

# Conversation ..... Partnerships ..... Revitalization



Join us for an excellent opportunity to explore new ideas, create and/or enhance partnerships with community groups and uncover new occasions for enhancing the events you are presently holding. Imagine your good fortune that you have a professional facilitator to guide you through this process.

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The 2008 conference was designed to support Agricultural Societies in making plans that reflect the needs & expectations in today's rural communities. Agricultural Societies are natural community builders – they have been doing it for hundreds of years. For Agricultural Societies to continue to thrive, they need to engage other groups, to seek and develop partnerships, and/or enhance the ones they already have. For successful partnerships everyone needs to benefit and to contribute.

This year's workshop will be fun, interactive, and practical. It is full of informative and inspiring examples of partnerships and collaboration, and provides exciting tips to help you engage your community and organization in creating and implementing a vision for positive change, innovation and revitalization.

**YOUR FEATURED SPEAKER - Paul Born**

Paul will lead us through the reasons and the processes of engaging in community conversations. Paul will guide you in exploring partnerships, in developing, maintaining, and enhancing relationships for the benefit of your Ag Society, fair, organization, and community.

Like last year, conference invitations are being sent to organizations in your community that could be potential partners. We encourage you to seek out organizations within your community and invite them to participate with you in this workshop.



**Paul Born is...**

from the Tamarack Institute is a master storyteller who infuses his work, relationships, community and life with the magic of conversation.

He is internationally recognized for his innovative approaches to community building. Paul is President and co-founder of Tamarack—An Institute for Community Engagement. He is also the founding chair of the Canadian Community Economic Development Network, Vibrant Communities Canada, and Opportunities 2000.