

## ASTTBC Registrar Appointed

### Chair Technology Accreditation Canada Standards Council

Technology Accreditation Canada (TAC) has adopted the Canadian Technology Accreditation Criteria (CTAC) as its official standard for accrediting engineering technology and applied science programs. The withdrawal of associations in BC, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Ontario from the Canadian Council of Technologists and Technicians (CCTT) and subsequent rejection of Canadian Technology Accreditation Board (CTAB) accreditation standards and procedures, led to the formation of Technology Professionals Canada (TPC) and the desire for a new accreditation model and standards.

The purpose of the TAC Standards Council (SC) is to ensure the appropriate development and maintenance of national standards used for accrediting education programs and supporting the Provincial Association (PA) participation in the accreditation process. The SC also serves as a conduit for information and issues related to the updating and development of the national standards. The SC consists of the Registrar from each TPC province, one representative of educational institutions and the TAC Executive Director. The ASTTBC Registrar, **Charles Joyner, AScT** is the Chair of the SC for a two-year term ending in June 2017. **Yvonne Moritz**, Dean of Science, Technology and Health at Okanagan College is the educational institution representative.

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