

Program Report

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Highlights:

All keynotes were fairly well received.
Very positive remarks from Francophone delegates about Francophone keynote
They were very appreciative of this opportunity.
Lots of great feedback on Assessment, FNMI sessions
Everactive mini conference happened in Banff/Canmore this year, people loved that!
People felt that our board members were very helpful
People seem to like using SCHED
Some really appreciated the flexibility that the off-site sessions offer
Glenbow museum
The Calgary Zoo

Suggestions:

Keep the humour piece to our keynotes, important choice for folks.
Would like to see more CTS sessions
Being more cognisant of similar sessions happening at same times.
Noisy sessions should be in different, more isolated locations.
Mixed reviews on Human Library this year... not sure it was run as well this year, Is it worth it to do again?

Other:

Program site is now open and will close June 30, 2020. Please encourage your colleagues to submit proposals. We have a preference for our own delegates to present at our conference, so have your teaching colleagues get in there!