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# AtlanTECH news



the technology professionals newsletter

of New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and Newfoundland

*Les spécialistes de la technologie au Nouveau-Brunswick*

## 40 years of certified success

Annual General Meeting / 10:00 am

Assemblée générale annuelle - Saturday, April 26, 2008

and, the NBSCETT/SttagN-B Presidents Awards Luncheon -

at the Ramada MotorHotel, Fredericton

Members and Friends Reception Friday evening, April 25, 2008.

Saturday luncheon tickets \$35.00/ea - details, see page 15.

luncheon tickets must be purchased in advance from NBSCETT.



## 40 années de Succès Agréé



ACETTPEI Annual General Meeting will be Thursday, April 24th, 2008 at Rodd Royalty Hotel, Charlottetown. Members are asked to register

attendance before April 11th; registration forms available: [info@acettpei.ca](mailto:info@acettpei.ca).

Members Meeting at 5:30 pm; reception/dinner at 6:15 pm.

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# MEET 2008

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### Skills Canada New Brunswick Competition

MEET 2008 will once again host the Plumbing and Electrical Wiring portions of the Skills Canada New Brunswick Competitions (Compétences Canada N.-B.). These competitions bring students together from across New Brunswick to complete projects which will be judged based on skills and accuracy. These industry related contests are an incredible display of hands-on expertise, talent, and determination showcasing the many promising futures to be found in trades and technology. [www.skillscanada.nb.ca](http://www.skillscanada.nb.ca)



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Wednesday, May 7 • 10am – 6pm

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The New Brunswick Engineering Technology Act (July 1986) states it is an offence for anyone who is not a full member of the Society to use the titles in any form: Certified Engineering Technician/Technologist, Certified Technician, Applied Science Technologist, Professional Technologist, or the like of: CET, CTech, ASCT or PTech. Someone may mistakenly use a protected title, or possibly a non-member continues to display a Society wall certificate, or wear a Technology ring after being struck from the registry, giving the impression they're certified. When no longer a member, certificates and all other identifying items must be returned. For reporting details call Society office.

# EXPLORE MY FUTURE ENTREPRENDIS TON AVENIR



## EXPLORE MY FUTURE CAREER AWARENESS EXPOS ARE CONTINUING TO GROW!

NBSCETT and its members assist in promoting careers in trades and technology fields.

Students and career information seekers can discover a world of opportunities; including:

- Careers that interest them
- The educational path to reach that career
- The practical steps they can take now to prepare for future studies and employment.

## SHARE YOUR EXPERTISE WITH NB STUDENTS SO THEY CAN MAKE A WISE CAREER CHOICE



**LES SALONS SUR LES CARRIÈRES ENTREPRENDIS TON AVENIR CONTINUENT À GRANDIR!** Stagg-NB et ses membres nous aident à promouvoir les carrières dans les domaines des métiers et les carrières en technologie. Les expo carrières *Entreprends ton avenir* permettent aux

étudiants et aux chercheurs d'information sur les carrières de déterminer :

- quelles carrières les intéressent
- la formation nécessaire
- les étapes pratiques à suivre maintenant pour se préparer à faire des études complémentaires et à exercer la profession voulue.

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**AGREEMENT OF RECIPROCITY BETWEEN  
THE AMERICAN COUNCIL FOR CONSTRUCTION EDUCATION (ACCE)  
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND  
THE CANADIAN TECHNOLOGY ACCREDITATION BOARD (CTAB) OF THE  
CANADIAN COUNCIL OF TECHNICIANS AND TECHNOLOGISTS (CCTT)**

***Background***

This Agreement of Reciprocity between the American Council for Construction Education (ACCE) and the Canadian Technology Accreditation Board (CTAB) of the Canadian Council of Technicians and Technologists (CCTT) is for the mutual recognition of construction education program accreditation. This agreement is the culmination of a period of evaluation by both parties embracing:

- Academic standards comparability
- Exchange of procedural information
- Reciprocal observation of accreditation visits

***The Agreement***

The American Council for Construction Education agrees to recognize post-secondary building construction technology diploma programs accredited by the Canadian Technology Accreditation Board as equivalent to construction education baccalaureate degree programs accredited by ACCE and building construction technician diploma programs accredited by CTAB as equivalent to construction education associate degree programs accredited by ACCE.

