



Victoria Genealogical Society Seminar 2015

Creating Connections Through DNA: Genetic Genealogy in the Digital Age

Saturday,
October 24, 2015

8:30 am to 4:30 pm

St. Aidan's Church

3703 St. Aidan's Street
Victoria, BC

Seminar fees:

VGS members:

On or before Sept 26, 2015: \$80

On or after Sept 27, 2015: \$90

VGS non-members:

On or before Sept 26, 2015: \$90

On or after Sept 27, 2015: \$100

Fees include:

- ◆ 5 seminar sessions by 3 speakers
- ◆ 2 refreshment breaks and lunch
- ◆ Handout materials & resource table
- ◆ Question & answer session with speaker Barbara Johnson

Speakers

Barbara Johnson will present three sessions on the basics of DNA and how it works, what it brings to genealogy, and the pros and cons of the major DNA companies currently offering genealogical DNA testing.

Wedlidi Speck, a hereditary chief of the Namgis First Nation, will present on his colourful journey with traditional genealogy, where mythology meets DNA testing, and how this changed his world.

Stuart Rennie, a Lawyer and Adjunct Professor at UBC, will be discussing the legal implications of DNA testing and results in genealogical research.

Questions: seminar@victoriags.org

Website: victoriags.org/seminar.php