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2025

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2025

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MINERAL EXPLORATION
& MINING CONVENTION

HIGHLIGHTS

MARCH 2-5

Toronto, Canada

CONNECT
WITH 27,000
ATTENDEES FROM
135+ COUNTRIES

VISIT 1,100+ EXHIBITORS

Showcasing leading products, services, mining jurisdictions and development opportunities

- Chat with prospectors
- Review student research
- Examine core samples
- Explore investment opportunities
- Experience an array of exhibit floor attractions

200+ HOURS OF CONTENT

Presented by 600+ experts discussing key industry topics

- Capital markets
- Indigenous affairs
- Commodities
- Industry opportunities
- Critical minerals
- Investing insights
- Exploration
- New technologies
- Geoscience
- Sustainability

BUILD YOUR NETWORK AT THESE EVENTS

- ★ Awards Gala & Nite Cap
- ★ Breakfast Social
- ★ Caffeination Station
- ★ Canada Night Finale
- ★ Coffee Connections
- ★ Happy Hours
- ★ Lunch Social
- ★ Mining for Diversity Event
- ★ Opening Ceremonies
- ★ PDAC New Members Networking Reception
- ★ PDAC One on One Meeting Program
- ★ Student-Industry Mixer
- ★ The Network

KEYNOTE PROGRAM

SUNDAY, MARCH 2

COMMODITY OUTLOOK

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Mike Henry
CEO, BHP

TUESDAY, MARCH 4

TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION



Flavia Tata Nardini
Co-founder and CEO, Fleet Space Technologies

MONDAY, MARCH 3

MINING INDUSTRY OUTLOOK

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5

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WELCOME MESSAGE
FROM THE PRESIDENT



I am delighted to introduce PDAC 2025 – the world’s premier mineral exploration and mining showcase. Since 1932, the Convention has grown not only in size and influence, but also in its ability to foster critical discussions, unveil cutting-

edge innovations, and connect industry leaders from across the globe. This year, we are thrilled to build on the successes of PDAC 2024, where 27,000 attendees from 138 countries gathered to engage with top experts, network with peers, and explore new opportunities for collaboration. PDAC 2025, our 93rd annual event, promises to be the most dynamic and expansive yet, spanning over 600,000 square feet at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre.

This year’s programming reflects the industry’s shifting priorities, with sessions on sustainability, Indigenous relations, and critical minerals development to name a few. From the vibrant Trade Show to the in-depth Technical Program and the Awards Gala & Nite Cap, PDAC 2025 has something for everyone – whether you’re an experienced executive, an emerging professional, or a student aiming to break into the field.

We remain committed to nurturing the next generation of mining professionals through initiatives like the Dr. Donald M. Leishman Student Convention Experience, the Student & Early Career Program, and the new Indigenous Ambassador Program. These initiatives provide invaluable opportunities for mentorship, learning and networking, helping to ensure a diverse and sustainable future for the sector.

Join us from March 2-5, 2025, to see why the PDAC Convention continues to be the event of choice for the global mineral exploration and mining community. Visit www.pdac.ca/convention for all the details to plan your experience.

Raymond Goldie
PDAC President

2025 CONVENTION
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ATTENDEE & REGISTRATION INFO

STEP
1

SELECT YOUR PASS TYPE Fees are in Canadian dollars



	Early Rate (Paid by Feb. 7)	Regular Rate (Paid after Feb. 7)
ALL ACCESS PASS		
Member	\$308.85 + \$40.15 (tax) = \$349	\$476.99 + \$62 (tax) = \$539
Non-Member	\$574.34 + \$74.66 (tax) = \$649	\$751.33 + \$97.67 (tax) = \$849
SENIOR ALL ACCESS PASS (Must be 65 years of age or older)		
Member	\$75.22 + \$9.78 (tax) = \$85	
Non-Member	\$123.89 + \$16.11 (tax) = \$140	
STUDENT ALL ACCESS PASS (Must be enrolled full-time in a recognized academic program)		
Member	\$75.22 + \$9.78 (tax) = \$85	
ONE DAY ALL ACCESS PASS (Can be purchased for single or multiple days)		
Member	\$202.65 + \$26.34 (tax) = \$229/day	
Non-Member	\$397.34 + \$51.65 (tax) = \$449/day	

ALL ACCESS PASSES INCLUDE:

ALL PROGRAMMING

- Capital Markets Program
- Corporate Presentation Forum for Investors
- Exhibitor Spotlight
- Exploration Insights
- Indigenous Program
- Investment Leaders Forum (formerly Letter Writer Presentations for Investors)
- Keynote Program
- Master Class Series
- Presentation & Reception Rooms
- Student & Early Career Program
- Sustainability Program
- Technical Program

[Programming web page](#)

EXHIBITS

- Core Shack
- Indigenous Artisans
- Investors Exchange
- PDAC-SEG Student Minerals Colloquium
- Prospectors Tent
- Trade Show
- Trade Show North

[Exhibits web page](#)

NETWORKING

- Caffeination Station
- Canada Night Finale
- Coffee Connections
- Happy Hours
- Mining for Diversity Event
- Opening Ceremonies
- Student-Industry Mixer (RSVP when you register for Convention)
- The Network

[Events & Networking web page](#)

PLUS...

