

CCECE 2016 - Social Events

Sunday Evening – Welcome Reception – starting at 6pm

A welcome reception will be held Sunday evening, including drinks and hors d'oeuvres. For those arriving Sunday, this is a great event to start to reconnect with colleagues. The registration desk will be open alongside the reception, so you can also come to register for the conference and avoid the Monday-morning line-up.

Monday Evening – IEEE Awards Banquet with Surprise Performance – starting at 6:30pm in the Pinnacle Ballroom

This is the premiere awards event in IEEE Canada where outstanding Canadian engineers and scientists are recognized for their important contributions to our profession in two categories; technical excellence and outstanding service to IEEE and the profession in general. Up to 10 major awards are presented - each recipient receives a plaque and a medal (these medals are sterling silver with the top award in each of the two categories being gold). All attendees will have an opportunity to come to know a little about these unique individuals as well as enjoying an excellent banquet in pleasant surroundings. For students it is a rare opportunity to learn about the path to success you are choosing for your technical career. All conference delegates will receive a banquet ticket as part of their registration, and additional tickets can be purchased. The banquet will cap off with a surprise performance that has been arranged by the conference local organizing committee.

Tuesday Afternoon – Telus Networking Social with Guest of Honour Ibrahim Gedeon – Starting at 4:45 PM in the Foyer

Come for some light refreshments before dinner while meeting with our guest of Honour, Ibrahim Gedeon (Chief Technology Officer of Telus) along with your fellow conference delegates.

Tuesday Evening – Sunset Dinner Cruise - Boarding at 6:45 and Departure at 7:45 in Coal Harbour

Enjoy a 2.5 hour leisurely cruise past the downtown skyline, the cruise ship terminal of Canada Place, the Mountains of the North Shore, Stanley Park and more. Take in the sights and sounds of the city as you enjoy delicious West Coast-themed cuisine. You'll have the best spot in Vancouver to watch the sun slowly disappear into the Pacific Ocean. This event required booking in advance, however some space may be available if you ask at the registration desk.

Wednesday Farewell Cocktails – starting at 4:30pm in the Foyer

Say “goodbye” to CCECE and your fellow conference delegates as we close-out the conference at the farewell cocktails event. Light refreshments and drinks will be available.