

Initiatives of Change, BC

"Trust Building In the Community"

Initiatives of Change, BC cordially invites you to join us for an evening on the theme of **Community Trustbuilding**. It will also be an opportunity to hear about IofC's work and to donate for ongoing and new initiatives.



Keynote speaker is **Rob Corcoran**

Rob is an international speaker on honest conversations and trustbuilding between ethnic, racial and religious groups, building peace across the world's divides. His work in community development spans 20 years and has been the model for hope in cities globally. A straight talking, sincere and humourous presenter, Rob will talk about his life's work and passion, and address questions about the tools he used to bring people together to build trusting communities.

Where:

SFU Surrey campus,
250 13450 102nd Avenue, Central City Mall
Surrey, BC V3T 0A3
www.surrey.sfu.ca

6.30pm Light refreshments in Room 3340

7.30 pm Now Newspaper Theatre, room 3010
for speaking and presentations, book signing
opportunity at the end of the evening

cost: \$15 Special student rate: \$12

Register before October 8th to

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Rob Corcoran has facilitated dialogue, reconciliation and partnerships among diverse and polarized racial, ethnic, and religious groups in an array of locales in Europe, South Africa, India, Australia and the United States.

He is the U.S. national director of Initiatives of Change and founder of Hope in the Cities, which models honest conversation and sustained partnerships across traditional boundaries. He has lived with his family in Richmond, VA for 30 years. His new book "Trust-building: An Honest Conversation on Race, Reconciliation, and Responsibility" will be available for purchase at all events.

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