

**2025 CANADIAN INTELLIGENCE CONFERENCE
(CANIC 2025)**

Wednesday, 30 APRIL 2025

Room 106, Ottawa Conference and Event Centre, 200 Coventry Road, Ottawa, ON K1K 4S3
and online via Zoom

THE CANADIAN INTELLIGENCE ENTERPRISE (CIE): ON THE ROAD TO 2030

INTERIM AGENDA

(as of 19 December 2024)

DATE/TIME	ACTIVITY
Tue 29 Apr	Venue and sponsor set up (1800-2130)
Wed 30 Apr	
0715	Registration open
0755	Call to order: Master of Ceremony, LCol Danny Vincent, J3 CFINTCOM
0800	Welcoming remarks: Dr. Orest Babij, President Canadian Military Intelligence Association (CMIA)
0810	Opening Keynote Address: Nathalie Drouin, National Security and Intelligence Advisor to the Prime Minister
0830	CFINTCOM Briefing: Laura Holland, Assistant Chief of Defence Intelligence
0900	Panel 1: <i>The big picture: Is there a requirement for a Canadian geospatial intelligence agency by 2030?</i> Moderator: BGen Eric Vandenberg, Director General Defence Intelligence Enterprise Panelists: Colonel Lisa Baspaly-Hays, Commander Canadian Forces Intelligence Group; Eric Loubier, Director General, Canada Centre for Mapping and Earth Observation; Susan Gordon, BLACKSKY Director and former US Deputy Director of National Intelligence.
1000	Break
1030	Panel 2: <i>Looking up: Is there a requirement for an effective Canadian space intelligence function by 2030?</i> Moderator: BGen (Ret'd) Kevin Whale, Senior Director Defence Strategy, MDA Space Panelists: BGen Chris Horner, Commander, 3 Canadian Space Division, RCAF; TBA; TBA.
1115	Panel 3: <i>Looking ahead: What will the Intelligence Analysis Community of Practice look like in 2030?</i> Moderator: Rachel Remington, Director Intelligence Analysis Community of Practice, PCO Panelists: Kingsley Green, Deputy Professional Head of Intelligence Analysis, Joint Intelligence Organization, UK; Lieutenant-Colonel Neil McPhedran, Commanding Officer, Canadian Army Intelligence Regiment; Yvonne Stys, Director, Intelligence, Corrections Canada.
1200	Lunch
1300	Keynote Address: TBA
1345	Panel 4 : <i>Looking around: What will the Canadian OSINT function look like in 2030?</i> Moderator: Jennifer Irish, Director, Information Integrity Lab, University of Ottawa Panelists: Dave McMahon, Chief Intelligence Officer, Sapper Labs; TBA; TBA.
1430	Panel 5: <i>Looking in: Can industry be effectively integrated into the CIE by 2030?</i> Moderator: Jerome Laliberte, Chief Transformation Officer, Canadian Security Intelligence Service Panelists: Wendy Hadwen, ADM Policy (Policy-Industry), DND. Robyn Hulan, Chief Transformation Officer, RCMP; Mathieu Primeau, Esri Canada.
1515	Break
1545	Panel 6: <i>The ultimate assessment: What will the CIE look like in 2030?</i> Moderator: LGen (Ret'd) Stu Beare, Colonel Commandant, Canadian Forces Intelligence Branch and Canadian Intelligence Corps Panelists: MGen Dave Abboud, Commander CFINTCOM and Chief of Defence Intelligence (CDI), Marie-Hélène Chayer, Assistant Secretary to the Cabinet, National Security Council; Tricia Geddes, Deputy Minister, Public Safety Canada (invited).
1645	Commander's Wrap-up



	MGen Dave Abboud , Commander CFINTCOM and CDI
1655	Closing remarks: Dr. Orest Babij
1700-1900	Post-conference reception

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