



Canadian Association of University Teachers
Association canadienne des professeures et professeurs d'université

CAUT Forum for New Presidents

Friday, June 4, 2021

1:00 pm – 4:00 pm (Eastern Time)
(Videoconference)

Forum Overview

The Forum will provide an overview of CAUT services and support, introduce participants to the duties and responsibilities of association presidents, and discuss key issues of current concern to the profession.

Agenda

- 12:50 – 13:00 **Registration and Technical Support**
- 13:00 – 13:30 **Welcome, Territorial Acknowledgement, Introductions and Forum Overview**
Brenda Austin-Smith, CAUT President
David Robinson, CAUT Executive Director
- 13:30 – 14:30 **Field Guide to CAUT**
- Overview of the organizational structure of CAUT
 - Support and services available for member associations
- 14:30 – 14:45 **Break**
- 14:45 – 15:15 **Understanding your Fiduciary and Legal Responsibilities as President**
- 15:15 – 15:50 **Discussion: Key Issues and Challenges Facing Academic Staff Associations**
- Questions and discussion
- 15:50 – 16:00 **Wrap up and Closing Comments**
Brenda Austin-Smith, CAUT President
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