- Beverage tickets
- Headshot ticket
- Notebook
- Pen

REGISTER BY FEB. 7 AND SAVE on an All Access Pass and individual membership!

[Fee and Pass Info. web page](#)

	Early Rate (Paid by Feb. 7)	Regular Rate (Paid after Feb. 7)
VIP ALL ACCESS PASS		
Member	\$618.58 + \$80.42 (tax) = \$699	\$839.82 + \$109.18 (tax) = \$949
Non-Member	\$972.57 + \$126.43 (tax) = \$1,099	\$1,158.41 + 150.59 (tax) = \$1,309

VIP ALL ACCESS PASSES INCLUDE:

ALL ACCESS PASS INCLUSIONS, PLUS:

- Exclusive access to the VIP Lounge (restricted to pass holders only) that includes daily continental breakfast, morning and afternoon coffee breaks, and a light lunch
- Administrative support including scanning and photocopying
- A dedicated registration desk
- Complimentary, private meeting rooms for up to 10 people (non-VIP attendees are permitted access to the meeting rooms)

Space is limited. Register Now!

Early Rate (Paid by Feb. 7) & Regular Rate (Paid after Feb. 7)

EXHIBITS DAY PASS (Can be purchased for single or multiple days)

Member & Non-Member	\$22.12 + \$2.88 (tax) = \$25/day
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Admission is valid only for the date(s) purchased. To attend networking events, attendees must have a pass valid for the event date.

EXHIBITS DAY PASSES INCLUDE:

EXHIBITS

- Core Shack
- Indigenous Artisans
- Investors Exchange
- Prospectors Tent
- PDAC-SEG Student Minerals Colloquium
- Trade Show
- Trade Show North

[Exhibits web page](#)

PROGRAMMING

- Corporate Presentation Forum for Investors
- Exhibitor Spotlight
- Investment Leaders Forum
- Master Class Series
- Presentation & Reception Rooms

[Programming web page](#)

NETWORKING EVENTS

- Caffeination Station
- Happy Hours
- Mining for Diversity Event
- Opening Ceremonies

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ATTENDEE & REGISTRATION INFO

STEP
2

PURCHASE TICKETS


Fees are in Canadian dollars


NETWORKING EVENTS	TABLE OF 10	INDIVIDUAL TICKET
Awards Gala & Nite Cap	\$2,646.02 + \$343.98 (tax) = \$2,990	\$264.60 + \$34.40 (tax) = \$299
Breakfast Social	\$200 + \$26 (tax) = \$226	\$20 + \$2.60 (tax) = \$22.60
Lunch Social	\$350 + \$45.50 (tax) = \$395.50	\$35 + \$4.55 (tax) = \$39.55
Student-Industry Mixer RSVP when you register for Convention		Complimentary
 Events & Networking web page		


SHORT COURSES (Details and pricing vary)	PRICES START AT
Airborne electromagnetic interpretation for geologists	\$530.09
A practical guide to investor relations for junior exploration companies	\$353.10
ESG in exploration: Embedding good practice for tangible positive outcomes	\$795.58
Hydrothermal alteration and vectoring to ore in porphyry copper-gold environments	\$618.58
Integration of aeromagnetics and geology	\$530.09
Know your risks: Leadership in exploration health and safety	\$176.11
Lithium pegmatites: Geology and exploration for critical metals	\$574.34
Using dynamic DCF and real options to assess the value and risk of mining investments	\$574.34
Course bundle (exclusive to PDAC members) Airborne electromagnetic interpretation AND Integration of aeromagnetics	\$884.07
 Short Courses web page	


STEP
3

REGISTER

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IMPORTANT DATES

FEB. 7, 2025 **Early rate registration deadline**
Register and pay online or by mail to receive early rates. Cheque payments will not be accepted after this date.

FEB. 21, 2025 **Deadline to purchase tickets**
Awards Gala, Breakfast Social, Lunch Social and Short Course ticket sales are closed from Saturday, Feb. 22 until Friday, Feb. 28. Attendee registration is still available. Onsite ticket sales are subject to availability.

