

## Licensing Ceremony, Tuesday, May 10, 2016

On Tuesday, May 10, 2016, the West Toronto Chapter of the Professional Engineers of Ontario (WYPEO), welcomed 34 new Professional Engineers to the PEO and our 2900 member strong West Toronto Chapter. The ceremony was held at the Markland Wood Golf Club in Toronto, and MC'd by **Richard Weldon**, P.Eng.. The new licence recipients presented to the assembled guests at this ceremony were:

**Steven Maxwell Agranove, P.Eng.**  
**Abbas Akhavan, P.Eng.**  
**Genevieve Lindsay Ashton, P.Eng.**  
**Alexandre Ayers, P.Eng.**  
**Daniel Frank Baggio, P.Eng.**  
**Milena Cristiana Beloia Cheres, P.Eng.**  
**Derek Albert Chow, P.Eng.**  
**Alexander Asher Dason, P.Eng.**  
**Irena Doslo, P.Eng.**  
**Poorya Ali Ferdowsi, P.Eng.**  
**Michael James Ferguson, P.Eng.**  
**Ryan John Douglas Fletcher, P.Eng.**  
**Andre Marcel Girard, P.Eng.**  
**Maria Anunciacion Gutierrez Diez, P.Eng.**  
**Laura Marlene Hawkins, P.Eng.**  
**Shahin Kouchekian-Sabour, P.Eng.**  
**Kevin Kai-Chi Leung, P.Eng.**

**Jimmy Zhong Yan Lu, P.Eng.**  
**Raymond Phan, P.Eng.**  
**Veljko Pirkovic, P.Eng.**  
**Mutasim Subhi S Qudaih, P.Eng.**  
**Matthew McLean Ratcliffe, P.Eng.**  
**Christina Chung-Man Tang, P.Eng.**  
**Catherine Eleanor Joan Thorn, P.Eng.**  
**Laura Lee Towsley, P.Eng.**  
**Ian Serdar Tuncay, P.Eng.**  
**Mark Ryan van Tol, P.Eng.**  
**Jonathan Vincent Alfred Venere, P.Eng.**  
**William Robert Wagar, P.Eng.**  
**Joshua James Wallace, P.Eng.**  
**Tomas Martynas Ycas, P.Eng.**  
**Peter An Yao Yu, P.Eng.**  
**Jennifer Xueying Zhang, P.Eng.**

The head table guests presiding over this ceremony, included **Bob Dony**, PhD, P.Eng., FIET, FEC President-elect; **George Comrie**, P.Eng., CMC, FEC, President-elect; **Danny Chui**, P.Eng., FEC, West Central Region Councillor; **Warren Turnbull**, P.Eng., West Central Councillor; **Matthew Ng**, P.Eng., FEC, PEO Chapters Manager; **Gerard McDonald**, MBA, P.Eng., PEO Registrar; and our special guest speaker **Marisa Sterling**, P.Eng., Assistant Dean, Inclusivity and Diversity, Lassonde School of Engineering.

On behalf of **Barry Westhead**, P.Eng, FEC, West Toronto PEO Chapter Chair, who introduced the new chapter license recipients, and the chapter board, we want to congratulate all who received their license at this ceremony. We also want to gratefully acknowledge the support and contributions made by friends, family, and guests who helped our license recipients achieve their goals. Truly another milestone in our license recipients career.

The chapter executive would like to also take this opportunity for all our new license recipients to join us at upcoming seminars and events organized by the chapter. You will automatically receive eBlasts of upcoming chapter events, but you should also check repeatedly the calendar page on the chapter website ([West Toronto Chapter PEO](http://www.westtorontopeo.com/), or copy and paste <http://westtorontopeo.com/> into your web browser) for upcoming chapter events. Follow the tabs to the Events Calendar. Please make certain that your personal profile is always up to date in the PEO Database.

I would also like to thank all the volunteers who helped to make this ceremony one of the smoothest running and successful license ceremonies for the West Toronto Chapter.

Photos from this ceremony, including group photos of those who attended the ceremony, have been posted to our chapter licensing page website at <https://www.dropbox.com/sh/06hek64hiomp7sf/AACoOpneuJb3d2pJ4fU1jlewa?dl=0> (alternately copy and paste into your web browser).

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