

# Inter-society alliances

**CAGC**  
Canadian Association of Geophysical Contractors

**SEG**  
Society of Exploration Geophysicists

**CSPG**  
Canadian Society of Petroleum Geologists

**CAPL**  
Canadian Association of Petroleum Landmen

**CAPP**  
Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers

**EAGE**  
European Assoc. of Geoscientists & Engineers

**APEGA**  
Association of Professional Engineers, Geoscientists of Alberta

**CWLS**  
Canadian Well Logging Society

Back up for President and any other executive.

## Chief Geophysicists Forum

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**CFES** Canadian Federation of Earth Sciences Board

Rotational roles for incoming Vice-Presidents will serve for a 3 year period for consistency and alignment with the Foundation, the GeoConvention Board and CFES

## GeoConvention

The governing Board to which the annual convention committee reports to, is made up of 7 members of which 3 are appointed by the CSEG

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## CSEG Foundation

CSEG Executive representative to ensure strategic alliance for the CSEG and Foundation.

## Personnel

This group, comprised of the President (Chair), the Vice President and the Past President, of the society are responsible for the selection, performance and evaluation of the societies employees and contracted office staff.

## CSEG Nominations Committee

Chartered with identifying and approaching members within the society to run for positions on the CSEG Executive, this committee is responsible for offering a full field of candidates annually to serve on the Executive. Additional candidates can be nominated by the membership. President to Chair.

## Governance and Strategy

Bylaws, strategy planning and review

## CSEG GeoConvention

Oversee CSEG GeoConvention Board

## New Initiatives Committee

Development of new revenue generating ideas

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## Past-Presidents Luncheon

This event is an opportunity to provide an update of the societies affairs to the numerous Past-President of the society in a more social setting. Ensuing discussion offers further guidance and varied perspective for the current Executive

**John Duhault**  
President

**Alyssa Middleton**  
Admin Support Services

**Ron Newman**  
Vice-President

**Jim Racette**  
Managing Director

**Elizabeth Atkinson**  
Director of Communication

**Graziella Grech**  
Director of Education Services

## Digital Media

The committee's main focus is to ensure that the CSEG website maintains a schedule of current activities and is user friendly and E-newsletter notifications.

## RECORDER Publication

Publishing seven editions each year, this committee is charged with providing a world class publication to our members. The RECORDER is the principal medium for the communication of geophysical topics of interest and issues within the society.

## Canadian Journal of Exploration Geophysics

An online peer reviewed journal encompassing all aspects of research, exploration and education in applied geophysics

**Shannon Bjarnason**  
Assistant Director of Communication

**Geoff Fraser**  
Assistant Director of Education Services

## Continuing Education

Focused upon our current membership, this committee endeavours to identify topics of interest to our membership and deliver informative, professional educational experiences through a wide range of venues and events. The planning and work required to organise and stage these events is performed by specific committees or dedicated individuals as required, and includes Lecture tours, SEG DISC, convention workshops, Symposium, Doodletrain, MUG and VIG.

## Technical Luncheons

The Society holds ten monthly technical luncheons per year.

## Awards Determined

Best Luncheon Presentation is presented annually in February of the following year.

## Best Paper Award

The following awards are presented annually:

- Best Convention Paper
- Best Recorder Paper
- Best Luncheon Paper

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**2017 - 2018**

**Karen Chong**  
Director of Member Services

**Neda Boroumand**  
Director of Finance

## Volunteer Appreciation

Coordination with the many CSEG, CSEG Foundation, and the committees and subcommittees to annually recognize all the volunteers efforts.

## Ambassador Program

The CSEG Ambassador Program is a national program sponsored by CSEG. It aims to promote the CSEG and grow the geophysical community across the country through a variety of events, including but not restricted to the Canadian Distinguished Lecture tour. The target audience is the CSEG membership including professionals, universities and students, local geoscientists who are non-CSEG members, other geoscience societies

## Emerging Professionals Program

The Emerging Professionals Program (EPP) is an initiative by the CSEG and the CSEG Foundation to provide learning opportunities to CSEG members.

<http://cseg.ca/resources/emer-g-professionals-program>  
Including  
**Junior Geophysicists Forum/Mentor Program**  
An annual social networking event aimed at helping young geophysicists  
<http://cseg.ca/social/jgf/>,  
<http://cseg.ca/students/geophysicists-mentorship-program>

**Volunteer Appreciation Event** – to thank all of the dedicated volunteers.  
**Ski Spree**  
[www.csegskispreecan.com](http://www.csegskispreecan.com)

**Doodlespiel**  
[www.doodlespiel.com](http://www.doodlespiel.com)

**T-Wave Golf Tournament**  
<http://cseg.ca/social/t-wave-golftournament>

**WISE Golf Tournament**  
(Women in Seismic)  
[www.cseg.ca/social/wise-golftournament](http://www.cseg.ca/social/wise-golftournament)

**Road Race & Fun Run**  
<http://cseg.ca/social/road-race-fun-run>

**Doodlebug**  
[www.doodlebugof.ca](http://www.doodlebugof.ca)

**Rebecca Daniels**  
Assistant Director of Member Services

**David Shorey**  
Assistant Director of Finance

**Marian Hanna**  
Past-President

The Finance Director is responsible for overseeing the financial operations of the Society, including compiling the annual operating budget for Board approval. Results are monitored and reported to the Executive on a monthly basis throughout the year and recommendations to improve the financial position of the Society are made for Board consideration. Financial information is provided by the CSEG Managing Director and communicated through financial statements that are prepared and managed by the CSEG accountant, Associations Plus. Other responsibilities include monitoring and reporting to the Board upon the status of investments and advising on reinvestments as required.

**CSEG Foundation**  
This committee is responsible for promoting the geophysical discipline by providing student scholarships and other educational funding related to the practice of geophysics.

## Honours & Awards

The Past-President (Chair) is charged with identifying candidates worthy of Meritorious Service, Honorary Membership and the CSEG Medal awards. Varied criteria exist that govern bestowing these awards upon any individual within our membership. Committee consists of Past President and immediate two past Presidents. Board votes unanimously and unanimously for these awards.

**Presidents Advisory Council**  
Consisting of the last ten Past-Presidents of the society or a selected advisory group of Past Presidents. This group offers guidance and advice to the current President and Vice President of the society. This group offers historical perspective and seasoned insight upon issues being brought forward and discussed.

## Legend

- Non-Voting Capacities
- Inter-Societal Relations
- Responsibilities
- Voting Board Members

## CSEG Council

Council consists of officers, officers-elect, Past-President, section representatives (if any) and the Editors. The council is considered the overall governing body of the society. Council traditionally meets immediately prior to the Annual General Meeting of the CSEG.