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Re-Elect Vaj Banday, P. Eng, FEC for PEO Councillor-at-Large | www.votevaj.com

Fellow engineers: PEO is losing its relevance.

We're ignoring emerging disciplines. Software Engineering (including AI and cyber-security) is everywhere today! Biomedical Engineering is revolutionizing medicine! Nanotechnology Engineering is driving innovation worldwide! Yet PEO remains fixated on the five engineering disciplines from 1922. **Emerging disciplines MUST be regulated to protect the public interest.**

While on Council, I consistently fought to preserve self-regulation and recognize the contribution of members. We were able to add 'emerging disciplines' on the PEO workplan. Unfortunately, a year has passed, and nothing tangible has happened.

I have the abilities needed to address the critical issues facing PEO. I helped several chapters from 2007-2024 (Mississauga, Scarborough, Georgian Bay, and Niagara Falls). In 2009, I revived the dying Georgian Bay Chapter, preventing its permanent loss. As a Lieutenant-Governor Appointee to Council in 2019, and elected Councillor-at-Large from 2022-24, **I have a proven track record of serving the profession and tackling important issues at PEO.**

As an electrical engineer with over 30 years of international experience, licensed in both Michigan and Ontario, I understand the frustrations of international engineers not having licensing reciprocity agreements.

PEO is out of touch. Only 20% of engineering graduates seek licensure because of PEO's archaic processes. To attract innovative entrepreneurs to Ontario, PEO needs to modernize and **self-regulate all emerging disciplines.**

Please support this vision by re-electing **VAJ BANDAY** as **Councillor-at-Large.**

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