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Only successful applicants for a given workshop will be provided with the link to the registration page. Registration information such as online credit card transactions are handled by PayPal, Inc. (“PayPal”). Personal information provided as part of online credit card transactions are stored and processed on PayPal computers in the United States in compliance with applicable United States federal and state regulations. By using this website, you consent to the processing of data about you by PayPal in the manner and for the purposes set out at the time that your credit card information is requested. Refer to PayPal, Inc.'s privacy policy for details on how it secures your personal information (https://cms.paypal.com/ca/cgi-bin/marketingweb?cmd=_render-content&content_ID=ua/Privacy_full&locale.x=en_US <https://cms.paypal.com/ca/cgi-bin/marketingweb?cmd=_render-content&content_ID=ua/Privacy_full&locale.x=en_US> ).

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CBW will maintain the security and confidentiality of your personal information. Access to this information will be limited to the CBW site administrators as per the stated purpose. Access to names and affiliation of applicants selected to attend a given workshop will be limited to the events staff and workshop faculty for the purpose of producing name badges and aligning teaching material, respectively.

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