

**Canadian Technical
Asphalt Association**



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**JOIN US at our
2008 CONFERENCE
Saskatoon, SK
November 17-19, 2008**



(photo courtesy of Toursim
Saskatoon)

Membership/Proceedings Info

Membership

Member who did not pay their 2008 dues by July 31, 2008 are now delinquent and their names have been placed on the delinquent members' list. As such they are not eligible for the 2008 Conference discount or for receipt of a copy of the 2008 Proceedings. Also, their names will not appear in the list of members to be published in the Proceedings. However, if 2008 dues are paid before September 30, 2008, their names will be reinstated on the membership list for purposes of conference discount, they will be issued a set of Proceedings, and their names will be printed in the membership list appearing in the Conference booklet.



*The Delta Bessborough Hotel
- "Castle on the River"*

2008 CTAA Conference

The 2008 Conference is being held at the Delta Bessborough November 16-19, 2008. The program planned for this year should be most interesting and thought provoking. The Canadian Technical Asphalt Association exists for these conferences and the Proceedings generated therefrom. The Local Arrangements Committee has

been planning the entire program for over two years and look forward to entertaining a large number of existing members, new members and guests. Please support your Association by attending the 2008 Conference in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. Check our website at www.ctaa.ca and click on Conference for conference news and updates.

We have included in this mailing a conference registration form, a hotel registration form, a 2009/10 Nomination Form, and a ballot with the self-addressed reply envelope. **New this year**, we have added a course to be held on the Saturday (see page 4 for details). A registration form is included. We have also included a General Call for Papers for the 2009 Conference in Moncton, New Brunswick.

Election of Officers

In accordance with By-Law Article 6.3, a list of candidates proposed for election by the Nominating Committee was mailed to all members. The list of the sitting Board members and nominees follows:

President

Art Johnston

1st Vice-President

Kelly Carrick

2nd Vice-President

Michel Paradis

British Columbia

Ken Fyvie

Prairies

Ania Anthony - Nominee
Hugh Donovan - Nominee
Robert Forfyflow - Nominee

Ontario

Keith MacInnis

Québec

Alan Carter - Nominee
Stéphane Trudeau - Nominee

Atlantic Provinces

Stephen Yeo

Past President

Yves Thériault

Past Past President

Chuck McMillan

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BALLOTS

Ballots and a return envelope have been included with this newsletter which we would appreciate receiving back at the CTAA office not later than **October 15, 2008**.

Election of Officers 2008 NOMINEES

2nd Vice President - By Acclamation



Michel Paradis

Education:

1994 – M.Sc., Civil Engineering,
Geology, Laval University,
Québec
1992 – P. Eng., Geological
Engineering, UQAC, Québec

Work Experience:

1999 – Ministère des Transports du Québec (MTQ); Head of Asphalt Sector.
1997-1999 - Quebec Road Builders Association (ACRGTQ)
Asphalt and concrete specifications, training and education, water cleansing, concrete and snow committees.
1994-1997 - Laboratory supervisor,
Genilab BSLG

Membership and Related Activities:

Member, CTAA for 8 years
1st vice-chair, CUPGA (2003-2004)
Member, PIARC (World Road Association) Committee C4.3 Road Pavements
Member, Local Arrangements Committee 2004, Conference in Montreal (Québec)

Member, Local Arrangements Committee 2006, ICAP Conference in Québec City, QC

Director - Québec



Alan Carter, Eng., Ph.D.

Education:

2005 - Ph.D. in Civil Engineering,
Auburn University, Auburn,
Alabama (USA)
2002 - Master in Construction Engineering, École de technologie supérieure, Montréal, QC
2000 - Bachelor Degree in Construction Engineering, École de technologie supérieure, Montréal, QC

Work Experience:

2005 to present - Professor, Construction Engineering Department, École de technologie supérieure
2002 to 2005 - Research Assistant, Auburn University
1999 to 2002 - Research Assistant, École de technologie supérieure

Membership and Related Activities:

Member, of CTAA since 2001
CTAA Editor's Award in 2005

CTAA Norman W. McLeod Award, 2005

Member, Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec

Director, Direction des infrastructures de l'AQTR

Member, Conseil permanent des chaussées du CERIU

Member, GRINCH

Member, ASTM (voting member)

Director - Québec



Stéphane Trudeau, eng.

