



NEWS & EVENTS

May 1, 2020

| DATE | 2020 EVENTS | LOCATION |
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| September 17, 2020 | Construction Industry Golf Tournament | TBD |

All in-person events are on hold until further notice.

Contact NBSCA for a list of courses that are being offered by the NBCSA. If you would like to register for any of these courses please contact **Krista Jardine** at 506-627-1477, by e-mail at **registration@nbcsa.ca** or fax at 506-624-9581. **NOTE:** *All of our courses are available in any area, providing there are sufficient numbers of interested participants or if the company (companies) wish to cover a minimum class recovery fee to put on the course.*

As part of New Brunswick Construction Safety Association's (NBCSA) continuing efforts to ensure the safety of our course participants and staff amid ongoing concerns about the impact of COVID-19 (novel coronavirus), we are taking precautions to help minimize exposures for our stakeholders.

Given the rapidly evolving COVID-19 situation, your NBCSA is suspending all in-classroom training and external audits effective Wednesday, March 18th, through Friday, April 3rd (Subject to change as new information arises.)

Our professional staff will continue to work onsite at our facility providing quality support and assistance to our stakeholders by email and phone.

Please continue to check our website, as well as our social media apps for further updates on our services.

**We have Safety Orientation, WHMIS,
Confined Space Awareness Refresher and Fall Protection Refresher On-Line***

***Please note:** Students taking the On-Line Fall Protection Refresher are only permitted to refresh on-line once every six years. This means that if a person has taken a classroom course, when their certificate is up for expiry they can take the Refresher On-Line, however when that certificate expires they must take the classroom course.



- In [COVID-19: Proactively Documenting, Monitoring and Mitigating Risks and Impacts](#), Revay will instruct on the importance of understanding the status of your projects before COVID-19, and of keeping detailed daily records of the impacts you may be facing. The presentation will also provide a project management / claims management perspective about your duty to mitigate, and will present opportunities to consider during this slow down / shut down time in order to reassess your projects and identify all project risks which can be mitigated to allow for a more seamless restart and improved collaboration moving forward on **May 1, from noon to 1 p.m.**
- In [The Business Value of BIM](#), you'll learn about the value of this exciting new technology from a mechanical contractor's perspective. Topics discussed will include quantifying BIM's benefits for mechanical contractors, how to benchmark yourselves for success with BIM, how to establish realistic goals for BIM success, no matter your expertise—and more. Join us for this session on **May 6, from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.**
- In [Supercharge Revenue Generation Through Your Field Service Technicians](#), you'll learn about the specific actions your organization can take to improve technician revenue generation effectiveness. This session is scheduled for **May 13, from noon to 1 p.m.**



COVID-19 Preparedness Qualification



This Course is available for Union and Non-Union Members

COVID-19 Member Preparedness Training

1. These job site protocols are based on;
 - a) New OSHA standards and regulation
 - b) Occupational Safety and Health Administration Guidance
 - c) Employer policy
 - d) Legal advice

2. Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) is a;
 - a) Type of influenza
 - b) A disease of the digestive system caused by bacteria
 - c) Respiratory disease caused by the SARS-CoV-2 virus
 - d) Disease present only in congested areas

3. Which of the below is not a symptom of COVID-19;
 - a) Fever
 - b) Cough
 - c) Skin Rashes
 - d) Shortness of Breath

4. COVID-19 is spread mainly from;
 - a) Person to person contact between people within about 6 feet
 - b) Respiratory droplets from cough or sneeze landing in the mouth or nose of others
 - c) Respiratory droplets inhaled into the lungs
 - d) All of the above

5. People are thought to be most contagious when;
 - a) They are most symptomatic
 - b) They are sleeping
 - c) They are initially exposed
 - d) They fail to report exposure

6. The latest information about COVID-19 is available on
 - a) MSNBC
 - b) The internet
 - c) Government websites and Health Organization websites
 - d) Social media

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Highlights, the e-newsletter for Atlantica Centre for Energy. [View this email in your browser](#)



Highlights



Working with businesses and leaders to find a way through

As all of us continue to navigate through the Covid-19 pandemic, at Atlantica we've been bringing businesses and leaders together to discuss a wide range of issues, including employee health and safety, customer and market responses to the crisis, supply chain disruptions, short- and long-term economic impacts, government responses and more. *Read more*



NB Power halts requests for rate hike, smart meter rollout

NB Power is postponing a bid for a rate increase for 2020-21, and its request to implement smart meters in the province. The utility asked the New Brunswick Energy and Utilities board to delay releasing its decision on a proposed rate increase of 1.9 per cent and proposed \$92 million rollout of advanced metering infrastructure. *Read more*



Developments: New CEOs, new members

In Developments this month, The Atlantica Centre for Energy welcomes two new members while Hydro-Québec and NB Power usher in new CEOs. *Read more*



New Brunswick's development of modular reactors focus at Ottawa conference

The Canadian Nuclear Association's annual meeting in Ottawa featured a full session on small modular reactor development in New Brunswick, including presentations and panel discussions by a wide variety of stakeholders, including NB Power, the Government of New Brunswick, the University of New Brunswick and Atlantica Centre for Energy. The conference followed on the heels of the announcement in Saint John, N.B. of a new alliance dedicated to the development of small nuclear reactors and other clean energy technologies in Atlantic Canada. [Read more](#)



Calgary's Enmax seals purchase of Emera Maine

Enmax Corporation, a utility company owned by the City of Calgary, has completed its \$1.3 billion purchase of Emera Maine. This is the company's first acquisition outside of Canada. [Read more](#)

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