



CANADIAN PROCESS CONTROL ASSOCIATION



CPCA ANNUAL GENERAL
MEETING
MAY 23 – 26, 2019
EASTERN TOWNSHIPS, QC

This year's AGM will be hosted at the majestic Chateau Bromont, located in a beautiful valley at the base of Mount Bromont in the Eastern Townships.



Senior process specialists will enjoy this spectacular lakeside retreat while participating in a series of activities and meetings designed to address challenges in the marketplace, learn how to adapt in an evolving industry and share best practices with their peers.

During the General Meeting, participants will learn about trends in the Canadian market, regulatory and academic liaison challenges and process-related events.

Delegates will also enjoy unwinding with peers through planned social activities and fine dining. As the CPCA's premier meeting, the AGM is a wonderful event not to be missed.

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Keynotes

Gary Gzik, CEO: Bizxcel “Screw Resiliency — Don't just survive, rock!”

With industry downturns, the accelerating pace of change and constantly evolving business practices, resiliency has become the golden child of business. No doubt a valuable quality in people, but should it be our end game? Resiliency isn't a never-ending spring we can drink from to protect ourselves. Even the most positive people will eventually become drained, stressed and discouraged, harming both them and the organization. The best organizations look past building mere resilient cultures to ones that inspire and energize employees. Yes, we all need to be prepared to be knocked around once in a while, but employees shouldn't be stepping into the ring each day at work. Leaders will learn how they can re-focus employees thinking, behaviours, and actions to help transform their cultures into spaces that allow them and others to thrive instead.



Gary is an international presenter, trainer, consultant and author who has been inspiring people and organizations for over 30 years. Gary has worked with hundreds of organizations and over 10,000 individuals through his training and consulting work in the areas of: leadership development, teambuilding, personal development, conflict resolution, train the trainer models, effective communication skills, strategic planning and customer service improvement.

Jayson Myers, Next Generation Manufacturing Canada: “Inspiring Innovation”

New technologies and platforms are rewiring the way we make things, inspiring better products and new industries. That’s advanced manufacturing.

Canada’s advanced manufacturing network is a constellation of industrial companies and start-ups, researchers and investors, government-funded labs and more. They use data to bring these assets together, promoting collaboration that unlocks new opportunities.

In 2017, the Government of Canada announced it would invest up to \$950 million in the Innovation Superclusters Initiative, challenging Canadian businesses of all sizes to collaborate with other innovation actors, including post-secondary and research institutions, to propose ambitious strategies that would transform regional economies and develop job-creating superclusters of innovation. Learn how you can be a part of it all.



NGM Canada is the organization responsible for directing and managing the federal government’s Advanced Manufacturing Supercluster.

Jayson Myers is the Chief Executive Officer of Next Generation Manufacturing Canada, an industry-led not-for-profit corporation dedicated to building world-class advanced manufacturing capabilities in Canada and the organization responsible for leading the federal government’s Advanced Manufacturing Supercluster initiative.

Chris Kincaid, Strategic Account Manager: CSA Group: “Incorporating Product Safety Certification & Compliance within your Digital Transformation Strategy”

Digital Transformation is the future of Industry and is being embraced by major manufacturers around the world. The Industrial Revolution is not just on the horizon, it is already here, and those that fail to evolve will be left behind. While building your Digital Transformation Strategy, don’t forget the importance of incorporating product safety certification and compliance to minimize roadblocks and project derailment.



Manufacturers and suppliers are challenged to ensure their equipment complies with local government, regulatory and international safety standards – a process that can be both lengthy and costly, and can vary from region to region. Not including product safety and compliance as a foundation for your Digital Transformation Strategy can lead to frustration and project delays, leaving your organization unprepared.

Solution: Speed to market matters and understanding how to access global markets quickly, without sacrificing equipment safety and quality, is the key to survival in today’s competitive international markets. Building a framework for Digital Transformation, with a focus on safety, will ensure that your organization remains at the forefront of the Industrial Revolution.

