

APEX Speaker Series: Reconciliation – Symbolic Gesture or Systemic Change, hosted by the Thunder Bay Chamber of Commerce.

A member of the Ontario Provincial Council recently attended **APEX Speaker Series: Reconciliation – Symbolic Gesture or Systemic Change?** hosted by the Thunder Bay Chamber of Commerce. The guest speaker was Bob Watt, Nuclear Waste Management Organization.

Bob Watts is a much sought-after expert in Indigenous policy, negotiations, training, and conflict resolution. He is the former Interim Executive Director of the Canada's Truth and Reconciliation Commission, which examined and made recommendations regarding the Indian Residential School era and its legacy. Bob led the process, supported by an excellent team and many organizations from across Canada and internationally, to create the policies and processes in order to firmly establish the Commission. With permission, we are sharing Bob's PowerPoint presentation which has an excellent summary of Indigenous history in Canada.

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