



## Centre for Organizational Governance in Agriculture

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The Centre for Organizational Governance in Agriculture (“COGA”) is very pleased to provide professional development and educational programs for directors, officers, management, staff, producers, growers, and interested individuals of agricultural boards, commissions and associations of British Columbia.

### **Building Boards**

**Thursday, April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

**10:30 p.m. – Noon PST**

**Via Zoom**

**Presenter:**

**Christopher Girodat, Girodat Consulting**

### **About the Workshop**

***Board succession is one of the most important responsibilities of a board, and yet it's often at the end of the list.***

**We'll talk about how board leadership opportunities should be built into everything that a board does: in the importance of an effective orientation and training program, so that the enthusiasm of a new appointment isn't lost right out of the gate; in how it creates committees, and trains committee chairs to build expertise; in the strategic use of a skills matrix to make sure that the right people and voices are in the room; and in how to communicate the work of the board to the public to attract new talent.**

## About our presenter

**Christopher Girdoat** [pronounced JEE-row-dat] is a board governance consultant and meeting facilitator with over a decade of experience in board governance and operations management in the non-profit and retail sectors. When he's not consulting, he's the Executive Director of the Capilano Students' Union on the beautiful North Shore.

## Registration

There are two ways to register:

1. Complete the attached registration form and scan/email to [office@bccoga.ca](mailto:office@bccoga.ca)
2. On-line at [www.bccoga.ca](http://www.bccoga.ca) and click on the registration link.

The cost of this workshop will be \$30.00 **plus GST**.

We look forward to seeing you there!



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