

DAY ONE: Friday, May 8th 2026

8:30	WELCOME and Light Breakfast provided					
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9:30	<p>Opening session: Planners Network 50th anniversary &amp; Planning in the Face of Fascism</p> <p>Welcome &amp; Conference Introduction: Luisa Sotomayor, University of Toronto &amp; Stefan Kipfer, York University / Plenary Speakers: Mona Fawaz, American University of Beirut &amp; Álvaro Sevilla-Buitrago, Universidad Politécnica de Madrid</p> <p>8:30-11:00</p>					
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11:00	Break					
11:15	<p>CONCURRENT SESSIONS #1 - 11:15-12:45pm</p> <p>(Sid Smith Hall, UofT)</p>					
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12:00	<u>Planning for Care: Feminist &amp; Anti-Fascist Approaches to Health, Housing, and Harm</u>	<u>Indigenous Planning</u>	<u>Planning for Equity Within Systems of Control</u>	<u>Carceral Geographies: Covert Expansion Within the City</u>	<u>Housing papers</u>	<u>Author meets the readers: Infrastructures of Democracy: Politics and Processes of Rural Road Building in Nepal</u>
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12:45	LUNCH BREAK					
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1:30	<p>CONCURRENT SESSIONS #2 - 1:45-3:15pm</p> <p>(Sid Smith, UofT)</p>					
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:15	<u>Change Is Not (Only) a Revolution: Challenging Dissonance Through Everyday Practices of Care</u>	<u>Planning, Erasure, and Endurance: Decolonizing Urbanism in the Face of Fascism</u>	<u>Reclaiming Imagination in the Face of Fascism: A Creative Futures Workshop Using the Mechanism Case Study</u>	<u>A People's Handbook of Surveillance: Planning surveillance out of our cities</u>	<u>Housing and Wealth Inequality: Critical Pathways Towards a Just Housing Future</u>	<u>Political Economy and Planning</u>
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3:00	Break					
3:15	<p>CONCURRENT SESSIONS #3 - 3:30-5:00pm</p> <p>(Sid Smith, UofT)</p>					
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4:00	<u>Gender, Sexuality and Planning</u>	<u>Antifascist Planning with/against the State in the Global South</u>	<u>Data and Planning</u>		<u>Housing and Wealth Inequality: Critical Pathways Towards a Just Housing Future</u>	<u>The politics of Climate / Environment</u>
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:45	Break					
5:00	<p>Welcome dinner / History of PN: Barbara Rahder, professor emeritus and former Dean, Faculty of Environmental Studies, York University</p>					
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DAY TWO: Saturday, May 9th 2026						
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:45	WELCOME					
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9:30	CONCURRENT SESSIONS #4 - 9:30-11am (Sid Smith Hall, UofT)					
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:15	Envisioning Commoning for Radical Planning	Transnational solidarity networks as counter-hegemonic agents?	Ideation, action and inaction: A roundtable on the unfinished work of decolonizing planning education	Hostile Design	Housing	
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11:00	Break					
11:15	CONCURRENT SESSIONS #5 - 11:15-12:45pm (Sid Smith Hall, UofT)					
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12:00	Community mobilization	Critical Perspectives on Memory and Heritage	Planning in Crisis	Authoritarianism and Democracy	Understanding housing precarity in Canada: Moving towards a more just housing system	
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12:45	LUNCH BREAK and Travel					
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1:30	Mobile workshops & local planning tours (5-6 workshops, 20-25 each)					
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:15	Extraction Geographies	tba	tba	Little Jamaica	tba	
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4:00	Dinner Break (5:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.)					
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5:00	Evening plenary session Plenary Speakers: Kali Akuno, Cooperation Jackson & Heather Dorries, University of Toronto 6:30-8:30					
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DAY THREE: Sunday, May 10th 2026					
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:45	WELCOME				
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9:30	CONCURRENT SESSIONS #6 - 9:30-11am (Sid Smith Hall, UofT)				
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10:00	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.4	6.5
:15	<u>Care &amp; Planning papers</u>	<u>Building Connections to Sustain (or Advance) Black Planning</u>	<u>Data justice and food justice</u>	<u>There is no such thing as public space</u>	<u>Tenant organizing and unhoused solidarity across "Canada"</u>
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11:00	Break				
11:15	CONCURRENT SESSIONS #7 - 11:15-12:45pm (Sid Smith Hall, UofT)				
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12:00	<u>The Possibilities and Limitations of Building Critical Infrastructure</u>	<u>Pathways to Community Safety: What Planners can Learn from Transformative Justice</u>	<u>Planning Education and Methodologies</u>	<u>Planning as Displacement</u>	<u>Housing and Market ideologies</u>
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1:00	LUNCH BREAK				
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:45	Open Forum (1:45 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.)				
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:45	Closing Session/PN Organizing Meeting (2:45 - 3:45 p.m.)				
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:45	Film Screening (tentative): Big Fight in Little Chinatown (directed by Karen Cho) From 4:00 p.m. to 5:45 p.m., followed by brief discussion		Film Screening (tentative): Lyd (directed by Rami Younis and Sarah Friedland) From 4:00 p.m. to 5:45 p.m., followed by brief discussion		
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