Chris joined CSA Group, a Nationally Recognized Testing Laboratory and globally recognized Testing, Inspection and Certification Body, 8 years ago, after a decade in manufacturing. He specializes in safety certification and testing services for industrial and hazardous locations (North America, ATEX, IECEx), and is the former Operations Manager for the CSA Dallas Lab. Chris helps his partners navigate the certification landscape in order to create a safer, more sustainable world.

Claude Trottier: President CEO: Brome Lake Ducks, “What the Duck?”

Take a trip back in time 100 years and learn how a small company in 1912 on the western shore of Brome Lake grew to be a world renowned producer of more than 2.2 million ducks per year. Today they are the oldest company specialized in the production of Peking ducks in Canada.

Ducks are migrating birds and it is natural for them to build fat, but that fat is much healthier than that of most other animals. Trottier launched a genetic selection program mixing local Peking ducks with others from Europe and Asia. The goal: more meat, less fat and great taste. With these advancements feed conversion rates and hatching rates also improved. The farm is now fully integrated. Eggs are laid and hatched at the hatchery at the main location in Knowlton and day-old ducklings are sent off in the company’s own trucks to be raised at the Racine farm or on contract with local farmers.

Diane Allan: President Measurement Canada, “Navigating the Certification Process”

Canadians participate in financial transactions involving measurement every day. Diane Allan will provide an overview of the mandate and services the agency delivers to help make sure businesses and consumers receive what they pay for.



CPCA Business Meeting:

- Updates on the Canadian process market
- CRN harmonization strategy
- Board of Director’s Election
- CPCA Committee Workshops

CRN Workshop

CPCA has been working with a coalition to strengthen it’s push to a national harmonization strategy. There has been recent involvement with the Provincial Territorial Advisory Committee (PTAC) and we are on track to have a reconciliation agreement in place shortly. Once the agreement is in place it will then go to each jurisdiction for their signing.

PTAC is finalizing some details including ensuring that the agreement includes the right level of detail. The discussions are leaning closer towards a mutual recognition model vs. a harmonization model. This would mean that each jurisdiction would not need to change its processes but that all signatories would each recognize the existing processes in other jurisdictions.

10/12 jurisdictions have currently endorsed the agreement. Endorsement means that the jurisdiction acknowledges that the agreement as it’s written satisfies the RCT’s criteria. This endorsement process provides jurisdictions an opportunity to tweak the language for clarity and consistency, but not in terms of the agreement’s fundamental aspects.

Join CPCA to have your voice count in this ground-breaking action!

Many thanks to our sponsors who make this event possible:



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Social Program:

The AGM is a truly unique opportunity to talk with fellow process leaders and form relationships in a casual environment. Networking is one of the key values to association membership.



Receptions and Private Dinners

There are countless opportunities to form new relationships with leaders in the process industry from across the country. From receptions and private dinners in gorgeous venues to social activities that invigorate the body as well as the mind this is the perfect opportunity to experience the majestic Eastern Townships of Quebec!

Agenda

THURSDAY, MAY 23	
2:00	CPCA Board of Director's Meeting (Directors only)
6:00	President's Reception, Quatre Canards, Chateau Bromont, Sponsored by IPP&T
7:30	Group Dinner, Quatre Canards, Chateau Bromont
FRIDAY, MAY 24	
8:00	Breakfast for delegates in Les Cantons
8:45	Members - CPCA Annual General Meeting Welcome & Intro
9:00	Speaker 1: Gary Gzik, "Screw Resiliency, Don't Just Survive, Rock!"
10:30	Break
10:45	Speaker 2: Jay Myers, "Supercluster Initiative"
12:00	Networking Lunch, Sponsored by Evans Consoles
1:30	CPCA Business Meeting
2:30	Break
2:45	Speaker 3: Chris Kincaid, Strategic Account Manager: CSA Group
4:00	CPCA Workshops
6:30	Group Dinner in town
Spousal Activity:	
10:00	Spa and Lunch: Chateau Bromont
SATURDAY, MAY 25	
8:00	Members and Spouses – Breakfast in Quatre Canards
9:00	General Interest / Technical Sessions Speaker 4: Claude Trottier, "History of Bromont Ducks"
10:00	Break
10:15	Speaker 5: Diane Allan, President Measurement Canada
11:30	Boxed lunches provided for golfers
1:00	Annual Golf Tournament, Chateau Bromont, Sponsored by IPP&T
1:00	Alternate Activity for non-golfers: historical walking tour and lunch in town
6:30	Closing Dinner, Les Cantons, Chateau Bromont
SUNDAY, MAY 26	
10:00 a.m.	Cycling tour (two levels) with lunch

