

2020

Award of Merit Recipient

Anthony (Tony) Nabuurs,
P.Eng, FEC



In recognition of exceptional leadership, a strong work ethic, and outstanding dedication to the development of standards for nuclear safety

An esteemed contributor to nuclear safety standards, Tony Nabuurs has participated on all levels of CSA Group committees over the past 19 years. He served as Chair of the N285A Technical Committee (TC) on CANDU Nuclear Power Plant Pressure-Retaining Systems and Components. He is also a member of numerous Task Forces and Working Groups under this committee, where he brought extensive technical knowledge and a strong will to resolve issues in a positive manner. His achievements include successfully implementing a restructuring of the N285A TC, improving the collaboration between members of the TC, and encouraging compliance with the project schedule resulting in all milestones being met ahead of schedule.

Tony demonstrates exemplary leadership in the N285A committee. He keeps the committee striving for excellence through initiatives such as proactive consideration of the impacts of new technologies and methodologies on the N285.0/N285.6 standard. He also liaises with relevant groups such as the Small Reactor Task Force to ensure proper alignment with the TC's direction.

Tony excels in bringing differing opinions together in an atmosphere of co-operation and professionalism. He is a true champion of CSA and nuclear safety standards, earning the respect, trust and admiration of his peers.

Tony retired from NB Power Nuclear Corporation in 2016. He continues to volunteer with CSA and has just started volunteering as a Patient and Family adviser with Medavie Health Services for Ambulance New Brunswick and Extra Mural.