FEB. 28, 2025 **Onsite registration opens**
Awards Gala, Breakfast Social, Lunch Social and Short Course tickets (subject to availability) may be purchased at the Ticket Sales Counter, South Building, Metro Toronto Convention Centre (MTCC).

REGISTRATION DESK HOURS

Friday, Feb. 28 7 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Saturday, March 1 7 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Sunday, March 2 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Monday, March 3 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Tuesday, March 4 7 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Wednesday, March 5 8 a.m. – 12 p.m.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Wire transfers are not accepted. Acceptable methods of payment are VISA, MasterCard or AMEX and cheque (until Feb. 7, 2025 only). All cheques must be drawn from a CDN or US bank. All fees are quoted in CAD dollars. Payment may be made in US dollars using an exchange rate of CAD \$1.25 per US dollar. Registration and ticketed event purchases will not be processed until full payment is received.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellation requests must be submitted via email to pdac@pdacevents.ca
If you cannot attend, you may:
1) Transfer the registration to another individual.
2) Cancel the registration less a 25% administration fee by Friday, Feb. 21, 2025.
After Feb. 21, 2025 no refunds will be provided. Membership fees are non-refundable.


INTERNATIONAL ATTENDEES

For information on international invitation letters and to submit an online application form, visit the website below. PDAC does not accept any responsibility for visa applications. If an attendee is unable to attend because of failure to obtain a visa, the normal cancellation policy for registration fees will apply.

 [International Attendees web page](#)


HOTELS

Book directly with the hotel. See our hotels page for properties offering promotional rates.

 [Hotels web page](#)

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS

Save money and network with industry professionals while at the convention! Volunteer your time in exchange for a complimentary All Access Pass, volunteer apparel, food vouchers, a gift card and a volunteer certificate. Sign up today.

 [Volunteers web page](#)

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EVENTS & NETWORKING

Pass or ticket required

DON'T MISS OUT ON THESE VALUABLE NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES!

- Purchase your tickets to the Awards Gala, Breakfast Social, and Lunch Social with your Convention registration. Tickets sell out quickly.
- Corporate tables, identified with company name, are available when you purchase 10 tickets for the Awards Gala & Nite Cap, Breakfast Social, and Lunch Social

REGISTER
NOW

SUNDAY, MARCH 2

HAPPY HOURS

Open to all pass types

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Enjoy a beverage as you network with exhibitors and attendees from around the world. All Access Pass holders will receive a complimentary beverage ticket. Guest paid bars will be available.

Sunday and Tuesday Location: Trade Show North
Monday Location: Investors Exchange & Trade Show

[Happy Hours web page](#)

THE NETWORK

All Access or Exhibitor Staff Pass required
Entry will be prohibited without your pass.
No exceptions.

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This is your chance to roll the dice and connect with industry members while indulging in the excitement of a mock casino. We provide the chips for you to play Blackjack, Roulette, Texas Hold'em and more! Enjoy small plates, a complimentary beverage (All Access Pass holders only), and a chance to win cash prizes. Guest paid bars will be available.

Please note: Coat and bag check is mandatory.

[The Network web page](#)



OPENING CEREMONIES

Open to all pass types

Join PDAC President Raymond Goldie and other special guests as we mark the official opening of the 2025 Convention.

[Opening Ceremonies web page](#)

MONDAY, MARCH 3

LUNCH SOCIAL

Ticket required

NEW
FOR 2025

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Skip the lunch lines and join us at the PDAC's buffet Lunch Social! Looking for investment opportunities, professionals to collaborate with, or are you a recent graduate looking for work? Enjoy casual socializing and networking with friends and colleagues. You can join an open table or purchase a reserved table of 10 (with company name) and entertain guests.

[Lunch Social web page](#)

PDAC ONE ON ONE MEETING PROGRAM

By invitation only

PDAC, in partnership with Precious Metals Summit Conferences, LLC offers professionally organized one on one meetings, which bring qualified investors together with companies' senior management. This exclusive program is offered only to a select group of confirmed Investors Exchange and Core Shack exhibitors, and carefully screened, qualified investors and portfolio managers from around the world. Advance registration is required.

[PDAC One on One Meeting Program web page](#)

PDAC NEW MEMBERS NETWORKING RECEPTION

By invitation only

Join us for this exclusive annual event designed for all New Members to learn more about PDAC and connect with PDAC directors and fellow colleagues. This is a fantastic opportunity to engage with your peers, build valuable connections, and discuss important issues within the mineral industry. Participate in some fun icebreaker activities for a chance to win cash prizes and PDAC swag! Confirmed attendees will receive a complimentary beverage.

