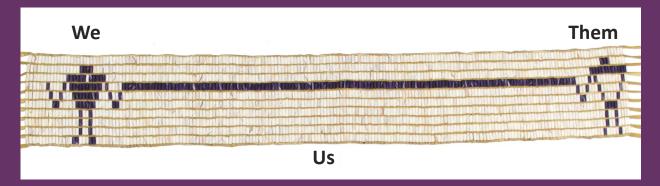
# Stronger Together 2017

August 14-18, 2017



a gathering of Indigenous and non-Indigenous neighbours of the Haldimand Tract on Six Nations of the Grand River Territory







Join us to reanimate the Covenant Chain on a personal basis!
With two ways to experience the culture first hand:

Young Adult (18-30) Program overnight resident by sponsorship

Living-learning format from Monday afternoon to Friday lunch

Young adult learning sessions will involve pre-reading and assumes prior reflection and interest in Indigenous issues and related challenges

Day Rate Program commuter \$100 per day

Day participation
Tuesday, Wednesday, and/or Thursday
(lunch each day included)

Day participants may come from diverse communities and life contexts

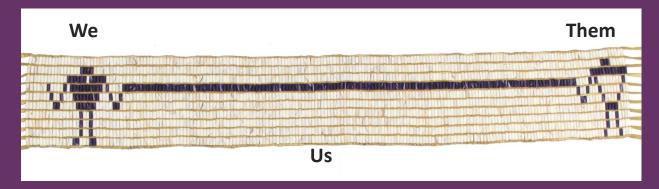


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Stronger Together 2017 is a collaborative project of Six Nations Polytechnic and the Haldimand Tract Ecumenical Partnership

# Guided by teachings of the Friendship Belt the Program Leaders will be Rick Hill & Taylor Gibson of Six Nations Polytechnic



This event will be hosted in an Open Conference format

### The Three Program Days:

(August 15, 16, 17 are designed especially for Day Rate guests)

## Tuesday Theme: Whose Law?

Beginning in connection with the earth, the Tuesday program involves thinking together about what justice looks like for all creation. This includes learning about the Great Law of Peace, the traditional Confederacy system of governance and principles of justice in modern court contexts.

#### Wednesday Theme: Education for Reconciliation

Accompanied by a Residential School Survivor and Intergenerational Survivors of Canada's education system, participants will engage at the *Mohawk Chapel*, the *Mohawk Institute* and the *Woodland Cultural Centre*.

Using recently published materials by Indigenous and non-Indigenous authors, participants will deepen their learnings to reconsider the history of colonization and education as a means of nation-state indoctrination and assimilation.

Special attention will be given to curriculum development and change needed in on-Reserve, public school, and religious education.

### Thursday Theme: Lessons from Creation

Moving back out onto the land, participants will visit the recently opened Longhouse, Kayanase ecological restoration facility, explore along the Grand River learning about natural medicines, and share in an intergenerational picnic near Pauline Johnson National Historic Site, a key location for the meeting of cultures.



To register please contact either

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