



Northern Alberta Chapter
International Facility Management Association

Winspear Centre Expansion

Wednesday, February 26, 2025

with

Wylie Stafford, Project Manager Winspear Centre



The new Winspear will be an extraordinary landmark, enhancing Edmonton's downtown core with rentable multi-purpose collaboration and performance spaces, a gorgeous outdoor plaza, daytime programming, and interactive discovery zones throughout the building.

A key feature is the 'Music Box' – an atmospheric and intimate 550-seat performance and event space designed with the same incredible acoustics as the main Winspear concert hall. This unique space will set a new standard for versatility to enable diverse live music experiences and programming. Within moments, the state-of-the-art seating system can transform from raised theatre seating for concerts, to tiered tables for a cabaret, to a flat floor for dancing. It will support shows by solo artists and community groups, corporate events, classes and workshops.

Wylie Stafford, Project Manager and his staff will provide an overview of the project and its challenges. He will show us the renovations necessary to the existing facility to integrate with the expansion – then tour the new expansion. Wylie is the primary client representative in this complicated planning, design, integration, tenant improvement and technical installation project.

Come and see this great addition to Edmonton's Downtown and learn how it all came together – planning milestones, hurdles overcome, process and technical challenges.

Schedule: 3:30 pm – gather; 3:45 – overview presentation, 4:30 – facility tour

Place: Winspear Centre – main floor entrance, West side

Parking: the Library Parkade is the most convenient

Cost: \$10.00 for chapter members, \$20.00 for non-chapter members & guests

RSVP: Please register in advance at <https://ifmanac.com> by 3:00 pm, February. 24th.

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