



2017 Banff Venture Forum – Entrepreneur Bootcamp Schedule

New Brunswick Room – Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel

TIME	ITEM	PRESENTER(S)
12:55 – 1:00	Agenda + Introductions	Marc Elrick, BVF
1:00 – 1:15	Fundamentals of Raising Capital - Preparing for investment - Funding options processes and changes	Kevin Franco, Innovate Calgary
1:15 – 1:45	Nailing Your Pitch on the First Try	Craig Elias, EIR - Chiu School of Business
1:45 – 2:15	Government Assistance and Programs - Product development vs. growth and marketing - Programs from different government organizations - Sector specific	Marc Elrick, BVF (Moderator) Irene Mikawoz, NSERC Mark Pasloski, NRC-IRAP Kevin Turner, PWGSC BCIP
2:15 – 3:00	How do I get Money? Q&A - Negotiating, term sheets and valuations - Different sources of funding and the latest deals	Wayne Logan, Miller Thomson (Moderator) Paul Austin, SDTC Kevin Franco, Innovate Calgary Jason Neale, OKR Financial
3:00 – 3:15	Break	
3:15 – 4:15	What it Takes to be Fundable - What do institutional investors want? - US and corporate investment priorities - Portfolio and risk management	Sean Burke, FrontFundr (Moderator) Sam Ali, DENKA Andrea Drager, Azure Capital John Hill, Techstars
4:15 – 4:45	I got money ... now what?	Randy Thompson – OKR Financial
4:45 – 5:15	Making the Most of Your BVF Experience	Craig Elias, EIR – Chiu School of Business
5:15 PM	Closing Remarks	Marc Elrick, BVF

There will be a reception following the closing remarks.