

IMPORTANT:

ACIA Annual General Meeting (AGM) will be held on May 7th, 2016, at Holiday INN at Banff Trail NW. Your attendance is highly recommended. There will be a guest, a Judge, we will discuss some topics and lunch will be provided.

ACIA Seminars 2016:

Date/Time: August 15-19, five-day training course (Please SAVE these dates)

Location: Court House; 601 5 Street SW, Calgary, AB T2P 5P7 - Courtroom #: TBD

Please go to <http://intta.ca/events> for registration.

Introduction to Public Sector Interpretation : Please feel free to check the website for some of the seminars and workshops that could be beneficial for your further professional development. In particular, please consider this workshop on May 11, 2016 at 6:00 – 8:00 pm by Debra Russell: <http://intta.ca/events/building-your-business-as-a-translatorinterpreter>

ACIA Members, Family & Friends Event:

Bow Valley College and our Event team are planning a big event for the graduates of the Interpreting for Justice Program (2005). Please stay tuned for future announcements.



Annual Law Day at the Court House, Calgary – April 16, 2016 from 9:00 till 3:00 pm

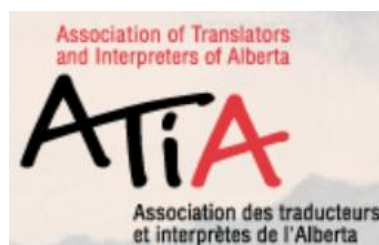
Please visit the Law Day website to find out more about the vendors, exhibits and schedules:

<http://lawdayalberta.weebly.com/exhibitors.html>



Court & Community Interpreters Professional Development:

Immigrant Services Calgary and ATIA (Association of Translators and Interpreters of Alberta) workshop for Community Interpreters for **English-Arabic-Kurdish** language combinations on April 23, 2016 at 10:00 – 1:00 pm at ISC Office, 910 - 7 Avenue SW, Calgary, AB T2P 3N8, Room # 540, please register by April 18 at admin@atia.ab



ATIA is going to provide the following training go the court/community interpreters:

1. Interpreting for the Police. This is a 6-hour course, and will be offered on Thursday, May 5.
2. Busting the Barrier Language – A matter of interpretation. This course will cover three topics: the interpreter as an expert witness, civil and criminal court, and youth court. It will be a 6-hour course, and will be offered on Friday, May 6.
3. Court Interpreting Boot Camp. This is a 12-hour course offered on a weekend format, and will give the basics and more in court interpreting. It will take place on May 7 and 8 (Saturday and Sunday).

September 10, 2016: 10:00-5:00 pm
This fall, International Translators and Interpreters Foundation is holding fist Language Summit of Alberta here in Calgary. This is a good opportunity to connect or re-connect, educate and to start communication on the many opportunities around language.



To register, please go to <http://intta.ca/events/language-summit-of-alberta> and find out more details.