

**World Taxpayers Conference
Vancouver, Canada
May 29 to 31st, 2014**

Thursday May 29

**Open to World Taxpayers Associations Members and Observers
All Sessions at Renaissance Vancouver Harbourside Hotel**

9:00 – 11:30AM	World Taxpayers Associations (WTA) Board Of Directors Meeting
11:45 –	WTC Press Conference
12:00 –	Conference Registration Opens
12:30 –	WTA Members Lunch
1:00 - 2:00PM	WTA Members Meeting & Election of Officers
2:00PM	Break
2:15 – 3:15 PM	Meeting: Asia Pacific Taxpayers Union Members Meeting
2:15 – 3:15PM	Meeting: Taxpayers Associations Of Europe (TAE) Members Meeting
3:15PM	Break

**Open to ALL Domestic and International Delegates
All Sessions at Renaissance Vancouver Harbourside Hotel**

3:30 – 5:00PM	Special Panel: Operating a Taxpayer Group In Lower Income Countries <ul style="list-style-type: none">• China• Ukraine• Russia• Uganda/Tanzania• Bjorn Tarras-Wahlberg, Session Chair
7:00PM	International Welcome Reception

Friday May 30

7:00AM	Registration Opens
8:00AM	Breakfast Buffet Open
8:30 – 8:45AM	Welcome & Opening Remarks
8:45 – 9:15AM	State of Economic Freedom in the World [Policy] <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr. Michael Walker, Fraser Institute
9:15 – 9:45AM	Connecting Values [Campaigns and Communications] <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Peter Schweizer, Government Accountability Institute

- 9:45 – 10:15AM **Winning Your Story War [Campaigns and Communications]**
- Kevan Kjar, ArrowHead³ Consulting
- 10:15 – 10:30AM Break
- 10:30 – 12:00PM **Taxpayer Action: Campaigns That Pack a Punch [Campaigns and Communications]**
- Matthew Elliott, British TaxPayers Alliance
 - James O’Keefe, Project Veritas
 - Adam Andrzejewski, Open the Books
 - Rolf von Hohenhau, Taxpayers Association of Europe
 - Session Chair: TBA
- 12:00 – 1:15PM Lunch Plenary
- The Rise of Tax Competition and the Battle to Defend It [Policy]**
- Dr. Daniel J. Mitchell, CATO Institute
 - Candice Malcolm, Session Chair
- 1:15 – 1:30PM Break
- 1:30 – 2:45PM Breakout Session
- Economic Development as a Tax Issue [Policy]**
- Alex Epstein, Centre for Industrial Progress
 - Michael Binnion, Questerre Energy Corp.
 - Peter Foster, Financial Post
 - David Marley, Session Chair
- 1:30 – 2:45PM Breakout Session
- Strategic Planning: Finding and Funding Your Vision [Fundraising and Development]**
- Benjamin Case, Case Consulting Services
- 2:45 – 3:00PM Break
- 3:00 – 4:15PM Breakout Session
- Winning Your Story War Workshop [Campaigns and Communications]**
- Kevan Kjar, ArrowHead³ Consulting
 - Dirk Bak
- 3:00 – 4:15PM Breakout Session
- Building an Online Army: Advertising, Lists and Fundraising [Technology and Fundraising]**
- Tim Kachuriak, Next After
 - Hamish Marshall, Abingdon Research
 - Session Chair: TBA

SPONSORED EVENT: INTERNATIONAL DELEGATES & INVITED GUESTS ONLY

5:00PM City Tour Of Vancouver

7:00 – 10:00PM Tribute Dinner For WTA Founder Bjorn Tarras-Wahlberg

Saturday May 31

Open to ALL Domestic and International Delegates

Sessions at Renaissance Vancouver Harbourside Hotel

6:30AM	5 Km Run (Tentative)
7:30AM	Registration Open
8:00AM	Breakfast Buffet Open
8:30 – 8:45AM	Morning Announcements & Introduction Of Atlas Foundation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr. Alex Chafuen, ATLAS Network [Outreach]
8:45 – 9:15AM	Alberta's Single Rate Tax at 15 [Policy] <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Honourable Stockwell Day• Kevin Lacey, Introduction
9:15 – 9:45AM	The Coming Demographic Tsunami: What It Means for Taxpayers, the Next Generation and the Welfare State [Policy] <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Colin Busby, CD Howe Institute• Colin Craig, Session Chair
9:45 - 10:45AM	Broadening the Movement [Outreach] <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Grover Norquist, Americans for Tax Reform• John Fund, Wall Street Journal• TBA• Bjorn Tarras-Wahlberg, Session Chair
10:45 – 11:00AM	Break
11:00 – 12:30PM	Country Roundtables <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Three rotating half hour sessions with World Taxpayer Association leaders
12:30 – 1:45PM	Lunch Plenary & Award Presentation Balanced Budgets and the Path to Prosperity: Lessons from Canada's Fiscal Turnaround [Policy] <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Former Canadian Prime Minister the Rt. Honourable Paul Martin• Walter Robinson, Introduction• Troy Lanigan, Session Chair
1:45 – 2:00PM	Break
2:00 – 3:15PM	Breakout Session Tax Threats Rising: Governments New Plans to Tax More [Policy] <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chad Rogers, Crestview Strategy: Fat and Sugar Taxes• Michael Jäger, Taxpayers Association of Europe: Financial Transaction Taxes• Dr. Dan Mitchell, CATO Institute: Internet Taxes• David Williams, Session Chair
2:00 – 3:15PM	Breakout Session The Most Important Elements of Successful Fundraising [Fundraising and Development] <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ben Case, Case Consulting Services
3:15 – 3:30PM	Break
3:30 – 4:45PM	Breakout Session

Challenging the Rent Seekers: Pushing Back Against Organized Labour [Policy]

- Catherine Swift, Working Canadians
- Grover Norquist, Americans for Tax Reform
- John Mortimer, Session Chair

3:30 – 4:45PM Breakout Session

Moving Minds Online: Communications and Social Media [Technology and Communications]

- Tim Kachuriak, Next After
- Hamish Marshall, Abingdon Research
- Jordan Bateman, Session Chair

**OPEN TO ALL DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL DELEGATES:
DINNER AT VANCOUVER MARRIOTT PINNACLE**

6:00 – 6:45PM Cocktail Reception

7:00 – 10:00PM Gala Dinner with guest speaker Rex Murphy