

Dr. Margaret Kovach: 2012 Keynote Speaker

Biography



Margaret Kovach is of Plains Cree and Saulteaux ancestry. She is an Associate Professor with the College of Education, University of Saskatchewan where she holds a joint appointment with Educational Foundations and Educational Administration. She received an Interdisciplinary Studies doctoral degree from the University of Victoria where she conducted the primary research for her 2009 book *Indigenous Methodologies: Characteristics, Conversations and Contexts* (University of Toronto Press). In addition to an active teaching focus and research interest in Indigenous methodologies and lifelong learning, she has a research interest in the role of anti-racist, decolonizing approaches to integrating Indigenous knowledges into core curriculum within post-secondary learning contexts for which she received SSHRC funding.

Abstract: The Researching Self: What Indigenous Methodologies Offer Us