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Economy Summit**

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## 10:30 - 10:55 Introduction and Welcome

- *Richard Hatzfeld (MC), Senior Partner, Global Health Impact at FINN Partners*
- *Dr. Jennie Z. Young, Executive Director, Canadian Brain Research Strategy*
- *President Edward McCauley, President and Vice-Chancellor, University of Calgary*
- *Dr. David Park, Director of the Hotchkiss Brain Institute, University of Calgary*

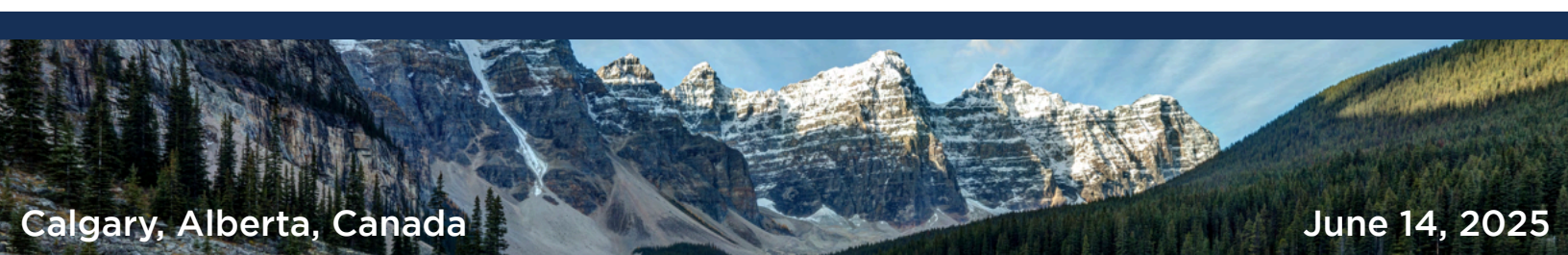
## 10:55 - 11:15 Dignitaries' Speeches

- *The Honourable Matt Jones, Ministry of Hospital and Surgical Health Services, Government of Alberta*
- *The Honourable Katherine Hay, Senator, Senate of Canada; President & Co-CEO (Retired Designate), Kids Help Phone*
- *Video: Kirsty Duncan, PC Former Minister of Science of Canada*

## 11:15 - 11:50 Introductory interventions for context

- *Linda Lafontaine, Patient, Hereditary Spastic Paraplegia*
- *Video: Kana Enomoto, Director of Brain Health, McKinsey Health Institute*
- *Video: Dr. Angela Apeaygei, PhD, Research Assistant Professor, Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation*
- *Video: Dr. Harris Eyre, MD, PhD, Senior Fellow and Lead of Neuro-Policy, Rice University*

## 11:50 - 12:15 Innovation Showcase Overview



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12:15 – 1:15

Lunch

1:15 – 2:00

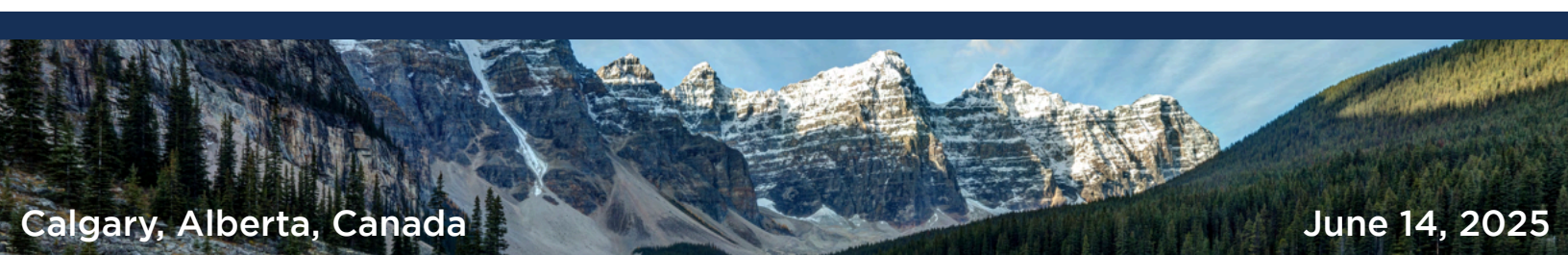
## Panel: Accelerating The Canadian Brain Economy Transition

- **Moderator:** *Dr. Allison Sekuler, PhD, FSEP, FAPS, FPsyS, Professor & Sandra A. Rotman Chair in Cognitive Neuroscience, Baycrest & University of Toronto; President and Chief Scientist, Centre for Aging + Brain Health Innovation and Baycrest Academy for Research and Education*
- *Ms. Michelle Cruikshank, Lead of Child Development, Grand Challenges Canada*
- *David Gow, CEO, Center for Houston's Future*
- *Dr. Valerie Taylor, MD, PhD, Chair of Psychiatry, University of Calgary; Professor, Hotchkiss Brain Institute; Departmental Science Advisor, Health Canada*

2:05 – 2:45

## TED-Style Talks

- *Shawn Fluharty, Esq., Head of Government Affairs, Play'n GO; Minority Whip; West Virginia Legislature; Attorney; President, NCLGS*
- *Dr. Dilpriya K. Mangat, Clinical Associate Professor, Hotchkiss Brain Institute, University of Calgary*
- *Dr. Jane Rylett, Scientific Director, Canadian Institutes of Health Research Institute of Aging; Professor, Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry, University of Western Ontario, London, Canada*
- *Dr. Alexander Caudarella, CEO, Canadian Centre on Substance Use and Addiction*
- *Video: Seth and Lauren Rogen, Filmmakers and Co-Founders, Hilarity for Charity*



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2:45 - 3:15

Afternoon Break

3:15 - 3:50

TED-Style Talks

- *Dr. Thabele Leslie-Mazwi, Professor and Chair of Neurology, The University of Washington, and Representative for American Heart Association*
- *Dr. Edith Sky Gross, Director of International Relations at the Paris Brain Institute*
- *Dr. Krystal Sexton, PhD., Board of Directors, Member, Health Enhancement Research Organization (HERO); Scientific Advisor, Business Collaborative for Brain Health*

3:50 - 4:00

Closing Remarks

- *George Vradenburg, Founding Chairman of Davos Alzheimer's Collaborative*

4:00 - 5:00

Networking Reception & Innovation Showcase





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