

# INFORMATION PACKAGE CPPC CONNECT 2024 MONTREAL, QUEBEC

The Canadian Public Procurement Council (CPPC) invites you to join the public procurement community for its first edition of CPPC Connect. The event will take place in Montreal, Quebec on April 23rd at the DoubleTree by Hilton Montreal during CPPC's national Forum which will go from April 21 – 24. CPPC Connect is an event designed to build relationships among the supplier community and government entities from all sectors. It is a place where learning, networking and partnering come tothether to support public procurements that are effective, efficient, transparent and fair.

#### What is the Canadian Public Procurement Council?

The CPPC is the leading voice for professionals involved in public procurement in Canada. Our members are organizations at the federal, provincial/territorial, and municipal levels of government, as well as Crown corporations and the full range of municipal, academic, social and healthcare (MASH) entities. We support the public procurement community across Canada by promoting dialogue, facilitating information exchanges, developing approaches to common issues, and providing leadership for the resolution of shared challenges.

### What is CPPC Connect and who attends?

CPPC Connect is a great opportunity for suppliers to network in One-on-One appointments with procurement professionals from public organizations which are important consumers of goods and services in the country. A summary of participating government entities is available in this document. One-on-One meetings will be taking place on the afternoon of April 23rd. Registered suppliers will have the opportunity to book 3 meetings of 15 minutes with the organizations of their choice. Capacity may allow booking of more meetings. Networking with all participants of CPPC's national Forum will also be possible since lunch will be offered to registered suppliers and will take place in the same room than all participants of our Forum.

## What is the cost to register for CPPC Connect?

Registering for CPPC Connect will cost only 850\$. Two participants per supplier will have the opportunity to book in advance in One-on-One meetings and attend lunch with Forum participants.

#### Who attends the Canadian Public Procurement Forum?

The Forum, which attracts more than 150 delegates and speakers from across the country, is where the decision-makers in public procurement come to network, share leading practices and find collaborative partners for moving forward within the profession. Government suppliers and service providers can forge relationships with the key decision-makers and individuals who are directly involved in strategic supply chain management!

# Want to consider a sponsorthip for Forum?

The Forum provides the private-sector supply community with a unique environment to meet and network with public sector procurement professionals. The Forum will deliver many benefits to your company, such as:

- You can attend the sessions where important public procurement issues are being discussed by public procurement professionals, who are the people who decide and select leading-edge solutions;
- •. You will be front and centre receiving enhanced exposure to key public procurement practitioners;
- You can engage in discussions with key government decisionmakers and individuals involved in strategic supply chain wwagement, building a foundation for mutual understanding.

We acknowledge and appreciate the support of private-sector companies as partners in the Forum, which increases our ability to provide a leading-edge conference experience for our public procurement community. Visit our website www.cppc-ccmp.ca and more specifically our Forum page for more information.

# **Participating Government Entities**



Public Services and Procurement Canada Services publics et Approvisionnement Canada

Public Services and Procurement Canada (PSPC) supports federal departments and agencies in their daily operations as their central purchasing agent, real property manager, treasurer, accountant, pay and pension administrator, integrity advisor, common service provider and linguistic authority. With over 16 500 employees across the country, and offices located in communities from coast to coast, PSPC manages an annual budget of over \$4 billion. PSPC is the main buyer for the Government of Canada, purchasing approximately \$22 billion worth every year on behalf of federal departments and agencies. (2 simultaneous One-on-One meetings will be possible with this organization)



Defence Construction Canada (DCC) is a Crown corporation that provides innovative and cost-effective contracting, construction contract management, infrastructure and environmental services, and lifecycle support for Canada's defence requirements. DCC will procure and manage projects for its major Client-Partner, the Department of National Defence. The Value of annual contract expenditure reaches over 1 billion dollars yearly which makes DCC a major contractor in Canada. (2 simultaneous One-on-One meetings will be possible with this organization)



University Health Network is the largest hospital-based research program in Canada and is fully affiliated with the University of Toronto. University Health Network encompasses the Toronto General and Toronto Western hospitals, the Princess Margaret Cancer Centre, Toronto Rehabilitation Institute, and The Michener Institute of Education at UHN. This hospital network has a procurable spend of approximately \$1.6B every year which makes it a significant public contractor in Ontario and in Canada. (2 simultaneous One-on-One meetings will be possible with this organization)



Located in the vibrant and multicultural City of Montreal, Concordia University places among the top-ranked universities worldwide and #1 in Canada founded within the last 50 years and among the largest urban universities in Canada. Concordia's innovative approach to experiential learning and cross-functional research benefits 50,000 students.



The City of Lévis is the seventh largest city in the Province of Quebec. With a population of over 150 000 citizens and annual contract expenditures of over 285 million dollars it has become a major actor in the municipal sector. Its contracts are awarded following the Quebec Cities and Towns act for which suppliers can have an opportunity to learn basic principles.



Situated on traditional Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee territory, Queen's University is one of Canada's oldest degree-granting universities and a contemporary hub of academic research in Kingston, Canada. It is conveniently located about 200 km from Canada's capital city of Ottawa, about 250 km from the centre of our provincial capital of Toronto, and about 300 km from Montréal, Québec. The university is among the top medical-doctoral universities in Canada.



ADM Aéroports de Montréal, the Greater Montréal airport authority, is responsible for the management, operation and development of YUL Montréal-Trudeau International Airport and YMX International Aerocity of Mirabel under a lease entered into with Transport Canada in 1992 and expiring in 2072. ADM is committed to succeeding in its various business sectors - airport, real estate and commercial services - and developing each of its two sites to their full potential. Accordingly, YUL serves as a hub for domestic, transborder and international passenger transportation, while YMX serves as an all-cargo airport and a world-class aerospace and innovation hub. On average, ADM invests 150 million to 200 million dollars per year to keep its facilities in good order, improve customer service and increase the capacity of its airports based on demand.