

## Meeting Thursday, February 27, 2020

February 27, 2020, 6:45-8:45 pm

Burnaby Public Library, Bob Prittie branch

6100 Willingdon Avenue, meeting room

Parking underground at library, at Metrotown. Skytrain:  
Metrotown



## Social Conversation, Engagement & Interaction: Insights for ASD Adults

All of us want to communicate effectively, and to have positive interactions with the people we encounter at work, and in our social activities. We will explore, with Behavioural Interventionist, Crystal Lee Clark, how our behaviours might be seen by others, how to avoid misunderstandings, and how to develop meaningful & reciprocal relationships.

### **Crystal Lee Clark, Behaviour Analyst**

Crystal has worked with individuals with autism and social complexities in the lower mainland since 2004. She received her **Master's Degree in Autism Studies** at the **University of Kent** in Canterbury in 2012, focusing on social skills therapies in educational settings. She became a **Board Certified Behaviour Analyst (BCBA)** in 2013 after completing her Behaviour Analyst Certification Board coursework at **Pennsylvania State University**. In 2013 she worked as a social group facilitator at Able Developmental clinic and, in 2016, launched her own behavior consultation group Celebrate Behaviour Innovations, and in 2018, her social skills groups, Spark It!

Crystal loves to work with individuals of all ages, believing that learning and social skill acquisition are a continuous journey. She uses **Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA)** as a science and lens to facilitate meaningful growth in the daily lives of her learners and their families, to enable learners to apply these skills independently in the world.