

## WHY ATTEND CPPC FORUM?

In November 1999, public and quasi-public sector organizations met in Quebec City for the first Canadian Forum on Public Procurement to study and discuss their common issues. Every year since then, CPPC hosted this Forum from on end of the country to the other and is still the only event dedicated to public procurement professionals in Canada. Forum is a place where you can network, exchange ideas with your peers and make new connections with members of public sector entities from every level of government across the nation.

CPPC Forum has been recognized for its strong educational content which is as rich as it is varied. Forum provides an opportunity for participants to increase their knowledge of the profession by offering workshops on current topics in the industry that deal with the most pressing issues and challenges. These workshops are presented by individuals that are leaders in their respective fields, many of whom are CPPC members, that are pleased to share best practices.

Attendance at Forum counts towards credit hours required to obtain or maintain a professional designation. Upon request, CPPC will provide a certificate acknowledging participation.

CPPC offers early bird rates to participants which end only a few weeks before the event. These rates are also an added value to CPPC members since their rates are even lower. CPPC is proud to offer these very reasonable fees for an event of this magnitude and quality as it is the only event totally dedicated to public procurement in Canada.

Here are a few quotes from past Forum participants which were collected in our event appreciation surveys and which demonstrate that our participants have met their goals by attending.

"I really enjoyed this Forum. The speakers were great, the attendees were interesting and fun, and the staff members were extremely patient, courteous, and professional."

"The conference was excellent, with much good information communicated, and timely topics discussed as well. Very well done!"

"The speakers were very knowledgeable, I really enjoyed that."



"The format of concurrent sessions, it allowed me to chose what was most relevant each time."

We really hope you will be able to join us in Montreal in 2024. Do not hesitate to contact us by email at <a href="mailto:forum@cppc-ccmp.ca">forum@cppc-ccmp.ca</a> if you need any further information on this great event.