The CTAB agrees to recognize construction education baccalaureate degree programs accredited by ACCE as equivalent to post-secondary building construction technology diploma programs accredited by CTAB and construction education associate degree programs accredited by ACCE as equivalent to building construction technician diploma programs accredited by CTAB.

This Agreement covers the programs already accredited by both bodies and those to be accredited or re-accredited in the future.

***Maintenance of Accreditation Standards/Requirements***

During the period of this agreement, the following steps will be taken to ensure that accreditation standards/requirements are maintained:

The ACCE will provide the CTAB with:

- Copies of all reports to and from the Council for Higher Education (CHEA) and the United States Department of Education with respect of the accredited status of ACCE
- Copies of changes to ACCE accreditation standards, criteria, forms and processes
- An annual ACCE report
- Accredited program details as required

The CTAB will provide the ACCE with:

- Copies of all changes to CTAB accreditation requirements, criteria, forms and processes
- An annual CTAB report
- Accredited program details as required.

***Continuing Equivalence***

Continuing equivalence will be monitored annually by the Board of Trustees of ACCE and the Board of CCTT through the exchange of reports. A full observer accreditation visit will be conducted every five years.

***Termination of Agreement***

Termination of the Agreement may arise through:

- Mutual agreement
- 12 month notice by either party
- Failure to agree to continuing equivalence
- Breach of the Agreement or refusal to perform

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## ENTREPRENDIS TON AVENIR EXPLORE MY FUTURE



### Do you love your career?

#### Would you consider telling others about it?

Explore My Future is looking for new members for its career awareness speakers bureau.

In 2002, *Explore my Future* career awareness expos were created so that students and career information seekers could discover:

- Careers that interest them,
- The educational path to reach that career and,
- The practical steps they can take now to prepare for future studies and employment.

Now, guidance counselors and other career professionals are telling us that they would like to have access to people in various career fields who are willing to discuss their career with students and other job seekers.

Join us!

Explore My Future welcomes individuals, from a variety of career fields, to share insights about their personal career development. Speakers will have an opportunity to discuss their career, how and why they chose it and what they did to prepare.

Members of our Speakers Bureau are not obligated to accept any speaking request, and are able to discuss the details with the counselor making the request before accepting. There is no charge to participate in the Speakers Bureau. Speakers should be aware that presentations to non-profit organizations or school related presentations are normally done without financial compensation.

If you would be interested in becoming part of this Provincial Speaker's Bureau, please send a note to the person or association that shared this with you. They will contact Explore My Future to see about the possibility of you becoming a speaker. The on-line registration process is easy and should take only a few minutes on your computer.

### Aimez-vous votre profession?

#### Voudriez-vous en parler à d'autres?

*Entreprends ton avenir* recherche de nouveaux membres pour son répertoire de conférenciers sur la sensibilisation aux carrières.

Les expo-carrières *Entreprends ton avenir* ont été créées en 2002 pour permettre aux étudiants et aux chercheurs d'information sur les carrières de déterminer :

- quelles carrières les intéressent,
- la formation nécessaire, et
- les étapes pratiques à suivre maintenant pour se préparer à faire des études complémentaires et à exercer la profession voulue.

Les conseillers en orientation et autres professionnels de la carrière nous font savoir qu'ils aimeraient avoir accès à des personnes exerçant diverses professions et qui seraient disposées à discuter de la leur avec les étudiants et autres chercheurs d'emploi.

Joignez-vous à nous!

*Entreprends ton avenir* accueille avec grand plaisir la participation de personnes exerçant diverses professions et qui désirent partager leurs idées relativement à leur propre développement professionnel. Les conférenciers discuteront de leur carrière, de la façon dont ils l'ont choisie et de ce qu'ils ont fait pour s'y préparer. Chacun a une histoire à raconter et les Néo-Brunswickois désirent les entendre.

