

Northern California Tribal Court Coalition presents:

Restoring Ancestral Lands

Six Week Virtual Training Series

11am - 1pm PST

"Providing tribal communities with skills, knowledge, and strategies to establish, operate, and maintain conservation land trusts."

Training Dates & Topics:

May 13th: History and Overview

May 20th: Determining Goals & Deciding Structure

June 3rd: Registration and Legalities

June 10th: Governing and Maintenance

June 17th: Funding Strategies

June 24th: Sourcing and Transferring Land

\$60 Suggested Donation

Free for Community Members

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Session 6: June 24th

Sourcing and Transferring Land

Zoom: 11am-1pm

11:00 AM	Welcome and Opening Prayer
11:08 AM	Session 5 Review
11:10 AM	Introduction of Presenters
11:12 AM	Presentation: Transferring Lands Shelton Douthit, Executive Director, Feather River Land Trust
11:35 AM	Discussion: Corrina Gould, tribal chair for the Confederated Villages of Lisjan Nation and Co-Founder/Co-Director of Sogorea Te' Land Trust Johnella LaRose, Co-Founder and Co-Director of Sogorea Te' Land Trust
12:30 PM	Group discussion / Q&A



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Resources

Decolonizing Economics Summit. April, 2022. Dishgamu Humboldt Community Land Trust.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H8cOF8Jt1AY>

Mayor Libby Schaff. September, 2022. Oakland gives land back to Indigenous Sogorea Te' Land Trust.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BZgFXBlj3bl>

Native Food Alliance

<https://nativefoodalliance.org>

Office Of The Governor. September 25, 2020. Statement Of Administration Policy Native American Ancestral Lands.

<https://www.gov.ca.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/9.25.20-Native-Ancestral-Lands-Policy.pdf>

Rensselaer Land Trust. Question and Answers on Conservation Easements.

<https://www.renstrust.org/protect/14-protect/38-questions-and-answers-on-conservation-easements>

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Transferring Land & Future Visions

Presentation: Land Transfers

Shelton Douthit, Executive Director, Feather River Land Trust



Shelton Douthit,

Executive Director, Feather River Land Trust

Shelton serves as Executive Director, leading FRLT as it fulfills its mission. Shelton works with the Board of Directors, staff and partners to move projects forward while ensuring the health of the organization and its key parts, the staff. Due to his 32 plus years managing fee-title and conservation easement transactions, Shelton also leads the Land Protection Program, working with landowners to permanently protect conservation values critical to the region and the nation. Prior to joining FRLT in 2015, Shelton worked as a consultant to the land trust community focusing on land protection and stewardship planning. He assisted land trusts across the west by managing transactions, providing due diligence and performing program assessments. Shelton and his team assisted with the protection of 175,000 acres of land primarily in the California desert from 2000 to 2015. Prior to serving as a consultant, Shelton served as a project coordinator and vice president of The Wildland Conservancy (where he assisted with the protection of over 500,000 acres of wild lands) and Executive Director of the Riverside Land Conservancy. Shelton started his 32 year career in the land trust community when he was hired by the Sempervirens Fund as their Field Coordinator/Volunteer Coordinator.

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Discussion:

Corrina Gould, tribal chair for the Confederated Villages of Lisjan Nation and co-founder/co-director of the Sogorea Te' Land Trust
Johnella LaRose, co-founder and co-Director of Sogorea Te' Land Trust



Corrina Gould

Tribal chair for the Confederated Villages of Lisjan Nation and co-founder/co-director of the Sogorea Te' Land Trust

Corrina Gould (Lisjan Ohlone) is the chair and spokesperson for the Confederated Villages of Lisjan— she was born and raised in Oakland, CA, the village of Huichin. Corrina is the Co-Founder and Lead Organizer for Indian People Organizing for Change, a small Native run organization that works on Indigenous people issues and sponsored annual Shellmound Peace Walks from 2005 to 2009. As a tribal leader, she has continued to fight for the protection of the Shellmounds, uphold her nation's inherent right to sovereignty, and stand in solidarity with her Indigenous relatives to protect our sacred waters, mountains, and lands all over the world. Her life's work has led to the creation of Sogorea Te' Land Trust, a women-led organization within the urban setting of her ancestral territory of the Bay Area. Through the practices of rematriation, cultural revitalization, and land restoration, the Land Trust calls on Native and non-native peoples to heal and transform legacies of colonization, genocide, and to do the work our ancestors and future generations are calling us to do.

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Johnella LaRose

Co-founder and co-Director of Sogorea Te' Land Trust

Johnella LaRose (Shoshone Bannock, Ute and Carrizo tribes) is a lifelong activist. She is the Co-Founder of Indian People Organizing for Change, a grassroots organization that advocates for the Indigenous community. Johnella is a graduate of Mills College with a degree in Cultural Anthropology and Sociology.

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