

Chief Executive Officers Group Report to the Board

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Background

- With the onset of the pandemic, the CEO Group has been holding regular video conferences, sharing policies and practices to best protect staff and the public in accordance with their respective provincial COVID19 public health measures.
- The CEO Group met virtually for four hours on May 20.
- We had representation from all regulators except for OIQ.

Agenda items of note

The Group received presentations/updates on the following topics:

- International Mobility and IEA Meeting
- Accreditation Update
- Project updates on:
 - International Institutions and Degrees Database (IIDD)
 - National Membership Database (NMDB)
 - Competency Based Assessment Project (CBA)
- Resumption of office operations
- Concerns with recent OSPE/CSPE misrepresentations and lack of transparency
- PEO's signing on to the National Professional Practice Exam

Meeting with Engineering Deans Canada

- CEO Group invited EDC to attend part of the meeting as a result of February session to address issues. The President of EC was also invited to sit in on this portion of the agenda.
- EDC noted that there are many areas of common interest between the regulators and EDC that would merit collective discussion, inter alia:
 - Indigenous education, and truth and reconciliation efforts,
 - Attraction and retention of students,
 - Future of the profession and what it looks like,
 - Global practice, and
 - Key among these, an accreditation system that can take advantage of contemporary pedagogical approaches.
- EDC is wondering if we should consider a joint process to address these matters, specifically, how do we capitalise on all of the change that is being thrust upon us?
- The CEO Group felt that many interesting points were raised and will be looking at ways to facilitate communication between the two groups.

Questions?



Thank you