Si vous êtes intéressé, veuillez envoyer une note à la personne ou à l'organisation qui vous a fait prendre connaissance de la présente. Elles communiqueront avec *Entreprends ton avenir* afin d'évaluer la possibilité de vous compter parmi ses orateurs. Le processus d'inscription est simple et ne devrait prendre que quelques minutes sur votre ordinateur. Rien ne vous oblige à accepter une quelconque demande de conférence et vous serez en mesure de discuter des détails d'une allocution avec le conseiller qui a présenté la demande avant de l'accepter. La participation au bureau des orateurs est gratuite; ces derniers doivent toutefois être informés que les allocutions faites à l'intention des organisations sans but lucratif ou des écoles le sont généralement à titre gracieux.

# ***Your advertising message here.....***

Dear Advertising / Marketing Manager;

An excellent opportunity for your organization, especially in the current economic climate ***when you want your message to go as efficiently and effectively directly to your audience market***, is the member direct AtlanTECH news. You are encouraged to give careful attention to this excellent advertising opportunity for your organization, considering the display advertising in the 4,000 plus circulation, is read by the decision makers of the applied science and engineering technology team communities throughout Atlantic Canada. The AtlanTECH news is the member publication for the NBSCETT, the Association of Certified Engineering Technicians and Technologists of Prince Edward Island (ACETTPEI), and TechNova (Society of Certified Engineering Technicians and Technologists of Nova Scotia -SCETTNS). Besides being distributed to the certified technology professional members, this publication is also read by related associations' members and business leaders across the Maritimes and Canada, as well as in community colleges and libraries.

The AtlanTECH news features articles on the milestones of the maritime associations, member profiles, reports of the Canadian Council of Technicians and Technologists (CCTT) and Canadian Technology Accreditation Board (CTAB) activities, as well as a review of the various Society's meeting, By-Law amendments, photos and consumer benefit information.

Display advertising rates for the quarterly AtlanTECH:

business card size - \$150.00	1/4 page - \$225.00	1/3 page - \$275.00
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( advertising is not printed on the front cover )		
inside back cover \$750.00	inside front cover \$850.00	outside back cover \$965.00

Page size is 19 cm X 25.5 cm.

All prices are net; and NBSCETT does not charge PST or GST.

AtlanTECH advertising electronic submission deadlines: September 05, November 05, February 05, May 20.

Should you have any questions or wish to discuss your particular advertising needs (colour; irregular size; etc.), and insertion in the quarterly AtlanTECH newsletter, do not hesitate to call at your earliest convenience.

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## Golf Atlantic Expo moves to Moncton

Golf Atlantic Expo, Atlantic Canada's only consumer golf show which is owned and managed by the National Golf Course Owners Association Canada – Atlantic Chapter, has a new home. The Dundee SportsDome is a 48,000 sq. ft. state of the art golf and soccer facility in the heart of the City of Moncton and is the new location for the show which will take place over the weekend of April 11th – 13th. "After a 5-year stay in Halifax, moving the show to Moncton was a difficult decision" states David McCafferty, Show Manager and Regional Director for the NGCOA. "The final decision to make the move was based on Moncton being the hub of the Maritimes and with this being the only consumer show in Atlantic Canada, our hope is to draw in attendees from a much wider geographical area." The Dundee SportsDome is a perfect location to host an event such as this because it operates year round as a golf facility and has a very unique golf atmosphere. The show provides the opportunity for attendees to "test drive" the newest equipment from leading golf club manufacturers, check out some great sales at the 2000 sq.ft. Nevada Bob's retail store and just be around other golfers. Long Drive, Closest to the Hole and a Putting contest where someone will putt for a \$25,000 prize are always favorites, and this year a Skills Competition will run all weekend with fabulous prizes awarded. This year's grand prize is a trip to the Canadian Women's Open being held in Ottawa from April 11th – 17th. One lucky attendee will win (2) passes to the event along with Via Rail transportation from Moncton and (4) nights accommodations at the Ottawa Marriott hotel. Saturday is Kids day at the show with lots of handouts and activities taking place.

