

## **Crystal Lameman**

Intergovernmental Affairs Spokeswoman for the indigenous Beaver Lake Cree Nation, Alberta, Canada

## Thursday, April 21, 2016 / 4 - 5 pm Aquinas College Performing Arts Center

Followed by a reception



Throughout the Great Lakes region, crude oil flows via pipelines and railroads from Canada to destinations throughout the American Midwest. This April, Crystal Lameman is coming to Grand Rapids to shed light on the

devastating environmental and human impacts of tar sands mining at the source in Alberta, Canada. Lameman, a member of the Beaver Lake Cree Nation, will speak about her Nation's legal fight to defend their homelands against the over-development of thousands of fossil fuel extraction sites. Join us and learn about how our demand for these resources is destroying the ecosystems that have sustained indigenous families for thousands of years and threatening our collective future.

Lameman is the Intergovernmental Affairs and Industry Relations Treaty Coordinator and Communications Manager for the Nation.

RSVP by April 11, 2016 to aquinas.edu/wegespeaker





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