

# THE CIRCLE

# 4 SPHERES OF INFLUENCE

## WORKSHOP

The Circle on Philanthropy and Aboriginal Peoples in Canada (The Circle) transforms philanthropy and contributes to positive change with Indigenous communities by creating spaces of learning, innovation, relationship-building, co-creation, and activation. With The Philanthropic Community's Declaration of Action as a foundation, The Circle works alongside Indigenous-led organizations, Indigenous informed organizations, organizations with Indigenous beneficiaries, and philanthropic signatories of **The Declaration of Action** to encourage individuals and organizations to learn, acknowledge, and understand more about reconciliation and the decolonization of wealth.

Our Spheres of Influence trainings are an opportunity to learn, reflect and connect organizational teams in an atmosphere of brave space. During our time together we reflect on different ways of knowing, observe and reflect on the power dynamics in philanthropy, and provide a framework for action in multiple Spheres of Influence - personal, familial, communal, and philanthropic.

This session includes time for individual reflections, small group sharing and focusing on topics that intentionally decentres whiteness. Our Sphere's of Influence trainings ask that folks join us with a sense of curiosity and willingness to be brave together.

### **PARTICIPANTS WILL WALK AWAY WITH:**

- Increased perspectives and heightened awareness of personal stories, values and actions related to: self, family, community & philanthropy
- Increased connection between participants to activate their work to increase philanthropic partnership with Indigenous work, organizations and/or communities

### **WORKSHOP RATES**

- Circle Member: \$5,000 CAD
- Non-member: \$7,000 CAD

Teams of less than 8 can be partnered with a peer organization to share the Spheres of Influence experience and cost.



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## AGENDA

Welcome Remarks

Introductions: The Circle way

H3: Head Heart Hands

Sphere of Self | Teaching, Reflection

Sphere of Family | Teaching, Reflection, Dialogue

Sphere of Community | Teaching, Reflection, Dialogue

Sphere of Philanthropy | Teaching, Reflection, Dialogue

Accountability Exercise

Closing remarks and Day close

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