>
1:25 p.m.	<p><b>Canadian Mining Players Backing the North American Critical Minerals Market</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Richard Trudeau, Director, External and Indigenous Affairs, <a href="#">Hudbay Minerals, Inc.</a></li> <li>• Philip Gross, CEO, <a href="#">Snow Lake Resources, Ltd.</a></li> </ul> <p><i>Introductions by <a href="#">John Morris</a>, Co-Director, <a href="#">Mining Association of Manitoba</a></i></p>
1:45 p.m.	<p><b>Support for Securing your Critical Mineral Supply Chain</b></p> <p>Jordan Gaw, Regional Director, Investor Services, <a href="#">Invest in Canada</a></p>
2:00 p.m.	<p><b>The EXIM Bank's <a href="#">Project</a> and <a href="#">Export</a> Finance Tools Supporting Transactions in the Mining and Critical Minerals Sectors</b></p> <p>Miguel Peñaloza, Loan Officer, Structured &amp; Project Finance Division, <a href="#">EXIM Bank of the United States</a></p>
2:15 p.m.	<p><b>Carbon Ore Rare Earth and Critical Minerals (CORE-CM) Initiatives by the U.S. Department of Energy</b></p> <p><a href="#">Dr. Grant S. Bromhal</a>, Acting Director, Division of Minerals Sustainability, <a href="#">Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management</a>, National Energy Technology Laboratory, U.S. Department of Energy</p>
2:30 p.m.	Q&A Session
2:45 p.m.	Event Concludes



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#### FEATURED GOVERNMENT SPEAKERS



Bryan Koontz  
Consul and Principal Officer  
U.S. Consulate Winnipeg



Kelven Goertzen  
Deputy Premier  
Province of Manitoba



Hon. Ralph Eichler  
Minister, Agriculture and  
Resource Development



Jordan Gaw, Regional Director,  
Investor Services, Invest in  
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Miguel Peñaloza, Loan Officer  
U.S. EXIM Bank



Dr. Grant S. Bromhal, Acting Director,  
Mineral Sustainability Division  
U.S. Department of Energy

#### INDIGENOUS REPRESENTATIVES



David Chartrand, President  
Manitoba Métis Federation



Grand Chief Garrison Settee  
Manitoba Keewatinowi Okimakanak

#### INDUSTRY PRESENTERS



John Morris,  
Co-Director  
Mining Association of  
Manitoba



Philp Gross  
CEO  
Snow Lake Resources Ltd.



Richard Trudeau, Director  
External and Indigenous Affairs,  
Hudbay Minerals, Inc.

#### MODERATOR



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Commercial Specialist  
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