Not a PDAC member?
Join now at www.pdac.ca/members/membership

[PDAC New Members Networking Reception web page](#)



EVENTS & NETWORKING

TUESDAY, MARCH 4

AWARDS GALA & NITE CAP

Ticket required

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Awards Gala



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Reception & Nite Cap



ALWAYS A SOLD OUT EVENT!
Celebrate Achievement and Excellence

Mark your calendars for this elegant event that celebrates excellence in global mineral exploration and mining with a chic cocktail reception, a gourmet three-course dinner, and the prestigious PDAC Awards presentation. The evening concludes with a welcoming host bar, and your opportunity to meet this year's Award Recipients, PDAC past Presidents, international delegations and global mining leaders.

Reception	5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Dinner	7 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Nite Cap	9 p.m. – 11 p.m.

Dress: Business attire, black tie optional

Single tickets: \$264.60 + \$34.40 (tax) = \$299


Table of 10: \$2,646.02 + \$343.98 (tax) = \$2,990

Host coat & bag check available onsite.


 [Awards Gala & Nite Cap web page](#)

BREAKFAST SOCIAL


Ticket required



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Fuel up for your busy day at the PDAC's first ever networking breakfast! Meet with new and old friends, potential investors, clients, and suppliers. Join an open table or purchase a reserved table of 10 (with company name) and entertain guests.


 [Breakfast Social web page](#)

LIFE MEMBER LUNCHEON

By invitation only

Join PDAC President Raymond Goldie as we recognize PDAC Life Members and the Women's Association of the Mining Industry of Canada (WAMIC) for their significant contributions to PDAC, and the mineral exploration and development community.


Email invitations will be sent in January.

 [Life Member Luncheon web page](#)

MINING FOR DIVERSITY EVENT

Open to all pass types

Women in Mining Canada (WIMC) is happy to once again host its annual awards ceremony and networking event. Join in and celebrate the Trailblazer Awards Series winners and network with other industry professionals.

 [Mining for Diversity Event web page](#)

TUESDAY, MARCH 4

STUDENT-INDUSTRY MIXER

*All Access or Exhibitor Staff Pass required
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This event provides an opportunity for students, early career and industry professionals to network in a relaxed environment. The recipient of the Mary-Claire Ward Geoscience Award, as well as the selected 2025 Student-Industry Mineral Exploration Workshop students, will be announced. Student members will be entered in a draw to win one of five \$500 tuition top-up awards.

 [Student-Industry Mixer web page](#)


WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5

CANADA NIGHT FINALE

*All Access Pass or Exhibitor Staff Pass required
Entry will be prohibited without your pass.
No exceptions*

Celebrate in true Canadian style! After four days of intense networking and exploration, it's time to kick back and create some unforgettable memories. Dress in your best Canadiana attire and get ready to let loose. Enjoy small plates, a complimentary beverage (All Access Pass holders only), and dance to the Dave Murphy Band. Guest paid bars will be available. Not into dancing? No problem – we've got you covered! Test your skills at our pub games including billiards, ping pong, foosball and air hockey.


Please note: Coat and bag check is mandatory.

 [Canada Night Finale web page](#)


ALL DAYS

CAFFEINATION STATION


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Be one of the first 1,000 attendees daily and receive a free coffee or tea as you stroll and visit Trade Show North exhibitors.

 [Caffeination Station web page](#)

COFFEE CONNECTIONS


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Back by popular demand! Join us each morning for a complimentary coffee to start your day off right. Connect with attendees and exhibitors as you plan your day at the convention. Space is limited so get there early.

 [Coffee Connections web page](#)

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EXHIBITS

EXHIBIT HOURS

SUNDAY, MARCH 2 – TUESDAY, MARCH 4
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5

10 a.m. – 5 p.m.
9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

MEET OVER 1,100 EXHIBITORS

For a full list of exhibitors, visit
Exhibitor Directory web page

CORE SHACK

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Core Shack provides a unique venue for companies to display their core samples. Attendees are welcome to get up close with these new or ongoing projects that are generating exciting drill results. The latest discoveries from around the world will be featured along with maps, charts and technical information.

Core Shack is comprised of two sessions:

SESSION A		
SUNDAY, MARCH 2	10 a.m. – 5 p.m.	
MONDAY, MARCH 3	10 a.m. – 5 p.m.	
SESSION B		
TUESDAY, MARCH 4	10 a.m. – 5 p.m.	
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	

Core Shack web page



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Exhibit Floor Attractions

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INVESTMENT HUB

Lounge Sponsored by VRIFY
Theatre Sponsored by The Lind Partners

Learn how to put your money to work at the Investment Leaders Forum and the Corporate Presentation Forum for Investors that will take place in the theatre. See Pages 20 and 24 of the Programming section for more information. Continue investment conversations in the lounge – a great place to meet in a relaxed environment.

