

# 2025 SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

## DAY 1 - TUESDAY, MAY 27

**7:30 BREAKFAST**

**8:30 OPENING REMARKS | Rianna Lachance, President**

**9:00 OPENING KEYNOTE**

How to be a Climate Optimist: Blueprints for a Better World

**10:00 NETWORKING BREAK**

**10:30 PANEL PRESENTATION & DISCUSSION**

How to Build Fiscally Resilient Communities in a Changing World

**11:30 GFOABC ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

**12:00 LUNCH**

**13:00 PLENARY PRESENTATION & ENGAGEMENT**

ReThinking Budgeting  
GFOA US & Canada Presents

**13:45**

New World of  
Development Funding

**13:45**

P3s Legal  
Considerations for  
Local Governments

**13:45**

Risks & Impacts of  
Climate Change on  
Municipalities

**14:30 NETWORKING BREAK**

**15:00**

1. Collectors' Forum
2. Financial Forum
3. Navigating the Level of Service (LOS) Sea
4. LG Climate Action Program Insights, Resources & Prioritization

**PARTNER NETWORKING EVENTS**

## DAY 2 - WEDNESDAY, MAY 28

**7:00 BREAKFAST**

**8:30 OPENING | Presidents' Introduction & Awards**

**9:00 KEYNOTE**

Your Story Changes Everything: Building Trust & Respect

**9:45 NETWORKING BREAK**

**10:15**

Disaster Resilience in  
BC: 2025 & Beyond

**10:15**

Climate Resilience &  
Municipal Budgets

**10:15**

Making the Best Use of  
the Money You Have

**11:15**

Climate Risk & Asset  
Management Planning

**11:15**

Future-Proofing Local  
Government Jobs

**11:15**

Managing Extreme  
Weather Risks

**12:00 LUNCH**

**13:00 FINANCE OFFICERS FORUM**

**13:45**

Leveraging AI for  
Climate-Driven  
Infrastructure Planning

**13:45**

District of Tofino's  
Journey to a Modern  
WWT Solution

**13:45**

Floods, Fires &  
Emergency  
Management

**14:30 NETWORKING BREAK**

**15:00**

Regional District  
Forum

**15:00**

1. EFTs Expanded Fixed Income Management
2. CPABC Recruiting & Retention
3. Long Term Borrowing: A short Story

**15:45**

1. Living Plans, Performance and Budgeting
2. Leading Resilient Teams
3. Securing Local Government Infrastructure

**18:30**

**COCKTAIL RECEPTION**

**19:00**

**GALA DINNER**

## DAY 3 - THURSDAY, MAY 29

**7:30 BREAKFAST**

**8:30 ECONOMIC ROUNDTABLE**

**9:30 NATURE BREAK**

**9:45 PANEL PRESENTATIONS & DISCUSSION**

Integrating Climate Risk and Resilience into Local Government Processes

**10:45 NATURE BREAK**

**11:00 CONFERENCE CAPSTONE**

**11:45 WRAP-UP**

