

CLC / SFL SPRING SCHOOL 2024 APRIL 28 - MAY 2

Early Bird Registration
\$1800.00
January 3 to February 29, 2024

Regular Registration Fee
\$2000.00
March 1 to April 8, 2024



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information and to register.**

Classes will be held at Temple Gardens Hotel & Spa and at off-site locations. Sites are wheelchair accessible. Registration fee includes, single-occupancy hotel room, meals, coffee breaks, parking, and class materials. The CLC will make all hotel room bookings. Please do not contact the hotel yourself to book your room. Registration and hotel check-in will be on Sunday, April 28 from 3:00-6:00 p.m. Register first at the CLC desk in the hotel lobby.

CLASSES OFFERED

When registering online please **choose 1** class for the week.

LABOUR COMMUNITY ADVOCATE

Labour Community Advocate training is a Canadian Labour Congress approved course delivered by United Way Labour Programs and Services staff. The program is designed to train union members to act as a resource to other union members and to the local union itself. Participants receive training on social issues faced by working people and resources available in their communities. The program also includes training in communication, interviewing, and referral techniques to better assist fellow union members. It allows participants to explore the ways in which unions and other labour bodies can help build resilient and respectful communities.

BUILDING BRIDGES – Transforming Conflict into Union Solidarity

This course continues to approach conflict as something that is a common element in groups, recognizing that conflict isn't always negative but that it is the outcome of the conflict that is negative or positive. The course also includes scenarios and practice for building solidarity in polarizing times. It will teach participants how to listen to people involved in a conflict, get to the root causes of a conflict, and how to coach people involved in a conflict to identify shared interests. Participants will learn how to use those shared interests to help people involved in a conflict find solutions and turn the conflict and shared interests into union activism.

STEWARD LEVEL I

This course builds the skills, confidence, and knowledge a steward needs to represent their members. Participants will learn the roles and responsibilities of their position as stewards, the handling of grievances and complaints, problem solving skills, protecting contractual provisions in the collective agreement, and current issues for stewards.

PREVENTION OF VIOLENCE IN THE WORKPLACE

Workplace violence can take the form of physical aggression such as hitting, biting or kicking. Violence in the workplace also includes verbal threats, swearing, name calling and bullying. Violence is not part of your job and the repercussions for workers can be devastating, affecting their physical and mental health and job satisfaction. For employers, it means reduced productivity and increased losses. This course is intended to assist joint OH&S Committees to identify the potential hazards in the workplace, conduct a risk assessment and recommend corrective action as they pertain to violence. Participants will have the opportunity to develop a plan for violence prevention.

SPEAKING UP FOR SASKATCHEWAN

It's time to speak up and make change at the bargaining table, and the ballot box. Workers are getting a bad deal from employers and politicians. People can't afford groceries, gas, and skyrocketing interest rates. Hospitals and schools have been cut to the bone and face chronic understaffing, leaving workers, like you, left holding the bag. Violence at work and unsafe workplaces are a constant threat to the safety, and lives, of working people.

This brand-new course helps connect workplace issues to decisions made by politicians, and focuses on the tangible skills needed to engage and mobilize fellow members. If you want to learn more about taking action, communicating with members, building a stronger local, or being involved in electing worker-friendly politicians, this workshop will give you the toolbox of skills and tactics to do so.