

# Conference Schedule

The Saskatchewan Professional Planners Institute (SPPI) is excited to announce its 2021 conference, **Building Resilience**. Due to COVID-19, the conference will be taking place virtually this year, allowing you to join in from anywhere in the province! The conference is taking place September 13th to the 16th, 2021.

This year's conference theme, '**Building Resilience**,' will focus on initiatives, tools, and techniques that communities and organizations can use to prepare and adapt to unpredictable and challenging times. SPPI is excited to host a conference dealing directly with many of the issues that have faced planners over the last year.

Registration information will be shared on the SPPI facebook page, on twitter, and through the SPPI email newsletter. Keep your eyes open for more info soon!

## Building Resilience

2021 SPPI Virtual Conference  
Sept. 13 – 16<sup>th</sup>



	Monday, Sept. 13th	Tuesday, Sept. 14th	Wednesday, Sept. 15th	Thursday, Sept. 16th			
9:00 AM	<b>Opening Remarks -</b> Welcome and Land Acknowledgement	<b>Presentation and Panel: Changes in Planning Regulations/Community Building and Well-Being</b>  Government of Saskatchewan	<b>Annual General Meeting &amp; Awards</b>	<b>Increasing Economic Resilience in Saskatoon through Agribusiness Development</b>  Alan Wallace	9:00 AM		
9:30 AM	<b>Keynote - Building Resilience</b>  Dr. Mark Seasons			<b>Online Trivia</b>	<b>Panel: Agribusiness Innovation and Economic Opportunities</b>  TBD	9:30 AM	
10:00 AM						<b>Flood Risk Assessment &amp; Mapping</b>  Gary Neil/WSA	10:00 AM
10:30 AM							<b>Online Game</b>
11:00 AM							
11:30 AM					11:30 AM		
12:00 PM	Lunch Break - 12:00 to 1:00 PM	Lunch Break - 12:00 to 1:00 PM	Lunch Break - 12:00 to 1:00 PM	Lunch Break - 12:00 to 1:00 PM	12:00 PM		
1:00 PM	<b>Real Estate Re-Imagined</b>  Colliers International	<b>Building Adaptation Capacity for Professional Planners</b>  PCC	<b>Selkirk: Investing in a Sustainable Future</b>  Tim Feduniw & Tom Janzen	<b>Closing Remarks - 1:00 to 1:15 PM</b>  <b>Workshop on Plan Evaluation</b>  Dr. Mark Seasons - 1:15 to 3:30 PM	1:00 PM		
1:30 PM							1:30 PM
2:00 PM	<b>Rural Response to COVID 19: The Value of Local Data</b>  Dr. Leith Deacon	<b>Networking Event -</b> Including "Ask me Anything" for students and professionals	<b>Show Up &amp; Engage</b>  Brenda Wallace		2:00 PM		
2:30 PM			<b>Understanding Housing Need</b>  Courtney Laurence		*Post-Conference In-Person Social - Location TBD*	2:30 PM	