For more information on what is happening at Golf Atlantic Expo including show hours and admission prices, check out our website at – [www.golfatlanticexpo.ca](http://www.golfatlanticexpo.ca)

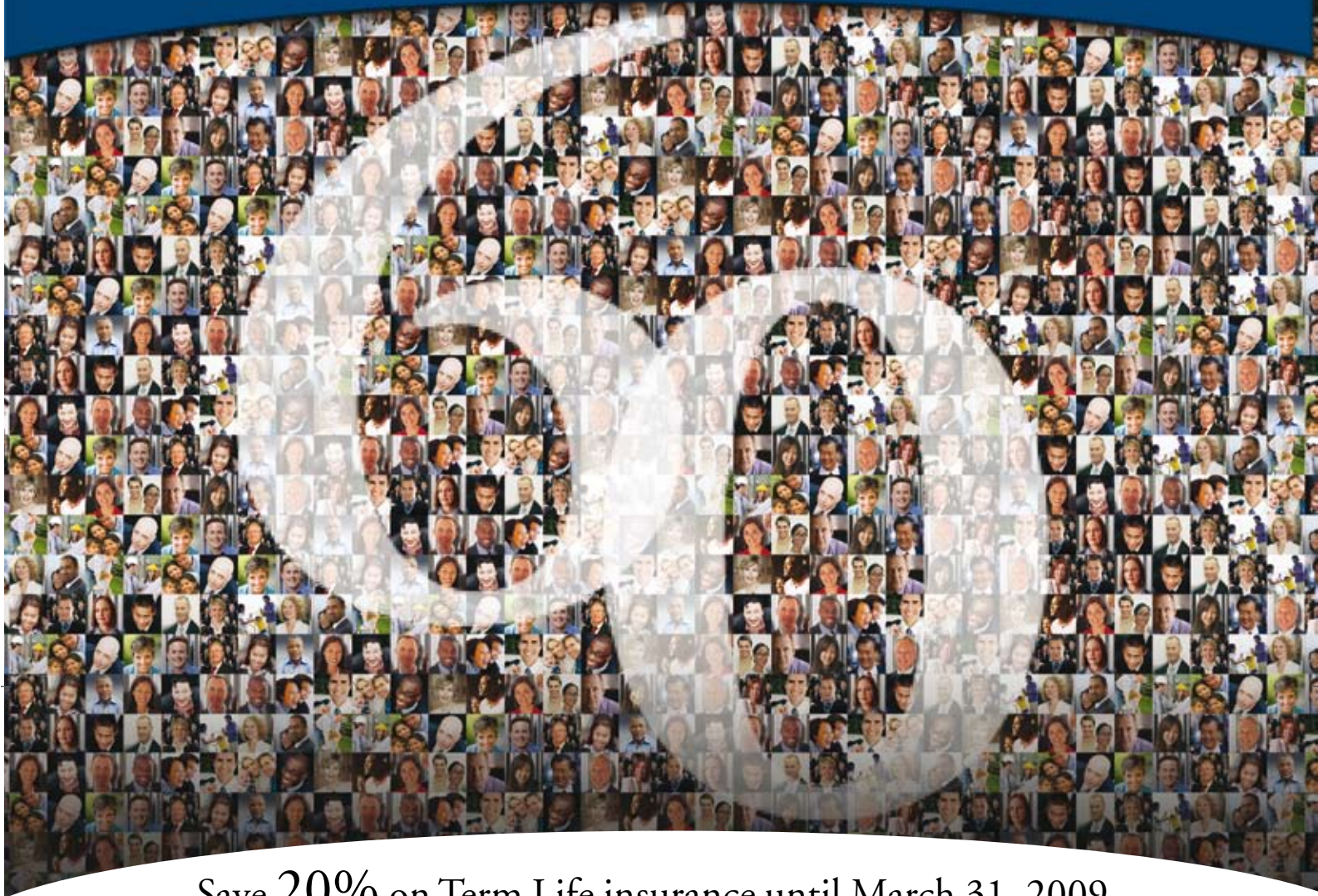


Have you been looking for a new incentive to offer your employees which will benefit their health and wellness? Golf is a recreational activity which can be enjoyed by men and women of all ages and here is an opportunity for your staff to learn about the game "free of charge". The 2008 golf season is right around the corner and through the combined efforts of the Atlantic Chapter of the National Golf Course Owners Association Canada and the Atlantic Zone of the Canadian Professional Golfers Association; business owners will have the opportunity to have golf professionals come to your place of business and provide an introductory session on the game of golf to your employees absolutely "free of charge". This will be followed up with some on course instruction once the courses open up in the spring which again will be provided absolutely "free of charge". Only a limited number of businesses can be accommodated, so act now. For more information contact: David McCafferty, Director Atlantic Public Golf Program Tel: (506) 451-6201; Fax: (506) 451-6202 E-Mail: david@apgp.ca Web: www.apgp.ca