Accommodations

Chateau Bromont
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Room Rate: \$154

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Annual Golf Tournament



Designed by renowned architects Howard Watson and Graham Cook, the golf course, resting in a spectacular setting, offers a challenge to any golfer, beginner or seasoned. Moments of perfection between friends and colleagues await you.

Prizes for CPCA's annual tournament will be awarded including longest drive and closest to the pin. Our thanks to IPP&T for sponsoring this event.



Spousal Program

Delegates are encouraged to bring their spouse to make it a truly unforgettable event. Spouses will participate in an activity on Friday to let them get to know one another in a casual environment.

This year spouses will enjoy the onsite Amerispa that offers the benefits of the thermal experience as well as a full range of care including a Hamman (steam room), steam bath, hydromassage stations, massage therapy & beauty treatments, manicures, pedicures and much more. There will be a group lunch as well.

Historical Walking Tour

Discover the old Village of Bromont. Going back to the more than modest origins of the village, you will travel through time, from 1793 to today. Experience the rich history of the old village of Bromont, formerly West-Shefford, as well as buildings, people and anecdotes that will make you better acquainted with the village. The voices embodying the first settlers tell you the birth of the village, the history of the church bells, by the saddler and his violin... To that of the blacksmith and the cemetery cross.



Bromont has been able to preserve its buildings, its stories, its ambiance and its little secrets that you will discover one by one. We will end the afternoon with a visit to Bromont Ducks, home of the morning's keynote speaker.

Cycling Tour



Participants will get to experience the spectacular countryside with a tour guide. There will be two levels, one being a mostly flat course at an easy pace, the other a slightly hilly mix of pavement and dirt roads.

Both groups will meet at Boulangerie Canael for lunch before heading back to the hotel. All gear will be provided.

NOTES

1. Members will be responsible for paying for their own room accounts, taxes & incidentals.
2. The Association will cover the cost of some items (i.e. tours, green fees, meals, etc.), which will be billed to members following the conference. Members are billed based on those activities in which they participate only!
3. In order to ensure that we have space for you, please return your registration form, with deposit of \$300, to the CPCA office. Payments can be made by cheque or online [here](#)
4. Due to the adult nature of the conference, children are not allowed to attend the group dinners. Children under 18 cannot participate in the social activities due to insurance issues.
5. Note: some aspects of the program may change prior to the event.
6. Complete registration on next page to indicate preferences.

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____

Company: _____

E-Mail: _____

My spouse will attend: _____ Yes _____ No

Spouse's Name: _____

Dietary Restrictions: _____

Accommodations

_____ Please book Thursday through Sunday

_____ Please book these specific days

_____ Please indicate any dietary restrictions

Activities / Meals: (Costs for optional events include meals, transportation, gratuities and guides. Selected beverages included unless indicated otherwise)

Thursday:

_____ Reception _____ Dinner

Friday:

Lunch / Spa: _____ Spa Service

Evening: _____ Dinner

Saturday:

Afternoon: Golf Tournament (\$75) _____ Yes _____ Spouse

 Club rentals required _____ Yes _____ Spouse

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Non-Golfers: _____ Historic Walking Tour / Lunch (\$80)

Evening: _____ Dinner

Sunday: _____ Cycling Tour with Lunch (Easier course) (\$125)

 _____ Cycling Tour with Lunch (Challenging course) (\$125)