Education:

1996 - Bachelors Degree in Civil Engineering, Sherbrooke University

Work Experience:

2008 to present - Bitumen Technical Manager – North America, Shell Bitumen
2007 to 2008 - Sales and Technical Services Representative, Shell Bitumen
2003 to 2007 - Asphalt Engineer, Shell Canada Products
2001 to 2002 - Assistant Plant Manager, McAsphalt Industries

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Election of Officers 2008 Nominees (cont'd)

1998 to 2003 - Technical Services
Manager in Québec,
McAsphalt Industries

Membership and Related Activities:

Member, CTAA since 1999
Member, Local Arrangement
Committee CTAA – Montréal
2004
Member, Ordre des ingénieurs du
Québec
Board of Directors, Bitume Québec,
1998 to 2004
Secretary Treasurer, Bitume Québec
2000 to 2003
President, Bitume Québec, 2003 to
2004

Director - Prairies



Ania Anthony

Education:

1998 - B. Sc. in Civil Engineering,
University of Saskatchewan,
2007 - M. Sc. in Pavement Materials,
University of Saskatchewan

Work Experience:

2002 to Present - Materials Engineer,
Northern Region
1999-2002 - Preservation Planner,
Northern Region
1998-1999 - Junior Operations
Engineer, Southern
Region

Membership and Related Activities:

Member, Frost Action Committee,
AFP50, Transportation Re-
search Board, 2003 – Present
Member, CTAA, 5 years
Co-chair, Local Arrangements
Committee, CTAA 2008
Conference, 2006 - Present

Member, Communications and Public
Relations Committee,
Association of Professional
Engineers and Geoscientists of
Saskatchewan (APGES),
2006 - Present

Director - Prairies



Robert W. Forfylyow, P.Eng.

Education:

Various technical asphalt conferences,
technical seminars and conventions:

1995 – Superpave Mix Design School,
Asphalt Institute, Lexington,
KY, USA
1977 – BSc. Civil Engineering, Uni-
versity of Alberta, Edmon-
ton, AB
1969 – Materials Technology, N.A.I.T.,
Edmonton, AB

Work Experience:

2003 to date - *Lafarge Canada Inc.*,
Calgary AB, Director of Quality
– Asphalt, Paving and Con-
struction, WCAN
1995 to 2003 - *South Rock Ltd.*,
Calgary, AB, General Manager
1989 to 1995 - *Agra Earth and
Environmental Ltd.*, *Calgary,*
AB, Manager, Materials Engi-
neering
1983 to 1989 - *EBA Engineering Ltd.*,
Calgary AB, Materials
Engineer
1977 – 1983 - *Associated Engineering
Alberta Ltd*, *Edmonton, AB*,
Project Engineer

Membership and Related Activities:

Member, CTAA 23 years
Member, Association of Professional
Engineers, Geologists and
Geophysicists of Alberta

Director - Prairies



**Hugh
Donovan,
P.Eng.**

Education:

B.Sc. Civil Engineering, University of
Alberta

Work Experience:

2000 to present – Construction
Services Engineer, Engineering
Services Section, Transportation
Department, City of
Edmonton
1986 to 1989 – Lafarge Construction
Materials.
1979 to 1986 - Hardy Associates (1978)
Ltd.

