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Since the last Activity Report, the following [events](#) have taken place in the Calgary Branch.

Executive Meetings

A branch executive meeting was held on October 1, 2007, see minutes of meeting for issues.

Branch Events

- A. Member-in-Training Seminars: At Calgary APEGGA conference centre, Date: October 1 from 8:30AM to 4:30PM, Cost \$250 full day, Topics: Business writing for results by Cheryl Lund, Introduction to financial skills by Frank Saccucci, Goal setting by Kathrine Bondy, Team players get the promotions by Rob Macdonald, P. Eng./Kathrine Bondy, Conflict management by Rob Macdonald, P. Eng.
- B. Calgary Branch Luncheon: At Radisson Hotel Calgary, 2120 16 Ave. NE, Date: October 3 from 11:15AM to 1 PM, Speaker: Erik Potter, P. Eng., Global thermal electric, Topic: Remote power – It's not easy to be green, Cost: \$36 for member and \$18 for students.
- C. Calgary Branch Luncheon: At Fairmont Palliser Hotel, Date: October 17 from 11:15AM to 1 PM, Topic: Enmax's Renewable Energy Program, Speaker: Raymond McKay, P. Eng., V.P Enmax.
- D. Calgary Branch Evening Seminar: At the Martha Cohen Theatre, Date: October 22 from 5:30 PM to 9:30 PM, Topic: Engineering Your Financial Future, Speaker: Girish Agrawal, Executive Financial Consultant.
- E. P.D. Seminar at Calgary APEGGA conference centre, Date: October 30 and 31 from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Topic: Coaching for commitment – Fostering sustainable Superior Performance, Speaker: Rachelle Lee from Einblau & Associates, Cost: \$750 for

members and lunch provided.

Upcoming Events and P.D Seminars

- A. P.D Seminar: At Calgary APEGGA conference centre, Date: November 14 from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Topic: Plain Talk – Communication Skills that Work, Speaker: Rachel Lee from Einblau & Associates, Cost: \$325(Includes material and lunch), Visit <https://platinum.secure-orders.net/schuld/secure/applications/PDPlainTalk/>
- B. Calgary Branch Luncheon: At the Fairmont Palliser Hotel, Date: November 13 from 11:15 AM to 1 PM, Topic: Fears, Myths & Realities Regarding Climate Change and Industry, Speaker: Pierre Alvarez, President of the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers, Cost: \$36 for members and guests, \$18 for students, Contact Calgary APEGGA office at 262-7714 prior to November 8 for registration.
- C. P.D Seminar: At Calgary APEGGA conference centre, Date: November 28 and 29 , Topic: Professional management – Introduction to effective project management framework which can be applicable to technical and non-technical projects, Speaker: George Jergeas, PhD, P.Eng., Cost: \$399(Includes refreshments), visit www.apegga.org/members/events/pd_days.html

By Bill Chan, P.Eng. – Secretary of Calgary Branch Executive Committee