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SIMSA Federated Co-operatives Ltd. Roundtable Event – a first!



Over 100 Saskatchewan Industrial and Mining Suppliers Association's (SIMSA) members heard from and networked with a landmark Saskatchewan company - Federate Co-operative Ltd. (FCL) - at a Roundtable event on February 28th 2019 in Regina, SK. This event was the first SIMSA Roundtable event held with a non-mining company.



SIMSA hear from FCL

As with all SIMSA Roundtable events, SIMSA members heard presentations on a variety of topics from a group of FCL persons. Also, the questions SIMSA previously developed then submitted were answered within FCL's presentation. Finally, and more importantly, prior to the event commencing and then again after the presentation portion, an informal networking session occurred. The networking session allowed SIMA members to briefly meet with key purchasing, design, and decisions-making persons within FCL, with the goal of setting meetings to follow.

Eric Anderson, SIMSA's Executive Director noted that, "FCL persons were the last to leave the room. This truly demonstrated FCL's commitment to working with the Saskatchewan supply chain."

Speaking on behalf of FCL were:

Kelly Currie - business update and outlook for the Refinery

- Director, Business Performance
- Co-op Refinery Complex (CRC)

Mitchell Clark - business update and outlook for FDD

- Program Manager, Energy Projects
- Facilities Design and Development
- Federated Co-operatives Limited (FCL)

Ryan Konecsni - procurement practices and procedures

- Purchasing Manager
- Services and Major Capital
- Co-op Refinery Complex (CRC)

Philip Roy - current and forecasted Major projects

- Engineer
- Technical Services
- Co-op Refinery Complex



FCL's Kelly Currie presents to SIMSA members

Attending from FCL and networking with SIMSA's membership were:

Kelly Currie, CRC Business Performance
Mitch Clark, FCL Facilities
Lyle Angus, FCL Facilities
Simon Kostic, CRC Technical Services
Philip Roy, CRC Technical Services
Shane Henderson, CRC Safety
Justin Nagy, CRC Security
Kevin Becker, CRC Turnaround
Jason Hook, CRC Turnaround
Ryan Konecsni, CRC Procurement
Dustin Roberts, CRC MRO Supply Chain
Mike Patel, CRC Procurement
Debbi Ross, CRC Procurement
Biren Patel, CRC Procurement



SIMSA members network FCL

The event was co-sponsored by Graham Construction and STC Industrial Services.

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diversity of talent in their company and as they grow. Their work types include Earthworks, Mechanical and Piping, Electrical and Instrumentation, Power & Civil Engineering.

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About the Saskatchewan Industrial and Mining Suppliers Association (SIMSA):



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SIMSA is the Saskatchewan Industrial and Mining Suppliers Association, representing Saskatchewan based companies who provide goods and services to mining, oil and gas and industrial projects. SIMSA's membership of over 180 companies, represents over \$10-billion in annual revenues and 20,000 employees in the province. SIMSA's mandate is to represent the interests and concerns of Saskatchewan industrial equipment and service suppliers, through promotion of its members and the creation of partnerships with industry and other associations.

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