



Member Announcements

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professional development

The Newfoundland & Labrador Association of Professional Planners is hosting their monthly “Planners Plate” webinar on November 5. The next session is titled *Natural Asset Management*. Roy Brooke, Executive Director of the Municipal Asset Management Initiative will be on hand to provide an overview of opportunities involving natural asset management. No registration required. Learn more [HERE](#).



Sustainability in Practice is a massive open online course offered by Engineers Canada and Polytechnique Montreal. The course uses real-life scenarios from across the country on practical application of Engineers Canada’s guideline on sustainable development and environmental stewardship. The course qualifies for PEGNL’s mandatory ethical practice component of the PD program. Register [HERE](#).



The Atlantic Infrastructure Management (AIM) Network will be hosting the Atlantic Asset Management Conference on October 28 and 29. Outlined in the [Conference Program](#), the event will feature sessions on climate change resilience, tools & implementation of asset management, real-world stories of success & challenges and networking opportunities. Register [HERE](#).



Engineers and Geoscientists BC is holding their annual conference from October 21 - October 23. Taking place virtually, the conference will feature over three dozen sessions in ten different professional development streams. Attendees will also have unlimited access to sessions after the event. Learn more or register for the event [HERE](#).



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The Newfoundland and Labrador Construction Association will be hosting a series of sessions in November on the Canadian Construction Documents Committee's upcoming changes to several key documents. The new versions of those documents will be published this winter and the series of courses aims to provide an overview of each and to inform attendees of key modifications. Learn more [HERE](#).



The Canadian Coalition for Women in Engineering, Science, Trades and Technology (CCWESTT) will be hosting their 18th Biannual Conference from November 12 - 14. This year, the national event will be held in a new online format and will feature four keynote speakers from an array of industries. Learn more or register at [the event website](#).



LAST CHANCE The Newfoundland & Labrador Construction Association is presenting an online session on the Mechanics' Lien Act. Richard Gosse from Cox & Palmer will provide an overview of processes and practical considerations of the Act for contractors in the province. Learn more or register [HERE](#).



Dr. Martin Batterson, P. Geo., will present a free online session titled *Coastal Change in Newfoundland & Labrador: A Handbook for Policy Makers and the Public*. The session aims to provide information on a study funded by the provincial government to provide increased accessibility of user-friendly information relevant to the province. Taking place on October 21, [registration for the session is required](#).



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other announcements

DEADLINE MONDAY Northwest Territories and Nunavut Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists (NAPEG) are currently looking for an Executive Director and Registrar. Based in Yellowknife, the position will see the successful candidate responsible for the administrative services of the organization and represent NAPEG in regional and national initiatives. To learn more about the position, click [HERE](#).



The 2020 Ritual of the Calling of an Engineer Ceremony (Otherwise known as the Iron Ring Ceremony) will be held virtually on October 17 at 2:00 p.m. Those who have graduated from MUN or another accredited Canadian undergraduate engineering program and who are a resident of Newfoundland & Labrador are eligible to apply. Learn more [HERE](#).



Engineers Canada has introduced a national survey on gender inclusivity in engineering workplaces. The results of the survey will be used to develop a guideline designed to increase participation of women in the engineering profession. Read more or find the survey [HERE](#).



The University of Windsor's Faculty of Engineering is providing free web-based workshops for students in grades 3 to 10. The sessions will take place on several Saturdays in October and November and will feature activities such as building a robotic arm, a roller coaster and an extended grabber, all out of common household items. To learn more or register, please click [HERE](#).

Our *Member Announcements* inform our license holders on professional development and general interest sessions, industry and PEGNL events, award recognition and volunteer opportunities which will improve and enhance the lives and careers of engineers and geoscientists in Newfoundland and Labrador.

We welcome you to email main@pegnl.ca with any feedback you may have.