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July 15, 2013

Dear DAWEG members:

Since becoming the Chair of DAWEG, I have been really busy representing you all.

The first major milestone was the APEGBC Women in Engineering and Geoscience Task Force Report. The task force, comprised of leaders in industry, academe, regulatory organizations, and crown corporations, met to identify and address the issues of recruitment and retention of women in engineering and geoscience ([more info](#)). I should add that all five motions, put forward to APEGBC's Council, were accepted. The report can be found on APEGBC's website: [click here](#)

Secondly, I would like to hold a member's roundtable discussion meeting where you as a member can provide input on what direction you would like DAWEG to move in and what initiatives you like DAWEG to tackle first. This meeting will most likely be held in August at with the opportunity to dial in for a conference call. In order to plan this, I'd like to ask all those that are interested in attending to email me at daweg.chair@gmail.com no later than July 28, 2013 so I can set up a meeting date. Please include in your email how you would like to attend (in person or via conference call), what evening time is best for you (6:00 pm or 6:30 pm), and what email address is best to reach you at. The day of the meeting will be determined after I hear from you.

Lastly, I would like to highlight the APEGA (Alberta) April 2013 edition of THE PEG, which featured an article on Women in the workplace (pages 55 to 60). The magazine can be accessed [here](#):

Additional event announcements can be found at the end of this email.

As always, I am eager to hear from you and look forward to your comments, suggestions, and feedback. Above all, I look forward to meeting you at our next member meeting.

Thank You,

Anja Lanz
DAWEG Chair

CCWESTT 2014 " May 22 - 24, 2014

Date: May 22 4 24, 2014

Theme: Open Opportunities: Mentoring the Future

Location: Regina, Saskatchewan

Website: [click here](#)

Details: Save the date! May 22-24, 2014

The Canadian Coalition for Women in Engineering, Science, Trades and Technology (CWESTT) Conference 2014 Organizing Committee is working hard to prepare for your arrival in Regina, May 22-24, 2014. We encourage you to consider coming a day early to participate in volunteer, cultural, and other fun activities weâ€™ve planned for delegates on May 21.

Our conference theme, Open Opportunities: Mentoring the Future reflects not only our hopes and dreams for the future, but also embodies a big Prairie sky full of possibilities with an unobstructed horizon.

We have a diverse and dynamic team that is excited to share with you a warm Prairie welcome. Please consider coming early for optional pre-conference special events and activities and join us for the big event itself â€“ the conference!

Our vision for CCWESTT 2014 is:

Working together to create open opportunities for women to choose and advance in science, engineering, trades and technology (SETT) by:

- Raising awareness to youth, educators, and diversity groups of the opportunities for women in SETT careers;
- Providing immediate and practical tools to empower, create, and explore a new status quo;
- Stimulating networking and mentoring opportunities.

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