Sunday, June 23
15:00: CNS AGM (Year in Review, Council Election)
17:00 Conference Registration; Exhibits Open
18:00-20:00 – Conference Opening Reception

Monday, June 24
08:00 Welcoming Remarks & Opening of Conference: John Luxat (CNS President) and Keith Stratton (Conference Chair)
08:30-10:00 Plenary I: Industry Updates
Chair: Ramzi Jammal (CNSC)
Ontario Power Generation Utility Update, Sean Granville and Kasia Izdebska (OPG)
Point Lepreau Performance and Summary of SMR Activities in New Brunswick, Michael Hare (New Brunswick Power)
SNC-Lavalin’s Product & Technology Development Vision, Tim Milner (Nuclear Atkins/SNC-Lavalin)
The Importance of Innovation Velocity in the Nuclear Industry, Jason Wight (OPG Pickering)
10:00 Break
10:30 Plenary II: Advances in the Industry
Chair: Laurie Swami (NWMO)
The Regulator’s Role in an Advancing Nuclear Industry, Rumiya Velshi (CNSC)
Collaboration in Innovation for Performance Excellence, Fred Dermarkar (COG)
Innovation in the Nuclear Sector: A Lab’s Perspective, Mark Lesinski (CNL)
Advances in Manufacturing Nuclear Components, Ron Oberth (OCNI)
12:00 Monday Luncheon – “The Quest for Fusion – the ITER Project”, Spencer Pitcher (ITER)
14:00 Parallel Technical Sessions M1A, M2A, M3A, M4A, M1B, M2B, M3B, M4B, and Nuclear for Everyone Course (Break mid-afternoon)
17:30 Student Posters, Wine- & Cheese Reception

Tuesday, June 25
08:00- Parallel Technical Sessions T1A, T2A, T3A, T4A, T1B, T2B, T3B, T4B (Break mid-morning)
08:00- Canadian Nuclear Association Board of Directors Meeting and AGM
12:00 Conference Luncheon Honours & Awards Ceremony
14:00- Plenary III: Advances in the Industry
Chair: Stephen Bushby (AECL)
Enabling the Future of Nuclear, Len Clewett (Bruce Power)
An Industry Perspective from the CANDU Owners Group’s Radioactive Waste Leadership Forum, Lise Morton (OPG)
SMR Roadmap – Update and Next Steps, Diane Cameron (NRCan)
Bruce Power –Transition to the Equipment Performance Division, David Andrews (Bruce Power)
15:30 Break
16:00- Plenary IV: Panel on Building and Fostering Relationships
Moderator: Ken Coates (Johnson Shoyama Graduate School of Public Policy, University of Saskatchewan)
Panelists:
Ross Horgan (WANO Young Generation Coordinator), An International Perspective on Fostering Relationships with the Next Generation in Nuclear
Blair Skinner (Mayor of Pinawa), Building and Maintaining Relationships in a Nuclear Host Community
Joe Gaboury (Director Aboriginal Engagement, NWMO)
Kathleen Duguay (New Brunswick Power), Meeting Expectations and Building Trust
18:30 Cocktails, Banquet and Fun Night – Guest Speaker: John Gorman, CNA President & CEO

Wednesday, June 26
08:00- Parallel Technical Sessions W1A, W2A, W3A, W4A, W1B, W2B, W3B, W4B (Break mid-morning)
12:00 Wednesday Luncheon – “Isotopes and Innovation: History of Canada’s Leadership”, Guest Speaker: Richard Wiens (Nordion)
14:00 Plenary V: Panel on Industry Collaboration
Moderator: Jerry Hopwood (UNENE)
Panelists:
Lee Causey (North American Young Generation in Nuclear)
Willy Cook (University of New Brunswick)
Paul Spekkens (Kinectrics Inc.)
Karen Fritz (OPG)
Fred Dermarkar (COG)
Q & A
15:30 Break
16:00 Plenary VI: Innovation in Nuclear
Chair: Daniel Brady (Natural Resources Canada)
SMRs for Remote Mining Operations, Vic Pakalnis (Mirarco Mining Innovation)
Innovation Culture, Bharath Nangia (NPX) Nuclear Innovation Institute, Frank Saunders (Bruce Power)
17:00 Conference Closing Remarks – Keith Stratton, Chair
17:10 End of Conference
See you in 2020, May 31-June 3, in Saint John, NB:
40th CNS Annual Conference and
44th CNS-CNA Student Conference