

*The International Indian Treaty Council (IITC)  
and the Sicangu Treaty Council, Rosebud Lakota Nation present the*  
**44<sup>th</sup> Anniversary International Treaty Conference**  
***“Treaty Right to Food, Treaty Right to Water”***  
*Hecel Mitakuye Oyasin Wiconipi Ktelo, So that all my Relatives will live*  
**June 21 – 24, 2018**  
**Rosebud Bear Butte Lodge, Mato Paha (Bear Butte),  
Lakota Nation Treaty Territory, South Dakota**

## Conference Agenda

Meals for Treaty Conference Participants will be served from dinner June 20<sup>th</sup>  
through lunch June 24<sup>th</sup> according to the following schedule:

**Breakfast: 7:30 - 8:45 AM; Lunch: 12:30 - 1:45 PM; Dinner: 6:00 - 7:15 PM**

*Coffee, tea, water and light snacks will be available throughout the Conference days*

Conference Master of Ceremonies: Mr. Butch Felix, Sicangu Lakota

### 1<sup>st</sup> Day, Thursday June 21, 2018

**5:30 AM – 7:00 AM: Sunrise opening ceremony, lighting of the sacred fire**

*Breakfast*

#### Morning Program:

**9:00 AM: Traditional Lakota Opening and Protocol**

Rock N K (Kiyukonpi) Singers, Rosebud

**10:00 AM – 11:45 AM: Opening Presentations: “Lakota Star Knowledge and the significance of this day and place”:**

- Leeland Little dog
- Richard Movescamp
- Richard Broken Nose

**11:45 AM – 12:30 PM: Words of welcome:**

- Fremont Fallis, Sicangu Treaty Council, Rosebud Sioux Tribe
- Scott Weston, President, Oglala Lakota Nation
- Francisco Cali Tzay, President, IITC, Maya Kaqchikel
- Hinewirangi Kohu, Vice President, IITC, Maori

- William Means, Board Member and co-founder, IITC, Oglala Lakota Nation
- **Presentation of Conference flow and outcomes:** Andrea Carmen, Yaqui Nation, IITC Executive Director
- **Logistics and information for participants:** Angel Youngman, Rosebud Bear Butte Lodge

*Lunch*

### **Afternoon Program**

#### **2:00 PM – 4:00 PM: 1<sup>st</sup> Afternoon Panel: The 1851 and 1868 Ft. Laramie Treaties: Living, Legally Binding International Agreements**

##### ***Panelists:***

- Phil Two Eagle, Sicangu Treaty Council
- William Means, Oglala Lakota Nation, International Indian Treaty Council
- Phyllis Young, Hunkpapa Treaty Council
- Dave Archambault Jr., Standing Rock Sioux Tribe
- Pete Capossela, Treaty Water Rights Attorney
- Moderator: Butch Felix, Sicangu Lakota

*Questions and Discussion*

#### **4:00 PM – 6:00 PM: 2<sup>nd</sup> Afternoon Panel: Our Treaties are Sacred, We Must Defend Them”**

##### ***Panelists:***

- AJ Felix, Fire Keeper, Treaties 1-11, Sturgeon Lake Cree Nation: Treaty Rights and Food Sovereignty in Canada
- Sailadummad Baglio Pérez, Kuna General Congress, Panama: Sovereignty of the Kuna Nation
- Tui Shortland, Maori, Te Many Kawe I te Matauranga (Pacific Indigenous and Local Knowledge Centre of Distinction): Treaty of Waitangi
- Oren Lyons, Faith Keeper, Haudenosaunee: Treaties and the Doctrine of Discovery
- Mariano Ochoa, Torim Pueblo Yaqui Nation: Water Rights and the Decreto of 1939
- Chief Bill Erasmus, Dene Nation, Canada: Building unity among Treaty Nations to protect our ways of life
- Moderator: Claude Two Elk, Tokala Hocoka Waokiya Ob Mani, Sicangu Lakota

*Questions and Discussion*

*Dinner*

### **Evening Program**

#### **7:30 PM – 8:30 PM: Keynote Presentations: Original Spirit and Intent of Treaties to defend our Nations’ Sovereignty, Lands, Waters, Traditional Foods and Sacred Places**

MC: Butch Felix

- Mario Gonzalez, Oglala Lakota, Treaty Attorney
- Ron Lameman, Beaver Lake Cree Nation, Bi-lateral Treaty Coordinator, Confederacy of Treaty 6 First Nations

