

Women in Nuclear (WiN) Canada Education & Communication Award



The Women in Nuclear (WiN) Canada team is recognized for helping to reshape the perception of the nuclear industry in our communities, and for providing mentorship, training, and leadership opportunities for women in STEM-related careers in the industry.

Since it was first formed in 2004, WiN Canada and its chapters have served a crucial role in communicating with the public about nuclear technology, and in leading and encouraging women to take on more senior roles, as well as contributing to their professional and personal development. Over the years, WiN Canada organized many excellent events and training opportunities that have been available to both members of the nuclear community and the public.

WiN Canada has been actively engaging in conversations with women about the benefits and risks of nuclear technology. They have taken on the challenge of changing public perceptions of nuclear-related technologies and radiation applications, preparing their members to help the public better understand the industry and positioning them for effective and constructive dialogue.

In 2019, WiN Canada launched its “Presenting with Confidence” webinar across several Chapters, providing members with strategies to boost their confidence when engaging with a variety of audiences. Moreover, they play a key role in supporting national initiatives such as “Equal by 30” and “The Electricity Human Resources Canada Leadership Accord for Gender Diversity”, which aim to increase the representation of women in the workforce and in leadership roles.