Memberships & Related Activities:

Member, Canadian Technical Asphalt
Association since 1986
Association of Professional Engineers,
Geologists, Geophysicists of
Alberta
Asphalt Recycling and Reclaiming
Association (ARRA)
American Society for Testing and
Materials
Vice-Chair, Soils and Materials
Standing Committee,
Transportation Association of
Canada
American Society for Testing and
Materials
American Concrete Institute
Canadian Standards Association

ODDS AND ENDS

CALL FOR PAPERS

You will note that we have included a "Call for Papers" for the 2009 Conference with this Newsletter. We realise that this may be a little early but hopefully some authors will be prepared to commit themselves before next January. The submission of abstracts seems to be coming in later each year making it difficult to both assemble a suitable program and allow sufficient time for authors to prepare and submit their papers to the Editor by the required date. Your cooperation is certainly appreciated by the Board, the Technical Program Committee and the Editor.

IMPORTANT DATES:

February 16, 2009 Abstract Submission

March 6, 2009 Notification of Abstract Status

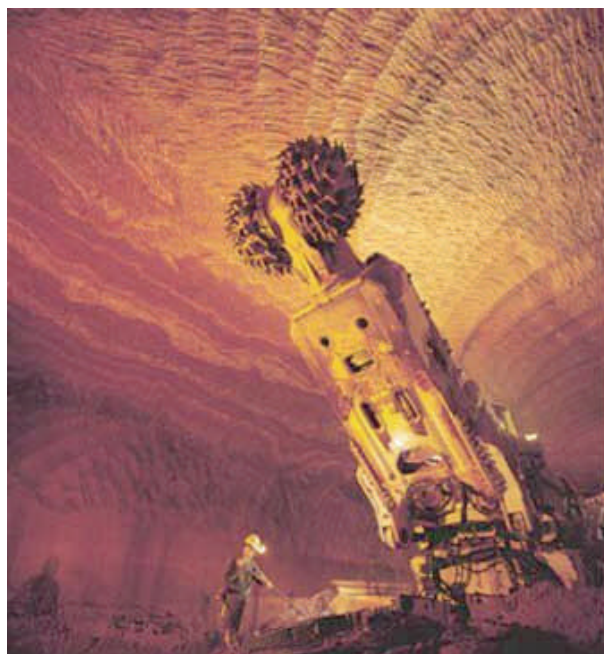
May 29, 2009 Full Paper Submitted to Program Committee

WEB SITE AND MAILOUTS

The web site is being continually updated and if any members have some comment, pro or con, please discuss with one of the Board members. As noted in the July newsletter it is intended that most of the information sent to members in the very near future will be sent electronically and we want to make sure that we have correct email addresses. The conference booklet and the Proceedings include the latest email addresses so please check and if corrections are necessary advise Head Office. Rest assured that those who do not have email addresses will receive their packages via post.

REMINDER

There are three tours on Saturday; one to a potash mine, one to a tire recycling facility and one Canadian Lightsource. Information and registration forms can be accessed on the web site.



(Photo courtesy of www.saskschools.ca)

Underground Potash Mining

Electrically powered machines drill for potash underground. The huge machines cut out the ore creating large tunnels. The ore is cut up by blades, broken into smaller pieces, moved by belts to the shafts, crushed then lifted to the surface.

SHORT COURSE

For the first time the Association is conducting a course on Saturday, November 15, at the Delta Bessborough Hotel entitled "INTRODUCTION TO ASPHALT TECHNOLOGY". Curtis Berthelot, from the University of Saskatchewan and Dallas Little, Texas A&M University / Texas Transportation Institute, will be presenting the course which is targeted at more junior asphalt practitioners. It will also provide an introduction to asphalt rheology.

An application form has been included in this mailing and registration for the course is separate from the conference registration. This is because the final information was not available at the time the July newsletter was mailed to the members.

OFF BROADWAY ARTS CENTRE

(Logo courtesy of Off Broadway web site)

*Accompanying Guests - why not join us and
enjoy the Dinner Theatre*

*at
OFF BROADWAY ARTS CENTRE*

*On
Tuesday, November 18, 2008
(Included in the Guest Program fee)*