

Learning Disabilities Association of Canada's 2025 Draft Conference Agenda

Start Time	End Time	Session Title & Description
11:00	11:15	Welcome and Opening Remarks - Chair of LDAC – Roger Casgrain
11:15	12:00	Keynote Speaker - Dr. Karen MacMillan <i>Collaboration between Educators and Families to Support Students with LD</i>
12:00	13:00	Stream 1 - Dr. Una Malcolm <i>Early Assessment and Screening</i>
		Stream 2 - Dr. Rick Bryck Landmark College – Premier Conference Sponsor <i>Optimizing Learning: The Role of Executive Function and Cognitive Load</i>
13:00	14:00	Stream 1 - Dr. Meadow Schroeder <i>Special Education Needs: A Guide to Parents</i>
		Stream 2 - Deanna Fidelak <i>Navigating Post-Secondary Support for Students with Learning Disabilities to Ensure Full Access to Learning!</i>
14:00	14:30	Break
14:30	15:30	Stream 1 - Dr. Breanna Lawrence <i>Effects of Positive Parenting on Mental Health in Adolescents with Learning Disabilities</i>
		Stream 2 - Megan Norris and Melissa Flynn <i>Yukon Literacy Project</i>
15:30	16:30	Stream 1 - Dr. Sarah Hamilton <i>Exploring the Complex Relationship between Math Anxiety & Learning</i>
		Stream 2 - Dr. Lauren Birks <i>Self Care for Professionals and Families Supporting those with Special Needs</i>
16:30	16:45	Closing Remarks Executive Director LDAC – Kim McLean