



## SMC TO TC 207/ SC 7 MEMBERSHIP RECRUITMENT INFORMATION

### **General**

CSA Group is looking for experts to participate in the Technical Committee (TC) on Climate Change. This committee is a harmonized committee that represents Canada's interest in the development of international standards through the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) (TC 207 / Subcommittee 7: Greenhouse gas management and related activities). The committee also develops new standards and adopts existing international standards at the Canadian national level.

Committee Members are CSA's most valuable resource. They carry the responsibilities for providing information, technical expertise, and direction that keeps CSA Standards Development programs focused on CSA's purpose.

### **Standards: Under Development and Existing**

At the international level, the committee is currently providing input on whether the following ISO standards should be opened for revision:

- ISO 14064-1 Greenhouse gases -- Part 1: Specification with guidance at the organization level for quantification and reporting of greenhouse gas emissions and removals
- ISO 14064-2 Greenhouse gases -- Part 2: Specification with guidance at the project level for quantification, monitoring and reporting of greenhouse gas emission reductions or removal enhancements
- ISO 14064-3 Greenhouse gases -- Part 3: Specification with guidance for the validation and verification of greenhouse gas assertions
- ISO 14065 Greenhouse gases -- Requirements for greenhouse gas validation and verification bodies for use in accreditation or other forms of recognition

At the domestic level, the committee is currently deciding whether to adopt the following technical report in Canada:

- ISO/TR 14069 Greenhouse gases (GHG) -- Quantification and reporting of GHG emissions for organizations (Carbon footprint of organization)

The committee also contributed to the following published international standard and technical specification:

- ISO 14066 Greenhouse gases -- Competence requirements for greenhouse gas validation teams and verification teams
- ISO/TS 14067 Carbon footprint of products -- Requirements and guidelines for quantification and communication

## Committee Member Expectations and Benefits

Our volunteer committee members work together with our staff to develop standards that meet the needs of business and people. Committee members draw on their personal and professional expertise in this subject area to review and comment on documents pertaining to standards development and adoption, as well as vote and comment on international and national standards. While committee members are unpaid, some financial support may be available for delegates participating in ISO meetings.

Committee Members gain valuable experience in their own professional development and play a role in developing standards that are important to Canadians at home and internationally. To ensure we make the most productive use of our Committee Members' time, CSA offers training sessions for both Committee Members and Committee Chairs. These sessions assist members in understanding the CSA policies and procedures that govern the standards development process. They also serve to explain to members their role as a member of a Standards Development Committee.

## How to Apply

If you are interested in volunteering to be a member of this committee, please forward a copy of your resume, highlighting personal and professional expertise related to climate change and/or related activities as well as answers to the following questions to Hilary Davies ([hilary.davies@csagroup.org](mailto:hilary.davies@csagroup.org)). You can also call Hilary if you have any questions (613-565-5151 ext.59223).

1. How does your experience support you in making a contribution to the work of this committee?
2. How does your network support you in making a contribution to the work of this committee?
3. Are you able to contribute on average of approximately 10 hours / month to participate in this committee?
4. If required, would you be able and interested in representing the Canadian Mirror Committee at international meetings? This may include paying for all or a portion of your travel, as well as an increased time commitment.

## Selection Criteria

We would like to thank all applicants in advance for their interest. Successful applicants will be chosen based on their expertise and ability to contribute to the committee, as well as how well they fit the current vacancies within the committee.

The committee membership needs to remain balanced at all time so that there are equal numbers of representatives from business, service/professionals, government/regulatory and the general public. Definitions of these categories are included below. Currently, the committee has vacancies in the **highlighted** categories.

1. **Business Interest:** Those primary users of climate change protocols, standards, and guidelines.
2. **Service/Professional Interest:** Those who are involved in the provision, on a commercial basis, of advice or services pertaining to climate change.
3. **Government/Regulatory Authority Interest:** Those who are involved on behalf of government in activities pertaining to climate change; and
4. **General Interest:** Those who represent non-commercial and non-government interests pertaining to climate change (e.g. academics, NGOs, etc).