

Julie Keough (Atlantic Director Nominee)

Education: Julie holds a Bachelor of Engineering, Civil, from Dalhousie University, Halifax, NS (class of 2006) and a Bachelor of Science (Mathematics) and Diploma in Engineering, from University of Prince Edward Island, Charlottetown, PE (class of 2002), as well as professional development accreditation in management, materials testing, and quality assurance/control.

Work Experience: Julie is a Senior Materials Engineer with 19 years of experience specializing in pavement materials consulting. She offers expertise in project management and materials engineering, with a strong emphasis on quality assurance and quality control testing and inspection of asphalt concrete. Her technical proficiency spans the development and evaluation of both Marshall and Superpave mix designs, incorporating advanced technologies such as Reclaimed Asphalt Pavement (RAP) and Warm Mix Asphalt (WMA). Julie is also highly skilled in Performance Graded Asphalt Binder Rheology and has extensive experience with cold in-place pavement recycling.

Involvement with CTAA (Membership and Related Activities): A committed member of the CTAA since 2006, Julie served on the local arrangements committee for the 62nd annual CTAA Conference in Halifax, NS in 2017

Why I Want to Serve on the CTAA Board: Julie's unwavering commitment to the Canadian Technical Asphalt Association (CTAA) is grounded in her strong belief that the organization plays a critical role in advancing innovation and excellence across the roadbuilding and pavement industries. She views CTAA as a foundational platform for elevating industry standards, encouraging professional collaboration, and championing the integration of emerging technologies.

With deep respect for the Association's mission and its impact on the paving industry, Julie is confident that her experience, insights, and enthusiasm position her to be a meaningful contributor. She is especially eager to volunteer in areas that support knowledge transfer and strengthen professional networks. By doing so, she hopes to help shape the future of the industry and ensure continued growth and innovation within the CTAA community.