

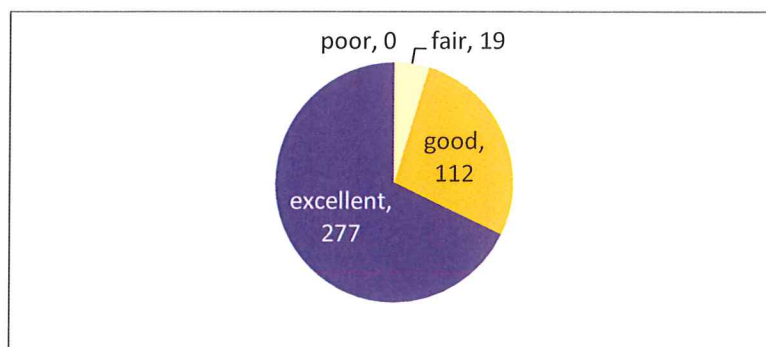
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LLO Conference 2014

Conference Evaluation Summary 2014














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1. Please rate the following on a scale of 1 to 4:	Poor (1)	Fair (2)	Good (3)	Excellent (4)
a) Organization of conference	0	0	14	54
b) Conference brochure	0	2	23	43
c) Registration	0	0	15	53
d) Workshop choices	0	7	21	40
e) Networking Opportunities	0	9	21	38
f) Overall conference experience	0	1	18	49
Total	0	19	112	277
Total number that completed survey = 68		4.7%	27.5	67.8



Please comment:

a) What did you like most about the conference?

-  *The information/Great workshops for admin, staff and the facilities*
-  *Reconnecting with learners and other practitioners; getting more of the details of authentic experiences that were described in the workshop by the presenters*
-  *Workshops were great and very well organized*
-  *Networking*
-  *OW workshop*
-  *Facilities, workshop options, food*
-  *Very well organized, relevant workshops*
-  *Old Books; Amazing You workshop*
-  *Theatre for Dialogue workshop*
-  *Introduction to Administration: A Case Study workshop*
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- ✚ *Great to meet everyone from other agencies*
- ✚ *MIA EIOS-CaMS workshop*
- ✚ *The social aspect and dancing*
- ✚ *Networking opportunities, computer lab*
- ✚ *Meeting all the people*
- ✚ *The interaction with everyone at the conference*
- ✚ *Workshops! Accommodations, classrooms were beautiful. Great to reconnect with everyone.*
- ✚ *Workshops!*
- ✚ *The networking*
- ✚ *Workshops were very information, well organized, and relevant*
- ✚ *The reception of guests*
- ✚ *Everything!*
- ✚ *Networking*
- ✚ *Introduction to Administration: A Case Study workshop*
- ✚ *The location – perfect sized campus for this event. The computer lab was amazing. Everything flowed.*
- ✚ *Excellent facilities*
- ✚ *The essence of the messages that were passionately being facilitated*
- ✚ *Key note speaker – Eleanor Wood, and Old Books, Amazing You workshop*
- ✚ *The opportunity to socialize with co-workers and the food! ☺*
- ✚ *Networking*
- ✚ *Getting to know new faces*
- ✚ *The people*
- ✚ *The guest speaker*
- ✚ *The location and the organization AND the food was EXCELLENT*
- ✚ *Networking*
- ✚ *The camaraderie*
- ✚ *Old Books, Amazing You workshop*
- ✚ *The use of time (not a lot of down time), good flow*
- ✚ *Knowledgeable speakers*
- ✚ *Learning the updates and new information*
- ✚ *Food & organization was excellent*
- ✚ *Dance and crafts*
- ✚ *The workshops*
- ✚ *The whole thing was great!*
- ✚ *Workshops were very relevant and helpful*
- ✚ *Learning about new resources*
- ✚ *Practical workshops, resources shared*
- ✚ *Networking, food, workshops*
- ✚ *Keynote speaker was inspirational, funny – a perfect choice!*
- ✚ *Networking*
- ✚ *All – as usual!*
- ✚ *Computer classes*
- ✚ *Learning Choices, workshops, chance to meet others with same focus*
- ✚ *Dance*

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- ✚ *Networking with others*
- ✚ *Keynote speaker – excellent!*
- ✚ *Everything was well-planned – great presenters, great food & rooms, a lot of fun! Lana, Mary Anne and Diana – great job!*
- ✚ *Location, Theatre for Dialogue workshop. Meals were lovely*

b) What did you like least?

