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Ontario Small Urban Municipalities

### *Springtime in Paris - OSUM 2020*

#### *Exciting additions to the program line-up!*

The 2020 OSUM Conference & Trade Show takes place April 29<sup>th</sup> – May 1<sup>st</sup> at the TownePlace Suites Brantford and Conference Centre in the County of Brant, Ontario.

As an example of one of Ontario's hallmark small urban communities, the County of Brant is the ideal blend of small-town living with access to big-city amenities. It was recently named *Canada's 7th Best Overall Community to Live* by MacLean's magazine. It offers a vibrant, friendly, engaging, and welcoming community. OSUM looks forward to *Springtime in Paris* and hosting the 2020 Conference in the County of Brant!

We are pleased to announce two outstanding additions to the Conference program!

*Minister's Address: A Message from the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing*



The 2020 OSUM Conference is the place to be for firsthand information about the Government of Ontario's interactions with municipal government.

The Honourable Steve Clark, Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing, will address Conference attendees on Thursday, April 30<sup>th</sup>.

*Opening Keynote Speaker: Ilona Dougherty, Leading Expert on Millennials and Generation Z and Social Entrepreneur*



Ilona Dougherty is an award-winning social innovator and a regular commentator in the Canadian media who helps business, civil society and government understand how to tap into the unique abilities of young people. Find out what she has to say about how governments, businesses, and organizations can succeed in the innovation economy by tapping into young people's potential and how to spark intergenerational collaboration.

The *Springtime in Paris* Conference runs from April 29<sup>th</sup> beginning with a golf tournament, the opening of the trade show and an evening welcome reception. Full programming will run April 30<sup>th</sup> through May 1<sup>st</sup>. Stay tuned for more program information to be released soon.

The Registration Form is attached and available on the [OSUM website](#). We look forward to seeing you!

