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CIC Strategy – 2019 and Beyond

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The CIC is an unmatched network of professionals that champions the advancement of the chemical sciences professionals in Canada. As a member-based not-for-profit association, the prime purpose of the CIC is to serve its members and help them connect, learn, and grow their careers. The CIC's three constituent Societies are the Canadian Society for Chemistry (CSC), the Canadian Society for Chemical Engineers (CSChE) and the Canadian Society for Chemical Technology (CSCT). The CIC facilitates collaboration amongst the Societies. All members of the CSC, CSChE or CSCT are members of the CIC, with access to all facilities available to members of the other Societies.

Vision

A fully interconnected Canadian chemical sciences community that works together for the advancement of understanding, for sustainability, and for national and global prosperity.

Mission

To foster an inclusive community for chemical science practitioners in Canada that helps them connect, enhance their skills, advance their careers, and earn recognition for their accomplishments.

Initiatives

- 1) To enhance collaboration, mutual support and efficiencies amongst the communities that the CSC, CSChE and CSCT represent to leverage the potential synergy and value.
- 2) To support and enhance the strategic initiatives of the CSC, CSChE and CSCT.
- 3) To review and potentially restructure the relationships between the Societies, the Institute, the Subject Divisions, the Local Sections and the Student Chapters.
- 4) To support and promote activities of committees with tri-Society representation that:
 - a. increase engagement with industry
 - b. promote engagement of Young Professionals
 - c. drive membership
 - d. enable grass roots engagement locally and nationally (cross-society communities)
- 5) To establish policy through tri-Society representation to:
 - a. practice equity, diversity and inclusion
 - b. enhance targeted bilingual communication
 - c. advocate for chemical sciences and chemical practitioners nationally and globally