- Hone Harawira, Maori, Waitangi, Aotearoa

**8:30 - 10:00 PM: Lakota Cultural Program**

MC: Bill Means

- Kul Wicasa Singers
- Sandra Black Bear, Sicangu Lakota Elder, Teacher and Story Teller
- Henry Quick Bear Sr., Sicangu Treaty Council
- Rosebud Dancers

**2<sup>nd</sup> Day, Friday June 22, 2018**

**5:30 AM – 7:00 AM: Sunrise ceremony**

*Breakfast*

**Morning Program**

**9:00 AM – 10:45 AM: 1<sup>st</sup> Morning Panel: The Struggle Against Extractives for the Survival of our Future Generations**

***Panelists:***

- Manny Pino, Acoma Pueblo, Laguna Acoma Coalition for a Safe Environment, Indigenous Environmental Network: Nuclear Fuel Chain and Impacts in the Southwest
- Faith Gemmill, Gwich'in Athabascan Nation, Alaska, Executive Director, Resisting Environmental Destruction on Indigenous Lands: Extractive Industries in Alaska and the Impacts on Indigenous food and ways of life
- Jaime Vargas, Achuar Nation, President, Confederation of Indigenous Nations Indígenas del Ecuador: Impacts of resource extraction on Indigenous Peoples in Ecuador
- Winona LaDuke, Anishinaabe, White Earth Nation: Treaty Right to Food and Stopping Enbridge
- Faith Spotted Eagle, Ihanktowan, Chair of the Ihanktowan Treaty Committee and Grandmother of the Brave Heart Society: DAPL and Keystone XL Pipelines
- Moderator: Janene Yazzie, Dine' Nation, representative for the North America Region, Indigenous Peoples Major Group for the UN Sustainable Development Goals

*Questions and Discussion*

**10:45 AM - 12:30 PM: 2<sup>nd</sup> Morning Panel: Food Sovereignty and Climate Change**

***Panelists:***

- Saul Vicente Vásquez, Zapoteca, Oaxaca México, IITC Food Sovereignty Program Coordinator, member of the UN Committee on Food Security Indigenous Peoples' Sector
- Chief Gary Harrison, Chickaloon Village Alaska: Report on the Salmon Peoples Conference
- Ervin Carlson, Blackfeet, President, Inter-Tribal Buffalo Council, Restoration of Buffalo and impacts on Culture and Spirituality, Food Sovereignty, Environment and Climate Change
- María Celestina Balan, Maya Kaqchikel, CEPRODI Guatemala: Traditional Mayan Corn Knowledge and Report from the 3<sup>rd</sup> International Indigenous Peoples Corn Conference

- Roberto Borrero, United Confederation of Taino People, IITC UN Programs Coordinator: Indigenous Peoples, the UN Sustainable Development Goals and the Traditional Knowledge Exchange Platform for Climate Change Mitigation
- Moderator: Amy Juan, IITC Tucson Office Manager, Tohono O'odham Nation Arizona

*Questions and Discussion*

*Lunch*

**2:00 PM – 4:00 PM: Afternoon Panel: Defending our Sacred Places, Cultural Heritage and the Right to Repatriation**

***Panelists:***

- Radley Davis, Cultural Leader, Pit River Nation: the Struggle to defend sacred Medicine Lake in Northern California
- Lenny Foster, Dine' Nation, Native American Prisoners' Rights Coalition: Freeing Political Prisoners: Religious Freedom Rights for Prisoners and update on Leonard Peltier
- Ben Rodd, Rosebud Sioux Tribe Tribal Cultural Heritage Protection Officer: Repatriating our stolen children
- Andrea Carmen, Yaqui Nation, Arizona, IITC Executive Director: International work for repatriation of Indigenous Peoples' sacred items and human remains
- June Lorenzo, Laguna Pueblo, IITC Consultant and Attorney: Halting the Sale of our sacred items and protection of our sacred places
- Tim Mentz, Standing Rock Sioux Nation, protecting sacred places from imposed development
- Moderator Frank Ettawageshik, Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians

*Questions and Discussion*

**4:00 PM – 4:30 PM: Explanation and organization of Commissions/small group work, Andrea Carmen, IITC Executive Director**

**4:30 PM - 6:00 PM: Commissions, 1<sup>st</sup> session**

- **Our Treaties are Sacred: Defending Treaty Rights to Land, Water, Food, Health, Consent and Self-Determination**  
*Facilitators: Bill Means and Ron Lameman*
- **Strategies to combat extractive industries on Indigenous Lands, focusing on pipelines, fracking, mining and drilling**  
*Facilitators: Faith Spotted Eagle and Manny Pino*
- **Indigenous Youth organizing for Rights and Sovereignty**  
*Facilitators: Sunrise Black Bull and Nicole Yanes*
- **Cultural Rights, Sacred Sites and Repatriation:**  
*Facilitators: Frank Ettawageshik and Radley Davis*
- **Women and Children's rights including combatting Environmental Violence**  
*Facilitators: Hinevirangi Kobu and Tai Pelli*
- **Food Sovereignty**  
*Facilitators: Saul Vicente Vasquez, and Janene Yazajie*
- **Defending Indigenous Human Rights and Human Rights Defenders**  
*Facilitators: June Lorenzo and Francisco Cali*