LEASE BONUS LOUNGE

Sponsored by SLS Group

See Page 31 of the Services Onsite section for more information.

NORTHERN LIGHTS LEARNING HUB

Sponsored by South32

This new addition to Trade Show North will host important segments of programming, such as the Exhibitor Spotlight presentations and Master Class Series. See Pages 22 and 24 of the Programming section for more information. Attendees are welcome to stay between sessions as the space will be used as a casual lounge.

 [Exhibit Floor Attractions web page](#)

RECRUITMENT LOUNGE

Sponsored by Rio Tinto

See Page 31 of the Services Onsite section for more information.

ROYAL ONTARIO MUSEUM (ROM)

The ROM is the largest museum in Canada and works in the intersection of art, culture and nature. From one of the world's most important geological collections, select samples will be on display. See critical minerals, cultural objects, the Kirwin collection and more – this is a can't miss attraction.



Focused on unlocking the full potential of our assets.

We are focused on growing our gold reserves and production in mining-friendly jurisdictions that offer rich geological potential and where we have built a competitive advantage. We add value through our exploration and mine-building expertise, and we are well positioned to continue building on our existing assets and pipeline of high-quality projects.



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Learn more at
[agnicoeagle.com](https://www.agnicoeagle.com)

EXHIBITS

INDIGENOUS ARTISANS

Open to all pass types

We encourage attendees to visit this series of booths in Trade Show North showcasing and selling the diverse work of incredible artisans from around the country.

 [Indigenous Artisans web page](#)

INVESTORS EXCHANGE

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Discuss investment potential with over 400 junior mining companies, mid-sized producers, major mining companies, financial institutions and prospectors to discover new business opportunities.

Exhibitors include:

- Alamos Gold Inc.
- Agnico Eagle Mines Limited
- Anglo American
- Avino Silver & Gold Mines Ltd.
- BHP
- B2 Gold
- Calibre Mining
- Centerra Gold Inc.
- Foremost Lithium Resource & Technology
- Hammer Metals Ltd.
- Hecla Mining Company
- IAMGOLD Corporation
- K92 Mining Inc.
- Kinross Gold Corp.
- Newmont Corporation
- Ore Group
- Rio Tinto Exploration
- Riverside Resources
- South32 Limited
- Teck Resources Limited
- Vale Canada
- Wheaton Precious Metals

 [Investors Exchange web page](#)

NORTHERN ONTARIO MINING SHOWCASE

Open to all pass types

We are pleased to welcome back the Northern Ontario Mining Showcase (NOMS), the largest pavilion at PDAC. It will feature over 110 exhibitors with interactive displays showcasing innovative products and services to help plan, build, maintain and rehabilitate projects around the world. The pavilion also hosts a speaker series featuring presentations and panels on topics related to the growth and sustainability of the industry.

 www.northernontariominning.com/pdac/

PDAC-SEG STUDENT MINERALS COLLOQUIUM

Open to all pass types


The Student Minerals Colloquium is a poster session that brings together geoscience students and industry professionals to highlight innovative student research on mineral deposit projects essential for the successful evolution of the modern mining industry.

 [PDAC-SEG Student Minerals Colloquium web page](#)

PROSPECTORS TENT

Open to all pass types

Get back to the heart of the industry with a visit to the Prospectors Tent. Self-employed and independent prospectors will be there to discuss their maps, samples and claim results.

 [Prospectors Tent web page](#)

TRADE SHOW & TRADE SHOW NORTH

Open to all pass types

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Visit over 600 exhibitors showcasing the leading technologies, products and services, and meet government representatives from around the world.

Exhibitors include:

- Advanced Geosciences Inc.
- Becker Mining Systems
- Chile
- Corporate Traveller

- Epiroc
- European Union
- Krux Analytics
- Italian Trade Agency
- Maptek
- Mexico Pavilion
- Northern Ontario Mining Showcase
- Ontario Ministry of Mines
- Queen's University, Department of Geology
- Revizto
- Usinage Marcotte Inc.
- Westpro Machinery Inc.

