

CEATI WOMEN IN POWER INTERNATIONAL GROUP

Panel Webinar

with Mazana Armstrong, BC Hydro; Natasha Gentry, BPA; and Angela Smith, FortisAlberta

May 17, 2018, 1pm ET



Mazana Armstrong ————— **BC Hydro**

Mazana Armstrong is a Specialist Engineer and Team Lead with BC Hydro Engineering. Her responsibilities include electrical aspects of transmission lines 69 kV to 500 kV, their operation and maintenance. She holds a degree in Electrical Engineering from the University of Zagreb, Croatia, and an M.A.Sc. and Ph.D. from the University of British Columbia. Mazana is a registered professional engineer in the Province of British Columbia and a Senior Member of IEEE. She has held various volunteer positions with IEEE and the Power & Energy Society (PES), where she is currently Vice-President for Chapters. In her role she is responsible for over 250 PES chapters worldwide.

Mazana represents BC Hydro in the CEATI Grounding and Lightning Interest Group. She is a member of the Canadian Standards Association (CSA) and the IEEE Standards Association, and she participates in the development of BC Hydro, Canadian, and IEEE standards. She is also a paper reviewer for IEEE Transactions on Power Delivery and an IEEE PES Distinguished Lecturer.

Natasha Gentry ————— **BPA**

Natasha Gentry is a manager of the Transmission Line Design group at Bonneville Power Administration. She has over 13 years of experience with transmission and distribution utilities in the areas of line design, transmission line electrical clearance analysis, and transmission component health assessment. She holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Mechanical Engineering from Washington State University and a graduate certificate in Transmission and Distribution Engineering from Gonzaga University.

Angela Smith ————— **FortisAlberta**

Angela Smith is an IT Architecture Manager with FortisAlberta. She has nearly 30 years of experience in a broad variety of information technology roles that include large system implementations, business process re-engineering, team management, systems development, quality assurance, and operational support. Before she joined FortisAlberta, she provided application support for oil and gas, finance, mobility billing, utility billing and settlement systems. In her current role as an IT Architect, Angela guides technology strategy and implementation projects that enable FortisAlberta's control center, field operations, facility mapping and maintenance (GIS), and engineering departments. She is an enthusiastic IT professional and an idealist who fundamentally believes that technology exists simply to enable business success.



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Group Mandate & Objectives

- Networking with other women in the industry;
- Promoting engineering to women in the field, especially to new engineers and those just starting out in their career;
- Sharing common challenges and strategies for overcoming obstacles as females in a male-dominated field; and
- Brainstorming together to identify common patterns and develop new strategies for educating colleagues and superiors on how to successfully encourage and support females in the field.

Upcoming Events

May 17th, 2018, 1pm ET: Panel Webinar with Natasha Gentry, Mazana Armstrong, and Angela Smith

June 21st, 2018, 2pm ET: Webinar with Jaci Gould, Bureau of Reclamation

October 17, 2018, 6:30pm ET: Networking Reception at the CEATI Asset Management Conference