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We hope you can join QGEC 2023 and help to make it the most successful year yet. We would welcome your contribution to our platform and to making our conference a vibrant and unique forum.



ABOUT (GEC

OUR MISSION AND VALUES

QGEC is a sophisticated undergraduate student conference created to provide an unbiased platform for all facets of the energy sector. We are an entirely student-run conference that occurs annually in late January with an additional 'taster' event in the fall. At both events, delegates gain insight into careers in energy through connecting with current energy leaders and stakeholders.



Engage

attendees through interactive workshops, question panels and networking



Connect

industry with students creating an environment for meaningful conversation



Inspire

delegates to pursue their interest in the industry and become future leaders



For QGEC 2023, our theme is Shifting the Balance. At a critical point in the current climate crisis, it is important that we facilitate a smooth transition in the energy sector. In addition to investing in renewable energy, we also need to recognize the continual role that oil and gas will play, and find creative ways to limit the environmental impacts stemming from non-renewable energy sources.

QGEC hosts a mix of speakers from traditional, renewable, and new-age sources that make up the global energy mix, placing emphasis on featuring Canadian companies and their contributions to global energy. We want our delegates to develop a vision of success in the energy sector through valuable insights of current energy professionals inspiring the next generation of Canadian energy.



WHY SPEAK?

Making an Impact on Students

The platform created by the Queen's Global Energy Conference is unique. The combination of diverse and enthusiastic students paired with a range of experts facilitates compelling discussions about the energy industry. Rarely is there an opportunity like this one to criticality address how different sectors are materializing and what the future of energy looks like for the future minds of the industry.

Benefits and Hospitality

At QGEC we wish to ensure that our speakers have an enjoyable and memorable stay. If you decide to speak at QGEC 2023, you will receive the following at no expense:

- Informal evening socials with delegates and other speakers
- Networking with students
- Meals during the conference

If you have any concerns or requirements, please let us know and we will work to accommodate you!

Opportunities

Keynote Speakers

Our conference typically features 5-6 keynote speakers. Each keynote speaker is allotted one hour to present and answer questions, typically having a 40-minute presentation. Each keynote speaker provides unique insights into the future of the energy sector and is free to speak on behalf of their own educational background and experience, their company, and/or their beliefs on the future of the sector.

Oil & Gas Panel

Speak on a panel with other industry professionals to discuss the current impact of the industry and what the future holds.

Questions are first facilitated by our executive team, then opened to our delegates.

Case Competition

Participate in evaluating solutions presented by delegates in our case competition. Judge and score case competition teams and present the winners.

We're Looking For:



Industry **Experts**



Thought Leaders



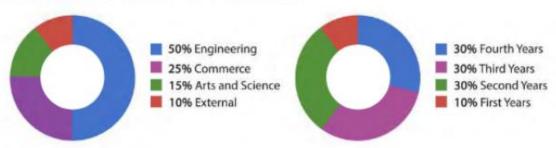
Innovators

OUR DELEGATES



Reflecting on the radical pace at which the field of energy is changing, and the range of economic, political, environmental and social issues that the industry affects, QGEC is looking to widen our scope and engage a greater diversity of students. This will enable experts to pull from their experiences and allow delegates to learn the most about the industry.

TARGET COMPOSITION



- SELECTIVE PROCESS:
- Our intensive selection process ensures that our delegates have a strong interest in pursuing a career in the energy sector. Our partners will be exposed to the brightest individuals, in addition to a delegate resume book.
- TOP SCHOOLS:
- Queen's is home to one of the top engineering and business schools in Canada, and delegates will be comprised of motivated students from Queen's as well as from other top universities across the country
- FORWARD THINKERS:

QGEC targets passionate students who are looking to leave their mark on the world







PAST SPEAKERS



Vince Gasparro Managing Director, Corporate Development & Clean Energy Finance Vancity Community Investment Bank



Deborah Yedlin President and CEO Calgary Chamber of Commerce



Jawad Masud Senior VP **Technical Center** TC Energy





Canadian Nuclear Laboratories Laboratoires Nucléaires









Canadian Natural





BEST AND THE REST

Capitalize on this opportunity to represent your brand to the industry's best, in addition to it's future, and expand your network.





OUR FUTURE





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We sincerely hope to have brought your attention to the amazing opportunity of participating in our annual conference. We hope that you will join QGEC 2023: Shifting the Balance. We believe that the platform we have created is an ideal place to teach, learn, and connect with present and future professionals in the energy industry. Your contributions will help enlighten the next generation on where the energy industry is headed and inspire them to meet the greatest challenges that face the industry and the world. We look forward to working together with you to make this year's conference an unforgettable experience for both you and the delegates. Please contact speakers.qgec@engsoc.queensu.ca if this opportunity aligns with your interests and values.

If you are aware of someone who would be interested in speaking at the conference, please give them our contact information and we would love to hear from them. If you or your company might be interested in sponsoring QGEC 2023, please let us know or reach out to our sponsorship team at sponsors.qgec@engsoc.queensu.ca.

With your help, we look forward to building lasting relationships and inspiring the minds of the future. Thank you for taking the time to read and understand our mission.



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