- **The Climate Crisis and Indigenous Peoples**  
*Facilitators: Tui Shortland and Roberto Borrero*
- **Addressing the “Doctrine of Discovery”**  
*Facilitators: Phyllis Young and Lisa Bellanger*
- **Elders Talking Circle, elders rest area, Bear Butte Lodge**  
*Facilitator: Claude Two Elk*

*Dinner*

**Evening Program: Open Time for Social Gathering and rest  
Sweat Lodge Ceremonies tbc**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Day, Saturday June 23, 2018**

**Morning Program**

**5:30 AM – 7:00 AM: Sunrise ceremony**

*Breakfast*

**8:45 AM: Opening by Kul Wicasa Singers**

**9:00 AM - 9:30 AM: Keynote Address: Using the International Human Rights System to Defend the Rights of Indigenous Peoples:** Francisco Cali, Maya Kaqchikel, IITC Board President, member of the UN Committee for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination and Chair of the CERD Early Warning and Urgent Action Procedure

**9:30 AM – 11:00 AM: 1<sup>st</sup> Morning Panel: Indigenous Youth in the Movement to Defend our Futures**

***Panelists:***

- Yamilka Hernandez, Kuna: Update on the work of the Kuna Youth Movement in Panama
- Nicole Yanes, Oyata, Outreach Coordinator IITC: Intergeneration transmission of knowledge
- Daniel Grassrope, Lakota, Kul Wicasa Oyate of the Oceti Sakowin, Co-Founder of the IIYC, 7th Generation
- Nina Berglund, Oglala Lakota/Northern Cheyenne, Indigenous Youth Ceremonial Mentoring Society: Indigenous Youth and the Doctrine of Discovery
- Ione Quigley, Sicangu Lakota, St. Francis Indian School
- Moderator: LaToya Crazy Bull, Lakota, Kul Wicasa Oyate- Lower Brule Sioux Tribe, Sicangu Oyate Tipi (SOT)/ Rosebud Homeless Shelter Coordinator

*Questions and Discussion*

**11:00 AM – 12:30 PM: 2<sup>nd</sup> Morning Panel: Inter-generational Health and combatting Environmental Violence: Protecting Indigenous women, girls and coming generations**

***Panelists:***

- Hinewirangi Kohu, Maori, Te Whanua o te Rau Aroha: Protection of sacred life giving places

- Tai Pelli, Taino, United Confederation of Taino Peoples, Boriken (Puerto Rico): Report of the 3<sup>rd</sup> International Indigenous Women's Symposium on Reproductive and Environmental Health
  - Francisco (Paco) Villegas, Yaqui, Jittoa Bat Natika Weria, Río Yaqui Sonora México: Reproductive and Inter-generational health impacts of Pesticides
  - Berenice Sanchez, Nahuatl/Otomi, Di Sugave a Nana Shimjai: Indigenous Women Human and Environmental Rights Defenders in Mexico
  - Melanie Stoneman, Sicangu (Rosebud) Lakota, Brave Heart Women Society: Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls
  - Moderator: Betty Lyons, Onondaga Nation, Haudenosaunee External Relations Committee
- Questions and Discussion*

*Lunch*

**2:00 PM – 5:30 PM: Afternoon Program: Commissions Continue, finalize Conference resolutions**

*Dinner*

**Evening Program**

MC: Juan Humo, Yaqui Nation

**7:30 PM – 8:30 PM: International Cultural Program**

**8:30 PM – 10:00 PM: Leader Charge Brothers Band**

**4<sup>th</sup> Day, Sunday June 24th, 2018**

**5:30 AM – 7:00 AM: Sunrise Ceremony**

*Breakfast*

**Morning Program**

**8:30 AM – 12:00 PM: IITC General Assembly**, *Co-moderators: Andrea Carmen and Ron Lameman*

- Approval of new IITC affiliates
- Presentation and adoption of conference resolutions
- Confirmation of next Treaty Conference location: Aotearoa (2020)

**12:00 – 12:30 PM: Thanks and Closing Ceremony**

*Lunch*

**Departures will continue throughout the afternoon and evening  
*Please listen for shuttle schedule announcements***