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# National Technology BENCHMARKS



# CRITÈRES technologiques nationaux

## CCTT Launches Canada's New National Technology Benchmarks

The Canadian Council of Technicians and Technologists (CCTT), in partnership with the National Council of Deans of Technology (NCDOT), today announced the launch of Canada's new National Technology Benchmarks (NTB). These new outcomes-based requirements for national accreditation and certification officially took effect on January 1 2008. The National Technology Benchmarks comprise a series of requirements against which private and public educational institutions across Canada will now be measured in the delivery of engineering technology programs. In effect, an accredited program offered in Corner Brook, NL, can now effectively be assessed with the same requirements as an accredited program offered by an institution in Victoria, BC. The benchmarks provide an effective and comprehensive measure of the skill sets and capabilities of graduate applied science and engineering technologists across Canada.

According to CCTT's Executive Director, Yaroslav Zajac, the implementation of the NTB represents "a major step forward for CCTT offering significant advantages for employers, provincial certification boards and educational agencies." The new benchmarks were developed through an inclusive and collaborative consultation process involving over 100 subject matter experts that consisted of company representatives, program advisory committees and education professionals. The National Technology Benchmarks represent a significant advancement in the accreditation process allowing educational institutions to enhance their programs and to obtain invaluable feedback as to the significance of their curriculum. They will, in turn, be able to offer a better product to students and gain a competitive edge in the post-secondary marketplace. Provincial registrars will also utilize the new benchmarks for certification.

Over the coming months CCTT/CTAB will undertake an ambitious program to facilitate the implementation of the new benchmarks. Activities include the following project milestones:

January 2008	Documents posted to <a href="http://www.ntb.cctt.ca">www.ntb.cctt.ca</a>
February 2008	Work to begin on the development of Technician level criteria
March 2008	Regional information/training sessions planned
	Indicators of Performance published for accreditation & certification use
May 2008	Approval by NCDOT/CCTT of Technician level requirements
June 2008	First national accreditations scheduled in Ontario

The National Technology Benchmark document is available online at no cost at [www.ntb.cctt.ca](http://www.ntb.cctt.ca). For further information, please contact I.J. LeBlond at 1-800-891-1140 x224.

### ***About The Canadian Council of Technicians and Technologists***

CCTT is national organization representing provincial associations who grant and maintain the certification of individual technicians and technologists. More than 53,000 members of CCTT's provincial associations rely on CCTT as their national advocate on issues such as pan-Canadian technology benchmarks, national and international mobility, and national accreditation of technology programs. CCTT establishes and maintains national competency benchmarks for certifying members with professional designations in 14 applied science and engineering technology disciplines including: bioscience, building, chemical, civil, electrical, electronics, forestry, geomatics, industrial, information technology, instrumentation, mechanical, mining, and petroleum. For further information on the Canadian Council of Technicians and Technologists visit our website at [www.cctt.ca](http://www.cctt.ca).

For more information contact: Rick Tachuk at 613-293-5250, or e-mail [rtachuk@cctt.ca](mailto:rtachuk@cctt.ca)



# A NEW AND UNIQUE IDENTITY THEFT PROTECTION

One of the most precious possessions a person can lose is their identity – such as when someone steals their social insurance number or other identification, and uses it to establish credit accounts, secure loans, sign contracts or even commit crimes. This is known as identity theft, a crime that is constantly evolving as thieves develop new methods and means of attack.

For the victims, re-establishing bank, credit and legal records and restoring their good name can take anywhere from a few hours to several hundred hours resulting in the loss of valuable time.

That is why we are offering members of your organization a new identity theft insurance coverage, Identity Plus, with a unique case management approach.

