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## IMLA in Canada, 2013

- Thursday, May 23, 2013 •
- Room 308/309 at Metro Hall, 55 John Street, Toronto, Ontario •

### — AGENDA —

#### Program Chairs

**David Boghosian** (Boghosian + Allen, LLP Toronto, Ontario) and  
**John Mascarin** (Aird & Berlis LLP Toronto, Ontario)

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9:00 – 10:15 am

#### Open Data and Privacy Laws

- **Lou Milrad**, General Counsel, MilradLaw, Toronto, Ontario
- **Ulli Watkiss**, Toronto City Clerk, Toronto, Ontario

10:15 – 10:40 am

#### IMLA AND YOU!

- **Mary Ellen Bench**, City Solicitor & IMLA Board Member, Mississauga, Ontario
- **Steven Moore**, City Attorney & IMLA President, Yuma, Arizona
- **Chuck Thompson**, Executive Director and General Counsel, International Municipal Lawyers Association, Bethesda, Maryland

10:40 – 11:00 am

**BREAK**

11:00 am – 12:00 pm

**Ethical Misconducts and Misdemeanors: THE TROUBLED WATERS OF ATLANTIC CANADA**

- **Basile Chiasson**, Partner, Chiasson & Roy, Bathurst, New Brunswick

12:00 – 1:00 pm

**Behind Closed Doors but Still in the Sunshine - *Recommendations for Municipal Councils regarding Ethics and the Municipal Act's Open Meeting Rule***

- **Jason Reynar**, Director of Legal Services/Town Clerk, Town of Innisfil, Ontario

1:00 – 2:00 pm

**LUNCH**

2:00 – 3:15 pm

**Discussion of Magder v Ford Decision**

- **John Mascarin**, Partner, Aird & Berlis LLP, Toronto, Ontario

- **Anna Kinastowski**, City Solicitor, Toronto, Ontario

- **Janet Leiper**, Integrity Commissioner, Toronto, Ontario

3:15 – 3:30 pm

**BREAK**

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3:30 -4:15 pm

**Wind farms, Bio fuel, plastic bags and beyond, Municipalities and environmental regulation, what is their role?**

- **Christopher Williams**, Partner, Aird & Berlis LLP

4:15 – 5:00 pm

***IT Transactions in the Municipal Sector: Current Top 25 Legal and Business Issues***

- **Rochard Beharry**, City of Mississauga

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