 [Trade Show & Trade Show North web page](#)



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- Canadian Land and Reclamation
- Canadian Mining Magazine
- Canadian Process Equipment & Control News
- Canadian Securities Exchange Magazine
- CECC Newsletter, CECC IceBreakers Podcast
- CEO.CA
- CIM Magazine
- Commodity-TV
- Coring Magazine
- Critical Minerals Review
- Del Communications
- El Inversor Energético & Minero
- Engineering & Mining Journal
- Enlace Minero Magazine
- eResearch.com
- Global Business Reports
- Global Mining Review
- In the Mine
- InfraStructures Magazine
- International Mining
- Investing News Network
- Investment Executive
- InvestorNews.com
- Kitco News
- Lexpert
- Madencilik Türkiye Magazine
- Magazine MINERÍA
- Magazine Ressources Mines & Industrie
- Manitoba Exploration & Development Review
- MINERANDINA
- MINERGIA Ecuador
- Minería Chilena Magazine
- MINEX Forum
- Mining Business Africa
- Mining Insight Magazine
- Mining Network
- Mining North of 60 Mining and Exploration
- Mining Press
- Mining Technology
- Mining Weekly
- Mining Your Business
- Mining.com
- Mining.com.au
- Multiplataforma Tecnología Minera
- NAI500
- NETMIN
- North American Financial Economic News
- North of 60 Mining News
- Notícias de Mineração Brasil – NMB
- Ontario Mining Review
- Panorama Minero
- Potash Producer
- PotashWorks 2025
- ProActivo Magazine
- Prominera
- Quebec Mining Review
- Resource World Magazine
- Resources Review
- Rumbo Minero-America Mining
- Salta Mining
- Small Caps
- Stockhouse
- The Assay
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 [Schedule at a Glance web page](#)

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Translation: Automatic Speech Recognition (ASR) will be provided for all programming and Short Courses in the South Building. ASR uses artificial intelligence technology to process human speech into readable text. Available on your personal device for real-time translation of sessions into over 130 languages.

Room Monitors: PDAC is introducing attendants in most sessions on Level 700 to assist with seating and room capacity limits to ensure compliance with fire regulations. All rooms have limited capacity so please plan to arrive early to secure a seat.

CAPITAL MARKETS PROGRAM

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Access to capital is the lifeblood of the mineral exploration industry. The Capital Markets Program is intended to create a forum for dialogue on a range of topics related to the financing of mineral exploration. Topics will include:

- An investor's perspective: Investor relations in mining
- Boards and management: Value creators and destroyers
- Critical mineral policy: Fact or snake oil?
- Dedollarization and the impact on gold
- Financing junior mining exploration through flow-through shares: Where are we now?
- Global panel: Mining and headwinds
- Managed funds vs. ETFs: A global perspective on metals and mining investment products
- Mineral industry financing: Investment banker perspective
- Partnerships to production: Novel approaches to mineral financing

 [Capital Markets Program web page](#)


CORPORATE PRESENTATION FORUM FOR INVESTORS (CPFI)

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The Corporate Presentation Forum for Investors (CPFI) is a popular series that features up-to-the-minute information on select exploration and development companies' current activities and investment potential. This series continues to be of strong interest to investors, highlighting the scope of commodities and stage of development represented at the convention. A number of CPFI sessions will take place in the Investment Hub theatre found on the Investors Exchange show floor.

 [Corporate Presentation Forum for Investors web page](#)

EXHIBITOR SPOTLIGHT

Open to all pass types

The Exhibitor Spotlight showcases special and creative exhibits at the Investors Exchange and Trade Show. Chosen exhibitors will have the chance to give a short presentation about their project, product, or service at the Northern Lights Learning Hub.

 [Exhibitor Spotlight web page](#)


EXPLORATION INSIGHTS*

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Exploration Insights showcases high-profile technical and academic presentations that offer insight into current and topical subjects.

 [Exploration Insights web page](#)

