

# GOVERNANCE - PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

## UNDERSTANDING RISK FOR PUBLIC SECTOR BOARDS

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and Corinna Stevenson, Co-Chair, Cumberland  
College-Parkland College*

Boards play a crucial role in risk oversight. Primary drivers for investment in risk management (RM) are improved performance, enhanced risk governance, and integration of best practices. Risk assessments should be used by boards as they make strategic and reputational decisions. Are you adequately considering the impacts of risk at the board table and ensuring management has a current plan? Join us, and you will learn:

- Responsibilities of boards regarding risk;
- Relevant RM best practice tools and techniques;
- Skills to integrate RM with strategic decision-making; and,
- How effective RM approaches help to answer big-picture questions, such as : What are the biggest risks to the organization? How do we know that we've identified the right risks? Have we invested the right resources, time and attention?

**Wednesday, October 2, 2019**

**1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.**

Regina, SK

## THE ROLE OF THE CHAIR ON A PUBLIC SECTOR BOARD

*Facilitated by R. W. (Dick) Carter, Chairperson, Saskatchewan  
Health Authority Board and Doug Moen, Executive Director JSGS*

An effective Board Chair brings a multitude of strengths to the table when leading an organization through transition, change or dealing with controversy. Spend a half day with seasoned veterans discussing the roles and responsibilities of chairing a board and the strategies that will support you in troubled times. Join us, and you will learn:

- Roles and responsibilities of the Chair;
- How to build a team from a diverse group of Directors;
- Tips on navigating between the Board and expectations of government funders and community stakeholders;
- Strategies for leading through transition in organizational mandate or the senior executive; and,
- Approaches to dealing with a crisis.

**Thursday, October 3, 2019**

**8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**

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