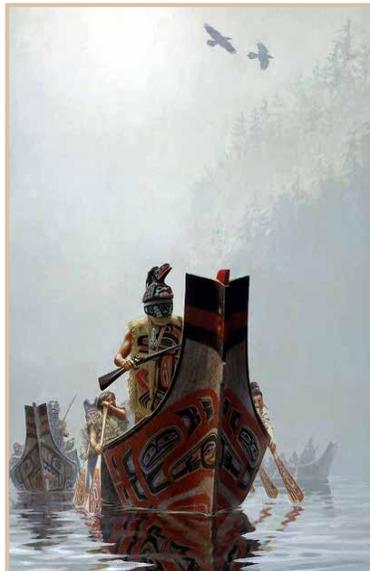


# Fire Across The Land

## "Strengthening Community Connections"



### Impacts of Historical Trauma & Colonization Workshop

*A powerful experiential workshop to help educate service providers of the collective trauma that has impacted Native people throughout North America's history.*

*After understanding that a collective trauma exists, participants will better understand how the feelings such as; fear, shame, learned helplessness, and anger began to infiltrate into Native communities and led to the disempowering behaviors and social conditions that we see today.*

*With this change in perception, by having experienced these impacts during the workshop, participants will have an accurate understanding of why Native people see, think, feel and behave the way they do.*

*As a result, service providers will be better prepared to effectively communicate and empower the Native members of their communities.*

### What participants are saying:

*"Brad was exceptional at drawing our spirits into the collective existence of the Colonization experience."*

*"Soul touching, therefore permanent change, not just knowledge"*

*"Wow! How important and impactful. I believe our entire country needs to see this presentation."*

*"It was a mind blowing Pro-D, best I've ever done and it will stay with me for the rest of my life."*

*"Brad Marsden was magnificent. I learned so much, it was powerful & resonant; the video, music, his stories- I am changed by the experience. Thank you from the bottom of my heart."*

*"I have much to learn and unlearn to work on my discomfort and unpack my racism. I am committed to doing so. Thank you for your guidance in the workshop." – S. Kumar*

*"Brad Marsden is a gifted presenter; this should be mandatory for all Canadians."*

*"Your two sessions with Richmond educators were both first rate, all BC young people and their children should have the powerful opportunity to learn with you. Thanks.*

*- Linda Kaser Director, Networks of Inquiry and Innovation*

*"This was a Powerful and Impactful workshop, it was excellent."*

*- Inspector Marcie Flamand, Vancouver Police Department.*

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