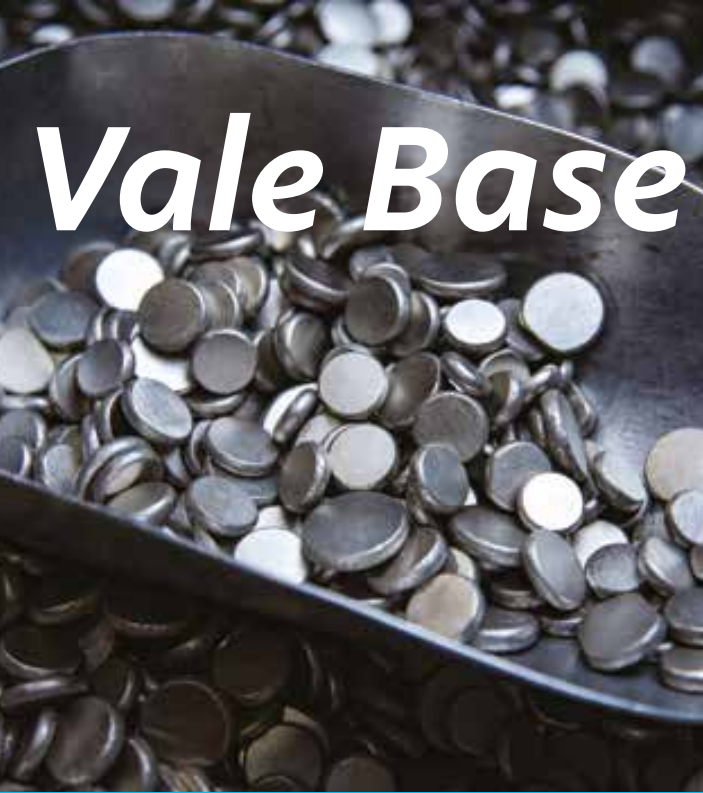
INDIGENOUS PROGRAM

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Uncover the fundamentals of building cooperative, respectful and mutually-beneficial partnerships between Indigenous communities and the minerals industry. Presenters exchange their vision of prosperity and reconciliation with PDAC's global network. Topics will include:

- GNWT and Indigenous governments: Partners in land and resource legislative development
- Indigenous partnerships in mining and municipal government
- Indigenous rights and engagement in a global context
- Quantitative trends in engagement with Indigenous governments during exploration and permitting
- Success stories and challenges for Indigenous owned clean power at mines
- The importance of Indigenous reconciliation action plans
- Understanding the impacts of climate change: Perspectives and collaboration

 [Indigenous Program web page](#)



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INVESTMENT LEADERS FORUM (FORMERLY LETTER WRITER PRESENTATIONS FOR INVESTORS)

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Top newsletter writers and other professionals who inform investment decisions in the mining industry gather at this session to present their thoughts, charts, research reports and ideas on the criteria they use to select profitable investments in the resources sector.

The Forum will take place in the Investment Hub theatre found on the Investors Exchange show floor.

[Investment Leaders Forum web page](#)

MASTER CLASS SERIES

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Learn from industry leaders as they share key insights and case studies throughout this new exclusive series of presentations.

Presentations by Agnico Eagle, Anglo American, BHP, Mosaic, Nutrien, Rio Tinto, South 32, Teck and Vale.

New this year: Presentations will take place in the Northern Lights Learning Hub on the Trade Show North floor.

[Master Class Series web page](#)

KEYNOTE PROGRAM

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The Keynote Program features four themes designed to inspire and educate: Commodity outlook, mining industry outlook, technology and innovation, and discovery of the year. Presenters will discuss new and exciting concepts, and explore the compelling challenges of mineral exploration and development in 2025.

SUNDAY, MARCH 2

COMMODITY OUTLOOK

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Mike Henry
CEO, BHP

TUESDAY, MARCH 4

TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION



Flavia Tata Nardini
Co-founder and CEO, Fleet Space Technologies

[Keynote Program web page](#)

MONDAY, MARCH 3

MINING INDUSTRY OUTLOOK

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Eric Sprott
CEO, Eric Sprott Family Office

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5

DISCOVERY OF THE YEAR

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David Burt and Bede Evans
The Onto Discovery Team, Indonesia

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PRESENTATION & RECEPTION ROOMS

Entrance requirements to individual Presentation & Reception rooms vary. Confirmed presenters include:

- Accenture
 - Activation Laboratories Ltd.
 - Argentina Mining Pavilion
 - BMC Minerals Limited
 - British Columbia Regional Mining Alliance
 - Cámara de Minería del Ecuador
 - Consult General of India
 - DEİK - Foreign Economic Relations Board of Türkiye
 - Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands
 - Embassy of France in Canada
 - Estonian Embassy in Ottawa
 - First Nations Major Projects Coalition
 - Founders Metals
 - Geoscience Australia
 - Government of Québec
 - Indigenous and Community Engagement (ICE) Inc.
 - Micromine
 - Mongolian National Mining Association
- Montt Group
 - Mundoro Capital
 - National Geological Survey Kazakhstan
 - Ontario Ministry of Mines
 - Peru
 - Queensland Government Department of Resources
 - Revival Gold Inc.
 - Royal Danish Consulate General Toronto
 - Saskatchewan Research Council
 - SGS Canada
 - Sodexo
 - Stanford Mineral-X
 - Three Crowns LLP
 - Thunder Bay Community Economic Development Commission
 - Women in Mining Canada
 - WSP

 [Presentation & Reception Rooms web page](#)

SHORT COURSES*

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Short Courses are in-depth educational sessions led by presenters with expertise in a variety of different subject matter.

