

# Canadian Evaluation Society - National Capital Chapter Annual Activities Report 2022-2023

CES-NCC Annual General Meeting  
November 16, 2023



Canadian Evaluation Society  
**National Capital Chapter**  
Société canadienne d'évaluation  
**Section de la capitale nationale**

# Background

## \* Board Members (2022-23):

- \* **President** – Susanna Beaudin
- \* **Secretary** – Sharon Lécuyer
- \* **Treasurer** – Stephen Kester
- \* **Past President** – Emily Brennan
- \* **VP Professional Development and ALE Chair** – Mariève Vaillancourt
- \* **VP Communications** – Stéphanie Jolette
- \* **VP Networking and Memberships** – Lulu Li
- \* **VP Partnerships** – Marc Riopel
- \* **VP Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Sustainability** – Victoria E. Díaz
- \* **Chapter Representative to National** – Brian Case
- \* **Student Representative** – Mahmoud Rahim
- \* **PPX representative (Ex-officio)** – Steve Montague
- \* **Treasury Board of Canada Secretariat representative (Ex-officio)** – Sandra DiGnagbo
- \* **Directors at large (Ex-officio)** - Maria Reyes and Gita Zareikar)

# Background

- \* Scope of Activities

- \* July 2022 to June 2023

- \* Membership

- \* 2023: 535
  - \* 2022: 402
  - \* 2021: 489
  - \* 2020: 413
  - \* 2019: 402
  - \* 2018: 410
  - \* 2017: 358

Source: monthly membership report from chapter secretariat (Willow Group)

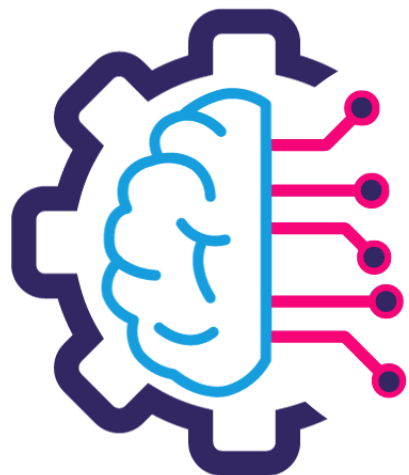
# Partnerships

- \* Partnership Agreement with PPX
  - \* CES-NCC and PPX co-hosted a virtual lunch-and-learn on May 24, 2023 to celebrate the legacy of John Mayne
  - \* Collaboration between CES-NCC, PPX, TBS and CES National to organize an online webinar on the Review of the 2016 *Policy on Results*
  - \* PPX and CES-NCC continue to have ex-officio members on each other's BODs
- \* Agreement with Carleton University's School of Public Policy and Administration Student Society, and two research centres from the University of Ottawa
  - \* Upcoming: "A Career in Evaluation" networking event – November 3, 2023

# Accomplishments: Annual Learning Event

- \* Hosted our first in-person Annual Learning Event since 2019
- \* Held on February 23, 2023
- \* The theme was *Who We Are. What We Do. Why It Matters.*
- \* 162 attendees
- \* Keynote speaker was Dr. Nicole Bowman
- \* Thank you to our wonderful ALE volunteers!

Save the Date!



Canadian Evaluation Society – National Capital Chapter

**2024** **ANNUAL  
LEARNING  
EVENT**

**INTEGRATE. FACILITATE. ELEVATE.**  
**SKILLS FOR NOW AND THE FUTURE**

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2024**

# Accomplishments: Professional Development

- \* Three Essential Skills Series sessions:
  - \* French, virtual (offered in collaboration with CES-NB and SQÉP): October 3 – December 9, 2022 (8 registrants)
  - \* English, in person: November 17-25, 2022 (14 registrants)
  - \* English, virtual, federal focus: April to June 2023 (20 registrants)

# Accomplishments: Webinars

- \* Three virtual webinars were organized:
  - \* November 24, 2022: Evaluation in the Context of Knowledge and Capacity Building
  - \* April 24, 2023: Mise en lumière de la désignation d'évaluateur agréé de la SCÉ
  - \* May 10, 2023: A Conversation with Jill Chouinard, Editor of the Canadian Journal of Program Evaluation



# Equity, Diversity, Inclusion and Sustainability

- \* Collaborated with the C2023 SIDEA committee to update a rubric used to assess and guide events
- \* Ongoing promotion of the Financial Support Fund
  - \* The EDI fund created in 2021-2022 was modified to broaden eligibility and provide greater support
  - \* Fund offers up to \$1,000 per year per individual covering 80% of registration fees is available to CES-NCC members
  - \* In 2022-2023, three applicants successfully applied for the Financial Support Fund

# Thanks to all of our volunteers!

- \* From those who volunteer regularly in or through chapter committees, and events, and those who participate episodically.
- \* A thank you to those Board members who completed their terms in 2022-2023 (Marc Riopel, Stéphanie Jollette and Stephen Kester) as well as long-standing PPX rep Steve Montague.