



The Mississauga Chapter Executive Board

Professional Engineers Ontario (PEO) chapters were formed over fifty (50) years ago to provide a crucial link between members-at-large and PEO Council, and to promote the value of engineering to the local communities. There are currently thirty-six (36) chapters organized into five (5) regions across the province. The Mississauga Chapter has over 9,600 members, including professional engineers and engineering interns.

PEO chapters have the following primary aims:

1. facilitate participation and training of licence holders in the governance, succession planning for PEO leadership, and statutory duties of the profession;
2. work to identify the value of the profession to future licence holders;
3. promote and enhance understanding within society of the self-regulated engineering profession and the importance of licensure; and
4. actively participate in PEO's policy development.

The Mississauga Chapter By-Law states that the Executive Board shall have a minimum of five (5) and a maximum of seventeen (17) members, including the Past-Chair. The Board fulfills its aims through the organization and execution of a wide variety of events such as annual general meetings, licence presentation ceremonies, technical seminars, networking events and educational engagement events.

To fulfill its mandate, the Board meets approximately ten (10) times a year on weekday evenings in person or via teleconference. On average, board members spend approximately 50-80 hours to fulfill their executive duties. Board members contribute to board activities throughout the year, including event planning and execution, administrative tasks and communication activities.

Board members are required to be respectful and professional towards one another, and to conduct themselves in a professional manner in all their dealings as a Board representative. Board members are also required to adhere to the regulations and policies set forth by Professional Engineers Ontario, including but not limited to:

- the Professional Engineers Act (<https://www.ontario.ca/laws/statute/90p28>);
- the Code of Ethics (http://peo.on.ca/index.php?ci_id=1815&la_id=1);
- the Equity and Diversity Policy (http://www.peo.on.ca/index.php/ci_id/23255/la_id/1.htm); and
- the Anti-Workplace Violence and Harassment Policy (http://www.peo.on.ca/index.php/ci_id/27834/la_id/1.htm).