COURSES	PRICES START AT
Airborne electromagnetic interpretation for geologists	\$530.09
A practical guide to investor relations for junior exploration companies	\$353.10
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Hydrothermal alteration and vectoring to ore in porphyry copper-gold environments	\$618.58
Integration of aeromagnetics and geology	\$530.09
Know your risks: Leadership in exploration health and safety	\$176.11
Lithium pegmatites: Geology and exploration for critical metals	\$574.34
Using dynamic DCF and real options to assess the value and risk of mining investments	\$574.34
Course bundle (exclusive to PDAC members) Airborne electromagnetic interpretation AND Integration of aeromagnetics	\$884.07

 [Short Courses web page](#)

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PDAC can provide a certificate of attendance for the Technical Program, Exploration Insights and Short Courses.


STUDENT & EARLY CAREER PROGRAM

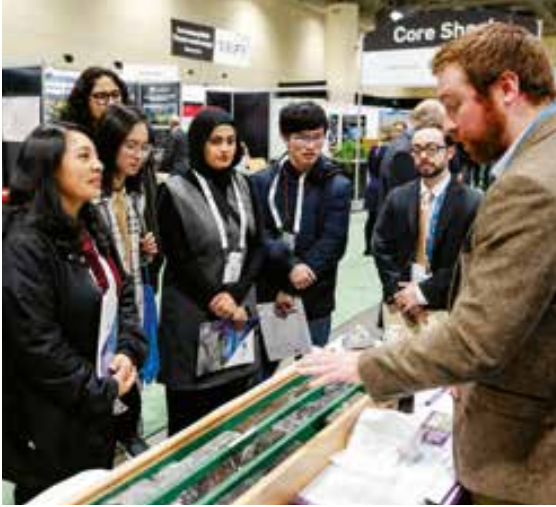
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- This program allows students and early career individuals the unique opportunity to connect with industry professionals from around the globe.
- 20 minute mentoring
 - Convention kickstart
 - Guided tours of the exhibits
 - Next Generation Explorers Award (NGEA™) finalists presentations
 - PDAC-SEG Student Minerals Colloquium (see page 15 for more information)
 - PDAC-SEG Student Minerals Colloquium awards & reception
 - Student-Industry Mixer
 - The mineral industry: A multifaceted career landscape

 [Student & Early Career Program web page](#)



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SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM

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Sessions look to achieve excellence in exploration by facilitating multi-stakeholder dialogue that examines the innovative ways in which the mineral industry effects improvement in their sustainability performance.

Join the peer-learning conversation on key issues related to responsible exploration and mining:

- A clean slate: Collaborative cleanup for mineral exploration sites
- Community led planning, data and consultation that support land tenure systems and community governance
- Driving responsible exploration, sustainability and climate leadership

- Human rights due diligence in mining sector procurement: Going beyond compliance to create business value
- Investor grade sustainability disclosures: Why, what and how?
- Quantifying water risks: Implications for investments, sustainable mine water management and social responsibility
- Unlocking natural capital value and the quest for a nature positive minerals industry
- Why we need to urgently simplify the responsible mining standards landscape: Update on consolidated mining standard initiative

 [Sustainability Program web page](#)

TECHNICAL PROGRAM*

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Learn next and best practices while industry experts share timely insights during these dynamic series of presentations.

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Enterprise decarbonization:
Myth, mystery or miracle?

The next big moves
in commodities: The
future trends shaping
our world

Monday Sessions
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Accelerating the
transformation

Deep-sea mining:
Navigating challenges
and opportunities

Diamonds in Angola:
New developments and
opportunities

Porphyry copper
deposits: From
exploration to discovery

REE and other
critical metals in
alkaline intrusions,
carbonatites, and
unconventional sources

Tuesday Sessions
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Geophysics: Leading
edge developments
and case histories

Hard rock lithium
deposits: A global
perspective

Level-up your project
reserves against
uncertainty and risks

New exploration
technologies


Wednesday Sessions
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New discoveries

Orogenic gold systems

Potash: How mining is
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 [Accessibility web page](#)

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NORTHERN LIGHTS LEARNING HUB

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RECRUITMENT LOUNGE

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- Daily continental breakfast, morning and afternoon coffee breaks, and a light lunch
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- Events & networking
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For exhibitor and attendee use and conveniently located in a new home in Room 201! Your team will not have to brave the cold air and waste time getting to/from off-site meetings. This meeting space is complimentary and available for one-hour bookings per company/attendee per day.

Meeting rooms are semi-private, fit 10 people maximum, and include one power outlet.

Exhibitors will have advance booking until January 7.
Attendee booking opens January 8.

NURSES STATION

Staffed by Registered Nurses who are capable of responding to a variety of emergency situations, and can also administer over-the-counter and prescribed medications to attendees. Stations are stocked with AED defibrillators and may also be used as a place to breastfeed.

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 [Sustainability web page](#)

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