## WHAT IS CASE MANAGEMENT?

From the moment a client reports an ID theft to us, an ID Recovery Case Manager will take charge of their account and help them recover control over their personal identity. The Case Manager will contact authorities, credit bureaus, creditors and businesses, initiate the restoration process and issue reimbursements for expenses.

There are other programs in the market that offer advice or information on how to restore identity, or will work alongside an identity theft victim. At the present time, TD Meloche Monnex is the first one that helps victims by actually doing the restoration work on their behalf.

Investigation is handled by Kroll, the world's leading risk consulting company. With offices in more than 60 cities

worldwide, Kroll owns more information and security resources than any other company, and is experienced in providing services to affinity partners. It is the only company of its kind to employ experienced licensed investigators with thousands of hours of the hands-on understanding that is required to methodically restore an individual's identity.

Investigators are also able to search for fraudulent or criminal activity the client may not be aware of, such as an unknown address affiliated with their Social Insurance Number or fraudulent activity in their bank accounts. They keep up with new methods of attack by constantly monitoring criminal activity and systems response.

## WHAT IS COVERED?

Identity theft insurance covers notary fees; postage; fees for new loan applications; long distance telephone charges; wage loss for absence from work up to \$5,000 per claim; legal fees to deal with lawsuits by merchants or collection agencies, to re-establish a credit rating, or to erase civil or criminal files.

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## Partners Building Futures

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Funded through the Pan Canadian Innovation Initiatives program, this project is being conducted in three regions of New Brunswick; Fredericton, Moncton and Saint John.

The overall goal of the project is to prepare and assist female participants who are seeking careers in skilled trades.

The 2008 classes pictured here were held at the NBCC-Saint John



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## **The APEGNB**

**(Assoc. of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of New Brunswick)  
- Fredericton Branch**

**Presents**

### **" Mr. Buzz Hargrove: The State of the Automobile Industry "**

Location: Delta Hotel, Woodstock Rd., Fredericton

Date: Thursday, April 17th, 2008

Time: 7 pm to 9 pm ( cash bar & refreshments)



**Please RSVP by April 10th to:**

Tammy Paradis: Tammy.Paradis@gnb.ca or call: (506) 453-5647

Mr. Buzz Hargrove is the National President of the Canadian Auto Workers Union and a person who has extensive experience in regards to the automotive industry. Mr. Hargrove will speak to our audience on the current status of this industry and the related social and economic impacts, with a question and answer period to follow.

<http://www.apegnb.ca/>

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## **National Survey Of Technicians And Technologists**

The 2008 national survey of Engineers and Engineering Technicians and Technologists will provide important information on trends that affect all members. The results will guide your professional organization on the policies, and programs, that will strengthen our profession and support you in your career.

This survey is co-sponsored by Engineers Canada and the Canadian Council of Technicians and Technologists (CCTT); and results will be published later this year.

***Your participation in this survey is important.***

It will require about 20 minutes.



[www.engineeringemployeesurvey.com](http://www.engineeringemployeesurvey.com)





**Annual General Meeting / 10:00 am  
Assemblée générale annuelle  
Saturday, April 26, 2008**

**and,**

**the**

**NBSCETT/SttagN-B**

**Presidents Awards Luncheon -**

***Featuring:***

***presentation of 25 year,***

***and 40 year certificates;***

***new member 'swearing in';***

***announcing Member Of The Year;***

***Presidents Award recipient;***

***and, introduction of new Council members.***

***Saturday luncheon tickets \$35.00/ea***

***luncheon tickets must be purchased in advance from Society office.***

***Members and Friends Reception Friday evening, April 25, 2008.***

***all at the Ramada MotorHotel, Fredericton***



## CONGRATULATIONS

Colpitts Developments  
on taking home the top award.

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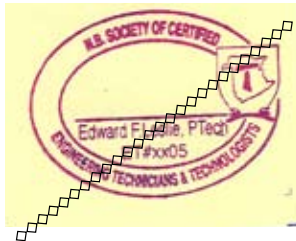
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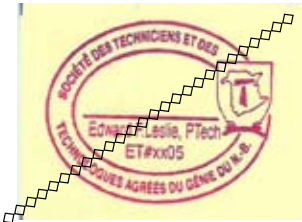


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