- ✚ *No wifi*
- ✚ *The first lunch needed coffee included – petty complaint to indicate that there was little to dislike!*
- ✚ *Hard bed*
- ✚ *Hard bed. No wifi in room.*
- ✚ *No campus-wide wifi access*
- ✚ *No coffee available before 8:00 A.M. – very minor issue*
- ✚ *Student Annual meeting*
- ✚ *Cost of beer*
- ✚ *No wifi in room! The rooms were too cut off for connecting with others.*
- ✚ *The bed*
- ✚ *Bed*
- ✚ *Bed*
- ✚ *Door keys*
- ✚ *Complimentary coffee at breaks would have been very nice*
- ✚ *Lack of water/shower*
- ✚ *Water pressure for shower*
- ✚ *Water pressure*
- ✚ *The room, fan too noisy, no water pressure for shower*
- ✚ *Had a little trouble locating the campus*
- ✚ *Workshops not long enough to cover material*
- ✚ *Water pressure for showering*
- ✚ *Workshop choices*
- ✚ *Cold shower*
- ✚ *Hard bed – but like that in all residences*
- ✚ *No water pressure for shower*
- ✚ *Not enough mingling*
- ✚ *Limited workshop choices*
- ✚ *Accommodations – I didn't like sharing a bathroom*
- ✚ *Limited time in morning workshop to go more in depth*
- ✚ *No hot water in room*
- ✚ *Had to pay for coffee and tea at lunch*
- ✚ *Water pressure difficulties*
- ✚ *Card keys for rooms*

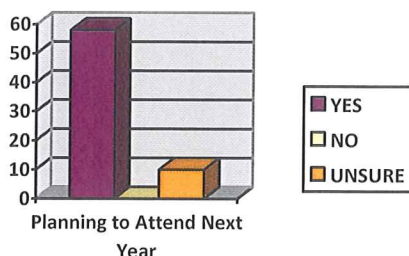
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c) Do you plan on attending the conference next year?

YES - 58

NO - 0

UNSURE OR NO SELECTION - 10

























d) Suggestions for next conference:

- ✚ Guided networking
- ✚ MTCU Question and Answer session
- ✚ Better beds
- ✚ Continue to seek relevant workshop content
- ✚ MTCU needs to be involved in these conferences as they are funding most programs and therefore, like it or not, are in the driver's seat.
- ✚ More hands on classes
- ✚ If possible smaller scale planning for individual learners geared toward instructors
- ✚ More practitioner workshops (practical)
- ✚ More tutor-trainer workshops
- ✚ Coffee or water between workshops
- ✚ More involvement in art and perhaps a humour class
- ✚ Someone can record the speech of the keynote speaker
- ✚ Try having on a Thursday/Friday
- ✚ Snacks during the dance/party
- ✚ More info for the choices and more time; more opportunities for networking
- ✚ Have the conference in Hamilton!
- ✚ More of the same – useful, practical trainings
- ✚ More workshops like the Introduction to Administration: A Case study workshop
- ✚ Have the conference in Orillia again!
- ✚ Same framework – just new topics
- ✚ More activities for Networking
- ✚ More workshop choices in each time slot
- ✚ Better accommodations, more variety of workshops
- ✚ Even more practical workshop ideas
- ✚ Make it a 2 night stay
- ✚ Bridges out of poverty overview workshop

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e) Other comments:

-  *Excellent organized event with wonderful opportunities; thank-you all!*
-  *I enjoyed the native workshops & would encourage cultural mediated workshops. There is an obvious need.*
-  *Conference was really great! I learned a lot!*
-  *Great conference this year! Would happily return to Lakehead University, Orillia campus*
-  *Excellent conference! Thank-You!*
-  *Perfect Conference!*
-  *Great food and location, more opportunity to discuss as organizations how to implement strategies on site.*
-  *Excellent venue*
-  *Workshops could have been slightly longer.*
-  *Wonderful weekend*
-  *Thank-You for another wonderful opportunity to get together to learn and share*
-  *My first conference – it was great!*
-  *Thank you for the night party and congratulations, it was a success!*
-  *Thank-You!*
-  *Thank-You for everything – a job well done!*
-  *Food and lodging were great! Presenters all know their stuff. Very well organized and super informative*
-  *Beautiful weekend*
-  *Food was excellent!*
-  *Very good conference*
-  *Great accommodations & food. Thank-You LLO!!*
-  *Thank-You for organizing such a wonderful event! Lots of hard work and all went smoothly.*
-  *You are doing a great job!*